

# Ho Ho Ho!!

PLAINS, YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1992 **VOLUME 8, NUMBER 38** 



NAMED TO ALL STATE - Honors received recently were that of honorable mention, offensive end for Brad McMinn; honorable mention linebacker, Jose, Ramirez; and second team offensive lineman, Stoney Garland.



SANTA CLAUS VISITS PRE-SCHOOLERS during Filmtime at the local

# **Community Education Classes** Scheduled For January

Community Education Classes are scheduled to begin in January at Plains Independent School. Classes are open to anyone who can profit by atten-

Registration may be made by mail, P.O. Box 479, or by calling Jonnie Green or Brenda Canada at 456-7490. Registration must be made by Wednesday, Jan. 13 unless specified earlier for some classes.

Fees and minimum attendance must be met the first night of class or the courses will be cancelled. All fees have been assigned according to the cost of the instructor for a minimum enrollment. Most classes require a minimum of 10 participants.

Smoking will not be permitted in

Woodworking will be offered for beginners, intermediate and advanced woodworkers. Robert Canon is instructor for the ten weeks course which will be taught from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursdays, Jan. 14 through March 25 in the high school shop. Fee is \$30. Class is

Calligraphy will be taught by Mary Pettigrew in a one day workshop Saturday, Jan. 30 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Fee of \$20 covers supplies. The class will be held in the Resource Center.

Donna Hollensed will be instructor for Women's Water Aerobics. Offered Mondays from 7 to 8 p.m. and Thursdays from 6 to 7 p.m., the course will be held from Jan. 11 to May 20. There is no limit and the course is free.

Ms. Hollensed will also be the instructor for classes in CPR and First Aid. To be limited to only eight persons, the class will be held from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tuesdays, March 2 and 9

in Middle School room 317. Fee including book is \$25.

Conversational English will be taught by Israel Martinez Mondays and Tuesdays for four weeks, Jan. 18 through Feb. 9. Classes will be held in room 313 in middle school. Fee is \$10.

A six weeks course in Beginning Computers will be taught by Brenda Canada in Middle School's Josten Lab. Classes will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Mondays, Jan. 25 through March 1. Fee is \$10. Class is limited to 24. Instruction will include word processing, spreadsheet, database and communications.

Brenda Smith and Brenda Canada will be instructors for a class in Effective Parent Involvement Concepts, to help parents recognize and realize their potential as the first and foremost teachers of children. The end results for parents is more awareness of their parental influence, more skills and confidence in helping their children succeed in school, high student achievement and better home-school relations. Classes will be offered Thursdays, Jan. 14 through May 6 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the elementary school. Registration must be made by Jan. 11. Course is limited to 12 parents and is free.

GED classes with help for GED certification will be in the high school lab. Steve Alldredge is instructor. Classes will be held for 14 weeks, beginning Jan. 18 and continuing each Monday through May 3. Limit is eight students. Classes are from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. There is no fee.

Joan Chandler will be instructor for classes to be held Tuesdays, Jan. 19 and 26 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Eating For A Healthy Heart is the theme of the course. There is no fee and no limit.

### **Local Woman Receives Honor**

recipient of one of the Texas Excel-School Teachers awarded annually by Ex-Students Association of the University of Texas at Austin.



DAWN DEARING

A teacher nine years, Mrs. Dearing teaches science at MHS. She was nominated by the school's principal, Thom Vines.

The award is co-sponsored by the Ex-Students Association and UT's College of Education and recognizes

Twas The Night Before...

Twas the night before Jesus came and all through the house, not a creature was praying, not one in the house. Their Bibles were lain on the shelf without care in hopes that Jesus would not come there.

The children were dressing to crawl into bed, not once ever kneeling or bowing a head. And Mom in her rocker with the babe on her lap was watching the Late Show while I took a nap.

When out of the East there arose such a clatter, I sprang to my feet to see what was the matter. Away to the window I flew like a flash, tore open the shutters and threw up

When what to my wondering eyes should appear, but angels proclaiming that Jesus was here. With a light like the sun sending forth a bright ray, I knew in a moment that this must be THE DAY!

The light of His face made me cover my head, It was Jesus! returning just like He had said. And though I possessed worldly wisdom and wealth, I cried when I saw Him in spite of myself.

In the Book of Life which He held in His hand was written the name of every saved man. He spoke not a word as He searched for my name, when He said, "It's not here," my head hung in shame.

The people whose names had been written with love, He gathered to take to His Father above. With those who were ready He rose without sound while all the rest were left standing around.

I fell to my knees, but it was too late; I had waited too long and thus sealed my fate. I stood and I cried as they rose out of sight; Oh, if only we'd been ready tonight. ~Author Unknown

Dawn Dearing, Plains resident and teachers who make a special effort to teacher at Meadow High School, is the prepare their students for higher education. It was established in 1986 to lence Awards for Outstanding High promote public esteem for the teaching profession in Texas.

> Mrs. Dearing's husband, Melvin, is employed with the Post Office and farms. They are parents of a son, Jeremy, a student at Plains High School, and a daughter, Kassie, a student in Plains Junior High.

#### PLAINS ROYAL BOUNDERS TUMBLING WINTER TUMBLING PROGRAM

All Ages - 14 months and up All Levels - Beginners to Advanced STTA Safety Certified Level II Contact Penny Green 894-1846 or 894-7275 or Jerri Lollar 522-6521

Parents' meeting on January 4th. Non-Flip-Floppers will meet at 5:30 and Flip-Floppers will meet at 7:00. in the V.E.H. Building (north side of the Band Hall).

#### **WE WISH YOU A JOYFUL AND SAFE HOLIDAY SEASON!**

As you and your family celebrate during the Holiday Season, we encourage the following wise-energy-use practices:

- \* Make sure your tree is placed away from fireplaces, candles, space heaters, electrical appliances and other heat sources that might dry it out, or ignite it.
- Turn off tree lights overnight or when you're away from home.
- \* Keep paper decorations and tinsel away from hot light.

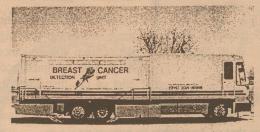
Above all, enjoy this festive time. And, greet the New Year with energy, health and happiness!



Lea County Electric Cooperative, Jnc.

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## **BREAST CANCER DETECTION UNIT AVAILABLE TO AREA WOMEN**



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Sponsored By: YOAKUM COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT The Unit will be parked at: THE PLAINS HEALTH CLINIC PLAINS

> A Service of Transamerican Diagnostic Services (Providing Mammography Services for over 5 years)

#### CAL1-800-633-6452 FOR APPOINTMENT

According to the American Can-**Guidelines For** cer Society, one out of ten women in the United States will develop Established by the breast cancer sometime in her lifetime. It is currently estimated that over 37,000 women die each year as the result of breast can-

Ninety percent of breast cancers are diagnosed by women or their physicians finding a lump in the breast. Women who are diagnosed with a lump large enough to feel have a 50 percent five year survival rate. A woman who is diagnosed as having breast cancer by mammography, before a lump can be felt, has a 97% five year survival rate and a 90% 10 year survival

A mammogram can detect a cancer this small, even before it can be felt.

Screening Mammography American Cancer Society.

- 1. 35-40 years of age -One baseline mammogram.
- II. 40-50 years of age -A mammogram every 1-2 years depending on breast type and
- III. 50 years of age and over -An annual physical examination and annual mammogram.
- IV. Asymptomatic women under 50 years of age with significant high risk factors should be examined at appropriate intervals. These risk factors include previous breast cancer and family history of cancer.

V. A symptomatic woman should have a mammogram at any age when she experiences a mass, nipple discharge, skin changes or unexplained breast pain.

A screening mammogram is an x-ray of the breast using extremely low dosages of radiation (usually comparable to dental xrays) and is designed to find very early cancers.

A female technologist who is highly trained in mammography will perform the examination.

The charge for the screening mammogram is \$45.00. The Unit accepts cash, check, Visa, Mastercard and American Ex-

NOW ACCEPTING MEDICARE AND MEDICAID

# Rodeo Document On Display

1936 when Cowboys Turtle Association, a professional Rodeo Association Yoakum County Library.

The document signed by at least three old timers of Yoakum County, Rusty McGinty, Hugh and Ralph Bennett, makes it compulsory for contes-

A copy of a document signed in tants to receive fees paid for rodeo en-

The organization in later years was organized, is on display in changed their name to Pro-Rodeo As-

> If others who signed the document are from Yoakum County, library personnel would like to be informed.

> > October 30, 1936.

For the Boston Show, we the undersigned <u>demand</u> that the Purses be doubled and the Entrance Fees added in each and every event. Any Contestant failing to sign this Petition will hot be permitted to contest, by order of the undersigned.

Trank Timber Walter Craven

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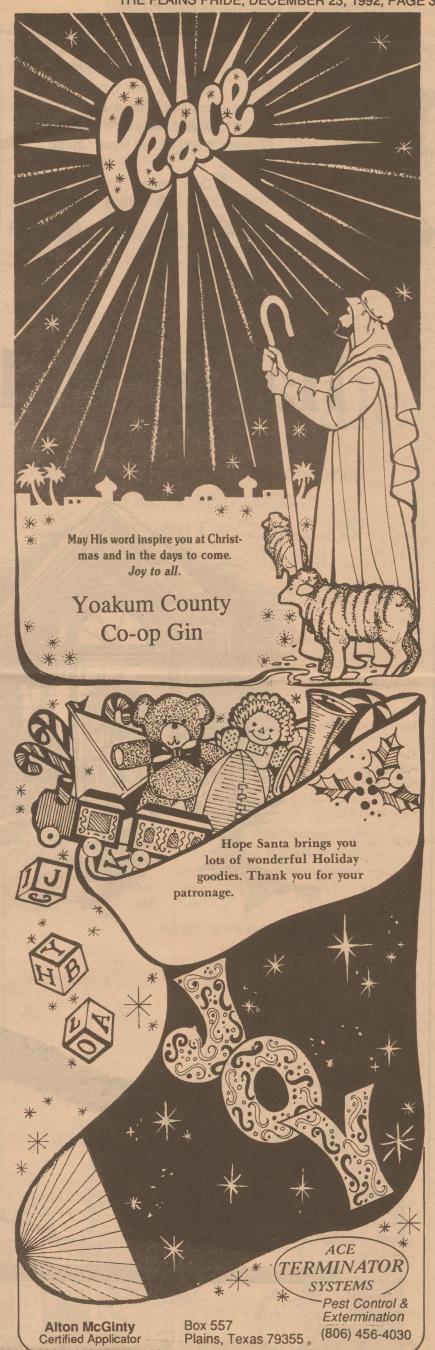
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**BAYER LUMBER** 456-4800





Dear Santa,

Pleas bring MICHAEL a tent to play in the House. Try to get me a new typewriter. Pleas bring RYAN a bike. We both would like a new jean jacket. Michael and Ryan Crump

Dear Santa,

I want a supe Niendo,

can you bring me That thank you Santa, for you bring me. Love Luis Delgado, 10 yr. old

Dear Santa,

A little Mermaid Barbi.
Beauty and the Beast Movie.
Macic Tea part.
Kimberly
Gonzalez

Dear Santa,

I been good I know, cuase my gramma says all the time I been good. Pleez bring me some candy for my stocking and I got hay for rudof. and some cookes for you and your fs. Thank you. Love Martea



# Happy Holidays!



It's the time of year when friends and family draw near and there's no better time for ALLTEL to say thanks for letting us keep you in touch with the people you love and the times you cherish.

With appreciation of your business during the past year, we wish you and your family a happy holiday season and a prosperous new year—from ALLTEL, your full service telephone company.

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## Santa Letters



Dear Santa,

Please bring me toys, clothes and more tractors. I have been a good boy. Tell Rudolph hi

Love, Holden Welch almost 2 years old

Dear Santa,

I have been as good as any one year old can be. Please bring me a toy box, a see and say, a ride and scoot car and clothes.

Love,
Jacob Brink

Dear Santa.

Love to Santa, From Kimberly Jackson (a doll).

Dear Santa,

My name is Todd Williams. I am 4 and a half, and I will start school next year. I would like an erector set, a batman watch, a ghostwriter and a bicycle. Can you bring my sister Kimber a

doll. That is all she needs. Please stay warm.

Love, Todd

Dear Santa,

I want a Magic Nursery Doll stuffed animal.

Love, Amber Friesen

Dear Santa,

I want a Pretty Crimp and Curl Doll A Pretty Crimp and Curl Pony Polly Pocket.

Love, Allison Friesen

# Garden Club Asks For Help In Identifying Graves

Members of Plains Dirt Gardeners will be using funds from their annual "Operation Christmas Card" project to place permanent markers at graves in Plains Cemetery. It is the club's goal to place markers at all unmarked gravesites.

Persons who have information (names and locations of burials in the cemetery) concerning these graves or if anyone wishes to pay for a loved one's yet unmarked grave at a bulk price which the club will receive, should contact any member of the club





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In appreciation of our customers, we're offering a pre-Christmas

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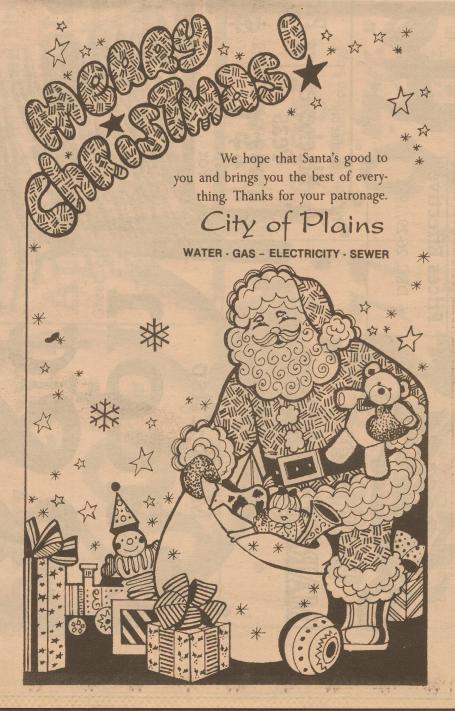
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Merry Christmas To All!

Yoakum County Florist & Gifts

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Denver City
592-8067

JOIly greetings to all our good patrons. May all your holidays be filled with love and joy.
YOAKUM COUNTY
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Happy New Year

Shurfine Dry
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1 lb.

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Potato Chips 2\$2

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Ranch Style

Blackeye Peas
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Roast 1b.



Round\$ 197
Steak 1b.



Shurfine Dips



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3 \$ 5 1/2 pts. For



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Dry Mixers

1 liter

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Great for salads or pies!

59¢ LB

Red Ripe

Tomatoes
4 Pack

\$119

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Tomatoes & Green Chili

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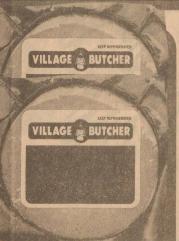
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Dear Santa,

Please bring me a washer and dryer. I am four years old. Please don't forget my sister Michelle and my brother, Brett and all the other boys and girls.

> Thank you, Nicole Culwell

Dear Santa.

I would like to have all the things my brothers don't let me

have, like their Nintendo games two gun and a watch. We have and baseball cards.

Bring them some dolls of their own, because they are always dressing mine in funny Dear Santa, clothes and throwing them up and down. They also need a television house and a Mickey Mouse. I of their own, because they get have been a good girl. mad at me if I switch the channels and turn it off. I don't think they like me as much as they use to. I will be up when you come, because I like to sleep all day and stay awake all night.

JennaSue Alcorta 2 years old

Dear Santa,

My name is Cody. Please bring me a chalk board, a tu-tu and a black cowboy hat.

My brother Casey is 9 years old. He wants a twentyboth been good.

Love,

Cody Mayes

I want a car and a doll

Lauren Davis

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a pedal tractor, four-wheeler, trainset, Mickey Mouse call back phone, a Tonka truck and a Barney. I have been a very good boy.

Love, Landon Earnest







# Jerri's Boutique

Pre-Christmas Sale Going On

We sincerely thank you for your business during our past years and wish you and your family a Happy Holiday.



Vaughn, Carolyn Gary & Julie Culwell

## Jim O'Neal's Granddaughter **Recieves Gold Star Award**

Morton High School junior, daughter 1992. of Alvin and Gail Gladden of Morton and granddaughter of Jim and Nona O'Neal of Plains, received the 4-H Gold Star Award. The award is the highest honor presented at the county level by the youth organization. Jayme was one of 35 outstanding members of 4-H clubs across the South Plains that were honored in Lubbock at the 35th Annual District Gold Star Banquet.

Jayme is an eight year member of the Morton 4-H Club and has carried projects in sheep, swine, clothing, food and nutrition, food conservation/preservation/safety, housing, vet science and electric energy. She has served her club as president, vice president/membership, and secretary, secretary for County Council and County and District Council Delegate. She has participated in South Plains 4-H Leadership Camp as a participant and counselor, South Plains 4-H Electric Camp, Texas Sheep and Goat Youth Leadership Workshop, Texas 4-H Congress, and District Food Show and Fashion Show. Jayme received third in Meat Science Demonstration at Texas 4-H Round-Up, she received County Swine and Sheep Showmanship Award, Grand Champion Lamb, Grand Champion Barrow and second



GLADDEN, COCHRAN COUNTY 4-H member standing next to Dr. Lynn Thibodeaux, assistant director for 4-H and Youth with TAES.

Jayme Gladden, sixteen-year-old place for State Sheep Recordbook in

Speaker for the banquet was Dr. Lynn Thibodeaux, assistant director of 4-H and youth with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service. Dr. Thibodeaux traced the past successes and future challenges of the 4-H program. She presented the mission statement which identifies 4-H as an organization which develops youth and adults, utilizing research-based information in creative, diverse educational programs. Tops on the list of values, she said, is that "people are the most important product of 4-H." Among other key values are that 4-H provides a nurturing, positive environment in which people can learn how to fail as well as succeed, and that programs are designed to meet local needs. The goal of 4-H is empowering individual, families, and communities to release their potential.

Four-H is the youth development program of the Extension Service, an educational arm of the Texas A&M University System.

#### **Filmtime**

Filmtime youngsters sang Christmas carols and visited with Santa Claus who paid an early visit to Plains at Wednesday's Filmtime Hour at the

Santa gave each child a sack filled with candy, oranges and whistles. Cookies and punch were served by mothers. Films of the day were "Pluto's Christmas Tree" and "Curious George on Ice".

Attending were Alisha Wauson, Lindsey Willis, Todd and Kimber Williams, Callie Howell, Michael and Ryan Crump, Nicholas Curtis, A.J. Martinez, Jacob Brink, Chris Loya, Nicole Culwell, Landon Earnest, Holden Welch, Lauren Davis, Kimberly Jackson, Blake Parrish, Seth Cypert, Allison and Amber Friesen, Jordan Chambliss, Challi Johnson and Justin Perry.

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# Plains Independent School District

"Home of the Cowboys & Cowgirls"

The more you know, the more luck

you will have.

Chinese Proverb



# Fifth & Sixth Grade Students **Decorate Junior High Tree**

sixth grade science classes practiced cups and more. recycling in their project to decorate the Plains Junior High School Christ-

Ornaments were made from items about the home that can be recycled. They included small paper sacks, Ma-

mas tree.

Students in Mrs. Pierce's fifth and son jar rings, Coke cans, styrofoam

"The students have great imaginations when designing these ornaments. I always look forward to seeing the different ideas they come up with each year," states Mrs. Pierce. Some ornaments from previous trees were also



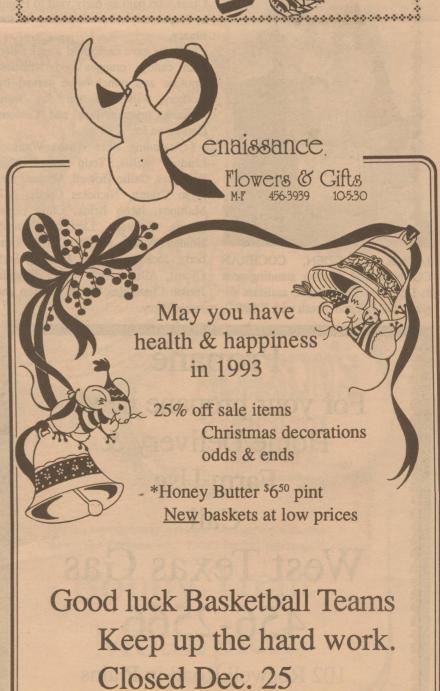
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#### **Plains Library** To Be Closed

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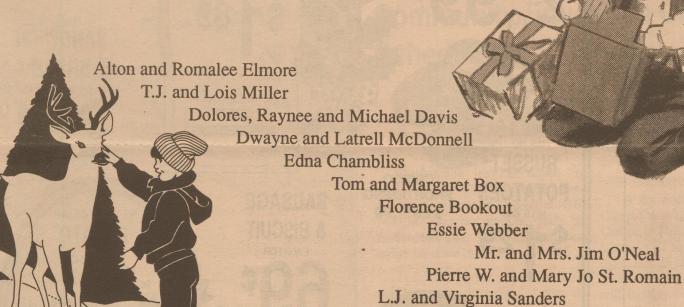
The library will resume regular schedules thereafter.



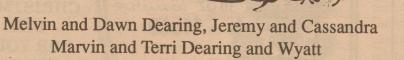


# Merry Christmas To All Our Friends and Neighbors! May God Bless You and Keep You In The New Year.

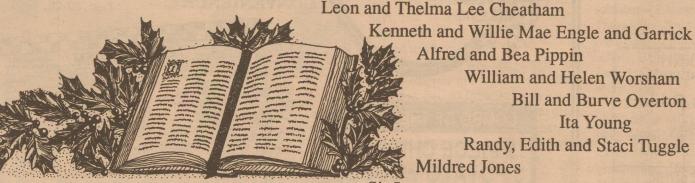
Those making donations to Operation Christmas Card in lieu of sending Christmas Greetings to local friends and neighbors are the following contributors:



Sallye Shoemaker
Clyde and Ila Trout
Neal and Mary Lou Parks
Velma Dearing



Gilbert and Lola Faye Pierce Harry and Deanie Richardson and Donnita



Sit Jones
Foy and Redell Cogburn
Macky, Connie, Brad, Blake, and Blaine McWhirter
C. Murrell and Helen Thompson

#### FOR SALE

SALE: Drapery fabric, mini-blinds, verosol shades, and wooden shutters. Call J&L Draperies for a free estimate. 456-6012 or 456-8902. 35/2tc

#### FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE: Double Car Garage on 5 Acres. 12 miles NE of Plains. Low Equity. Call 806-522-6588. 36/4tc

#### **Expired Subscriptions**

Larry McMinn

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#### To Expire In December

Tim Addison

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Temmy Box

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**Vaughn Culwell** 

**Dolores Davis** 

Wayne Lee Davis

Jereme Head

**Melvin Lowrey** 

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Mary Loo Swann Dan Wall

William Worsham

Jay Bryson

**Neda Chambliss** 

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# Happy Holidays!!

