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SIT JONES & SARAH FIELD



GRASS IDENTIFICATION TEAM - Amy Jones, Lebert Powell and Matt Record, members of Yoakum County 4-H Grass Identification Team, participated recently in state contests. Mary Dale Williams, extension agent, accompanied the trio.

Area Indian History Told To Summer Reading Program

Twenty-eight certificates with free sundaes from Dairy Queen have been earned by young readers at Yoakum County Library. Boys and girls entered in the reading program also received "I Love Plains" pins.

There is still time to enter the program. Kindergarten through eighth grade students are eligible.

Each Wednesday in June at 1 p.m. a program is given for youngsters. Sit Jones and Sarah Field presented a program Wednesday on Indians who lived in this

area. They told about Quanah Parker and displayed pottery, rugs and other Indian items.

Coming programs include good grooming by JoAnn Barron and painting by Jimmie Bayer.

Attending were Tommie and Grady McNabb, Jimmy Robertson, Tarren and Keenan Hancock, Kayla and Jason Redman, Dacia and Jeremy Humphrey, Meeky and Billy Braswell, Lindsey and Dustin Six, Darce Pierce, Johnny Davis and Dawn Garland.

Yoakum Youth Attend Camp

Five Yoakum County 4-H members attended South Plains Camp in Levelland June 14-16. Theme was "Go For The Gold". The camp provided training in leadership and 4-H project subject matter and featured a varied schedule of athletics and planned recreation.

Attending were Jennifer Earnest, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Earnest; Stacey Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Jones and Gayle, Shauna and Jacob Ford, children of Mr. and Mrs. Galen Ford of Denver City.

Participants participated in workshops for photography, housing and home furnishings, clothing, archery, recreation, leathercraft and clowning.

County Extension Agent Mary Dale Williams accompanied the group.

Shane McMinn Awarded \$11,600

Shane McMinn has been notified by Texas Interscholastic League Foundation that he is the recipient of the Nelda C. and H.J. Lutchter Stark Foundation Award of \$11,600. It will be payable \$2,900 each year for four years.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McMinn, he was valedictorian of the Class of 1988. He will attend Texas A&M University this fall.



RAECENE ROBERTSON

4-H'er Receives Fair Scholarship

Raecene Robertson, nine-year member of 4-H, was recently named recipient of a \$1,000 scholarship from Panhandle South Plains Fair Association. Presentation was made at the 4-H Roundup held recently at College Station.

Awarded on the basis of 4-H projects, leadership and scholastic record, the scholarship was part of more than \$571,000 in scholarships awarded to outstanding 4-H members. Interviews were conducted prior to naming winners.

Miss Robertson is the 18-year-old daughter of Olivia Robertson. Mrs. Robertson accompanied her daughter to College Station.



Plains Independent School District

From The Superintendent's Desk

Dean Andrews



It seems that we are telling the same story almost weekly, but I think it is important to share the success of our students with you the general public.

I want to compare Plains I.S.D. T.E.A.M.S. scores with state results that I received last week.

I feel good as I see that our students have excelled, and that statistically we are improving each year, however we are not just looking at the group but reviewing each student's individual accomplishments. Our goal is that every grade will exceed 90 percent mastery in every level next year. It can be done, and all staff members and students will be working toward that goal.

Percent of Students Mastering Subjects

GRADE	State	Plains
GRADE 3	Mathematics	91%
	Reading	84%
	Writing	76%
GRADE 5	Mathematics	89%
	Reading	88%
	Writing	79%
GRADE 7	Mathematics	83%
	Reading	87%
	Writing	80%
GRADE 9	Mathematics	83%
	Reading	79%
	Writing	67%

BID NOTICE

Requests for bids for 2,000 square yards of carpet for Plains Elementary and Plains High School will be received at the Administration Building, 1000 10th Street, Plains, Texas, until 10:00 a.m., July 5, 1988, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications may be picked up from Superintendent Dean Andrews.

BID NOTICE

Requests for bids for a Sound System for the Plains High School Auditorium will be received at the Administration Building, 1000 10th Street, Plains, Texas, until 4:00 p.m., July 5, 1988, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications may be picked up from Superintendent Dean Andrews.

Requests for bids to re-roof Plains High School and Plains Junior High School will be received at the Administration Building, 1000 10th Street, Plains, Texas, until 2:00 p.m., July 5, 1988, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications may be picked up from Superintendent Dean Andrews.

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Alfred & Faye Bearden Host First Family Homecoming

Alfred and Faye Bearden hosted a family reunion June 11-12, the "first annual Hinkle Homecoming", descendants of W.P. and S.J. Hinkle.

Five children representing W.P. Hinkle were Raymond Hinkle of Lubbock, Knox and Clarence Hinkle of Brownfield, Luther Hinkle of Denver City and Faye Hinkle Bearden. Ruby Taylor of Smyer was the only child of S.J. Hinkle attending.

Spouses attending were Helen Hinkle and Ida Hinkle, both of Brownfield; Mary Hinkle of Denver City and Bill Hinkle of Lubbock.

A special guest was 20-year-old Wes Hinkle, grandson of the late Wesley Hinkle. Serving on the USS Anchorage LSD 36 Navy in San Francisco, it was his first opportunity to meet most of his family.

Saturday's events included volleyball, horseshoes and other games for young and old. Noon meal was a bring-your-own-sandwich served under the trees. Supper was brisket prepared by Bob Hinkle with everyone sharing covered dish "trimmings". Homemade ice cream completed the meal enjoyed by about 110 persons.

Approximately 60 attended a Sunday morning memorial service in Plains Cemetery. Opening prayer was by Knox Hinkle with everyone singing "When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder". Bob Hinkle of

Nashville, Tenn. gave a devotion with family members also speaking. The service was concluded with "Amazing Grace" and prayer spoken by Clarence Hinkle of Brownfield.

Traveling the farthest were Leta and Dwight Faust and Hattie Douglass of Tacoma, Wa. and Kaye Burr, Eddie Burr and Kateri Luka and families of Santa Rosa, Ca. Oldest grandchild of the W.P. Hinkles attending was Jim Hinkle of Houston; youngest was Kathy Bell of Plains.

Sunday noon, the family gathered in Plains Clubroom for dinner. A video was made.

Also attending from out-of-town were Jimmie and Jean Hinkle, Missouri City; Gloria Smart, Seminole; Linda Sparks, Snyder; Alice and Ridge Butler, Gerald Hinkle, Sandra Hinkle, Peggy Kapler, all of Brownfield; Lucille Kirkland, Brownwood; Jim Gray, Tokio; Cherie Hinkle, Glen and Cheryl Hinkle and Heather of Denver City; and Kathy and Danny Bell, Donna and Tim Bowers, Susie and Manny Ferrand, Don and Pat Hinkle, Debra and Joey Lowe, Ruth Murphree, Faye Nelms, Guy Williams, Nita and Don Williams, Wanita Droughenbourg, Dale Miller, Kyle Stephens, Brad Ashburn, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Roach, Chris Winn and Vee Ann Fitzgerald, all of Plains.



MRS. BARRY JONES

Miss Alexander, Mr. Jones Exchange Double Ring Vows

University City Club of Lubbock was the setting June 12 for the solemnization of wedding vows between Miss Johnnie Sue Alexander and Barry W. Jones.

Officiating the double ring ceremony before a nuptial backdrop of white lattice adorned with green silk foliage and bougainvillea was Bradley Underwood. Highlighting the setting were accents of red draped and puffed satin.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones of Lubbock.

Gary White, organist, presented nuptial selections and accompanied Sam Oats and Kay Mires, soloists.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satin fashioned with a fitted bodice enhanced with lace medallions and cameos embossed in sequins and pearls. It featured a sweetheart neckline and Victorian sleeves. A crystal pleated peplum hugged the Basque waistline. Edged in lace, the full skirt flowed gracefully into a chapel length train.

Of English illusion showered in pearls, her chapel length veil was held by a handband of embroidered silk organza and Venise lace highlighted with pearls and sequins. She carried an exposed stemmed clutch bouquet of white calla lilies, stephanotis, baby's breath and gypsophilia with a trail of Symathia roses. Pearl sprays and net puffs tied with white picot ribbon love knots highlighted the bouquet.

D'Ann Green of Lubbock was maid of honor. Cheryl Vestal of Atlanta, Ga. was bridesmaid. They wore gowns of red satin styled with princess silhouette bodices with keyhole backs. They wore headpieces of red silk roses and carried bouquets of red Symathia roses.

Katie Swope of Lubbock, flower girl, wore a floor length baby doll dress of white organza with pick-up

skirt accented with rosettes. A tier of ruffles adorned the hemline.

Dan Dickenson of Lubbock was best man. Bill Swope of Lubbock was groomsman. Guests were seated by Dawson Alexander of Lubbock, brother of the bride; Tra Hall of Jayton and Blaine Alexander of Lubbock. Landon Mires of O'Donnell carried rings.

The couple was honored with a reception in the University City Club. Tables were graced with white cylinder vases of calla lilies, Symathia roses, baby's breath and gypsophilia. Cordial stems held floating roses and baby's breath.

Following a wedding trip to Santa Fe, N.M., the couple is at home in Smyer.

Both bride and groom attended Texas Tech University. The bride is employed with S.I.C. Inc. of Lubbock. The groom is associated with D.T.H. Enterprises.

A special guest attending was the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Sirman of Forestburg.

Reception Slated For Margaret Liles

Margaret Liles will be honored with a retirement reception Sunday, June 26 in fellowship hall of First Baptist Church. Calling hours are 2 to 4 p.m.

Friends and relatives are invited.

Shower To Fete Melissa Bacon

Melissa Bacon, bride-elect of Bo McKinney, will be honored with a bridal courtesy Saturday, July 9 in the home of Lois Miller. She is a former resident of Plains.

Friends and relatives are invited to call from 10 to 11:30 a.m.

Mrs. Danny Sellers Honored With Bridal Courtesy

Mrs. Danny Sellers, nee Renece Humphrey, was complimented with a bridal shower June 18 in the Heritage Room of Yoakum County Library.

Honor guests were Joanne Humphrey, mother of the honoree, and Mary Hicks and Jerri Sellers, grandmother and step-grandmother of the groom. The groom's mother, Martha Sellers, was unable to attend.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by Judy Hinson and Barbara Massey.

Hostesses presented the honoree with a corsage made of kitchen gadgets and a vacuum cleaner.

The honoree presented hostesses with refrigerator magnets of sachet packets shaped as strawberries and pineapples.

Other special guests attending were Paula Willett, sister of the honoree; Freda Humphrey, sister-in-law; and a friend, Toni Dunn of Lubbock.

Assisting with hostess duties were Myrna White, Helen Worsham, Mary Guetersloh, Marie Lowrey, Dolores Davis, Latrell McDonnell, Dorothy Anderson, Ronie Anderson, Joyce Bearden, Clara Ellen

Williams, Ruby Bilbrey, Rosie Wauson, Johnnie Wauson and Sheila Huffaker.

Shari McCravey To Be Honored

Shari McCravey will be feted Saturday, July 9 with a pink and blue shower in the home of Reta Nance. Calling hours are 9:30 to 11 a.m.

Friends and relatives are invited.

Sherry DeFries To Be Honored

Sherry DeFries, bride-elect of Jim Rosenbaum, will be honored Tuesday, June 28 with a bridal courtesy in the home of Judy Fitzgerald. Calling hour is 7 p.m.

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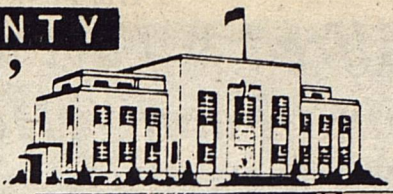
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YOAKUM COUNTY

Commissioners' Court



Yoakum County Commissioners Court met in special session Monday morning.

Lions Elect New Officers

Mary Guetersloh, Adult Probation Officer for Yoakum County, presented Thursday's program for Plains Lions Club.

Giving an update on the criminal justice system and the local probation department status, Mrs. Guetersloh made available brochures soliciting assistance of citizens assistance in combating air drug trafficking. Anyone who suspects they have information should contact law enforcement officers.

Mrs. Guetersloh also told Lions that a program is available on Satanism. She recently attended a meeting on that topic and said protection of our young through cultivating a positive self-esteem is an important preventive measure. She stated she is available for self-esteem programs.

She urged Lions to help generate interest in the local literacy program. A training course July 8-9 to teach volunteers how to teach persons to read and write is available free of cost at the Yoakum County Library in Plains. She announced Denver City currently has 26 tutor/volunteers and 36 students.

Officers were elected including Frank Spencer, president; L.J. Sanders, first vice-president; Ken Peterson, second vice-president; T.J. Miller, secretary; Wayne House, treasurer; Charles Oswalt, Lion Saver; Pierre StRomain, Lion Tamer; and Edwin Livengood, tail twister.

Directors to serve two-year terms are Paul Cobb, A.E. McGinty and Milton Bayer. Lame duck directors are Sherm Tingle, Johnnie Fitzgerald and Larry Mason.

Attending were Bayer, Fitzgerald, McGinty, Peterson, Sanders, StRomain, Thompson and Spencer.

A salary of \$20,000 per year was approved for Nanna Wilson, Youth Center Director of Denver City. Jim Barron was appointed as voting delegate to NACO's Conference Aug. 6-9 in Orange County, Fla. Johnnie Fitzgerald was named alternate voting delegate.

Steve Sawyer of Hartman and Sawyers P.C. Certified Public Accountants made a presentation of the audited financial report for 1987. Commissioners decided to review and study the report before approving it.

A payment of \$2,470.61 for architectural services of Pate and Associates and \$95,225 to the contractors of Pate and Associates for services rendered on the new hospital were approved.

The court voted to start negotiations with Seminole doctors and the hospital to pay \$1,000 per month to their doctors for services rendered for OB patients during the absence of Dr. Hughes.

Lindy Cupp of TLC National Marketing Company and Transport Life Insurance Company made a presentation. It was tabled for further study.

Miscellaneous bills and extra hire were approved for payment.

'42' Club Meet Held Saturday

Plains "42" Club met Saturday evening in the clubroom. Hosts for the covered dish supper were Sudie and Joe Henry Thompson and Rhuey and Bob Edwards.

Games of "42" and Skip Bo were played.

Also attending were Irene and A.B. Chitwood, Ola and Johnny Layton, Ita and Robert Young, Bertie and W.M. Smith, Mae Collum, Norman Carr, Sherm Tingle, Bert Bartlett, Alma Lynn McGinty and Clara Williams.

Next meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. July 2 in the clubroom.

Slide Presentation Given By Mary Dale Williams

Mary Dale Williams, Yoakum County Extension Agent, presented a program on landscaping with emphasis on trees that grow well in this area. She showed slides in the presentation.

Club members were reminded that all club women are invited to go to Girlstown June 21, leaving the courthouse at 9:45 a.m. Sidney Murphy was elected TEHA nominee for 1989 as well as state delegate. Clara Williams was elected alternate state delegate.

A report was given on the May council meeting. Next council meeting is July 5 at noon. Plans were made for members and their families to go to Palo Duro Canyon July 15 for the TEXAS performance.

Attending were Margaret Box, Margaret Hartman, Sidney Murphy, Pam Redman and Dolores Davis.

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TRACY MURPHREE

Tracy Murphree Begins Duties

Trooper Tracy Murphree, 22, has been assigned to highway patrol service in Morton. Son of Ruth and Larry Murphree, he is a 1984 graduate of Plains High School and one of 54 cadets recently commissioned as state troopers in graduation exercises of the Department of Public Safety Training Academy.

The new trooper attended McMurray College in Abilene before entering the DPS training academy.



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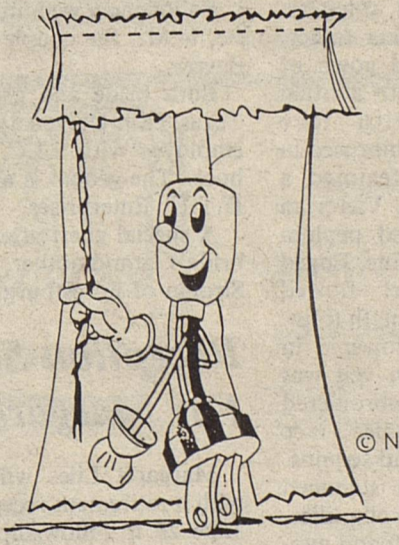
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