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PLAINS, YOAKUM COUNTY, TEXAS

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Mayor Miller Signs Proclamation During Regular City Council Meet

During a regular council meeting on Aug. 26, 1992 Mayor Miller proclaimed the week of Sept. 1 through Sept. 7 as "Minority Enterprise Development Week" in Plains.

This proclamation was made to recognize the U.S. Department of Commerce supported Minority Business Development Agency, and the Lubbock-Midland-Odessa Minority Business Development Center.

The purpose of this Development Center is to give management and technical assistance to new minority businesses, expansions of minority businesses, and to prevent minority business failure. This management and technical assistance will include such areas as Administration, Finance and Accounting, Manufacturing, Marketing, Construction Assistance, General Management, and Personnel. Fees for these services will be based on a sliding scale of the business' gross income. For additional information concerning this program, citizens can contact the City Hall in Plains.

In other action, the City Council authorized the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for funding of a HOME program for the City of Plains. The HOME program would make available affordable financing for rehabilitation of owner occupied housing for very low, low, and moderate income families. Funds from this program would be used for reha-

bilitation of existing houses, and in some cases, would be used for reconstruction of existing houses not suitable for rehabilitation. This application will be reviewed and scored by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and funds will be awarded based on these scores at a later date.

The council also conducted a Public Hearing to receive public input concerning the submission of a 1992 Texas Community Development Program grant application for modifications and expansion of the City's wastewater treatment plant. This treatment plant is presently operating at maximum capacity and the Texas Water Commission has notified the City that the plant must be expanded. This application will be scored at the regional and state levels and funds will be awarded sometime after Jan. 1, 1993.

The property tax rate for the City of Plains was proposed to be set at \$.44 per \$100.00 evaluation for 1993. This represents an overall decrease in the property tax levy of 5.14% compared to last year's levy. The 1992 tax rate was \$.44934 per \$100.00 evaluation. A Public Hearing on the proposed tax rate will be conducted on Aug. 31, 1992, at 5:00 p.m. at the City Hall. The tax rate will be adopted in a called meeting to be held on Sept. 9, 1992.

Yoakum County Co-op Gin Hold's Stockholders Meeting

Yoakum County Co-op Gin held its annual stockholders meeting recently in the school cafeteria. Dinner was catered by Danny's Catering of Lubbock.

Information on the gin and its operations was given by representatives of the accounting firm, oil mill, compress, bank and marketing association. Lee Roy McCravey, board president, presided.

Dwayne Canada and Ty Earl Powell were re-elected to the board of directors.

David Stowe, manager, and Sarah Stowe, bookkeeper, were recognized and presented plaques for 25 years service to the gin.

Carye Gruben of Rotan, 1992 South Plains Maid of Cotton, was guest speaker. She shared highlights of her reign as the current Maid of Cotton. A senior general clothing and textiles major at Texas Tech, she urged young women who are interested in the Maid of Cotton contest to enter. Date of the 1993 contest is Oct. 9 in Lubbock.



TO AID HURRICANE VICTIMS - Plains High School's FHA Chapter is gathering items to be sent to persons who lost their homes in last week's hurricane. Local officers shown here are, left to right, Jimmy Robertson, reporter; Kim McClure, president; Betsy Blair, points chairman; and Heather Bowlin, social chairman.

FHA Begins Project To Help Hurricane Andrew's Victims

Future Homemakers officers of Plains High School have launched a drive to aid victims of Hurricane Andrew. They will accept donations of canned food, clothing, shoes and dia-

pers until Sept. 11.

Items may be brought to the home ec room at PHS. For more information, call any FHA member or Sheila Norman at Plains High School.



REPRESENTING COTTON - Yoakum County Co-op Gin held their annual meeting recently. Shown here, Lee Roy McCravey, president of the board; David Stowe, manager; Carye Gruben, 1992 South Plains Maid of Cotton and Sarah Stowe, bookkeeper.



GUESTS OF ALLTEL MEETING

ALLTEL, INC. Sponsors Community Meeting

Texas ALLTEL, Inc. sponsored a community meeting Aug. 9 in Heritage Room of Yoakum County Library for area customers. Approximately 50 persons attended.

Management personnel visited with customers, answered questions and listened to suggestions concerning local service.

Refreshments were served.

Representatives of the company attending were Terry Beeler of Granbury, vice president of Texas operations; Ken Barnes, manager-operations; Betty Jacobs, manager-engineering; Pat Decker, supervisor-service center; Keith Pool, marketing supervisor, all of Grandview; and Robert Williams of Nocona, supervisor, Plains operations.

THE VOICE OF BUSINESS RESURRECT THE IRAs

by Dr. Richard L. Leshner, President
U.S. Chamber of Commerce



WASHINGTON — Our government's laws and policies continue to penalize saving — a defect for which our economy pays dearly.

The capital pool of personal savings provides essential funding for a host of productive investments. Though our work force is the most efficient and productive in the world, our competitive advantage is compromised by policies that discourage saving.

The primary culprit is our inept tax policy, which has rendered saving a foolish thing to do. We can save only after we pay our taxes, and then the meager interest we earn on our savings is taxed again. The combined effect of taxes and inflation tend to offset the traditional advantages of saving.

Nor is there any secret to reversing this unfortunate situation. To achieve a higher savings rate, we need only to alter our tax laws to render saving a wise thing to do. The quickest and most expedient alternative is to fully restore IRA eligibility for all citizens regardless of their income level.

The impact of fully deductible IRAs was clearly demonstrated during President Reagan's first term. From 1982 through 1987, when eligibility to IRAs was expanded, contributions to IRA saving accounts rose 30 percent. The resulting expansion of available capital sparked the longest economic expansion in our history.

Now there are several proposals afoot to restore IRAs. In his 1992 bud-

get, President Bush proposed creation of Family Savings Accounts and penalty-free IRA withdrawals of up to \$10,000 for use as downpayment on a first home. The FSAs would allow families to make annual non-deductible contributions of up to \$5,000, or \$2,500 for single people. All earnings on FSAs could be withdrawn tax-free after seven years. If funds are not withdrawn, earnings could continue to accumulate tax-free.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Tex.) and Sen. William Roth (R-Del.) have introduced legislation to restore full eligibility for IRAs to all Americans, regardless of their income, put some or all of their \$2,000, with no deduction, into a backended IRA. These contributions made with after-tax dollars could be withdrawn tax-free after five years.

Other members of Congress have offered different variations of the same theme — to give personal savings a badly-needed boost. Critics contend such incentives do not promote savings, but only encourage people to shift money from one place to another. But several studies rebut that. A full 80 percent of IRA contributions are new savings, and most of the money saved is diverted from consumption.

The Bentsen-Roth bill would generate \$20 billion in new revenues, create 37,000 new jobs and hike nominal Gross National Product by \$447.2 billion by the end of the decade. It would give our economy the stimulus it so clearly needs to restore public confidence and promote productive investment.

Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The City of Plains
conducted a public hearing
on a proposal
to increase your property taxes
by 44 percent
on August 31, 1992 at 5:00 P.M.

The City Council
of the City of Plains
is scheduled to vote
on the tax rate at a
public meeting to be held
on September 9, 1992 at 7:30 a.m.
at City Hall, 601 11th Street
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Tana Hobbs & Daniel Romero Wed In Recent Ceremony



MRS. DANIEL ROMERO

Miss Tana Hobbs and Daniel Romero recited wedding vows July 11 in First Baptist Church.

The Rev. Bill Wright, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Hobbs and Mrs. Ramon Gonzales of Hobbs, NM.

Patrick Hamilton, soloist, sang "To Me" accompanied by Peggy Welch, organist, who also provided nuptial selections. Kent Welch was audio director.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of white bridal satin designed and made by her aunt, Marge Caldwell of Sudan. It was fashioned with bodice of Alencon lace featuring a Queen Anne neckline and sleeves tapering to the wrists. Appliques enhanced with pearls and sequins adorned the bodice and hemline of the flared skirt which was embellished with insets of Alencon lace.

She carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis accented with burgundy baby's breath and white satin ribbons laced with pearls. It was designed and made by the bride's mother.

Keeping traditions, she carried in her shoes, as "something old", coins that had belonged to her maternal and paternal grandparents. Her gown was "new". She "borrowed" her mother's engagement ring and pearls and added the traditional blue garter.

Heather Crump of Groom was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Vicki Williams and Orista Stewart, cousins of the bride, Melissa Welch and Tisha Crain, all of Lubbock. They wore dresses of floral polished cotton styled with sweetheart necklines, puffed sleeves, dropped waistlines and gathered skirts. They carried long stemmed Hibiscus accented with baby's breath and burgundy ribbons.

Amy and Amanda Synatschk, cousins of the bride, were flower girls. They wore dresses matching the feminine attendants and carried baskets of rose petals.

Martin Huerta was best man. Groomsmen were Michael Diaz and Steve Rivas, cousins of the groom, and Rudy Romero and Julian Romero, brothers of the groom. Gerry Rivas, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer. They wore black tuxedos with burgundy cummerbunds, bow ties and boutonnieres.

Ushers were Mickey McMinn of Lubbock and Anthony Asebedo. Candles were lighted by Sandy and Roger Rivas of Lubbock, cousins of the groom.

Guests were registered by Shawna Holder of Denver City, cousin of the bride.

A reception was held in fellowship hall. Laid with ecru lace over burgundy, the bridal table was graced with burgundy and mauve roses. Highlighting the table was a three tiered wedding cake with cascading fountain

surrounded with garlands of grape ivy, burgundy roses and pouffed tulle. Adorned with burgundy roses, the cake was topped with two swans amid a spray of white tulle flowers, satin ribbons and pearls. Separations of the cake were adorned with nosegays of white tulle puffs, white silk roses, ribbons and pearls. The middle tier was decorated with an initialed scroll "R" with "Tana and Daniel" on either side.

The groom's cake was German chocolate decorated with burgundy and mauve roses and the couple's names. Crystal punch and coffee were served from brass appointments. White roses and nuts were also served.

Presiding at the table were Debbie Longoria, Sherry Powell, Jodie Reyer of San Antonio and Shawna Holder of Denver City, cousins of the bride.

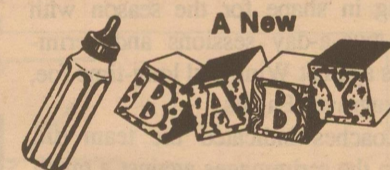
Members of the houseparty were Peggy Welch, Linda Harris, Jimmie Bayer, Shirley Bunch, Janis McGill, Dolores Davis and Debbie Garland.

Rice bags were distributed by Christa and Danielle Nettles of Lubbock and Kallie Hobbs of Rock Springs, cousins of the bride and Dawn Garland.

The couple was honored with a wedding dance that evening in Denver City, hosted by the groom's family and other sponsors. "La Forma" of Hobbs provided the music.

Following a wedding trip to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, the couple is at home in Lubbock.

The bride is employed by Robert Hartman CPA; the groom with Payless Cashways.



Brad and Donna Friesen announce the arrival of a son born July 31 in Big Bend Memorial Hospital in Alpine. Weighing seven pounds 13 ounces at birth, he measured 22 inches long. He has been named Cody Alan. He has two sisters, Allison, four, and Amber, two. Grandparents are Marvin and Elvina Friesen of Van Horn and James and Kathrine Langston of Brownwood. John and Elizabeth Isaac, and Henry A. Friesen of Meade, KS are great-grandparents.

Lubbock Group To Sponsor Arts & Crafts Show

The American Business Women's Association of Lubbock will sponsor an Arts and Crafts Show Saturday, Nov. 14 at the Precinct 1 party house in Lubbock, located on 50th Street.

Cost of a 6x3 feet booth is \$15. Hours are 11 a.m. until 5 p.m.

For information, contact Anita Cook, 762-7859 or 799-0288 at night or June Ward at 744-0644.

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BREAKFAST

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3 - Pancakes, syrup, butter, fruit juice and milk.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 4 - Toast, cereal, pineapple juice and milk.
 MONDAY, SEPT. 7 - Labor Day Holiday.
 TUESDAY, SEPT. 8 - C. rolls, toast, apple juice and milk.
 WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9 - Toast, scrambled eggs, orange juice and milk.
 THURSDAY, SEPT. 10 - Waffles, syrup, butter, fruit punch and milk.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 11 - Toast, cereal, pineapple juice and milk.

LUNCH

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3 - Tuna casserole, black-eyed peas, coleslaw, hot rolls, peanut butter, honey and milk.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 4 - Roast w/gravy, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, Jell-O and milk.
 MONDAY, SEPT. 7 - Holiday.
 TUESDAY, SEPT. 8 - Chicken nuggets w/catsup, French fries w/catsup, combination salad, crackers, peaches and milk.
 WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 9 - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onions, Chee-tos, fruit, coconut cookies and milk.
 THURSDAY, SEPT. 10 - Burritos w/taco sauce, pinto beans, cabbage/carrot/apple, cornbread, peach cobbler and milk.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 11 - Turkey roast w/gravy, sweet potatoes, hot rolls, Jell-O, broccoli w/cheese sauce and milk.



Football

Plains Cowboys will open their 1992 season Friday night when they battle Farwell on their own home ground.

The Cowboys have been busy getting in shape for the season with good two-a-day sessions and scrimmages against Wink and long-time foe, the Seagraves Eagles.

Coaches indicated the team did well in the scrimmages against a much improved Wink team. "Wink has had a real boost in the off-season by the arrival of new football coach Sam Scott and his son, All-State quarterback Shay Scott."

All supporters are urged to turn out Friday night and boost the team to an opening victory.



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SCHOOL EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPT. 3 - Smile!! Picture Day for all students and staff; Volleyball - Denver City - 7th and 8th - Here - 5 p.m.; Football - Farwell - JV - There - 6 p.m.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 4 - Football - Farwell - V - Here - 8 p.m.
 SATURDAY, SEPT. 5 - Volleyball - Snyder Tournament - 9th/JV - There; Volleyball - Kermit/Andrews - V - at Kermit - 11 a.m.; Cross Country - Brownfield
 MONDAY, SEPT. 7 - Labor Day Holiday
 TUESDAY, SEPT. 8 - Volleyball - Denver City - 9th/JV/V - Here - 5 p.m.
 THURSDAY, SEPT. 10 - Volleyball - Andrews - 7th/8th - Here - 5 p.m.; Football - Morton - JV - Here - 7:30 p.m.; Football - Morton - Scrimmage - 7th/8th - Here - 5 p.m.
 FRIDAY, SEPT. 11 - Football - Morton - V - There - 8 p.m.
 SATURDAY, SEPT. 12 - Volleyball - Wink Tournament - V - There; Volleyball - Tahoka - 9th - There - 1 p.m.; Cross Country - Odessa - There

Texas Home Economics Teachers Attend Development Conference

Texas vocational home economics teachers were invited to attend a professional development conference coordinated by the Home Economics Division of the Texas Education Agency, Aug. 206 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Dallas-Ft. Worth Airport Complex.

Speakers included Emory Austin,

Karl Davidson and Dr. Blandina Cardenas Rameriz.

The conference offered tips on building self esteem, productivity and survival in the midst of change and also gave practical information and skills to enable teachers to make a difference.

HELPING KIDS

Problem Solving Key To Learning Math

- Children spend an average of 35 to 60 minutes a day in school studying mathematics. But once outside school grounds, they use their math skills continuously.

Parents can have a big impact on their child's mathematical development if they incorporate a little mathematics education into after-school family time.

"Whatever the specific topic taught in school, the most important goal in mathematics instruction is to help your child learn to solve problems," says Dr. Mary Lindquist, president of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM).

"No matter how well children can perform arithmetic calculations or accurately measure a line, unless they know when and how to apply these skills, they will not be fully prepared for the society in which we live," says Lindquist.

NCTM suggests that the earlier children begin to solve problems the better.

Younger children are natural problem solvers, with an inclination to organize information and ask ques-

tions about things they do not understand. The more that natural inquisitiveness is encouraged, the more interested they will be in learning.

Simply asking questions of children about the kinds of numbers they see in newspapers or books or creating math games about ordinary life can get things going.

Children should be encouraged to use objects they can touch or watch in solving problems, especially younger ones whose vocabulary is limited and who rely more upon visual perception.

Additionally, children need to learn how to solve a variety of problems, and variety will hold their interest longer.

As many parents have discovered, a calculator or computer to a child is often just another toy and incorporating that into the games may stimulate interest and perseverance.

For a free brochure, "Help Your Child Learn Math," send a self-addressed, stamped, business-size envelope to NCTM, 1906 Association Drive, Dept. NU, Reston, VA 22091.

Volleyball

VARSITY

The Cowgirls outplayed Sweetwater 15-4 15-9 to capture Consolation at the Denver City Invitational Volleyball Tournament last weekend. Oglia Ramirez paced the Cowgirl offensive attack with four kills. Rhonda Cowart and Stacey Jones finished the match with three each. Brandy Lester and Kara Holder combined for eight digs defensively and Rhonda and Shandy Willett led all servers with 18 total service points.

They won two of three matches Friday to advance to the tournament Saturday. Four of 12 teams were eliminated from competition after pool play Friday. The Cowgirls defeated Lubbock Estacado 15-11 15-5 and Tahoka 15-0 15-7. They lost a 2-15 13-15 match to Snyder.

A 5-15 13-15 loss to Ruidoso on Saturday morning sent the Cowgirls to the consolation bracket. Amy Crutcher notched four kills and four blocks against the New Mexico squad. Darce Pierce connected with five kills and nine service points in the Cowgirls' 15-7 15-8 second round triumph over Dell City.

The Cowgirls traveled to Snyder Tuesday for a second chance at the Lady Tigers. They will take on Kermit and Andrews in dual competition Saturday in Kermit. The first match is scheduled for 11 a.m.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The JV notched their first victory of the season, a 17-15 15-8 homecourt win over Lubbock High last Tuesday night. Cowgirl hitting included: Jennifer Cowart, three kills; Amber Bryan, two kills; Misty Willett, one kill; Valerie Blair, one kill. Misty recorded nine service points, including five aces.

The Freshmen and JV squads traveled to Snyder Tuesday. They will return Saturday to compete in the Lady Tigers' 9th Grade and JV Tournaments.

Great Lunch Box Snack

TEXAS COWPOKE TRAIL MIX

WHAT YOU NEED:

- 2 cups cereal (toasted oat or bran squares or circles, granola)
- 2 cups chopped, mixed dried fruit (apricots, apples, cherries, peaches, prunes, dates or figs)
- 1 1/2 cups dry-roasted peanuts
- 1 cup thin pretzel sticks, broken in half
- 2/3 cup shredded coconut (optional)
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 2 tablespoons honey

WHAT YOU DO:

1. Preheat oven to 350°.
2. In a large bowl, stir together cereal, chopped dried fruits, dry-roasted peanuts, pretzel sticks and coconut, if desired.
3. Add cinnamon and honey, tossing well to coat mixture.
4. Spread mixture on foil-lined cookie sheets. Bake for 10 minutes. Cool; store in a tightly covered container.

Wedding Vows Exchanged By Miss Crain, Mr. Romero

St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Lubbock was the setting Aug. 22 for the exchange of wedding vows between Miss Tisha Renee Crain and Julian Juarez Romero.

Deacon Joe Richard officiated the marriage ceremony with Mons. Curtis Halfmann conducting mass.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crain and the late Earlene Crain. Mrs. Lucia Gonzales of Hobbs, NM is mother of the groom.

Nuptial selections were presented by Roy Wilson of Lubbock, organist, with service music by Nancy Richard of Lubbock. Teresa Hinson of Lubbock and Steve Crutcher, cousin of the bride, sang "Just You and I".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satin and lace fashioned with fitted bodice overlaid with lace and embellished with pearls and sequins. It featured a slightly dipped neckline and puffed sleeves with lace from elbow to wrist. Three strands of tiny pearls accented the open back of the bodice. Encrusted with pearls and sequins, the full skirt swept to a cathedral train.

Her waist length veil of silk illusion was held by a headpiece of baby's breath, pearls and sequins. Lace medallions edged the veil. She carried a cascade of white roses and teal and purple baby's breath tied with white satin ribbon.

Roseanne Torres of Denver City was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Tana Romero, sister-in-law of the groom, Teresa Hinson, Vicki Williams, Sandy Rivas, cousin of the groom and Amy Harrelson, cousin of the bride. Amanda Prichard of Odessa, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Mrs. Torres wore a white satin and lace dress with open back, long sleeves and dipped hemline. Bridesmaids wore similarly fashioned dresses of purple.

The flower girl wore a long white satin dress with ruffled train and white satin hat adorned with pearls, lace and baby's breath.

Rudy Romero and Daniel Romero, brothers of the groom, were best men. Groomsmen were Steve Rivas and Roger Rivas, cousins of the groom, Martin Huerta Jr. and Michael Diaz. Gerry Rivas, cousin of the groom, was ring bearer. He carried a lace edged heart-shaped pillow with the couple's names and wedding date embroidered in purple.

Guests were seated by Andy Ortiz, cousin of the groom, Anthony Asebedo and Larry Alvarado.

The groom was attired in a black tuxedo with tails, white tie and vest. Best men wore black tuxedos with teal ties and cummerbunds. Other male attendants wore purple ties and cummerbunds.

A reception and dance were held in the Depot Warehouse in Lubbock. The bride's table was covered with white linen and featured a photo collage of the bride in her wedding attire. The three-tiered wedding cake was accented with purple tipped white flowers with teal leaves. The top tier featured a glass cake top with doves in a heart background with teal ribbon. Purple punch was made by Tana Romero, groom's sister-in-law, with purple and white mints made by the bride.

The groom's table was laid with white linen and featured a photograph of the groom. Frosted in chocolate, his chocolate cake was decorated with the couple's names. Fresh fruit was also served.

Presiding at the tables were Mande Henry of Lubbock, Shannon Squyres and Heather White of Lubbock.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's family in the church hos-

pitality room Friday evening. Cheese enchiladas, rice, beans, and peach cobbler were served.

Following a wedding trip to Miami and Orlando, Fla., the couple is at home in Lubbock.

The bride graduated from Plains High School. She is attending Texas Tech University and is employed with Best Products.

Romero graduated from Plains High School and South Plains College. He attended Texas Tech University and is employed with C & R Construction in Lubbock.

Special guests at the wedding were Isabel Juarez, grandmother of the groom, and Rachel Prichard of Odessa, sister of the bride.

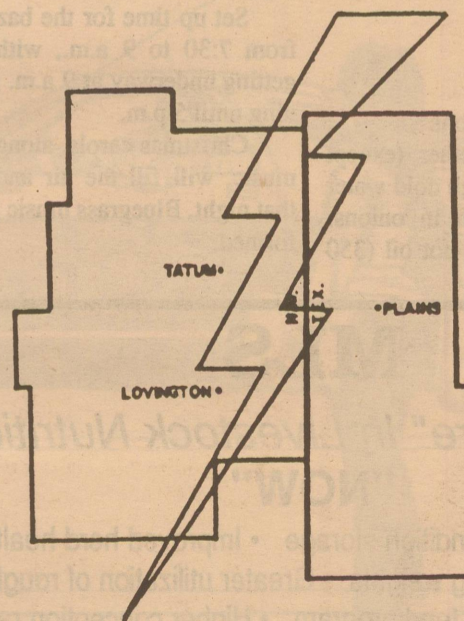


MRS. JULIAN JUAREZ ROMERO

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KITCHEN KORNER

Summer vacations have become memories to cherish and it's back to routine for lots of folks. School is well underway again and the "hazy, lazy days of summer" are almost over.

Before the summer vegetables also become a thing of the past, here are some more recipes that you might like to try.

SQUASH PUPPIES

5 med yellow squash
1 egg, beaten
1/2 c buttermilk
1 med onion, chopped
3/4 c cornmeal (self-rising)
1/4 c flour

Trim ends from squash; slice and place in large saucepan. Cover with water and cook over medium heat 20 minutes or until tender. Drain well. Mash and drain again. Combine squash with remaining ingredients. Drop by scant tablespoonful into hot oil (350 degrees) and fry until golden brown. Yields approximately 2 1/2 doz.

OKRA PUFFS

1/2 c cornmeal
1/2 c evaporated milk
1 egg, beaten
1 lg onion, finely chopped
1/4 t each whole marjoram & thyme
1/2 t salt
1/2 t pepper
2 c thinly sliced okra

Combine all ingredients except okra. Stir in okra. Drop by tablespoon into hot oil (350 degrees) and fry until golden brown, turning once. Yields 2 doz.

ONION PATTIES

3/4 c flour
1 T sugar
2 t baking powder
1 T cornmeal
1/2 c powdered milk
1 1/2 c finely chopped onions

Mix ingredients together (except onions). Stir in just enough cold water to make thick batter. Stir in onions. Drop by teaspoonful into hot oil (350

degrees). Flatten patties slightly as you turn. Fry to golden brown.

If fried foods are taboo, I'm sorry. Maybe you can give these recipes to a tall skinny friend who's never heard of calories, cholesterol or triglycerides and all those scary things.

We need your help to make this column a success. We'll appreciate it and the readers will thank you.

If you have a few good recipes you'd like to share, we'd love to have them. And if you would like to be our featured cook, please do so. Leave your recipes at the Plains Library news drop or Pay-N-Save Grocery Store news drop along with a short biographical sketch and maybe your philosophy on life and a picture of yourself with or without your children and we'll fix you up as our "Kitchen Korner" cook. (There is no charge.)

Christmas Bazaar Scheduled Dec. 5 In Littlefield

The third annual "Christmas Bazaar" has been scheduled Saturday, Dec. 5 in the Lamb County Ag and Community Center in Littlefield.

Individuals, as well as organizations and churches, are invited to participate in the event and should reserve booth space as soon as possible, by calling Eva McDonald at 385-3476 or June Armistead at 385-3540.

Cost of a 10x12 space will be \$10. Deadline for reserving spaces is Tuesday, Dec. 1.

Set up time for the bazaar will be from 7:30 to 9 a.m., with the show getting underway at 9 a.m. and continuing until 5 p.m.

Christmas carols, along with other music, will fill the air and at 7 p.m. that night, Bluegrass music will be performed.

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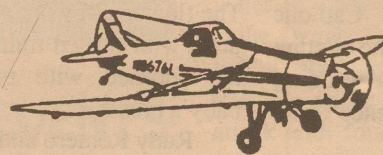
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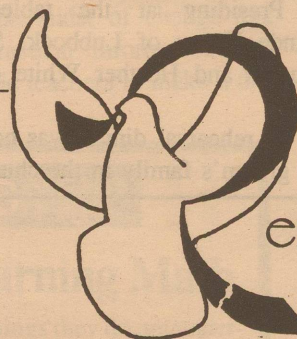
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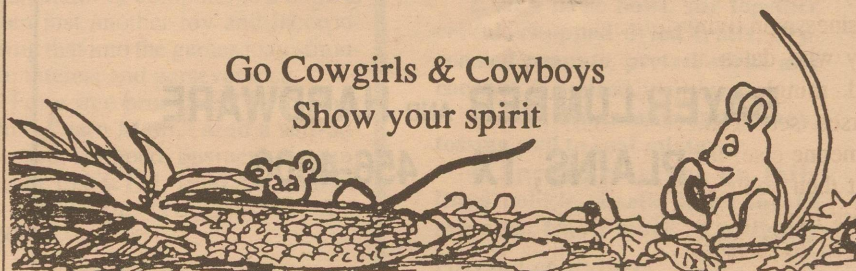
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By Chief Puddlemaker
(John Perry)

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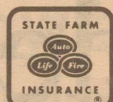
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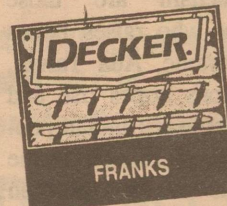
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