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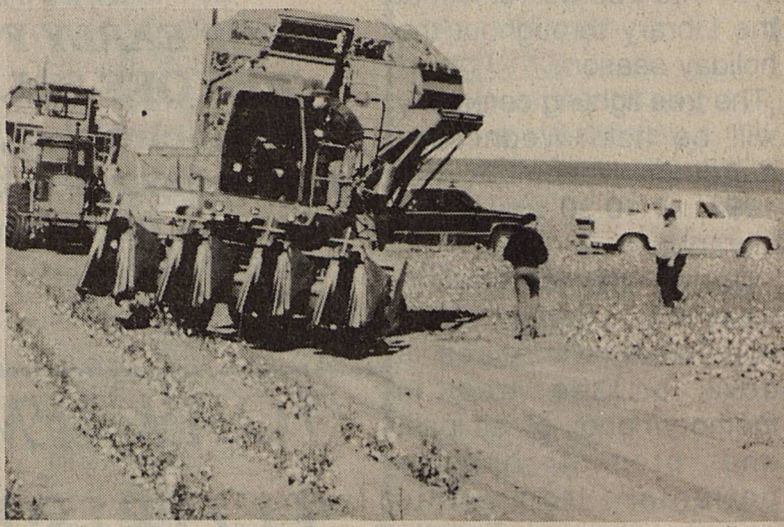
WEST TEXAS TRADITION, 'HELP YOUR NEIGHBOR', LIVE & WELL

When neighbors and friends of county farmer Billy Irwin learned of his serious illness, and the difficulty he faced in getting his cotton crop harvested, they came to his rescue in typical West Texas fashion.

A small army of cotton harvesting equipment and workers descended on his fields south of Tokio Thursday afternoon, and in a matter of hours, the years crop was in, soon to be on the way to the Tokio Co-Op Gin.

A total of twelve cotton strippers, six module builders and a boll buggy made short work of the volunteer project.

Those participating in 'Help Our Neighbor' Billy Irwin, included Jerry, Don and Harold Parrish, Ty and Jet Wilmeth, Roger and Ray Bennet, Jimmy Sherrin, Eddie and Keith Earnest, James Turner,



Ronnie Johnson, Joe Christensen, Johnny Curtis, Jerry Lowrey, Royce and Jimmy Harvey, Marc Traweek, and Dan Wall.

It appeared Cotton Engle was 'trail boss' of the community effort, herding men and machines here and there. Melvin Lowrey had previously killed the crop with a chemical application. Mary Wilmeth, wife of Ty, grilled burgers to feed the hungry workers,

and equipment dealer Wilburn Bailey from Brownfield helped with funds for the noon meal.

Watching and taking photos of this good neighbor policy in action I was reminded of how very many times this scene has been played out in the county over the years. Many an unfortunate farmer and family have faced this very same situation at the critical planting or harvest time, and time after time, his friends, his neighbors, his fellow West Texans, have come to their aid. This is true community unity in action.

Election Woes And Glows

At the time this is being written, voting polls in last weeks General Election have been closed exactly 22 hours, 14 minutes. It was a slam bang, donneybrook of an election, and the final vote tally had many political types on their knees thanking Providence, many others in the same posture asking where they went wrong.

The 'INS' are out, the 'OUTS' are in across the land, and only time will tell if the voters made the best decisions in exercising their rights at the polls. The only conclusive evidence produced in this election was voter dissatisfaction with the 'INS', and a demand for change, the same theme which boosted Bill Clinton into the Presidency two years ago. Now he well may be shivering in his boots, realizing the implications of widespread discontent with many Demos he failed to rescue with last minute campaign efforts.

Closer to home, countywide balloting provided some very interesting data. Yoakum voters swept Republican US Senate incumbent Hutchison back into office by a 1150 vote margin. Republican George W. Bush demolished Democrat Governor Ann Richards, and in the State Lt. Governor race, Bob Bullock, Democrat, handily knocked out his opponent.

Another Democratic victory occured when Atty. Gen. Dan Morales was returned to office. This party victory was countered by Republican Greytok's upset of Democrat incumbent Gary Mauro for Land Commissioner.

What does all this jumping back and forth from one party to the other signify? In our opinion, it demonstrates VOTER INTELLIGENCE. The country is sick to death of party claims, party boasts, party promises, party goals, but most importantly, party FAILURES. It tells us voters now expect individual political performance, individual integrity and ethics, individual rejection of special interest group and political action committee funds, and concentrated efforts to fulfill voters mandates... clean up the mess in Austin and Washington, and, Let's Get Something Done Constructively With Our Tax Dollars.

It is now, at the time of this writing, roughly 23 hours and 4 minutes since the polls closed last week. In that short interval, we are convinced a few of these newly electeds will already have foggy memories of recent campaign promises and pledges. To them, we send a hearty 'BOO'.

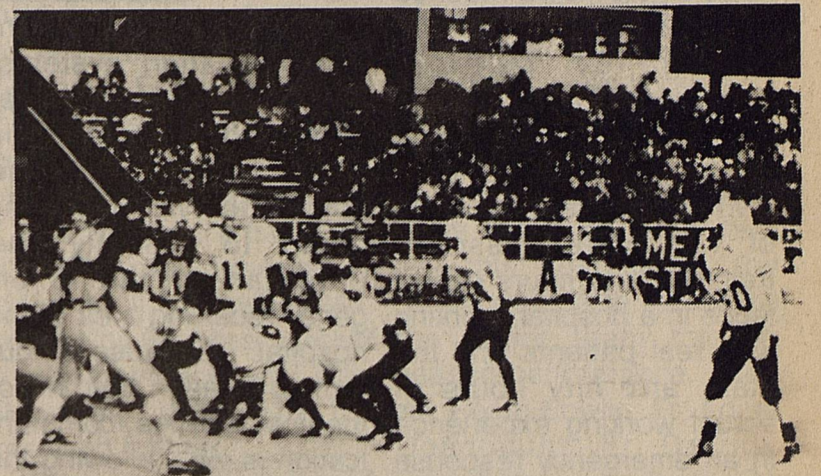
You 'Ins' had better perform while you're an 'In'. In time, you too can join the ranks of the 'Outs'.

COWBOYS BOW TO SUDAN HORNETS 54-7

The drive from here to Sudan is a long one, and this time of year, rather dreary. The same trip back home last Friday night was even longer, and much drearier, following the Cowboys first loss of the season to the tough Sudan Hornets, 54-7.

That Friday morning, the school administration decided to counter an inflammatory article in the Lubbock A-J, quoting a Sudan player, who placed the Hornets on a pedestal of power and glory, and the Cowboys portrayed as just another 'Patsy' team.

Superintendent Pete Simmons allowed the Cowboy Band to roam the Yoakum County ranked III. In comparison, Lubbock is a class V county. The local replacement will probably be from a lesser ranked county, either a I or II, as the replacement is usually an advancement in the agents career.



Cowboys Preparing to Score First District T.D. Against Hornets

of the High School, playing the Cowboy fight song, and a mini-pep rally was held.

That afternoon, several hundred rush ordered T-shirts reading "What Ever It Takes" were distributed to the team, coaches, staff and many students. A parade from the field house to the front of the school was staged, with great support by the city, county, school and fans, in support of the team.

A giant pep rally, second

of the day, followed the parade, featuring a fiery, stirring address by Mr. Simmons. The band, cheer leaders, the entire student body frenziedly sought to fire the Cowboys up for an upset victory, along with what appeared half the towns population.

When the Cowboys finally boarded buses for the trip, nothing more could be done to demonstrate

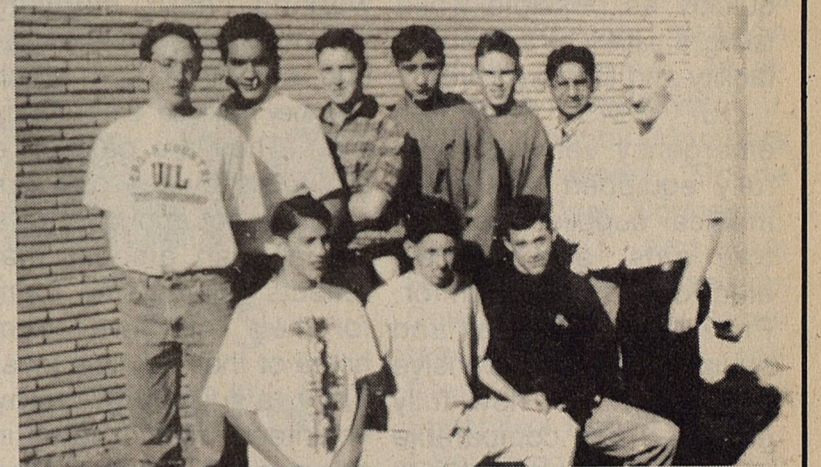
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CROSS COUNTRY TAKES THIRD IN STATE MEET

The Cowboy Cross Country team had a successful trip to the State Championship meet, held Saturday, Nov. 12, on the campus of Southwestern University at Georgetown.

The team won Third Place honors, behind winner Priddy, and second place White Deer, in a large, strong field of Class A schools.

Coach Everett McAdams said the team gave great individual efforts. "The course on the Southwestern campus is a tough one. The runners have to make it up a 500 to 600 yard pretty steep hill twice in the race, and it's a killer," the coach added.



Front: Will St. Romain, Jamie Caballero, Kipp Blount. Rear: Jason Robertson, Hector Gallegos, Jacob Lester, Ralph Ramirez, Jeremy Dearing, Joe Valdez, Coach McAdams.

Individual performances found Joe Valdez taking 10th place, followed by Jeremy Dearing, 26th; Jason Robertson, 28th; Jamie Caballero, 40th; Ralph Ramirez, 57th; Jacob Lester, 62nd; and

Kipp Blount, 63rd. Will St. Romain and Hector Gallegos were alternate runners.

It was a busy week end

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COURT HEARS CURFEW REQUEST

Yoakum County Commissioners met in regular session Monday, November 14, at the County Courthouse. In attendance were members Dallas Brewer, County Judge, and Commissioners John Avara, Bob Thurston, Jim Barron and Macky McWhirter.

Also present were Hazel Lowrey, County Auditor, Ruby Bruton, County Clerk, Toni Jones, County Treasurer, and Sheriff Jim Rice.

Also in attendance were Denver City residents J. H. (Red) Powell, Bud Brian,

and Rick Lehnert.

It was moved and approved to advertise for a 1984 Model Mack truck for use in precinct. 2. Bids will be received until Dec. 2, and action on bids will take place Dec. 5.

Line item transfers from the General Fund to various County departments totaling \$41,557 were approved, and county bills and part time salaries totaling \$109,103 were approved for payment.

Bond for Mr. Powell, Constable, Precinct 2, was approved, and Mr. Powell was formally sworn into office by Judge Brewer.

Mr. Lehnert addressed the court, outlining problems he and neighbors a mile or

so outside Denver City city limits have experienced for some time, with juveniles roaming the area late at night and early morning. He cited numerous cases of vandalism of his and neighbors private property. He requested the Court to initiate a County curfew to curb the destructive bonds of youths.

Judge Brewer expressed his thanks for bringing the matter to the Courts' attention, and told Lehnert it would be necessary to research the legality of a County this size ordering a curfew. Mr. Lehnert said he was confident a petition formally requesting the curfew could be furnished the Court, if the move is determined legal.

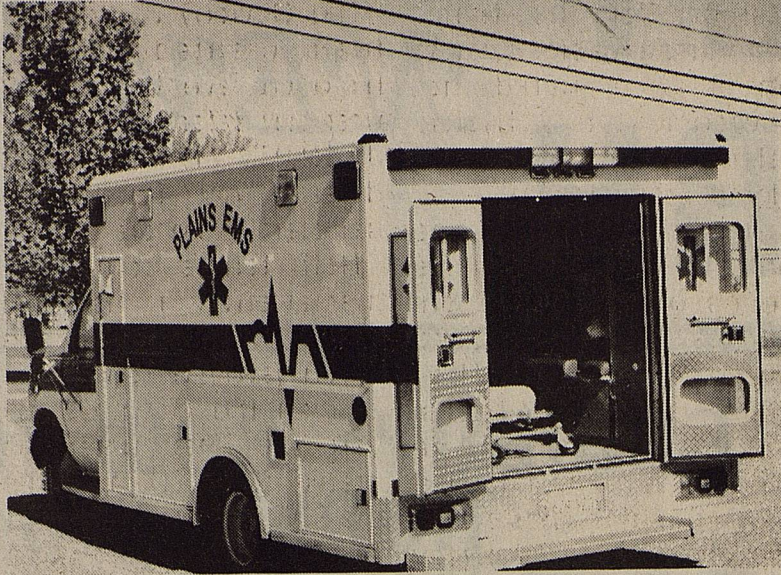
PLAINS E.M.S. GOOD PEOPLE & EQUIPMENT

When you see or hear one of the community Emergency Medical Service units answering a call for help, the normal response is to wonder who is in some sort of medical trouble. You can be assured the unfortunate person will be in experienced and well trained hands while under the care of our local EMS group.

Few are aware of the amount of training and hands on experience required for certification as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). Prior to certification by the State Health Department, each EMT must have a minimum of 120 hours classroom training, forty hours experience in a hospital, working with real patients and the staff, and fifty hours of actual working experience in an emergency response unit. Once achieving the first level EMT status, from 80 to 160 additional hours of training is required each year.

The local EMS group was started as an independent organization from the Volunteer Fire Department in the mid seventies. The war in Vietnam had dramatically demonstrated the benefits of quick, basic medical help provided our wounded by Navy, Army, Air Force and Marine Corpsmen in the time span it took to move the victims to a military hospital, with full facilities and Physicians and nurses. All EMS groups know how vital it is to start certain emergency treatment as quickly as possible while taking a patient to a medical facility and Doctors care.

Our EMS has two emergency vehicles, both fully equipped with basic medical supplies, respiratory aids, even a new electronic heart monitor. Providing vehicles and equipment is an expensive proposition. A new fully equipped unit comparable to the 1986 and 1993 Fords now in service would cost about \$90,000. The Local agreement between the City and County has the County purchasing the vehicles and major medical equipment, and the City provides the supplies, maintenance and insurance.



Both units have excellent communication systems. On an emergency response, the EMT can be in direct contact with the hospital the victim is being taken to, usually the Physician in the emergency receiving area of the hospital. Because of our remote location from major medical facilities, communication is vital, allowing the EMS team and the Doctor to perform as one unit.

In the ten month period from January, 1994, thru October, the local service responded to 76 emergency calls. Our location on busy highways results in more automobile wrecks, and resulting trauma type injuries.

Plains EMS personnel include Joe Humphrey, President of the organization, Robbie Guetersloh, Vice-President, Corina Estrada, Secretary, Pam Redman, Treasurer, and members Lola Bryan, Charles Diamond, Kenley Powell, Freda Humphrey, and Anna Luna.

A common misconception is thinking the hard working, hard studying volunteers receive lucrative compensation each time they make an emergency run. They are paid on a trip basis by the city, but certainly not enough to live on, and an amount that reflects reimbursing them for their time away from home or their full time jobs. They also spend many volunteer, unpaid hours in attendance at Football games, Rodeos, Parades, and other Civic functions.

Current State law mandates two certified EMT's must be in a unit responding to an emergency situation. Many EMS organizations, particularly in small towns such as ours, are trying to

get the law changed, and allow only one EMT in the unit to administer medical aid, and any qualified driver to operate the vehicle. EMS President Humphrey said, "Many times this causes difficulties in small towns, with few EMS people. Often we have problems rounding up two EMT's quickly. If any licensed driver could run the unit, we would eliminate lots of time loss in responding." (Ed. Note: See "PUBLIC NOTICE" ad, bottom right page two.)

Area physicians in hospitals have learned from experience they can rely on EMS people to correctly follow their instructions. They have to trust them, and respect their competence, training and dedication. The community is fortunate to have the equipment and people to come to our aid in medical emergencies.

JUSTICE OF PEACE COURT

The following is a summary of action taken in County Justice of Peace Court, Precinct One, Judge Melba Crutcher presiding;

Ten traffic cases filed by Texas Department of Public Safety.

One case filed by the County Sanitarian.

Presided over three Teen Court cases.

JERRI'S BOUTIQUE

Jerri's Open House Anniversary sale, is celebrating six years in business. Go by the shop and browse. 20% off clothing and accessories. Jerri's Boutique is the

HOSPICE

Hospice Services, Inc., a non-profit organization, has been providing specialized care for terminally ill patients and their families residing in Plains since 1991.

The volunteer auxiliary for Hospice Services has arranged for a Light-Up-A-Life tree to be located at Plains City Library. Anyone may purchase a dove to be placed on the tree in honor or memory of someone special in their life. The tree will remain at the Library throughout the holiday season.

The tree lighting ceremony will be held Wednesday morning, November 30, 1994, at 10:30 am at the Library.

During the ceremony, hospice staff and volunteers will place a dove on the tree in memory/honor of all past and present hospice patients from this community. Family members and friends are invited to pin their loved one's dove on the tree.

The tax deductible donations honor or remember someone special in your life, and will be used to purchase equipment, supplies and medications for hospice patients.

Hospice Services, Inc. provides the medical, emotional and spiritual needs to anyone facing a terminal illness. Hospice provides services without charge to patients and their families.

The volunteer auxiliaries from each of the service area communities in Lea, Gaines & Yoakum counties will sponsor a tree this year.

Hospice services are also available to residents of Eddy County NM and portions of Cochran and Terry counties in Texas.

Offices located: 901 East Bender - Hobbs, NM; 505-393-4717 and 321-B N. Main, Denver City, TX; 806-592-2901.

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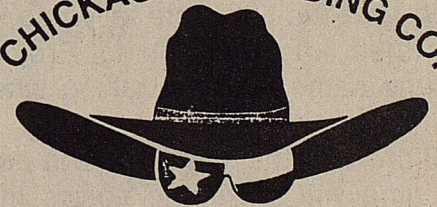
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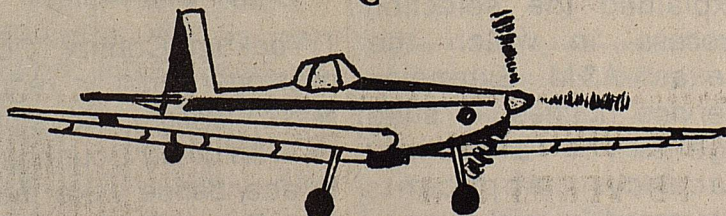
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HIGH SCHOOL

THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS HAVE RECEIVED:

All A's (Excluding P.E.)
9th Grade

Vicki Bayer
Heath Bowlin
Shawn Box
Shawn Cullins
Yvonne Gonzales
Sandi Warren

10th Grade

Sonia Avila
Yancey House
Jacob Lester
Mary Morales

11th Grade

Valeria Blair
Jeremy Dearing
Heather McDonnell

12th Grade

Victor Bernal
Dani Clark
Bellen Coronado
Jennifer Earnest
Joe Guerra
Gilbert Ortiz
Brad McMinn
Dusty Valdez
Shannon Ward
Ladd Winn
Misty Willett

All A's and 1 B

9th Grade
Delia Gonzales
Gideon Traweek

10th Grade

Tessa St. Romain
Robin Squyers

11th Grade

Kiri Ancinac
Marie Moreno
Brad Seaton

12th Grade

Amber Bryan
Delilah Gonzales
Mary Ann Gonzales
Malissa Ramirez

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5th Grade
Ky May
Annaliesa O'Quinn
Scott Tirrell
Becky Wilmeth

6th Grade

Emily Blair
Kelsey Blundell
Aaron Cain
Lensey Cullins
Joel Gallegos
Kari Guetersloh
Ashlei Mason
Lesli Rowe
Dustin Six
Alexis Warren

7th Grade

Liz Ancinac

Candace Bowers
Velvet Canada
Leticia Canon
Jessica Flores
Kristen Gray
Wendy Hernandez
Chris Leggett
Fermin Luna
Kelton Mason
Laura Morales
Nicole Newsom
Kelli Osborn
Anne Palmer
Patricia Ruiz
Jason Swann
Staci Tuggle

8th Grade

Maranda Box
Dustin Brunson
Steven Bunch
Clint Burrus

ALL A'S 1B

5th Grade
Wendy Fierro
Ashley Gonzalez
Tanner Ham
Arasely Luna
Ragan McGinty
Chelsi Wagnon

6th Grade

Eric Nixon
Elva Ruiz
Matt Willis

7th Grade

Joshua Bell
Krystle Blundell
Isaac Gonzalez
Jeremy Humphrey
Patrick McGinty
Autumn Seals
Kyle Sisson

8th Grade

Cosme Casillas
Cassie Dearing
Mike Guerra
Tony Lazos
Matt Morgan
Marcey House
Tandi Jones
Tommie McNabb
Lisa Parrish

ELEMENTARY

All A'S

1st Grade
Jordan Chambliss
Michael Crump
Andrew Duran
Allison Friessen
B. J. Lester
Nicole Loya
Priscilla Mares
Adam McCravey
Maribel Mendias
Mark Morgan
Blake O'Quinn
Katie Oswalt
Blake Parrish
Abel Ramos

2nd Grade

Evan Cain
Lela Coronado
Jamie Covarrubias

Marlie Diaz
Cody Flores
Breck Hamm
Eloy Hinojasa
Brandon Hise
Brant Huerta
Kerry Sisson

3rd Grade

Tony Gomez
Austin Keese
Joseph Martinez
Sarah Martinez
Trent May
Grady McNabb
Helen Neufeld
Nolan Newsom
Luis Quintana
Moriah Traweek
April Wilmeth

4th Grade

Chisum Deaton
Sandra Gallegos
Krystal Gonzalez
Jill Gray
Elizabeth Rodriguez
Mandi Rogers
Kayla Willis
Elizabeth Wilmeth
Mackenzie Winn

All A's and 1 B

1st Grade
Rose Henderson
Skylar Keese
Alisah Wauson

2nd Grade

Ramiro Barrientez
Kelby Johnson
Daniela Lazos

3rd Grade

Manuela Villegas

4th Grade

Justin Chambliss
Catrina Hinojosa
Benny Loewen
Kimberly Martinez

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

Wednesday: National Honor Society Induction - 10:00 AM

Friday: Basketball - Lazbuddie - A & B Girls - There - 5:00 PM

SCHOOL MENU

WEDNESDAY:

BREAKFAST: Hash browns, Toast, Orange Juice, Milk

LUNCH: Cheeseburger, Lettuce Leaf, Sliced tomatoes, Onion rings, Pickles, Potato chips, Rosy applesauce, Milk

THURSDAY

Breakfast: Pancakes w/syrup, Fruit punch, Milk

Lunch: Beef & bean burritos w/taco sause, Pinto beans, Kosher Spear, cornbread, Peach cobbler, Milk

FRIDAY

Breakfast: Toast, cold cereal, Orange juice, Milk

Lunch: Steak fingers, w/ gravy, Creamed potatoes, corn, Hot rolls, Pear half, Milk.

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school and community support for the team. Unfortunately, emotion and enthusiasm could not overcome the physical talents of a very good Hornet football team.

Sudan would have the ball for seven offensive series of plays, and put scores on the board everyone of them. Their quick and speedy backs, great offensive line blocking, and an effective passing attack were simply too much for the Cowboy defenders.

The Cowboys managed to move the ball against the Hornets, but never in a sustained manner, until late in the third quarter. A series of hard runs by Steven Bitolas, aided by Josh Traweek, and passing by QB Victor Bernal, resulted in Bitolas final burst into the end zone, followed by Bernals' PAT kick. For the very first time this year, a district team had scored points against the highly rated Hornets.

Despite the lopsided score, the Cowboys once more demonstrated spirit and pride, and never simply rolled over and played dead. There was plenty of hard hitting and hustle throughout the long night, but not enough to overcome the talented Hornets.

The season is far from over for the Cowboys, now 9-1. Their first playoff opponent is Wink, also impressively ranked. The Cowboys will get a big break in not having to make a long, tiring road trip this coming Friday night. The game will be played in Denver City's Mustang Stadium, 7:30 pm.

Come on, Cowboy fans..... Let's have a huge turn out just 15 miles south Friday night, and show this hard working bunch of young athletes we still appreciate and back them!!

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for McAdams and runners Ramirez and Lester. All three took part in the Cowboy football game against Sudan Friday night, then were flown to their Austin motel that night by Joe Cobb.

McAdams was especially pleased with their performance following the tough Sudan game, which left Ralph Ramirez with a very sore ankle.

"I'm really proud of this years Cross Country team. They gave everything they had in this tough race," McAdams added.

COWBOY JV UPSETS SUDAN JV, 22-20 !

The Cowboy JV football team created a mini-historical event Thursday when they defeated Sudans' JV 22-20. This was the first defeat of ANY Sudan football team this entire year.

Both teams committed mental errors in the initial stages of the game, one which gave the Hornets the ball on the Cowboys six yard line. They turned the break into a TD, and with the PAT run, were up 8-0.

When the young Cowboys had possession again, a screen pass from Abraham Garcia to Eric Luna quickly put Plains on the scoreboard. Garcia ran the PAT in and it was a tie game, 8-8.

In control of the ball again, the Hornets mounted a drive to the Cowboy 44, where Roy Ramirez crunched the quarterback, and Billy Braswell recovered the resulting fumble.

Good blocking and hard running by Luna, Garcia and Ramirez covered 52 yards for the Cowboys, and Garcia punched across for the second TD. The PAT attempt failed, and at halftime the Cowboys were up 14-8.

In their first series of play in the second period, Coach Baucom credited good blocking and fierce running for an impressive 65 yard drive, capped by Ramirez' ten yard effort for the score, and with the successful PAT, it was 22-8.

Sudan stormed back, and quickly made the score 22-14. Neither group could do much with the ball the next few series, resulting in a series of punt exchanges. One from the Cowboys was returned for a stunning 35 yard touch-down, and the game ended with Plains up 22-20.

The young JV, predominantly Freshmen, earned district championship honors based on the number of games played and win-loss record. Coach Baucom, elated with the game and the entire season, said, "I am proud of this group, their determination, their team and individual efforts. They really got it done!"

For this final game, the coach wanted to recognize the entire team for the season performance. They are; Heath Bowlin, Fr, Adam Dominguez, Fr, Derrick Brunson, Fr, Will St Romain, Fr, Jason Redman, Fr, Abraham Garcia, Fr, Roy Ramirez, Fr, Eric Luna, Fr, Chris Willett, Fr, Kipp Blount, Fr, David Flores, Fr, Isaac Trevino, Fr, Chris Gonzales, Fr, Aberto Tarango, Fr, Billy Braswell, Soph, Allen Ward, Soph, Casey Forbus, Soph, J. T. Peoples, Soph, and Brad Seaton, Jr.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO EACH OF YOU AND COACH BAUCOM!!

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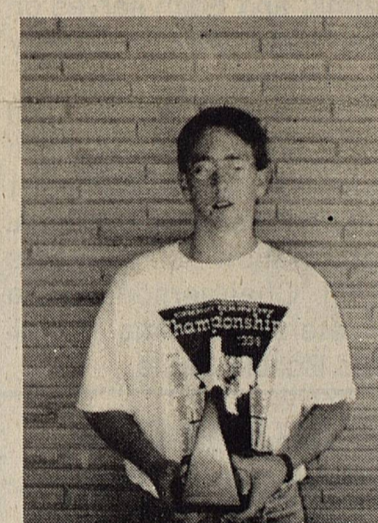
CITY COUNCIL MEETS

The Plains City Council met in regular session Monday, Nov. 14. In attendance were Mayor T. J. Miller, Council Members Bonnie Earnest, Shane McKenzie, Owen Schneider, Kent Welch, and Pam Redman. City Manager David Brunson, City Secretary Suann Parrish, and Clerk Pam Rowe and Supervisor Robert Loya.

Following a presentation by Commissioner Macky McWhirter, Precinct 4, concerning the city participating in the Keep Texas Beautiful - Community Proud Program, it was moved and approved to join the County and Chamber of Commerce in the endeavor.

Rebids for a new garbage truck were planned after it was determined specifications for the unit in previous bids required alteration.

Fiscal year 93-94 Audit Report by the Sandefur and Swindle Accounting firm was accepted and approved, and Supervisor Robert Loya delivered a report on current city projects.



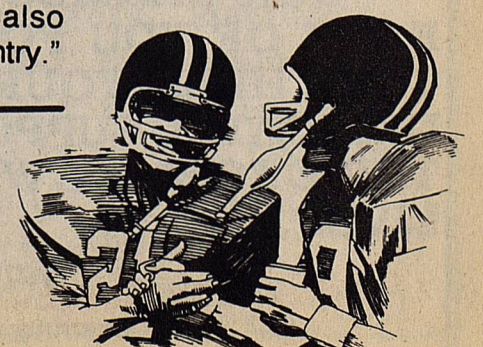
Jason Robertson

PHS STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Plains High School Student of the week is Jason Robertson. He is a Junior at Plains High School and is the son of Mr. & Mrs. J. Robertson. Jason was nominated by Byron Morgan.

"Jason is very dependable. Dependable- to depend means to trust, rely or place belief or hope often without alternative recourse- that is Jason. I can always depend on Jason to do whatever needs to be done. He helps with teaching of drill to under classmen & he is a true leader for the trombone section. Jason is also involved in Cross Country." Morgan said.

BEAT WINK!!



PLAINS HIGH MATH/SCIENCE TEAM WINS THIRD

Plains finished 3rd out of was 5th. And in the fresh-10 teams overall Nov. 12 in men division, Heath was Seminole with two seniors 3rd, Shawna was 6th and Ken McAdams and Brad Shawn was 8th.

McMinn, two juniors Valerie Blair and Johnny Don, one was 4th overall with Brad sophomore Yancey House, placing 2nd in the senior and three freshmen Shawn division. In the freshmen Cullins, Shawna Box and division, Shawn was 5th Heath Bowlin. they were and Shawna was 9th.

competing against one, The science team was two and three A schools. 3rd overall with Ken placing

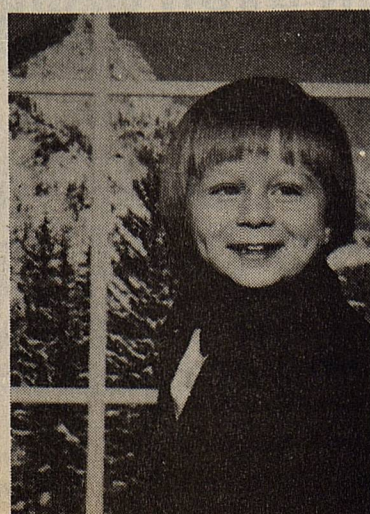
The number sense team 1st and Brad 5th in the was 2nd overall with Brad senior division. Valerie placing 2nd and Ken 4th in was 9th in the junior division and the sophomore division. Yancey was 10th in Shawn placing 1st and the sophomores. And Shawn placed 5th in the freshmen division.

The calculator team was 2nd overall. In the senior division, Brad was 1st and Ken was 5th. In the sophomore division, Yancey

Go, Cowboys - BEAT WINK!

LOOK WHO TURNED 18 YEARS OLD NOV. 14, 1994 PLAINS QUARTERBACK #11

WE LOVE YOU, BERNAL FAMILY & THE VERY BEST WISHES FROM THE BARBOSA FAMILY



ANNUAL CHRISTMAS HOME TOUR DEC. 7

The annual Methodist Church Christmas Home Tour is scheduled for December 7, from 7:00 to 9:00pm. The tour will feature visits to the homes of Brad and Vicki Ancinec, Danny and Kathy Bell, Rickey and Karen Bearden, Kent and Peggy Welch, and Randy and Edith Tuggle.

The Ancinec home just off 8th street will feature white Christmas lighting both in and outside of their remodeled home, and bright candles and poinsettias will decorate the interior. Vicki is employed by Whiting Petroleum, and Brad farms and serves on the Board of Directors of Tokio Co-Op Gin. Vicki advises, "To keep poinsettias healthy during the holidays, keep them moist, away from drafts and bright sunlight".

The Bells' new home will be decorated primarily in mauve, burgundy and gold colors for Christmas. Their four children, Joshua, Jared, Joani and Jaaron have bedrooms decorated with personal interest items. The family is proud of their decorative bell collection, and hope to eventually have a bell from each state. The couple farm and are in the insurance business, and Danny serves on the PISD Board of Trustees.

The Beardens recently purchased and remodeled the home formerly belonging to Ricky's grandmother, the late Opal Perkins. Visitors will enjoy traditional red and green decorations, and two Christmas trees, one decorated from their children's school memos,

and the front of the house will feature a novelty '101 Dalmations' decoration. Their son Tracy is a political science major at Tech, and Kyle is a sophomore at PHS, and is very active in sports. Karen is employed at Sellers Ag, and Ricky farms, and serves on Cotton Incorporated and Plains Cotton Growers Boards.

The Welch home will display a tree in teal, peach and blue colors, with other decorations in red and green, and visitors will enjoy Peggy's doll collection. She describes her furniture as 'transitional', including country, Victorian and modern. The couple have three married children, Tracy, Melissa and Donnell. Tracy and his wife live here, as does Melissa and her husband, and Donnell lives in Oklahoma. Kent farms, and Peggy is the owner of Peggy's Classy Curl.

The Tuggle home, 1-3/4 miles south on 214, will greet visitors with a brightly lit image of the state of Texas outside. Inside, traditional colors and antique crock pitchers will be featured, and the tree will be decorated with dated ornaments belonging to daughter Staci, and handmade fabric ornaments. Randy farms, and Edith serves on the local ASCS County Committee.

Tour tickets are \$5, and may be purchased from any First United Methodist Church member. Additional information is available from Chairpersons Sara Guetersloh, Wilma Powell and Bobbie Gayle.

BRANTLEY SERVICES

Funeral services for long time Plains resident, Avon G. Brantley were held Friday, Nov. 11, at the First Baptist Church, Plains. Rev. Jim Moreley, Westbrook Baptist Church officiated, assisted by Rev. Bill Wright.

Mr. Brantley died November 8 following a lengthy illness. He was born Dec. 27, 1908, in Jefferson County Oklahoma. He attended school in Oklahoma, and moved with his parents to Lynn County, Texas, in 1925, and to Yoakum County in 1929. He married the former Hattie Elmore in Lovington, N. M. in 1932.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, G. W. (Sonny) of Midlothian, and C. E. (Buddy) of Plains, one brother, Evert of Seminole, two sisters, Ozell Prather and Evelyn Farrar, Brownfield, six

grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

He was a farmer, and served as Justice of Peace, Precinct One, for 17 years.

Funeral arrangements were by Brownfield Funeral Home, and burial was at Terry County Cemetery.

PLAINS EX IN FFA CHORUS

Former Plains resident Jacob Crawford has been chosen as a member of the National FFA Chorus. The chorus will perform during the 67th national FFA convention in Kansas City, Missouri. The chorus has 100 members.

Chorus members are nominated by their state association, and final selection involves over 275 applicants.

The chorus will perform as the featured entertainment at many convention sessions.

The large chorus is directed by Roger Kelly,

also director of the Washington state FFA chorus, and is sponsored by the Ford Motor Company.

The national FFA organization has almost 430 thousand members, preparing for careers in science, business and technology of agriculture. Its 7,238 chapters are located throughout the US, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands.

Jacob is the son of Greg and Sandy Crawford, who now reside in Snyder.

FROM THE STAFF OF THE COWBOY COUNTRY NEWS, A HEARTY "THANK YOU" TO WILMA POWELL, WHO GENEROUSLY DONATED FUNDS FOR ENCLOSING THE METHODIST PARSONAGE WITH PANEL FENCING, AND ALL HER OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS TO BOTH CHURCH AND COMMUNITY

THANK YOU AGAIN!!

Your continued support in the General Election November 8 is warmly appreciated. I will continue to do my very best to efficiently serve all the fine people of Yoakum County.

Toni Jones, County Treasurer

Political advertisement paid by Toni Jones

FOR THE SECOND TIME THIS YEAR, LET ME EXPRESS TO YOU, THE VOTERS OF YOAKUM COUNTY, MY SINCERE APPRECIATION AND THANKS. YOUR SECOND VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IN ME NOVEMBER 8 IS VERY GRATIFYING.

SINCERELY,
RICHARD CLARK

Political advertisement paid by Richard Clark

A big "THANK YOU" to all of you who took the time to cast a vote for me in the General Election, even though I was unopposed. To me it was a vote of confidence for which I am very grateful. I appreciate the people of Yoakum county and will continue to work for you to the best of my ability.

Ruby Bruton, County Clerk

Political advertisement paid by Ruby Bruton

AS YOUR COUNTY JUDGE, I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK THE CITIZENS OF YOAKUM COUNTY FOR AN EXCELLENT VOTER TURN-OUT IN THE NOV. 8 GENERAL ELECTION.

I ESPECIALLY WANT TO EXPRESS MY THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED CONFIDENCE AND SUPPORT EVEN THOUGH MY POSITION WAS UNOPPOSED.

IT IS MY DESIRE TO CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN AN ATMOSPHERE OF FAIRNESS AND EQUALITY TO ALL PEOPLE OF OUR COUNTY.

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL OR COME BY THE COURTHOUSE ANYTIME!

DALLAS BREWER

Political advertisement paid by Dallas Brewer

I WOULD LIKE TO SAY 'THANK YOU' FOR YOUR VOTE OF CONFIDENCE AT THE POLLS ON NOV. 8. I AM GRATEFUL TO THE PEOPLE OF YOAKUM COUNTY FOR YOUR SUPPORT, AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE YOU. FEEL FREE TO COME BY OR CALL ANTIME THIS OFFICE CAN BE OF HELP.

SINCERELY,
MAE BARNETT,
DISTRICT CLERK

Political advertisement paid by Mae Barnett

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR DEMONSTRATING YOUR CONFIDENCE IN ME AT THE VOTING BOOTHS NOV. 8. THE GOOD PEOPLE OF YOAKUM COUNTY DESERVE THE VERY BEST REPRESENTATION AT ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT. I SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR DECISION ALLOWING ME TO CONTINUE TO SERVE YOU TO THE VERY BEST OF MY ABILITIES.

SINCERELY,
MELBA CRUTCHER,
JUSTICE OF PEACE,
PRECINCT ONE

Political advertisement paid by Melba Crutcher

Please allow me to take this opportunity to sincerely thank the people of Precinct #4 and Yoakum County for the support you have afforded us in the past four years as Commissioner of Precinct #4. We sincerely thank you for your support in the previous elections. We look forward to serving the people of Precinct #4 and Yoakum County in the future. Please let me know if we can be of service, and I pray God's blessing on the people of Yoakum County.

Sincerely yours,
Macky McWhirter

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IN MY CAMPAIGN TO REPRESENT YOU AS STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 80, I PLEDGED TO WORK HARD FOR WEST TEXAS. YOUR WEST TEXAS SUPPORT AND HARD WORK IN MY BEHALF HAS GIVEN ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO HONOR THIS PLEDGE.

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Gary & Frankie Walker

Paid Political Advertising by 'Walker for West Texas', Judy Broussard, Treasurer

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Abide with me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine, no more can ye, except ye abide in me. PRAYER CONCERNS Avon Brantly Family Frank Spencer Family

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Plains EMS will hold a public meeting at the City Hall, 601-11th St. at 7:00p.m. on Thursday, December 1st, 1994. The EMS has requested a variance from the standards on personnel as authorized by the Health and Safety Code, Chapter 773. The EMS encourage all persons to attend. All comments and questions will be welcome.

EARTH TEAM PROGRAM

In 1981, Congress authorized the Soil Conservation Service (SCS) to accept volunteers to increase soil and water conservation efforts. These Earth Team Volunteers provide an effective volunteer work force to assist SCS staff and local Conservation Districts in soil and water conservation.

Earth Team Volunteers are special people who volunteer their time and talents, expecting nothing in return. They simply want to make a difference and help people conserve our soil, conserve our water and improve its quality, and sustain our country's natural resource heritage.

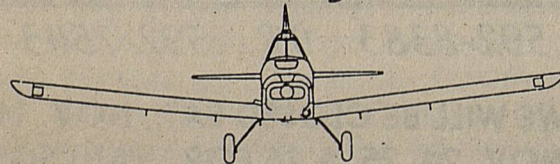
Anyone sixteen years or older and interested in saving our precious soil and water resources can become an Earth Team Volunteer. They may work part-time, full-time, outdoors or in the SCS office. Volunteers have assisted with such things as clerical duties, computer work, farm tours/shows, public speaking, conservation planning, resource conservation and development projects, and many other projects.

For more information on the Earth Team Volunteer program, contact the local SCS office, 806-456-3703 or call 1-800-THE SOIL.

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1 (9 in) unbaked pastry shell
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 1 (14 oz) can Eagle* Brand or Eagle* Brand Low Fat Sweetened Condensed Milk (NOT evaporated milk)
 2 eggs
 1 tsp. ground cinnamon
 1/2 tsp. each ground ginger, nutmeg and salt
 *Preheat oven to 425°.
 *In large bowl, combine all ingredients except pastry shell; mix well.
 *Pour into pastry shell.
 *Bake 15 minutes.
 *Reduce oven temperature to 350°; bake 35 to 40 minutes longer or until knife inserted 1" from edge comes out clean. Cool.
 *Garnish as desired.
 *Refrigerate leftovers.
 (Makes one 9-inch pie)

TSA MO GA XMAS GIFTS

The Tsa Mo Ga annual Xmas Gifts for Veterans Hospital patients is now underway. The club is asking the community to purchase gifts, which will be delivered to the veterans, in order for them to have presents to give to their families. Gifts should be delivered to the Library, unwrapped. They will be delivered to the VA hospital by Service Officer. Gifts of any dollar value are welcome.

Y. C. FLORIST OPEN HOUSE

Yoakum County Florist and Gifts will host an Open House November 18 and 19. Owner Mary Knowles hopes you will join her staff for refreshments, and enjoy a great gift selection, including floral arrangements, 'Precious Moments' items, and beautiful antiques. You will also enjoy the beautiful new 'Wedding Room'. Come by and enjoy the Holiday atmosphere.



MARKET TRENDS

YAMS

The orange root you'll be serving at Thanksgiving is not actually a yam at all, but a moist sweet potato developed over fifty years ago. To distinguish it from drier sweet-potato varieties, it was marketed and is still known as a yam.

(True yams are an unrelated food grown in Africa, Asia and the Caribbean and are rarely available in the U.S.)

Whatever you call this native American staple, it's impossible to imagine Thanksgiving dinner without it. Baked, mashed or candied, this veggie brings color and sweetness to the table.

Sweet potatoes are plentiful in fall and winter. Those grown in California and some Northern states have a dry texture and yellow to pale-orange flesh. The moist varieties known as yams, grown in North Carolina, Louisiana and throughout the South, have orange-red flesh.

Bursting with beta-carotene and vitamins A and C, sweet potatoes, with just 105 calories per 1/2 cup, also contain fiber, potassium and trace minerals.

Look for firm, heavy sweet potatoes that are unbruised and evenly colored. Store in a cool, dry place up to one week. Don't refrigerate them uncooked (it can cause an undesirable taste), and don't wash until just before using to help prevent spoilage.

A final thought: Scientists developed moister, sweeter sweet potatoes, so why couldn't they create them in a more uniform size to make them even easier to prepare?



A BIG, BIG THANK YOU

The Plains United Methodist Church Thanks Everyone For Supporting Last Weeks Annual Chili Fest And Bake Sale. We appreciate all the Volunteer Workers, Donations And Participants. Thanks Again For A Great Success. !!!!

P.S. Don't Forget The Xmas Home Tour December 7

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FROM THE HACK

True story. I Swear. Honest. No bull. No lies. It happened, it really did. You recently read last week my pledge to report nothing but the truth in this column, and this will be my inaugural tale of absolute fact.

About 18 years ago, one Noel Clanahn Jr., better known as 'N.C.' and I fished an unusual bass tournament on Oak Creek Lake, south of Sweetwater. The format of the event called for a midnight start, Saturday, and fishing would continue until Sunday, 2:00PM.

Already yawning, my partner and I arrived at the Dam site launch ramp precisely at 11:45 Pm, only to be thwarted from the water by about half a dozen Harley Davidson motorcycles parked smack dab in the middle of the ramp, and gobs of people screaming and cavorting in the water right where we needed to be.

Infuriated, partner N.C. bellowed, "Gimme that .357 under the seat. I bet I can move some of these ^#@*!<#>#@* out of our way so we can go fishing!"

Upon careful observation on my part, I had to inform my foaming mouthed partner I was observing a group of absolutely nature born, buck bare men and women biker types, the female species coming up the ramp, and friendly, loving like, waving us down to join them.

Upon hearing this, my friend N.C. just lost it. Wildly screaming, "I can't see 'em, I can't see 'em", he rapidly backed further down the ramp, eye balls

bulging in anticipation of a voyeurs delight.

Just prevailed over common sense, and he sped back down the ramp for a more opportune view, but with a sickening sound of Chevy metal grinding on Harley metal, we both realized we had committed the unpardonable. We had crushed a bikers absolute loon, his family jewel, his Harley bike.

Obviously concerned, Clanahan asked, "Reckon I need to go over there and tell 'em I'm sorry?". When I saw six bearded, burly, naked, snarling types digging out bike chains, razors, brass knuckles and razor blades, moving in our direction, I casually mentioned to Mr. Clanahan our presence was needed elsewhere. We were in Sweetwater, 34 miles

distance, in exactly 19 minutes, boat, trailer and all. We have not fished together since.

Library Filmtime

Sixteen pre-school youngsters attended Filmtime November 9. They saw two films, sang songs, and enjoyed a special birthday for five year old Lauren Davis, daughter of Wayne Lee and Cindy Davis.

Those attending were: Curtis Artego, Alfredo Martinez, Morgan Willis, Amanda Ramirez, Landon Earnest, Dakota Earnest, Katie Winn, Kevin John Gass, Ryan Crump, Marissa Melendez, Marcos Rivera, Christopher Addison, Lauren Davis and Cody Mayes.

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This P.H.S. horn blower may be a bit more difficult to identify than Ty Earl Powell last week. He is a resident of the county, and between 20 and 60 years of age.

The first caller to correctly identify this AFTER 2:00 PM THURSDAY wins a free lunch at Johnnie's

Sorry, NO relatives, please!

Christmas Open House

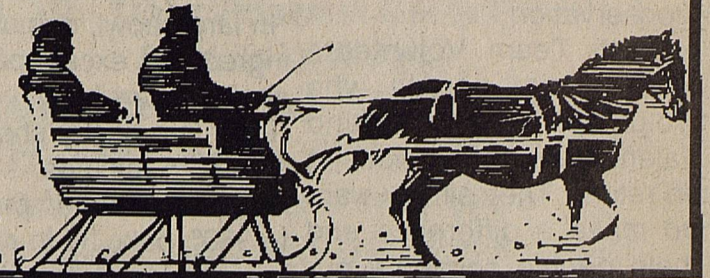
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1077 head of livestock sold for 162 consignors Friday Nov. 11, 1994. The market was better on all classes of cattle. Trade was active, demand good. Buyer participation aggressive with a good crowd of people attending the sale. Representative Sales included:

Houston Bros.	Seminole	1Rd WF str	295	105.00
Johnny L. Reed	Loving	3 LimoX str	435	85.50
Michael M. Murphy	Jal	5 Xbrd str	538	77.50
Lyman Arnspegel	Monument	4 Bk str	366	88.50
Raymond McDonald	Malaga	6 Mxd str	435	92.00
Uylan Hebison	Crossroads	2 BkMF str	458	88.50
Harold Smith Ranch	Elkins	8 CharX str	511	82.50
Leon Hermann	Lovington	14 Bk & Rd str	555	79.00
Henry McDonald	Loving	5 Mxd str	494	82.75
Ramond McDonald	Malaga	17 LimoX str	657	71.75
Sid Price	Tatum	3 Mxd str	648	71.00
Marvin Powell	Lovington	14 Char str	644	71.50
Harold Smith Ranch	Elkins	6 CharX hfr	287	83.00
Johnny L. Reed	Loving	5 Xbrd hfr	421	77.50
Leon Hermann	Lovington	21 Bk & Rd hfr	539	72.50
Rusty Conley	Tatum	3 Mxd hfr	523	69.75
Bill Medlin	Jalajamar	9 Mxd hfr	732	65.00
Jimmy Doom	Jal	2 Bk hfr	708	65.50
Larry White	Lovington	1 Brin	Pair	660.00
Diamond & 1/2 Inc	Lovington	1 X brd C	Head	570.00
Letter B Ranch	Odessa	3 Mot Faced C	Head	510.00
Double A Cattle Co	Lubbock	4 ExotX C	Head	505.00
C & H Cattle Co	Lamesa	2 ExotX C	Head	530.00
C & H Cattle Co	Lamesa	1 Bk Pr	Pair	660.00
Ray Poskey	Lovington	9 WFC	Head	530.00
Alfred Rogers	Hobbs	1 Bk C	Head	620.00
Danny Rosson	Seagraves	1 CharX C	Head	630.00
S & W Cattle Co	Hobbs	1 Bk C	1215	42.50
Ty Powell	Plains	1 Char C	1255	43.85
Winnie Kennann	Eunice	1 CharX C	1320	40.75
Elmer Sumrow	Denver City	1 Bk C	1065	41.00
Leon Hermann	Lovington	1 Bk C	1085	40.75
Augustine Ranch	Tatum	1 Rd C	885	39.40
High Lonesome Da.	Hobbs	1 Hol C	1340	39.00
Beestra Dairy	Hobbs	1 Hol C	1295	38.00
Alexander Bros	Lovington	1 Hol C	1865	36.25
E P Candill Inc	Lovington	1 RdMFC	845	37.00
Holgate Cattle Co	Plains	4 WFC	900	41.25
Rockview Dairy	Hobbs	1 Hol C	1330	38.75
S & A Dairy	Lovington	1 Hol C	1415	38.00
Ray Hilburn	Tatum	1 Rd Bull	1760	57.00
Winnie Kennann	Eunice	1 Char Bull	2045	54.25
Ruch Dairy	Hobbs	1 Hol Bull	1930	56.25

The entire staff here at Lovington Livestock Market Inc. would like to thank everyone for their continued support and loyalty. This sale works for us only if it works for you. If you have any ideas or suggestions to make it work better feel free to call or come by. Our doors are always open, as well as our minds. To visit, consign livestock, or for information call Wayne, Cassie, or Jim at (800) 371-1755 or (505)396-5381. Information about up-coming sales can also be heard on these radio stations: 6:10am KPOS-107.3 FM Post; 6:15am KLEA-101.7 FM Lovington; 6:05am W105-105.1 FM Maljamar; 6:20am KPER-95.7 FM Hobbs; 6:35am KSEL-95.3 FM Portales; 6:45am KCCC-930 AM Carlsbad; 7:00am (Tx) KIUN-1400 AM Pecos; 6:55am KTZA-92.9 FM Artesia.

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San Antonio, July 9, 1857. Mail bound for California left this city today in the hands of the San Antonio and San Diego Mail Route, a new transcontinental mail and passenger service organized by James E. Birch.

Passenger service will be available as soon as relay stations can be established. The coach service will operate Concord stages drawn by six mules. An armed escort will accompany each coach through the Indian country. Except for a hundred-mile stretch across the desert which must be made on mule back, passengers will travel the entire distance in the coaches.

According to present plans, coaches will leave San Antonio and San Diego, California, on the 9th and 24th of each month and make the trip in 23 days. The fare from San Antonio to El Paso is \$100 and from San Antonio to San Diego, \$200. Each passenger may carry thirty pounds of personal baggage exclusive of blankets and arms, with a charge of \$1.00 per pound for excess baggage from San Antonio to San Diego. From THE TEXAS NEWS, MARCH 2, 1858.

You are cordially invited to attend a Retirement Party for Roy Edwards on Sunday, November 20, 1994 from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at Nelsons Pharmacy 805 Tahoka Road Brownfield, Texas 79316

BEAT WINK!

PLAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NOVEMBER 11, 1994

CUSTODIAL/MAINTENANCE POSITION: Plains ISD is accepting applications for a custodial/maintenance position until November 25, 1994. Person applying must be able to work from extension ladders and up to 16 feet on stepladders doing painting and repair work. Person must be able to lift 50 to 100 pounds in performance of duties. Normal duties require use of 20 inch buffer and vacuum cleaner, cleaning of restrooms, gym floors, bleachers, etc. Summer duties include all aspects of painting inside and out, shovel work, yard work, etc. as deemed necessary by the maintenance supervisor.

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