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Old Plains Resident Dies


Plains Tournament Big Success


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Doyle Cormelious Newsom, Sr. 70, died at his residence Tuesday, January 13 th, 1970 at $3: 10$ p. m. Services were held in
the Plains United Methodist Church Wednesday, January 14 th, at $2: 00$ p. m., under the direction of Barrett's Funeral Home in
Plains. He was carried to Teague, Texas where services were
held at the Lawrence Funeral Home and buried in the Union held at the Lawrence Funeral Home and buried in the Union
Cemetery in Freestone County, Texas, Thursday, January 15 th, 1970. Newsom was the son of James W. and Willie B. Newsom
Mr. News. and bom May 24 th, 1899 in Freestone County, Texas. He was
a member of the United Methodist Church of Plains. He was in the gin business for a total of 54 years, and in the
business of ginning in Plains for 19 years. He was one of the business of ginning in Plains for 19 years. He was one of the
first councilmen for Plains after the city had incorporated. He
was voted "Man of the Year" for outstanding services to Plains was voted "Man of the Year" for outstanding services to Plains
and the community in 1963 .
He is survived by his wife, Winnie Lee; two sons, J. W. of Lu-

R. Lankford, Jr., Dale Newsom and Fortina Garza. Honorary
pall bearers were Mack Sealy, Barron Blair and Jack Palmer. pall bearers were Mack Sealy, Barron Blair and Jack Palmer.
Upon the death of Mr. Newsom, Plains can say: "... and a

## Things are Looking Up in Plains


the local talent wat empeployed and onl
all all scenes were employened a sed d
The scenes depicted some o the Plains residents as they go
about their nomal way of life
and their appreciation of the good water now made possible
by thie use of the Du Pont "Pe-
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that the Dy Pont Company di-
scovered the 'reverse osmosis scovered the 'reverese osm osis'
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ter softening It ter softening. It was throug
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kthrough came about and they were able to make from synth-
etic materials a minute $\mathrm{ha} \mathrm{i}_{-}$ sized tube which is utilized for a membrane in the reverse os-
mosis method. Millions of feet of this hair-1ike tubing is
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About three years ago while
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mobile unit for a place to re-
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and found it compatible to thand found it compatible to th situation, it became appare n
that the size of the town a

## Credit Union

to Meet

| to Meet <br> The Yoakum County Feder- | Telephone Pole |
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| The Yoakum County Federal Credit Union will hold their annual meeting at 7:30 p . | Broken |
| m., January 19 th in the club | A telephone pole w |
| e in Plains. Th |  |
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| Texas Department of Pu- | 82. Apparently it had been |
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| discussion will be "Drugs and | cident has been the sherrifs office. The only |
| Following the program | dence was a pair of eye gl- |
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| di. | at the scene. Any one missi- |
| All members are | ng these articles may recover |
| present for this important $m$ | the sherrifs |
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## SPC Dean's <br> Honor List



Dr. Smith Guest of Plains High School Band

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school Band, Raymond sech,

IIege, North rexas sate Uni-
vesory and The Univesityo versoty, and The University of
Michigan. He has served a s Director of Bands, Everett Hi-
gh School, Maryville, Tenne ssee; Instructor of Trum pet, and Assistant Professor of Wi-
nd Instruments and Theory, Dallas Baptist College. He has performed profession ally
with the Knoxville, Tennessee, Symphony, the American Wind Sy mphony Orchestra of
Pitsburgh, Pennsylvania, and it presently first chair trump
as, Symphony.
Dr. Smith will conduct
nuary 21 , at $4: 00$ p.m., in
the Plains High School band

ass performance. Students
who come should bring their
instruments in order to get in
Thivere will betion.
ancert Su-
nday afternoon at $3: 00 \mathrm{p}$. m ,
in the high school auditorium
In addition to numbers of a



 ng Herman Bellstedt's Napoli

## STATION

## The grea hauling to

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along the Intercoastal
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Livestock
Judging Contest
by Leo White, CAA
The invitational livest
judging contest for FFA judging contest for FFA a nd
4-H members was held Saturday at Plains with sevente en
senior teams and seven junior
teams enrolled. The Lamesa teams enrolled. The Lamesa
FFA Chapter had the winning team in the senior division
and the Lucky Clover 4-H Cl
ub from Yinning junior team the winning junior team.
cond places were won by Dawson County 4-H Club co mpeting in the senior age gr-
oup and the Blue Sage $4-\mathrm{H} \mathrm{C}$ oup and the Blue Sage 4-H C
ub of Yoakum County was second place
competitio FFA had four teams in the co ntest. Their No. 1 team co-
mposed of Steve Slentz, Ivan mposed of Steve Slentz, Ivan
Boyd and Earl Bales was the third place winner in seniors.
Lea County 4 -H Clubs entered three junior teams and th
eir No. 1 team was the thi rd place winner in that division. The Lucky Clover 4-H Live
stock Judging Team is comp-

## osed of Kenneth Altman, To

## nd and Joe St. Romain

## ders for this team of boys are

## A.K. Alman and Alton Mc Ginty. Kenneth Blount is the adult leader for the

 adult leader for the Blue SageLivestock Judging Team and Livestock Judging Team and
his team members last SaturCrump, Brad Palmer and Bradley REdwine. A third team of Yoakum County junia
ys placed sixth in the co This was the Green Clover Livestock Judging Team comp-
osed of Bill Anderson, Tim Bowers, Keith Beck and Ste-
ve Beck with Mr, Dan Beck as their adult leader.
Plains FFA had two teams
in the senior division which
placed eighth and a tie for
eleventh. Other teams from eleventh. Other teams from
the Denver City FFA placed Ho Denver City FFA pla ced
down the line a did the only
senior 4-H Club team from senior $4-\mathrm{H}$ Club team from
Yoakum County.
High individuals in the con-
test were. Senior Divisiontest were : Senior Division-
lst, Mickey Gilmore, Le a
County 4-H, 396 points; 2nd, County $4-\mathrm{H}, 396$ points; 2nd,
Eddie Johnson, Whithar re 1 FFA, 390 points; 3rd, Tie be
tween Ruby

## "Progress Through Unity

## Through Unity" will be the theme of the first annual me- mbership meeting of the Tex-

 mbership meeting of the Tex Corporations, January 23-24,
concerning the rural sections of the state, and the rural water corporations will play an
important role in future deveimportant role in future deverry Johnson, Nacogdoches, Pr-
esident. He continued, "The first membership meeting will establish guidelines for th
corporations' State Associat corporations' State Assoc
on's future activities. "

## The first general session will <br> \section*{start at $1: 00$ p. m. on January 23 with the "Key No

} 23 with the "Key Note" addrHouse of Representatives, GusMutscher. Other highlights of the afternoon include talks by
Farmers Home Administration


UNDER NEW MA NAGEMENT: Bobby Payne has leased the Lo-
gbranch from the Bob Blundells. Hours will be the same. Johnnie Wauson will
invited to drop


Members of the Lucky Clover 4-H Club judging team are: Ke
neth Alman, Dale Cleveland, Tommy Box and Joe St. Rom


| Redwine, Brad Palmer, Kreig Blount and Brad Grump. |
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| 4-H Club of Lea County a nd |
| Virgil Bartlett, Lamesa FFA |
| Vigh point team in swine |
| Vidging was Lamesa FFA with |
| 387 points; 4th, Royce Nance, | the high point team in swine

judging was Lamesa FFA with
408 points. The high 408 points. The high point
team in the sheep div ision team in the sheep division was the junior team from
wson County $4-\mathrm{H}$ Club

The sixty-six seniors a twenty-five juniors placed three classes of beef steers, one
class of gilts and two classes class of gilts and two classes
of market barrows, and three classes of fat lambs. The antest were some of those $t$ will be on exhibit in February when the Yoakum County Ju-
nior Fat Stock Show and Sale nior Fat Stock Show and Sa
About thirty adults and 1 ers assisted with the work the contest and the hardest job rrell Lindsey and his group
rrell Lindsey and his group of
assistants who kept the recor-
ds in the bookkeeping depart-
ment. The contest was desient and thirty three of the contestants were from Plains FFA Denver City FFA and Yoakum

Texas Highway Department AUSTIN -- The Litter Crit-
ter, the Texas Highway Dep$\frac{\text { ter }}{\text { artment's stompin' mad pro- }}$ moter of the clean scene alo ng Texas highways, now is appearing on large colorful sters.
The
The Litter Critter has been prominent on the face of Officia1 State Highway Maps iss-
ued by the Department for seued by the Department for several years, He also has ma-
de "gueat" appearances in pu de "gueat" appearances in pu-
blic service features in newspapers and magazines throughout the State, in addition to appearing on other Departme nt publications. His message is simple: Help
stomp out litter! The Litter Critter is riled up at the an ual $\$ 2$ mill
ng up after careless motorists
who strew trash and litter al-

WEATHER
sday moming, the weather
ugh a bit cool, it has been
pleasant. Small traces of the
December snows were still lurking about at the time of our
last report, mains in the Plains area th is
long.

Low Average-


## Political Column

SUBJECT TO DEMOCRATIC PRINARY
STATE REPRESENTATIVE E.L. Short

COUNTY TREASURER Wilda Overstreet

COUNTY CLERK Ruby Heald

DISTRICT CLERK Mrs. Blanche Dyer

COUNTY JUDGE Gene H. Bennett

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct

JUSTICE OF PEACE S. Bandy

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR




JANUARY CLEARANCE
JAN., 15, 16, 17
DOORS OPEN 8:30 THURS.
CLOSED ALL DAY
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MOORE \& ODEN INC.
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Spring semester well Spring semester. Well equi-
pped and staffed facilities make the nhysical fitness pr
ograms very desirable for pe




stuetuls ill tue nitu grane wno mace the nonor roll are: All A's - Brad Palmer and Brad Crump ; A's and B's - Teresa Sealy, Carol Carothers, Tony Anderson, Teresa Howell, Matt Williams, Debbie Brian, Connie Garza, Lupe Garz



Students in the eighth grade who made the honor roll are: All A's - Cynthia Jones and Bob Blundell; $A$ 's and $B^{\prime}$ - Randy $H_{\text {aines, }}$ Bill Vest, Evaristo Foreses, Rudy Remos, Jeff Gentry, Cheryl
Johnson,Rhonda Brantley, Stephenia Green, Robert Barbosa and Shelley Williams.


Students making 6 A's in high school are: Rojanna Harvey, Earl Kreig, Jan McCravey, Glen-信


Students making 5 A 's in high school are: Cynthia Carothers, Gail Carothers, La Verm Edwar s, Phyllis Kreig, James Stewart, Jimmy Taylor, T ony Chandler, Beth Ann Hale, Sharon Upton, tured is Tohnny Layton,


From Left to right are Melinda Millsap - B Clarinet, Carolyn Whitley - Flute, Cindy Carothers - Flute, and Jerry Brian - Comet. They will be trying out for chair positions in the Region-
al Band.

## Good Luck At Regional.

The band will be conducted atives in the regional meet. by Mr. Francis McBeth, a ve- According to Mr. Neil Taykansas. One of the pieces th- is the first time that the Plaiat the students will be trying ns High School has been in out on "Masque", was comp- competition for chair positioosed by Mr. McBeth. The Re. ns for the Regional Band. Trygional Concert will be held outs will be early Saturday January 3lst. These studen ts moming, January 17th, at Lihave worked hard preparing ttlefield, Texas. If the studfor the try-outs and the Plains ents successfully pass the se Id to have Band is very pro-

SCHOOL
MENU

## Monday, 19 th

Chicken \& Noodle
Buttered Yams
Buttered Asparagus
Pear \& Cottage Che Hot Rolls \& Butter Honey \& Peanutbutter Milk

## $\frac{\text { Tues day, } 20 \text { th }}{\text { Barbecue on Bun }}$

Barbecue on Bun
Oven Fried Potatoes (Catsup)
Combination Salad Fruit Cup Rolled Wheat Cake Milk.
$\frac{\text { Wednesd ay, } 2 \text { lst }}{\text { Salmon Croquettes }}$ Green Beans With Sa uce Buttered Yellow Squash Indian Cole Slaw Hot Rolls \& Butter Cherry Jello with Topping Milk

## $\frac{\text { Thursday, 22nd }}{\text { Beef \& Vegetable Stew }}$

 Beef \& Vegetable Stew Blackeyed Peas with Bacon Garden SaladHot Corm Bread \& Butter
Crackers
Aprico
Milk

Fride
Friday, 23 rd Chicken Fried Steak \& Gravy Buttered Green Peas Utered Mashed Potatoes Tossed Salad With Dressing Hot Rolls \& Butter Peach Half try-outs, they will be allowed to perform in the Regional Baom all of the class $B, A, A$ and
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ITEM: Water from a leaky.
pipe can cause untold damage pipe can cause untold damage
in a matter of minutes. That's
why every adult in the why every adult in the family
including teenagers, $s$ hould
know where to turn off the School Spelling Bee to be Thursday The first round of the National Spelling Bee will be held 1:00 p.m. Three members from each grade of the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth wi11 compete for the right to advance to the county meet. The first and second place winners will compete against Denver City first and second place winners on February 20 , at $\mathrm{L} ; 45 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. The winner of Ris meet will advance to The Plains Spelling Bee will be held in the school auditorium. All parents are invited to attend.
The following students wil compete in the spelling bee: Fifth Grade - Brad Palmer, Ty Wilmeth and Tony Anders on Sixth Grade - Donna Cheatham, David Madden and Lance Gass; Seventh Grade - Kathy D'Ann Guetersloh; and Eight Grade - Rene Houck, Jeff Ge ntry and Shelley williams.

> PIAINS INDEPENDENT SCHOOLDISTRICT
> STATEMENT OF CASH REGEIPTS \&
> FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST
State \& Co Local Trans- Food Service Building $\quad$ Interest \& $\quad$ Special $\quad$ Total

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## YOAKUM SWCD NEWS


 Co-chairmen of the 1970 co- measure $17 \times 22$ inches a nd
nference are Dr. W.L. Anders- show the Critter, bitter about on, Dallas practitioner, and Dr. show the Critter, bitter about ilter as usual, stomping out
one more pile of raodside tration, head of the A\&M Department of Veterinary MicrobiolAll activities will be in the Marriott Motor Ho tel and at
Texas State Fairgrounds. Texas state Fairgrounds.
A sampling of the titles of talks scheduled in Dallas: "The eatment of Respiratory Diseaseatment of Respiratory Diseas-
es", "Our Five Costliest Cattle Parasites", "Sheep Feedlot Pr-
oblems", "Breeding Proble m s of the Mare", "What's New Wi-
th Fowl Cholera", "Current Swine Disease Problems". Some of the speakers are Dr. A. B. Ho
erlein of Ft. Collins, Colorado, erlein of Ft . Collins, Colorado, on $e$ of the nation's forem ost
authorities on diseases authorities on diseases that ca-
use abortion in cattle use abortion in cattle, Dr. B.
Cooley of Houston, a veterina rian that does only equine (horse) practice, Dr. H. B. Rinker
of Perryton, Texas, a feed lot veterinarian, Dr. D. F. Gustaf-
son of Purdue Univ., one of the son of Purdue Univ., one of the
nation's foremost authorities on nation's foremost authori ties on
swine diseases, of Federalburg, Maryland, po
ond ultry disease specialist, and. $D$ Wallace Larson of San Antonion a practicing veterinarian w ${ }^{2}$.
has done extensive work to $d$ velop successful programm ed velop successful programm ed
herd health management syste ms for dairymen. Registration upon arrival at the 00 . Wives or husbands who accompany registrants will be registered free and may attend all sessions. Registration fees will be used to pay for travel expenses of the various speakers and equipment and facility ren tal used in connection with the me-
eting.

## GRAIN

 SORGHUMThe Grain Sorghum Produce
rs Association asked Presiden rs Association asked Preside n
Nixon and the Budget Bureau Nixon and the Budget Bureau this week to reconsider the ir payments to farmers, who comply with the 1970 Feed Grain Program. It has been the practice in the past for farmers $t$ receive one-half of their dive rsion payment at the time thIn signed up in the program. Harp said, "The discontinuance of these payments and the tight money situation will pre vent many of our banks from
vinancing farmers for this crop year. This will force manyo our farmers out of business, " Harp asked the President and the Budget Bure uu, "to reconsider this issue, that is so im-
portant to many of our grain farmers, and afterwards tocontinue the advance payments
for the 1970 Feed Grain Prog. $-\begin{aligned} & \text { for the } \\ & \text { ram." }\end{aligned}$


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PROGRESS From Page 1
gram will be featured for the ives attending.
The Texas Association of formed in January 1969 for the formed in January 1969 for the
purpose of assisting the rural wateose of assisting the rural
the ma tier of county finance IN THE HANDS OF ilda overs treet

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Filed this 12th day of January A. D. 1970
Ruby Heald
County Clerk
County Clerk



## COUNTY TREASURER'S REPGRT

## COMMISSIONERS' COURI. YOAKUM COUNT, TEXA

 in Regular SessionJanuary Term, 1970

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, as County Commissioners within and for said Yoakum County, and the Hon, Gene H. Bennett, Col Judge of said Yoakum County, constituting the entire Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, do hereby ce
ify that on this, the 12th day of January A.D. 1970, at a regular term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the eport of Wilda Overstreet Treasurer of said County, for the period beginning on the lst day of October A.D. 1969 and ending on he 31st day of December A.D. 1969, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of said County, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by our said Court, which said order recites uring the time covered by his pesent and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hands on the said 31 s day of December A.D. 1969, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasure
accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637, Chapter 1, Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925. accordance with said order as required by Articles 1636-1637, Chapter 1. Title 34 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925.
And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and And we, and each of us, further certify that we have actually and fully inspected and counted all the actual cash and assets in
hands of said Treasurer belonging to Yoakum County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's Report, on this 12 th day Aands of said Treasurer belonging to Yoakum County at the close of
of January A. D. 1970, and find the same to be as follows, to-wit:

## Statement of balances

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DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of JURY FUND
DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of ROAD \& BRIDGE FUND DECEMBER 3lst. 1969 Balance to credit of R\&B PRECINCT No. 1 DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of R\&B PRECINCT N DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of R\&B PRECINCT No. DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of FARM-MARKET LATERAL DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of GENERAL FUND DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of OFFICERS SA LA DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of HOSPITAL FUND DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of PERMA NENT IMPROVEMENT DECEMBER 3lst, 19ب9 Balance to credit of R\&B SINKING
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DECEMBER 3lst, 1969 Balance to credit of MIGRANT HEALTH

$\$ 469,118.86$
addition to the actual cash balances, we find the following assets belonging to the said county and to the credit of the followng funds which is also in the possession and custody of the treas:rer to-wit:

| PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT SINKING FUND |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hospital Improvement Bonds | 1962 | $31 / 4 \%$ | 280, 000.00 |
| Park Bonds | 1964 | 3.23\% | 215,000.00 |
| Total |  |  | \$495, 000. 00 |
| ROAD \& BRIDGE SINKING |  |  |  |
| R\&B Refunding Bonds | 1962 | 3.3\% | 15,000.00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#4 | 1963 | $3 \%$ | 6,000.00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#2 | 1966 | 4 \% | 20,000,00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#4 | 1966 | 4 \% | 8,674,80 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#1 | 1966 | $4 \%$ | 4,125.00 |
| Improvement Warrants Prct. \#1 | 1968 | $41 / 2 \%$. | 20,000.00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#2 | 1969 | 4. $75 \%$ | 21,500.00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#1 | 1969 | 4.75\% | 10,000.00 |
| Machinery Warrants Prct. \#1 | 1969 | 5 \% | 17,500.00 |
| Improvement Warrant Prct, \#1 | 1969 | 5 \% | 60,000.00 |
| Improvement Warrant Prct. \#2 | 1969 | 5 \% | 25,000.00 |
| Improvement Warrant Prct. \#4 | 1969 | $41 / 2 \%$ | 30,000.00 |
| TOTAL |  |  | \$237,799.80 |
| TOTAL ALL INDEBTEDNESS |  |  | \$732, 799 |

> WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 12 th day of January A.D. 1970 s/ Gene H. Bennett, County Judge


SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, by Gene H. Bennett County Judge, and Vance Brown and H. C. Cotton and Ray mond Bookout and Johnnie L. Fitzgerald County Commisioners of said Yoakum County, each respectively, on this, 12th day Ruby Heald, County Cler

