



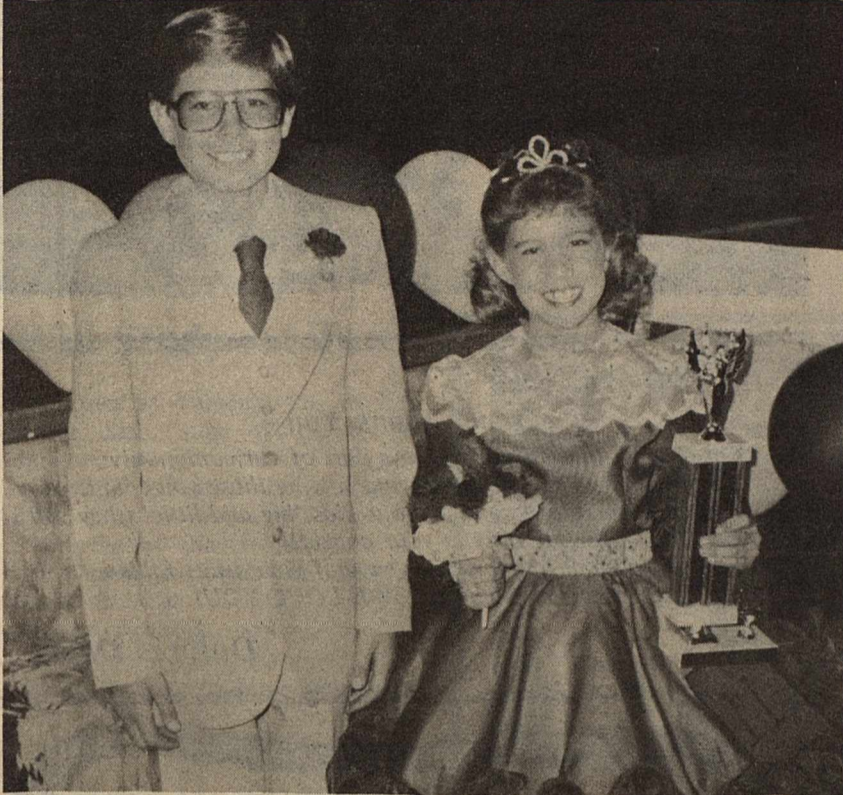
The Plains Pride



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JUNE 2, 1985



HEATHER SPRING McDONNELL, escorted by her brother, Brandon, was crowned Little Miss Yoakum County in the May 25th Yoakum County Pageant held in Denver City. Seven years old, she is the daughter of Jackie and Gale McDonnell.

Heather McDonnell Named Little Miss Yoakum County

J.W. Jones Auditorium was the site for the Yoakum County Beauty Pageant held Saturday, May 25, in Denver City.

Sponsoring the event was Kappa Sigma Chapter 5030. Master of Ceremonies was Terry Maynard. Theme for the pageant was "Up, Up and Away".

Entertainment was provided by Melissa Welch; Kelly Dewlin of Denver City; and J.J. and K. Sidewinders, a tumbling team from Denver City.

Pageant judges were Sue Billings of Seagraves; Paul Zielinski of Hobbs, N.M.; and Leota Ruth Gregory, also of Hobbs.

Winners in each category were Miss Tiny Tot Yoakum County -Davela Maynard of Denver City; Mr. Tiny Tot Yoakum County -Daniel Fritts of Denver City; crowned by the present Young Miss, Cori Spencer of this city.

Named Little Miss Yoakum

VBS To Be Held At Spanish Mission

Vacation Bible School will be held at Spanish Baptist Mission from June 3 through June 7.

Studies will begin at 6:30 p.m. and conclude at 9 p.m. each day.

The congregation of Spanish Baptist Mission would like to extend an invitation to the public to attend. Transportation is available if needed.

County was Heather McDonnell, with first runner-up Jennifer Earnest. They were crowned by 1984's Little Miss, Darce Pierce.

Winning the title of Junior Miss was Angie Henson of Denver City. First runner-up was Lydia Jimenez and second runner-up was Sherry Raines. Honors were given by Melissa Welch, reigning Junior Miss.

Given the crown of Miss Yoakum County was Denver City's Diana Lynn Gonzales. First runner-up was

Julie Culwell and second runner-up went to Virginia Murph of Denver City. They were crowned by the outgoing Miss Yoakum County, Lisa Molina.

Swimming Pool To Open Monday

The Yoakum County Swimming Pool will be open for the summer starting Monday, June 3.

Pool hours will be from 1 to 5:30 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, and 2 to 5 p.m. on Sunday. The pool will be closed on Mondays, except for the opening date.

A family film night will be held at 8 p.m. on Fridays, beginning in mid-June. Also, Ladies Morning is scheduled from 10 to 11:30 a.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

For more information contact Ginger Nance, manager, at 456-3955.

Twenty Graduating Seniors Will Receive Diplomas Sunday

Plains High School Commencement exercises will be held at 2 p.m., June 2, in Plains High School auditorium.

The processional will be performed by the Plains High School Band, with Frank Jimenez giving the invocation. The Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered by Rev. Leslie Carey. June White and Kristi Cobb will be addressing their Valedictory and Salutatory addresses.

Mr. Arlon Alexander, counselor, will recognize special scholarship and grant recipients. Presentation of the class will be made by Mr. Robert Parks, high school principal, with Superintendent Dean Andrews presenting diplomas.

Benediction will be given by Robin Carey. The PHS Band will play the school song and the recessional.

Ushers for the 1985 graduation will be Julie Culwell, Toni Lowrey, Edward Salas Jr. and Ronny Wall.

The twenty graduating students who will receive diplomas Sunday afternoon are Tomas Aguilar, Norma Barbosa, Randy Barnes, Betty Barrientes, Teresa Barrientez, June White, Kristi Cobb, Jim Baum, Tammy Brown, Robin Carey, Rosa Dominguez, Melissa Guetersloh, Frank Jimenez, Tracy Lowrey, Luis Loya, Carlos Luna, Steve Rivas, Rudy Romero, Donnell Welch and Choya Young.

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Visitors and inquiries are welcome. You may call Nora at 456-5221, for more information on the child care services.



NORA LUNA

Annual School Service Awards Held In Yoakum County Park

The Plains Independent School District held its annual Service Awards Picnic at the Yoakum County Park on Thursday, May 23, 1985.

Plains I.S.D. employees enjoyed a meal of hamburgers, potato salad, beans and cherry cobbler. The meal was prepared by the cafeteria ladies: Willie Mae Jones, Marie Tidwell, Manuela Martinez, Janie Pando, Helen Perkins, Shirley Sudderth, Melba Turner and Claudene Williams; and Plains I.S.D. administrators: Dean Andrews, Robert Parks, Jimmy Connor, John Nance, James Smith, Wanda Ashburn and Arlon Alexander.

Following the meal, Superintendent Dean Andrews presided over the awards ceremony.

Five Years Service Awards went to Steve Alldredge, Dean Andrews, Richie Cullins, Delight English, Sandra Foster, Clara Garza, Christina Guerra, Loma Jones, Regina Meeks, Helen Perkins, Jack Spears and Melba Turner.

Awarded for Ten Years Service were Arlon Alexander, Sue Alexander, Judith Harlin, Manuela Martinez, Evertt McAdams, Joyce Pierce, James Smith and Claudene Williams.

Recognized for her Fifteen Years of Service was Marie Tidwell and for his Twenty Years Service was Willie Mae Engle.

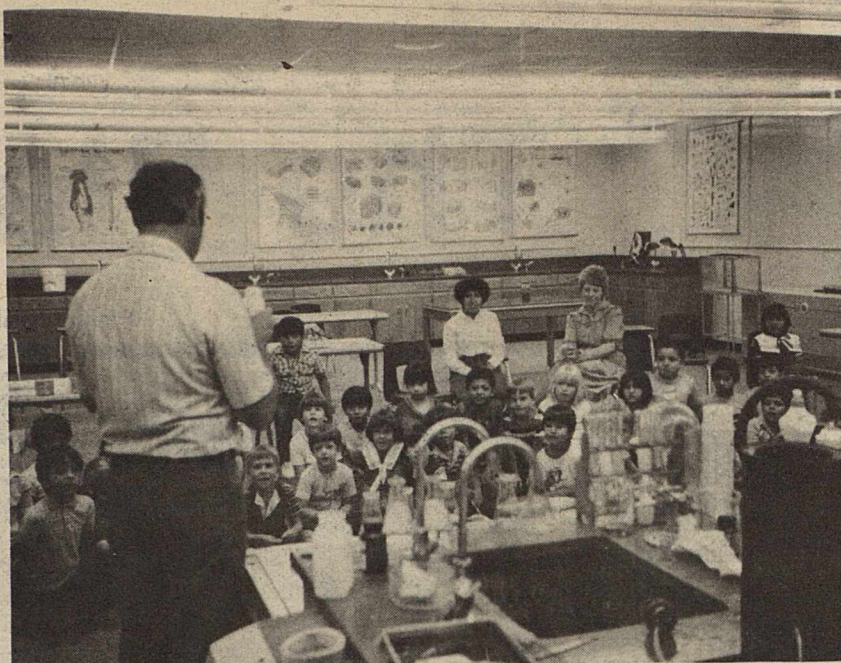
Mr. Hank Goehry was also given recognition for his years of dedicated service to Plains Schools and to the students of our community. Mr. Goehry retired after 27 years of having been employed with the Plains School System. He was honored with a retirement coffee which was held in the business office.

Administrators, Board Members, and family were present as Dean Andrews presented Mr. Goehry with a school house clock, and also a Resolution of Commendation signed by all school board members, commending him for his many years of service to Plains Schools.

Exhibition Given Elementary Grades

A science exhibition was given for the Elementary grades by Mr. Macky McWhirter, high school science teacher, on Friday, May 24.

The show included such scientific phenomenon as a dust explosion using flour; the color change in liquids using acid-base indicators; and the use of a vacuum pump to show the effect of atmospheric pressure on a balloon. In conclusion, fly legs, frog eyes and butterfly wings were viewed by the children, under a microscope.

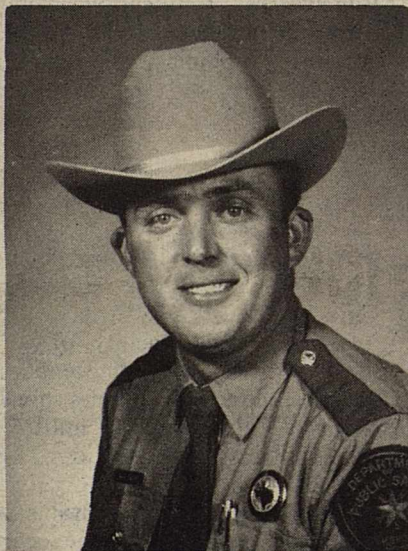


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MIKE McCLURE

Texas Department of Public Safety Officer Mike McClure, stationed in Plains, was among 30 highway patrolmen and 20 license and weight officers who attended DPS school in Austin April 21-26. McClure is a 14-year veteran of the force.

Also attending was Mike Bennett, who was formerly stationed in Plains.

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ROBERTA JUNE WHITE

Valedictorian Will Study At Tech

Chosen as Valedictorian of her senior class, June White, is the daughter of Robert and Myrna White. Born Feb. 2, 1967 in Lubbock, June has attended schools in Plains the last thirteen years.

Eighteen years old, her interests are listed as art, collecting jewelry, vintage clothing, writing poetry, singing and jogging. She enjoys giving and receiving flowers, intelligent conversations, goofing around with friends, long walks and Mid-Eastern food.

A member of the National Honor Society as a sophomore and senior, she was a two year member of the annual staff. Having been on the A-B honor roll all four years, she participated in UIL Prose Interpretation her freshman, junior and senior years; and was a participant in Editorial Writing when a junior and senior. She entered Feature Writing her last two years, placing third in District her second year. In Newswriting as a junior and senior, she won second in District the first year.

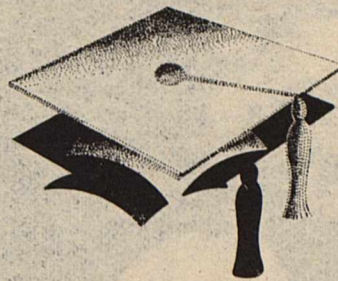
While a junior and senior, June participated in the One Act Play, and as a junior was a participant in Ready Writing. A three year member of the Cowboy Band, she was also on Student Council for three years. She was a two year F.H.A. member and played tennis as a freshman and sophomore.

Selected cheerleader as a junior, she participated in track as a sophomore and placed second with the 800m relay team. June was a freshman and sophomore member of the volleyball and basketball teams.

Miss White has been the recipient of numerous awards. Among those, are the Art I Award; English I Award; Physical Science Award; Honorable Mention History I; Biology Award and English III Award.



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Kitchen Korner

Meal preparation has played a large part in the life of this week's cook, Mrs. Glenn "Ottie" Morehouse.

The Brownfield native worked for many years as a cook for the Brownfield Hospital and also worked at the Plains school cafeteria. She is currently retired.

Ottie and her husband, Glenn, have been married for twenty years. The family also includes three children, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A member of Tsa Mo Ga, Plains Dirt Gardeners and the "42" Club, Ottie enjoys crocheting and accompanying Glenn on fishing trips.

Cook peas; drain. Mix with rice. Add curry. Refrigerate until ready to serve. Add mayonnaise and mix. Put scoops on lettuce leaf.

MEXICAN CORNBREAD CASSEROLE

1/2 lb ground beef
Add chopped onion; brown and drain. In mixing bowl use pkg of mexican cornbread mix - follow directions on pkg. Add 1 big can of cream style corn, add peppers or picante sauce if you want hotter. In baking dish, add layer cornbread mixture, meat then add rest of cornbread mixture and grated cheese. Bake at 350° about 30 mins.

YELLOW SQUASH CASSEROLE

6 c sliced squash
1/4 c chopped onion
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 c sour cream
1 c shredded carrots
1 8 oz pkg herb seasoning stuffing

CURRY RICE SALAD
2 10 oz pkg frozen green peas
1 1/2 c cooked rice
1 T curry
mayonnaise

mix
1/2 c oleo, melted
Cook squash 5 mins. Drain and add sour cream and soup together and onions. Fold in carrots and squash. Mix oleo and stuffing mix. Spread half in 12x7 pan. Spoon mixture over top and rest of stuffing mix. Bake 350° for 25-30 mins. Serve with roast beef or pot roast.
My Grandma Price's Chess Pie
4 eggs
1 1/2 c sugar
1 T flour
1 T corn meal, if desired
1/3 c butter
1/2 c milk
1 t vanilla or lemon flavoring
Pinch of salt
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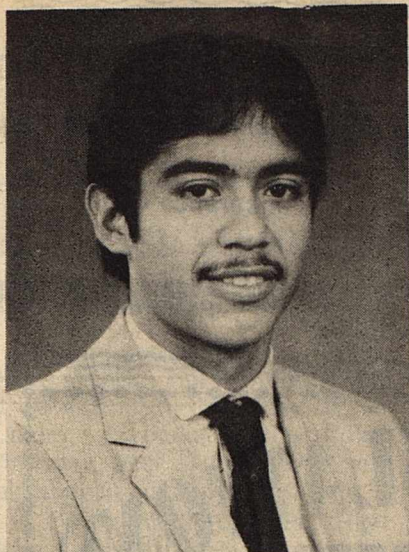
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TOMAS AGUILAR

Aguilar Chooses South Plains

Eighteen years old and born in Cd. Acuna Coahuilar Mexico, Oct. 1, 1966, Tomas Aguilar, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymundo Aguilar. A student in Plains Schools four years he attended schools in Kansas also.

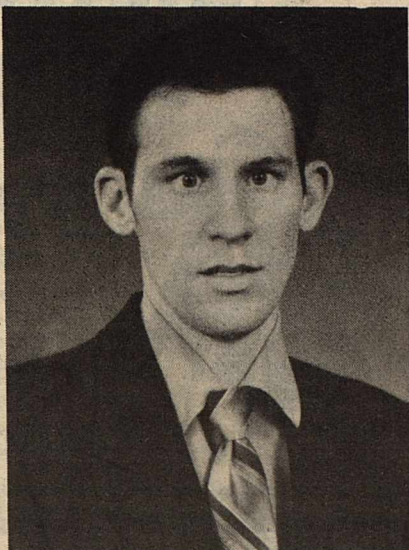
Receiving the track award as a senior he was a four year member of the Cowboy track team, and earned the State Participation Award both his junior and senior years. Among other honors received by Aguilar in track were 1st District 1600m as a junior; a senior winner of 1st District 800m; school record holder in the 1600m run his junior and senior years; and the school record holder his junior year in the 800m run. He served as track captain his senior year and won first in Regional in the 1600m run and went to State, winning second in the same event his senior year.

Listing running and dancing as his favorite interests, Aguilar will enroll at South Plains College in Levelland.

Randy Barnes Is Undecided

Randy Barnes, twenty-two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barnes, is undecided about his plans for the future. Born in Brownfield, he has attended schools here for seven years. He was a student in the Brownfield and Denver City School Districts before attending here.

Participating in track as a sophomore, junior and senior, Randy enjoys photography and drawing.



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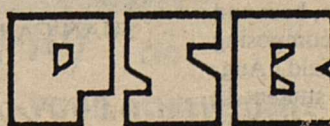
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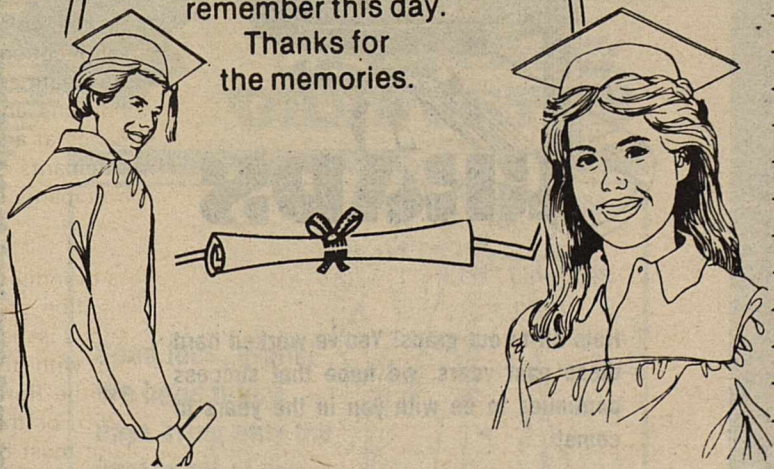


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TERESA ORTIZ BARRIENTES
Teresa Barrientez
Will Begin Working

A housewife, Teresa Ortiz Barrientez is the nineteen year old wife of Joe Barrientez. Born November 13, 1965, in Littlefield, Teresa has attended schools in Plains eight years. Having also attended Washington School in Clinton, Okla., Mrs. Barrientez likes to read and listen to music.

A member of the flag corp as a sophomore, Teresa was in Industrial Arts her third year, winning first in Regional and second in State competition. Playing volleyball her first two years, she was a member of the basketball team and track team as a freshman.

A member of the Cowboy Band as a freshman and sophomore, Teresa was a senior member of the annual staff.

Teresa plans to work and would like to become a teacher or secretary one day.



NORMA LINDA BARBOSA
Norma Barbosa
To Enroll At SPC

Norma Linda Barbosa, seventeen year old daughter of Mr. Remigio Barbosa has plans to major in accounting at South Plains College in Levelland. Her interests include music, "playing the guitar, bass and keyboards - writing and composing music". Born in Brownfield, Aug. 4, 1967, she has been a student in Plains Schools for the past thirteen years.

Chosen as secretary of her senior class, she was a member of the basketball team her freshman and senior years. A track participant this year, she was a four year student in Industrial Arts.

Rosa Dominguez Is Undecided About Future Plans

Born in Lamesa, July 13, 1966, Rosa Dominguez is the daughter of Magdaleno and Connie Dominguez. She has not yet decided what her plans will be following graduation.

Attending schools in Union and Brownfield, she has been a student in Plains Schools for four years. She received the Outstanding P.E. Award as a junior.

Eighteen years old, Rosa likes watching television and riding bikes.

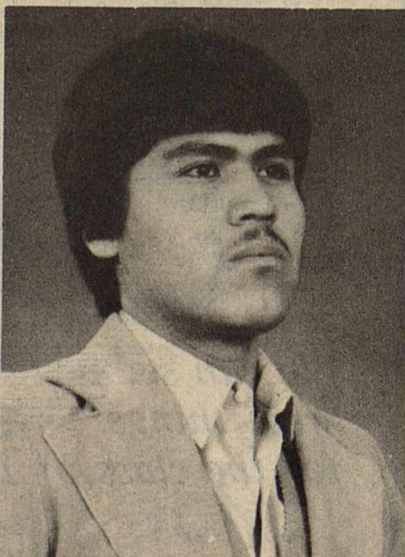


ROSA DOMINGUEZ

Carlos Luna Will Study Criminology

Juan Carlos Luna, eighteen year old son of Fabian and Celia Luna was born in Dr Arroyo, Mexico, August 28, 1966. He has attended schools in Lamesa and Wellman, prior to the four years he has been in Plains.

An Industrial Art student his freshman, junior and sophomore years, he plans to attend South Plains College in Levelland and major in Criminology. His interests are listed as photography and participating in sports.



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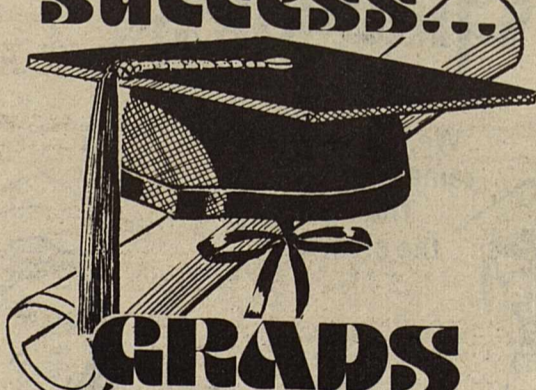
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Obituaries

Jim Ross Stotts Rites Held Saturday

Services were held for former Plains resident, Jim Ross Stotts, 44, at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 25, in Lander, Wyoming. Stotts died Thursday, May 23, of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

A 1958 graduate of Plains High School, Stotts had lived in Plains ten years. He was the son of the late Harvey and Pauline Stotts, longtime Plains residents. He attended college in Gunnison, Colo. and Fort Lewis, Wash. and received a degree in business administration from West Texas State University in Canyon.

A retired CPA, he was a consultant to the comptroller of a Casper, Wyo. hospital at the time of his death. He was also active in a number of civic organizations.

Survivors include his wife, Joy; three sons, Mike, Mark and Jason of Lander; a sister, Polly Clarke, of Tahlequa, Ok.; and three brothers, Dan and Harvey Ray of Houston and Charles of Teinke Springs, Alas.

Residents' Father Dies In Lubbock

Services were conducted Friday afternoon in First Baptist Church in Idalou for Delbert Underwood, 58, father of Kay McClure and Debra Crump.

Officiating were the Rev. Larry Heard, pastor, and Rev. Glenn

Harlin, pastor of Plains First Baptist Church. Burial was in Idalou Cemetery under the direction of Carter-Adams Funeral Home in Ralls.

Mr. Underwood died Tuesday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Born in Munday, he married Bonnie Kaddell May 28, 1954 in Lovington, N.M. He was a veteran of World War II and the Korean War. A construction worker, he moved to Idalou from Paducah in 1941. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Other survivors include his wife; two sons, Dale of Denver City and Wesley of Idalou; one other daughter, Rycke Higgins of Hereford; his mother, Maggie Underwood of Idalou; two brothers, Glenn of Plainview and Bruce of Cave City, Ark.; four sisters, Mrs. W.S. Brunson of Odessa, Mrs. Ben Foster of Plainview, Mrs. Larry Miller of Gas City, Ind. and Mrs. John Wilkes of Indiana; and six grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Visiting Nurses Association of Lubbock.

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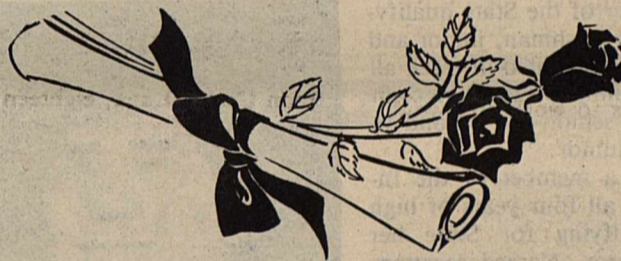
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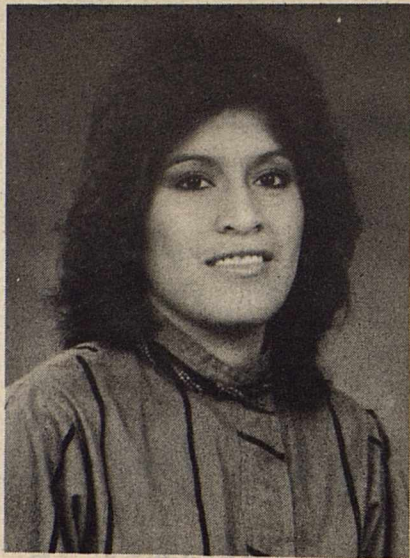
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BETTY BARRIENTES

Betty Barrientes To Be Cosmetologist

Betty Barrientes, nineteen year old daughter of Tony and Celia Barrientes has decided to pursue a career in cosmetology at Angelo State University.

Born in Brownfield, September 5, 1965, she has attended schools in Plains thirteen years. Betty enjoys playing volleyball, basketball, baseball and listening to music. She is interested in learning to cut hair and designing.

Miss Barrientes was a four year member of the volleyball team, earning the Volleyball Player of the Year Award as a sophomore; and was a member of the State qualifying team as a freshman, junior and senior. She participated in track all four years, winning a third place in District as a senior and second in District as a junior.

Betty was a member of the Industrial Arts all four years of high school, qualifying for State her sophomore year. Named secretary of her junior class, she also served as vice president of her senior class. Elected Class Favorite by her junior and senior classmates, she was given the F.O.M. I award as a freshman.

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Steve Rivas To Major In Business

Chosen Class Favorite all four years of high school, Steve Rivas is the eighteen year old son of Fermin and Caroline Rivas.

Born in Brownfield, January 23, 1967, Steve has attended schools in Plains thirteen years. Watching sports on television, reading and participating in sport events are among Steve's interests.

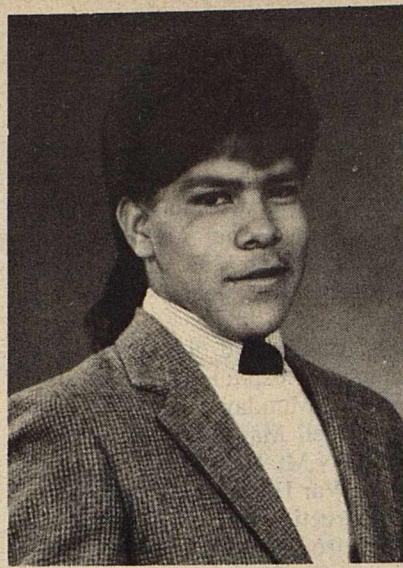
Named Most Handsome his senior year, Steve was also selected to Who's Who Among American High School Students the same year. He earned the World History Outstanding Student Award as a junior and was chosen F.H.A. Beau his senior year. Having perfect attendance records his freshman, sophomore and junior years, Steve was honored as Basketball Beau his senior year.

On the A-B honor rolls as a junior and senior, he was vice president of his freshman and sophomore classes. A member of the football team the first three years of high school, he also played basketball his freshman and senior years. Running track all four years, he made Regional qualifier as a sophomore and junior. A four year member of the Cowboy band, he was in Industrial Arts as a freshman.

Steve plans to attend South Plains College to obtain a degree in Business Administration.



STEVE RIVAS



RUDY ROMERO

Rudy Romero Will Attend South Plains

Seventeen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roman Gonzales, Rudy Romero was born in Denver City, July 29, 1967 and has attended Plains Schools the last thirteen years. Playing music, boxing and woodcrafting are listed among his favorite interests and hobbies.

Receiving the Algebra Award his sophomore year, Rudy had perfect attendance records his first three years in high school.

In sports, Rudy played football his freshman and junior years; and in basketball he played as a freshman and senior. He was also in track the first two years of high school and in Industrial Arts all four years, winning a second place in State as a freshman and qualifying for State his sophomore year.

A bandsman while a sophomore, junior and senior Rudy plans to continue his studies at South Plains College in Levelland.



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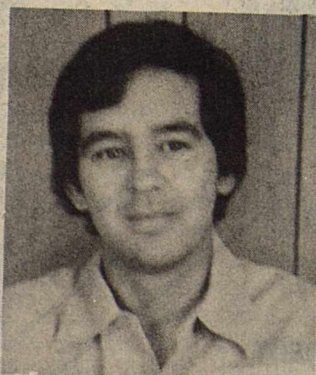


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MANUEL ESTRADA, a journey lineman, has been one of our employees for the past six years. He and his wife, Corina, are parents of two sons. Eric is five and Christopher is two. They are members of St. Thomas Catholic Church. Among Manuel's favorites, he enjoys playing softball and reading.

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Tammy Brown To Go To Work

Tammy Brown, eighteen year old daughter of Ellis and Betty Brown, was born April 6, 1967 in Boonville, Arkansas. She has been a student in Plains for one year, attending other schools in Arkansas.

Tammy was an Industrial Arts student as a senior and plans to return to her state of birth to work.



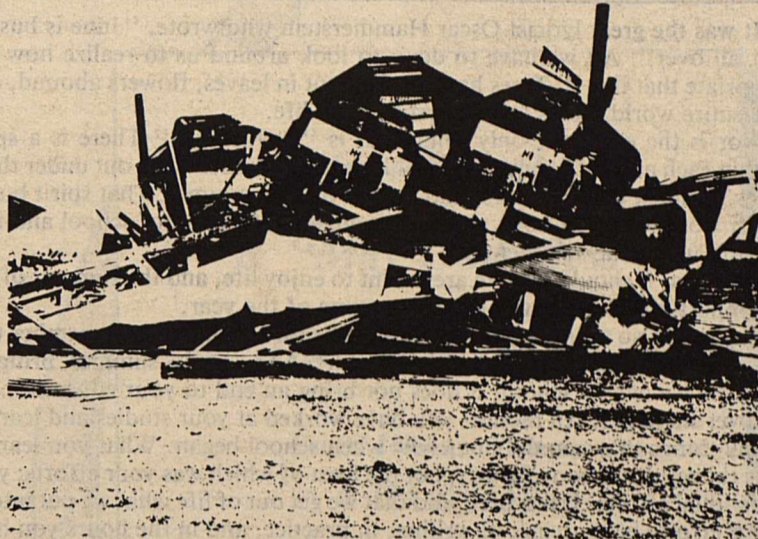
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From The Superintendent's Desk

It was the great lyricist Oscar Hammerstein who wrote, "June is bustin' out all over." All we have to do is to look around us to realize how appropriate that line is. Trees have broken out in leaves, flowers abound, and the entire world seems to be bursting with life.

Nor is the earth the only thing that is "bustin' out." There is a spirit within each and every one of us that longs to be free to walk out under those trees, to smell those flowers, and to be a part of summer. That spirit bursts forth from within us now; and we are anxious to be out of school and into the life under the summer sun.

This is as it should be. We are meant to enjoy life, and the summer offers us opportunities we have at no other time of the year.

Yet, it is also a time when we must pause for a moment to remember that we are completing another school year. And, while summer brings a momentary end to school, it does not bring an end to your education.

Over these past ten months you have worked at your studies and learned many things that you did not know when school began. What you learned was the result of many factors, not the least of which was your efforts; your individual efforts. It has been said that we get out of life what we put into it. Your efforts in studying, in writing, in practice, and in the hours you have put into your classes have been rewarded by the new knowledge you have gained; knowledge that no one can take away from you.

Now this school year draws to an end as summer approaches, but your learning continues, for all of life is a school, and we learn by everything we do. This year in school has continued your education for life, but it is life itself that will complete that education; it is life itself that will temper what you learn in school and prepare you for the living of it.

Therefore, with the start of summer and the end of the school year, I tell you to go out and live life and learn from it as surely as you have learned from us over this past year.

It is my sincere wish for each and every one of you that the coming summer may hold only pleasant experiences for you. May you live life to its fullest; may you enjoy it; and - may you learn.

Have a good summer.

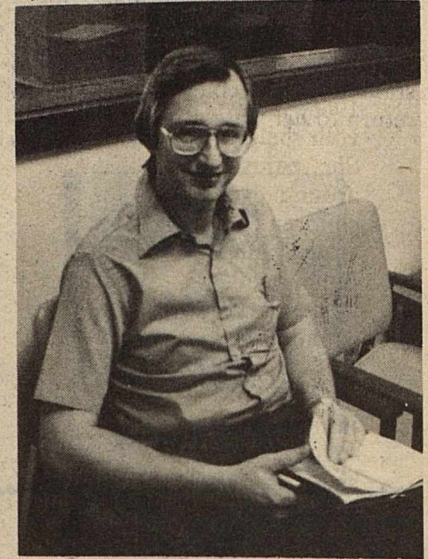


Gail Holley, Junior High secretary, has been at Plains for seven years - six as a bookkeeper in the business office and one in junior high.

Born in Littlefield, she attended Plains schools. Her parents are Joe and LaVerne Ancinec. She has two brothers, Gregg of Brownwood and Brad of this city.

Her children are Corie, 13, Sterling, 10, and step-children, Donice, 15, and Justin, 13.

Mrs. Holley enjoys sewing, yard work, canning, playing the piano, collecting southwestern art and teaching primaries at UMC. She and her husband, Jerry, are currently building a new home and enjoy life in the country.



Ken Wilson, high school English II, Speech and Spanish teacher, has been with Plains ISD for seven years. He received his BS from Abilene Christian University and his masters from Angelo State University.

The Hollis, Ok. native attended Atkins Junior High in Lubbock and Tascosa High School in Amarillo. He has two children - Christopher, 10, and Alissa, seven.

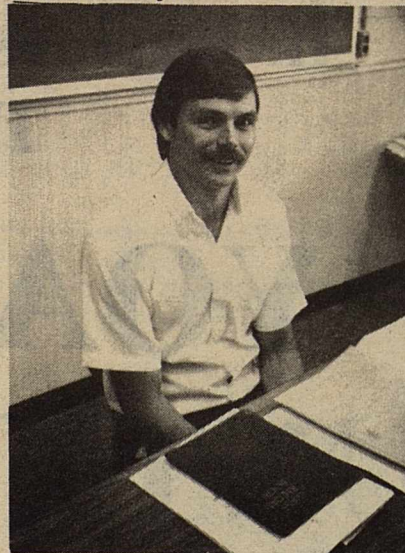
Interests include reading, guitar, banjo, and mandolin. Mr. Wilson also states he has "enjoyed learning about the business world while in Plains as well as the school world."



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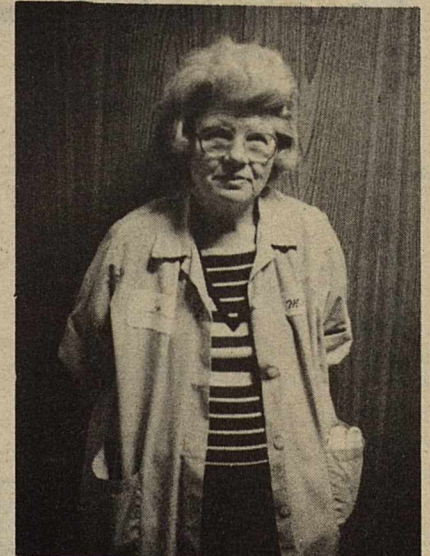
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Charles Cain, junior high school social studies and science teacher, earned his bachelor of science degree from Texas Tech University. He has been with the Plains School District six years. Born in Big Spring, he attended Snyder High School.

He and his wife, Beth, are parents of a two-year-old son, Aaron. His hobbies include hunting, snow skiing, cars and sports.



Marty Bagwell is custodian for PISD. She attended Isabell-Powell Beauty College in Lubbock after attending schools in Paducah and Plains.

Mother of three children, Rhonda Kelton, Roger Bagwell and Russell Bagwell, she has one grandchild, Jason Kelton.

Her hobbies are quilting, sewing, reading, canning, cooking and working in the yard. She is a member of First Baptist Church.

Faculty Announces Tourn. Winners

Finalists in the annual faculty golf and tennis tournaments were first place golf winners Steve Alldredge, Joyce Pierce, Arlon Alexander and Leland Caffey; with Larry DeVitt and Toni Lowrey winning first in the tennis tournament.



Melissa Guetersloh Will Be Housewife

Melissa Guetersloh, eighteen year old daughter of Billy and Marietta Guetersloh has plans to be married after her graduation from high school. She has attended schools in Plains thirteen years.

Born in Littlefield, September 28, 1966, she lists her special interests as volleyball, golf and water skiing. She enjoys helping others, being around people and says she "likes children".

A Student Council member her junior and senior years, she was named to Who's Who her sophomore and junior years. A freshman member of the F.C.A., she was a KPLN disc jockey while a junior and senior.

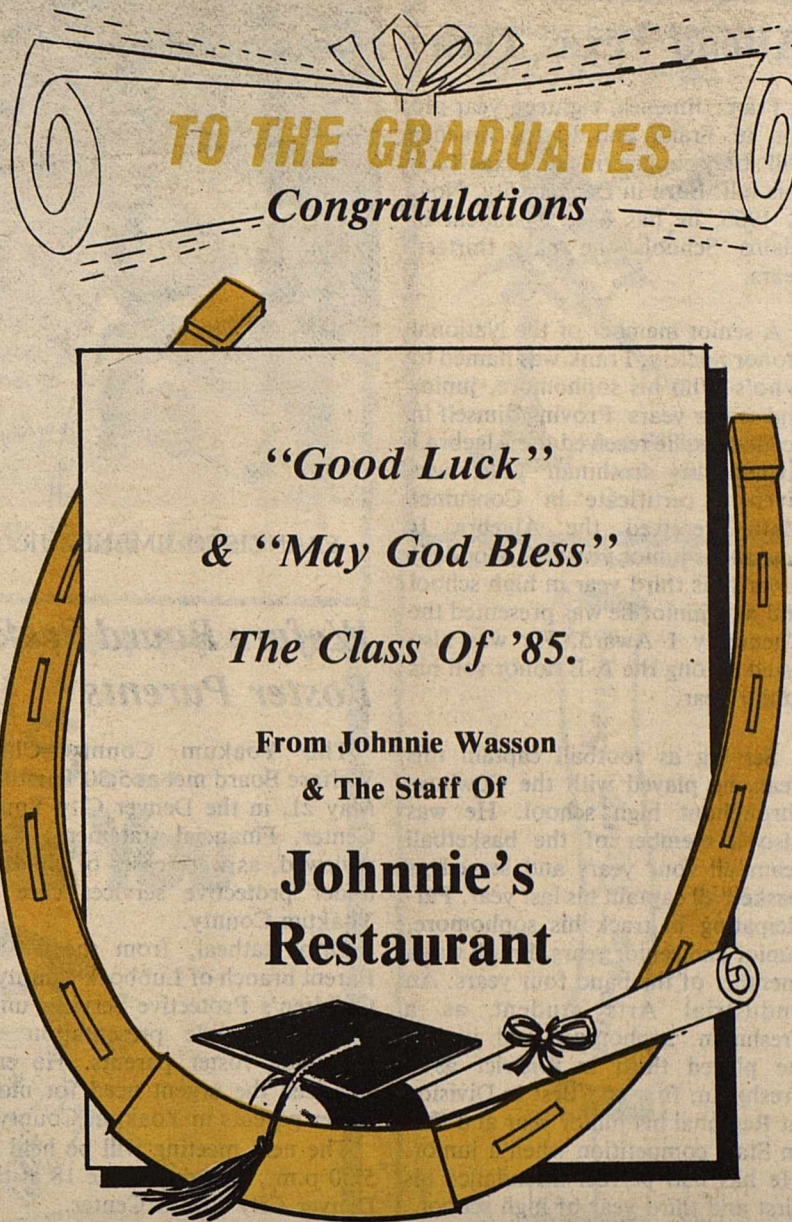
In basketball her first two years, she played golf as a sophomore and junior. As a freshman, Melissa was a member of F.H.A. and UIL Typing. On the National Honor Society as a senior, she received the Health Award as a sophomore. Miss Guetersloh received a perfect attendance record her sophomore year.

An Industrial Arts student as a junior, she was a participant in UIL Persuasive Speaking her sophomore year. Melissa received the Biology Award as a sophomore; the Typing II Outstanding Student Award as a junior and was a member of the volleyball team throughout high school.

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- VALEDICTORY.....June White
- SPECIAL RECOGNITION.....Scholarships or Grants
Mr. Arlon Alexander
Counselor
- PRESENTATION OF CLASS OF '85.....Mr. Robert Parks
High School Principal
- CONFERRING OF DIPLOMAS.....Mr. Dean Andrews
Superintendent
- SCHOOL SONG.....Plains High School Band
- BENEDICTION.....Robin Carey
- RECESSIONAL.....Plains High School Band

(Please remain seated for the processional and the recessional. Please stand for the invocation, school song and the benediction.)

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| Betty Barrientes | Luis M. Loya |
| *Roberta June White | Juan Carlos Luna |
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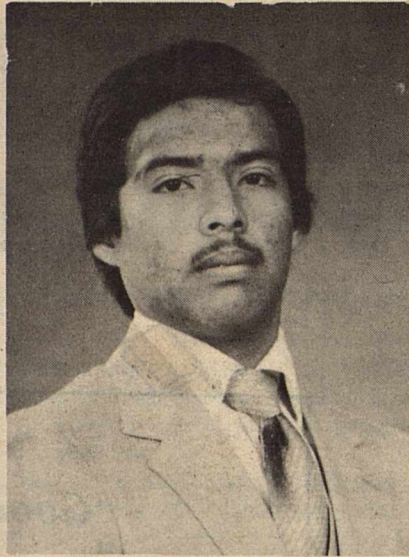
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Frank Jimenez To Attend Texas Tech

Frank Jimenez, eighteen year old son of Frank and Elvira Jimenez will study engineering at Texas Tech this fall. Born in Denver City, Nov. 9, 1966, he has been a student in Plains Schools the past thirteen years.

A senior member of the National Honor Society, Frank was named to Who's Who his sophomore, junior and senior years. Proving himself in academics, he received the Algebra I Award, his freshman year; was given a certificate in Consumer Math; received the Algebra II Award his junior year; the Woods II Award his third year in high school and as a junior he was presented the Chemistry I Award. He was also listed among the A-B honor roll his junior year.

Serving as football captain this year, he played with the Cowboys throughout high school. He was also a member of the basketball team all four years and served as basketball captain his last year. Participating in track his sophomore, junior and senior years, Frank was a member of the band four years. An Industrial Arts student as a freshman, sophomore and junior, he placed third in District as a freshman; first and Best in Division at Regional his junior year and first in State competition when a junior. He has had perfect attendance his first and third year of high school.



FRANCISCO JIMENEZ JR.

Welfare Board Seeks Foster Parents

The Yoakum County Child Welfare Board met at 5:30 Tuesday, May 21, in the Denver City Youth Center. Financial statements were reviewed, as were cases of children under protective services care in Yoakum County.

Otto Ratheal, from the Foster Parent branch of Lubbock County's Children's Protective Services unit, showed a slide presentation on becoming foster parents. He emphasized the urgent need for more foster parents in Yoakum County.

The next meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 18 at the Denver City Youth Center.

James Parker Baum Will Attend SPC

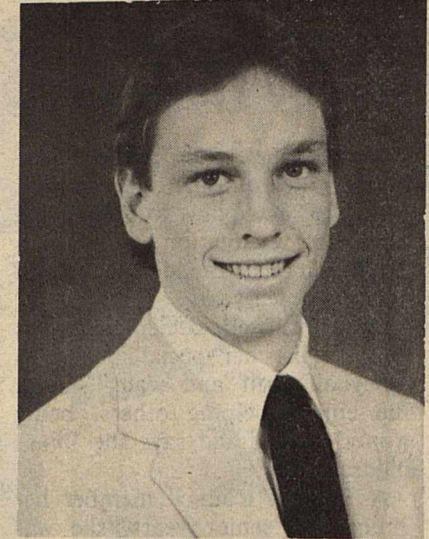
Born in Baytown, Aug. 9, 1967, Jim Baum is the seventeen year old son of Jim and Joan Baldwin. A student at Plains four years, he has attended schools in Haskell, Abilene and Bowie. Interested in fixing up cars, he will enroll at South Plains College in Levelland.

Chosen as president of his freshman and sophomore classes, he was named Mr. PHS as a senior. Named Volleyball Beau and Most Friendly as a senior, he was a four year member of the Cowboy band.

In athletics, Jim was a four year member of the basketball, football and track team, receiving several merits in each field. He was football captain as a senior, named All-District wide receiver as a senior, and also named to the second team All-District defensive secondary his senior year. In basketball he was named to honorable mention; and in track he was Regional qualifier in the 300 intermediate hurdles as a senior and was also Regional qualifier in the high jump this year.

A sophomore member of the Student Council, Jim was a member of the One Act Play as a junior and senior. He was an Industrial Art student four years, receiving State Awards his junior and senior years, including two firsts and a Best in Division Award this year.

Jim received the Woods II Award as a sophomore and earned the General Shop I Award when a junior.



JAMES PARKER BAUM

Dana Hamm Hosts EHA

The Stanford Valley EHA met at 10 a.m., May 18, in the home of hostess, Dana Hamm.

The club decided to have a garage sale in the old Guitar Studio building next door to Laundromat in downtown Plains, Saturday, June 1.

Linda Wall presented a program on "Beads, Bangles and Belts".

Present were Eloise StRomain, Gwen Carter, Linda Wall, Beverly Lowrey, Judy London, Linda Powell and hostess. Two new members, Kay Cannon and Delight English, along with four guests were also present.

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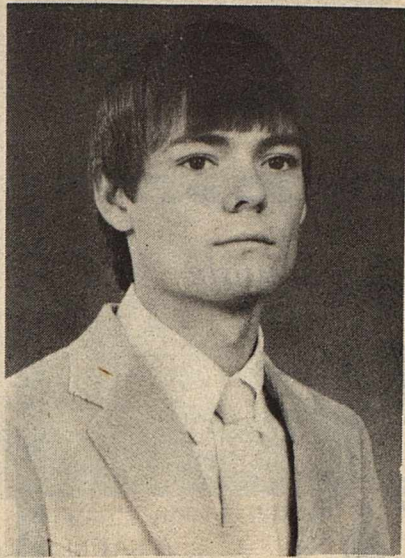
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ROYCE DONNELL WELCH

**Donnell Welch
Picks Angelo State**

Born In Lubbock, April 21, 1967, Donnell Welch is the son of Kent and Peggy Welch. He has been a student of Plains Schools for thirteen years.

A football player for the Cowboys his junior and senior years, he was named Captain this year. Donnell played basketball when a freshman and golf as a junior and senior. A four year member of Future Farmers of America, he was a Greenhand vice president as a freshman; a member of the Livestock Judging Team his last two years and secretary this year also.

Recipient of the Consumer Math Award as a freshman, he was also awarded the Ag III Award when a junior. A junior member of the One Act Play, Donnell received numerous awards in Industrial Arts, which he participated all four years. The awards received were 1st-Best Division in State, Chaps; 1st-Best Division in State Indian Leather Tooling; 1st State Cake Saver; 1st State Pickup; 1st Plastic Pouring as a senior.

Winner of the Future Farmers of America Showmanship Award as a senior, he was also given the Proficiency Award for Sheep Production and Ag Mechanics the same year.

Enrolling at Angelo State University this fall, Donnell has plans to major in Agriculture.

Local Seniors

Feted With Party

A party honoring the Plains High School graduating seniors, was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb on Thursday, May 23.

Table decorations included white cloths, white baskets of greenery with yellow roses, and a picture of each senior attached.

Entertainment included games, looking at old pictures, and reminiscing over the years gone by. A video tape was made during the party and shown at its conclusion.

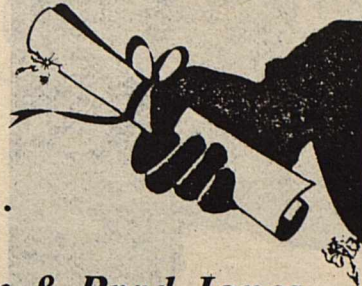
Gifts of monogrammed towels were given to each senior.

Submarine sandwiches, chips, dips, vegetable tray, soft drinks and giant chocolate chip cookies were served to Norma Barbosa, Betty Bariantes, Steve Rivas, Melissa Guetersloh, Robin Carey, Jim Baum, Rudy Romero, Luis Loya, Tammy Brown, Donnell Welch, Tracy Lowrey, Tomas Aguilar and Kristi Cobb.

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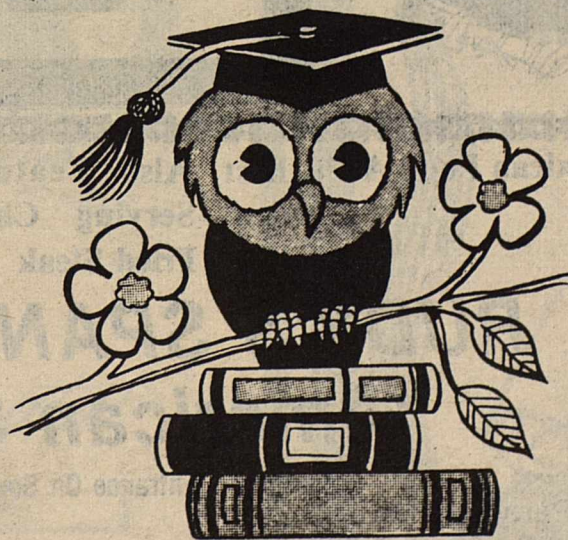
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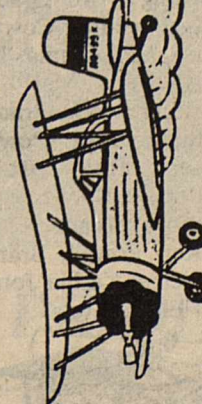
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Senior Citizens

Memorial Day 1985. This day will take on added meaning for Jay Noble and his girls, Jean, Jo, Janet and families, for this is the day Bonnie came home for the last time. When this goes to press they will be lovingly laying her to her eternal rest. She was a brave and gallant lady who fought a long, hard battle and lost. To all her many loved ones and friends I'd like to share the contents of a little note found beside her chair - and probably written by her the last time she was home in 1984. Quote: "Of all the treasures of earth and heaven, Love is the most precious." She was one of my dearest friends.

JoAnn Lightfoot, another of our dear ladies, is back in the local hospital. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Last Friday night we had 38 for our evening of entertainment. Friday, May 31st is covered dish supper at 6 p.m. So plan to bring a dish and a friend and let's bid the month of May goodbye in style.

We, here at the Center, are planning a special day, mark June 9 on your calendar and keep the day open for a visit to the Senior Citizens Center. We are sponsoring an afternoon open house honoring all Senior Citizens of Yoakum County. Please plan to come and bring someone. Everyone is invited to be with us on this date. Will tell more next week.

See you,
Smitty

Elementary Grades Do Well In UIL

Plains Elementary participated in the District UIL meet in Seagraves on April 26, 1985. The contest was very competitive, and Plains placed third among all the schools competing.

The Elementary students are to be congratulated for a job well done. Students who participated in the meet are:

Story Telling - 2nd Graders were Jennifer Earnest, Ken McAdams, Brandy Pettet and Corey Thrash.

Story Telling - 3rd Graders were Kim McClure, Jennifer Day, Heather Bowlin and Jay London.

Personal Writing - 3rd Graders were Jay Rushing, Jennifer Cowart, Angie Arrellano and Emma Kay Gonzales.

Personal Writing - 4th Graders were Betsy Blair, Keri Powell, Keshia Jones and Blaine McWhirter.

Picture Memory Team - 4th Graders were Keri Powell, Brandy Lester, Darce Pierce, Keshia Jones, Betsy Blair and Eloisa Luna.



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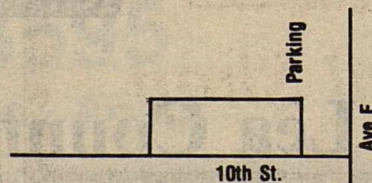
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TRACY ANN LOWREY

Miss Lowrey To Attend ASU

Tracy Ann Lowrey has chosen Angelo State University to further her education. Eighteen years old, she is the daughter of Melvin Lowrey and Pat Evans. Attending Plains schools thirteen years, Tracy enjoys reading, sewing and water skiing.

Chosen as Livestock Queen as a freshman, she served as class president for her senior class and vice president of her junior class. Elected class secretary when a freshman, Tracy was named to Who's Who this year.

Playing volleyball as a freshman, sophomore and junior, she was on the basketball team during her sophomore year. A member of the tennis team as a freshman and junior, she was a three year member of Future Farmers of America, serving as secretary her freshman year.

Elected Greenhand Sweetheart as a freshman she was a member of F.H.A. all four years, serving as president her junior and senior years.

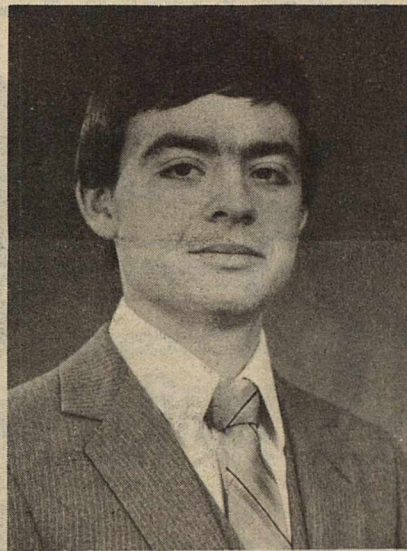
A senior member of National Honor Society, Miss Lowrey participated in Industrial Arts her junior year and the One Act Play her freshman year.

Choya Young Says He Will Farm

A member of the National Honor Society as a senior, Choya Young is the eighteen year old son of Don and Jeanette Young. Born in Brownfield, Nov. 26, 1966, Choya has attended schools in Plains twelve years. Planning to farm after graduation, he lists his hobbies as farming, trucking and mechanics.

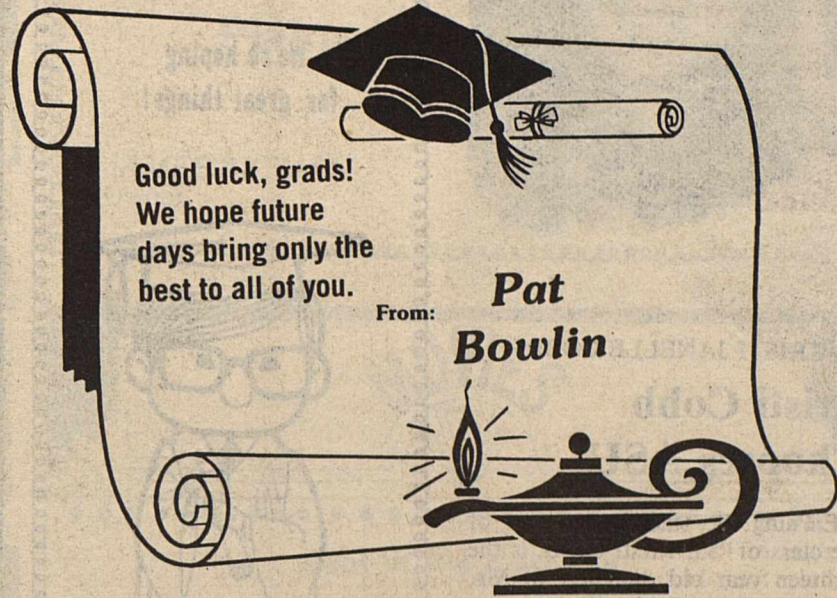
Young received the "I Dare You" Award as a junior. In Future Farmers of America throughout high school, he was named Chapter Farmer his second year; Star Greenhand as a freshman; received the Swine Production Award his junior year; was a member of the Livestock Judging Team as a senior; and was recipient of the Proficiency Award in Ag Mechanics when a senior.

A member of the Industrial Arts class for four years, Choya excelled in several divisions his junior and senior years. Earning a first place in State, trailer; first place in State, two belts; first place in State, cake saver; first place in State, lift while a junior and as a senior placed second in State, leather test; first and best division in State, cake saver; second in State, picture; second in State, belt; and first in State, truck and first in State, trailer.



CHOYA DON YOUNG

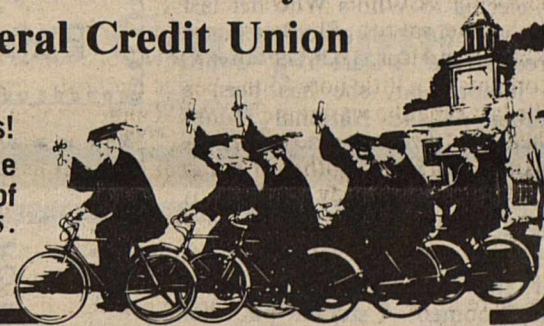
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KRISTI JANELLE COBB

Kristi Cobb Chooses ASU

Earning the Salutatorian title of the class of '85, Kristi Cobb, is the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cobb. She plans to further her education at Angelo State University this fall.

Born in Littlefield, May 18, 1967, Kristi has attended school at Sands Elementary, prior to her last seven years in the Plains Schools. She lists her favorite things as, flying, snow skiing, twirling and ice skating.

Named Miss PHS this year, Kristi was elected to Who's Who her last three years in high school. Chosen to receive the "I Dare You" award her junior year, she has been a member of the National Honor Society as a senior. Reigning as Rodeo Queen her junior year, Kristi was also chosen as Football Sweetheart the same year.

Elected as Most Beautiful this year, she was also given honors of Best Groomed. A student pilot her sophomore year, she was a candidate for Homecoming Queen as a senior.

Being cheerleader this year, Miss Cobb was a member of the Cowboy Band all four years, and has served as twirler for three years. Winning the title of Band Sweetheart when a junior, she was recipient of the Band Award that year also. Serving as first vice president for Future Homemakers of America, Kristi was a four year member.

An Industrial Arts student for three years, she played tennis and was in track her sophomore year. She was given the Geometry Certificate as a sophomore and received the Algebra II Certificate and was a sophomore Driver's Education student.

Community Calendar

SUNDAY - High School Graduation at 2 p.m.

MONDAY - Commissioners Court at 10 a.m. Eastern Star at 7:30 p.m. Volunteer Fire Department at 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY - Blood Pressure Clinic -all day at Yoakum County Library.

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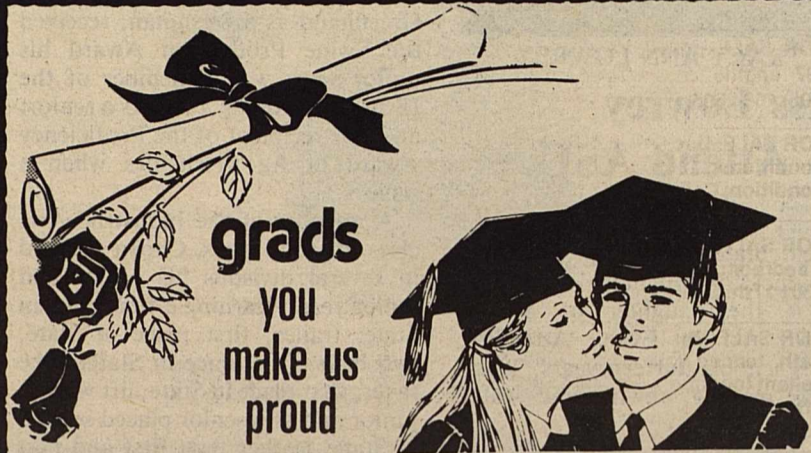
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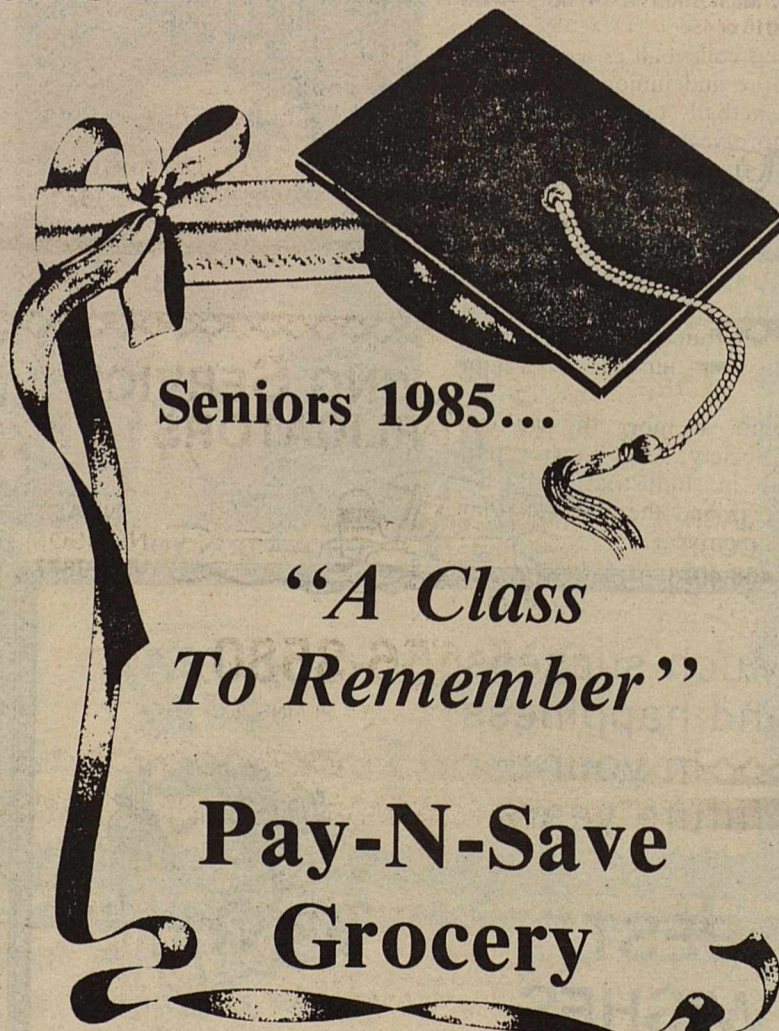
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ROBIN LISA CAREY

Robin Carey Decides On ASU

Robin Carey, daughter of Leslie and Linda Carey plans to continue her education at Angelo State University and study X-Ray Technology.

Born in Walsenburg, Colorado, October 10, 1966, she has attended Plains Schools the last eight years. She was a student in Wellman Elementary and Brush, Colorado Elementary and Middle School, before moving here.

Robin received the chemistry award when a junior, and was on the Student Council her senior year. A four year member of the Cowboy Band and Future Homemakers of America, she served as third vice president her last two years.

An Industrial Art student her first two years of high school, she played basketball her junior year, and was a KPLN disc jockey this year.

A member of the National Honor Society as a senior, Robin lists her hobbies and interests as cooking, reading, swimming, writing poetry and being with kids.



Luis Loya Plans To Work

Interested in working on his rent houses, and all types of cars, Luis Loya is the nineteen year old son of Vicente and Emelea Loya. Born in Brownfield June 5, 1965, Luis has attended schools here the last fifteen years.

A Regional and State qualifier in Industrial Arts, the last three years of high school, Luis earned a second in State, leather wallet as a senior; and won third place in Regional when a junior and third place in State as a senior.

Luis plans to continue working after graduation.



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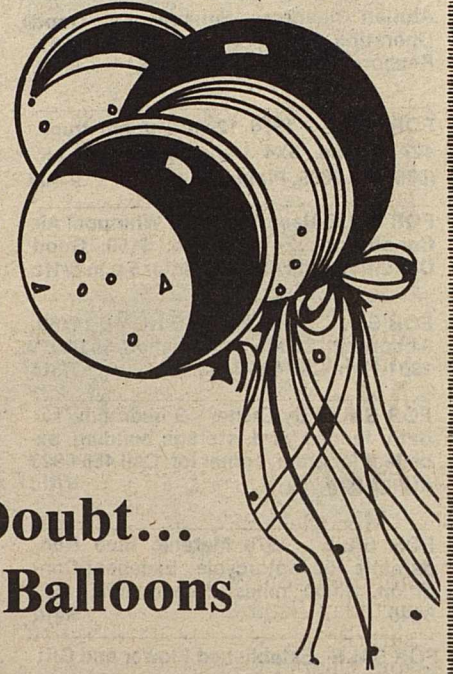
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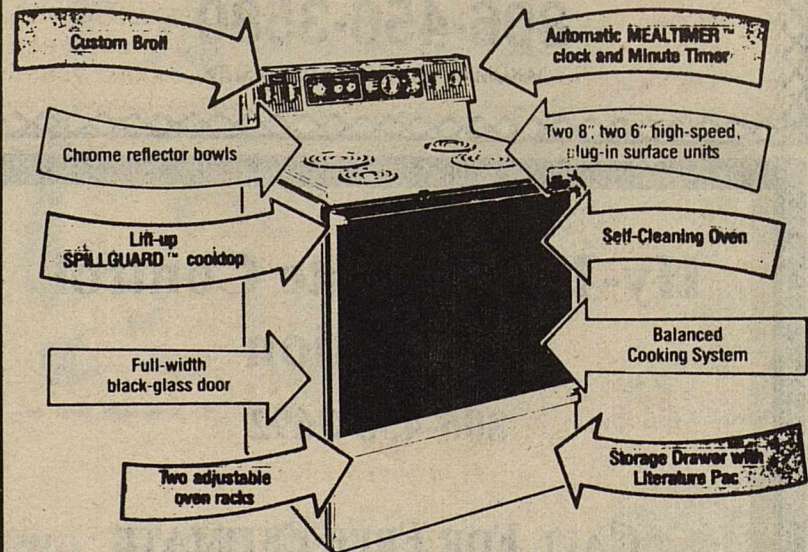
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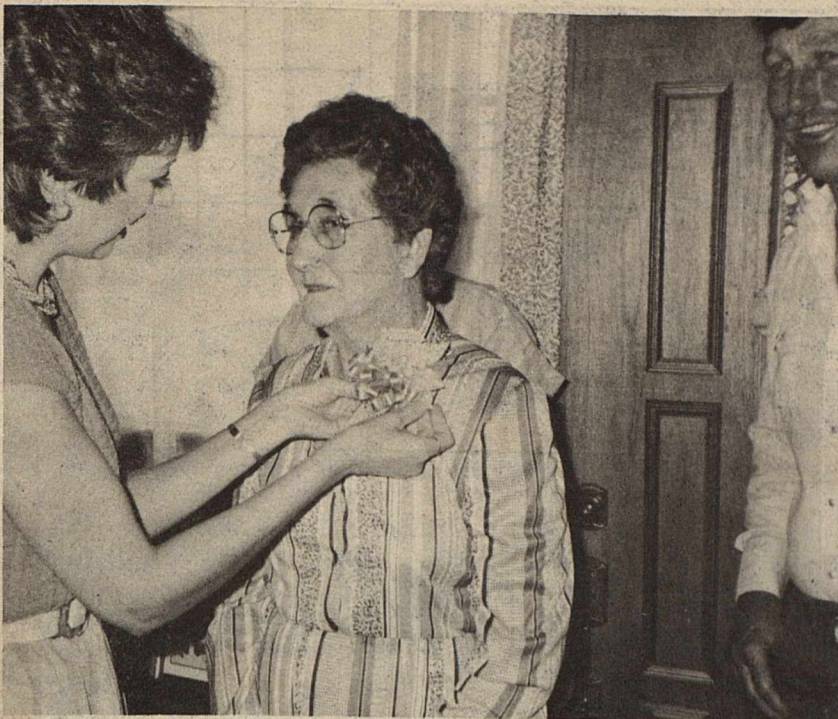
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Mrs. Jackie McDonnell presenting a birthday corsage to her grandmother, Mrs. Clemmie Carr.

Mrs. Clemmie Carr Celebrates Her Seventy-Eighth Birthday

Mrs. Clemmie Carr, grandmother of Mrs. Jackie McDonnell, was honored on her seventy-eighth birthday Saturday, May 18 with a surprise party in the home of her son, Charles Carr of Girard.

Mrs. Carr was presented with a peach silk corsage by her granddaughter.

Peach colored ribbons with "Clemmie Carr" and "78" inscribed in gold, a floral arrangement and silver and crystal appointments adorned the table. It was laid with an ecru lace cloth.

Italian cream cake and orange sherbet punch were served to Josie Willis, Donna and Brent Carr of Lubbock; Jackie, Gale, Brandon

and Heather McDonnell; and Dean Dickerson, Lillian Dunigan, Maureen Dyer, Lois Turner, Vera Rockwell and Dorothy Letsinger, all of Girard.

Party Honors Frank Whitlock

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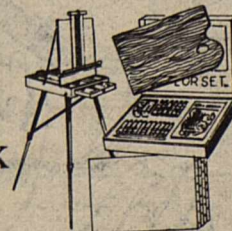
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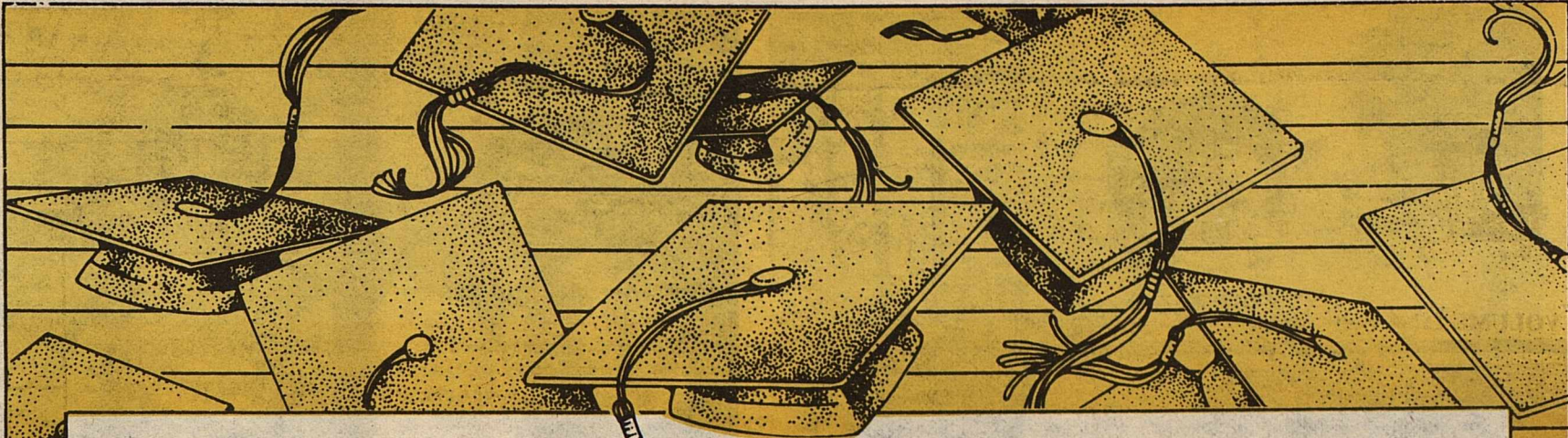


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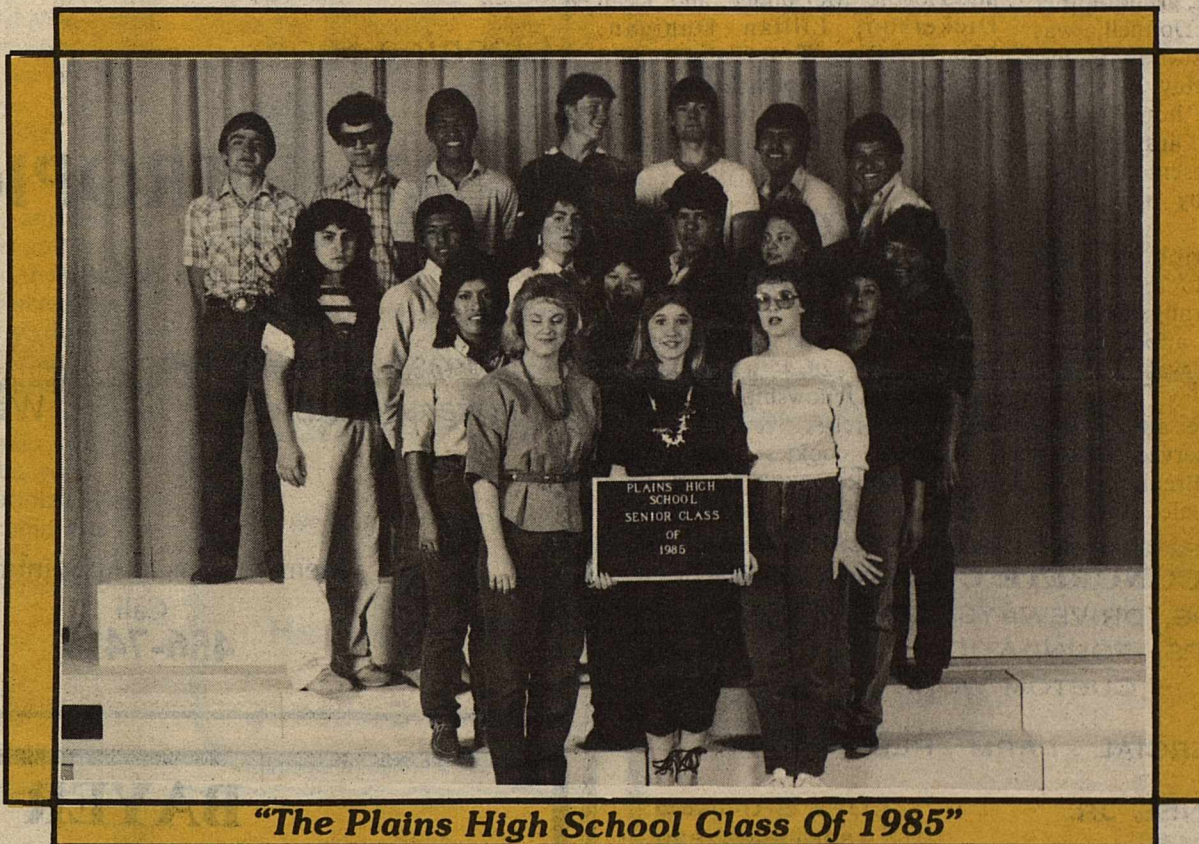
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