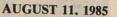
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1986 RODEO QUEEN - Ruth Ann Diaz

## **Commissioners' Court Meets**

The Commissioners Court convened at 10 a.m. with members Paul Cobb, John Avara, R.W. Thurston, Jim Barron, Johnnie L. Fitzgerald and Ruby Bruton attending.

Tax Assessor-Collector Wanda Smith presented the July Report of Taxes Collected and Disposition Thereof. All members were in favor. The Tax Appraisal Roll certification was agreed upon by members.

Road crossings of Big Three Industries, Inc., within the right-ofway of County Roads P-39 and P-40 in Precinct 2 were given the go ahead. Extra hire and miscellaneous bills were read and approved for payment. Purchase of two vacuum cleaners for the Courthouse and Denver City Tax Office Building was also discussed and cleared.

An order appointing election judges and alternates was also passed.

The meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

## Miss Ruth Ann Diaz Named 1986 Rodeo Queen

Ruth Ann Diaz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Diaz and sponsored by the Plains Lions Club was declared 1986 Rodeo Queen at Saturday night's rodeo performance. Relinquishing the "reins" to Ruth Ann was Kristi Cobb, the 1985 Rodeo Queen.

Ruth Ann earned 3813 points to capture the title. She was presented a rose arrangement and banner by the Rodeo Association and her gold and silver, heart-shaped belt buckle was donated by Jim Barron.

First runner-up was Lesa Crutcher with 1844 points. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Crutcher and was sponsored by Plains Roping Club. She was presented a single rose and belt buckle donated by the Leaf & Petal Shop.

Sara Ruiz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Salomon Ruiz, was recognized as 2nd runner-up and was also given a single rose. Sara represented the Chamber of Commerce and tallied 1114 points to her credit.

Peggy Welch's name was drawn as the lucky winner of the roping saddle, given at Saturday night's rodeo by Plains Rodeo Association.

#### Jack & Jill Tourney To Benefit Children

A Jack & Jill Golf Tournament sponsored by Yoakum County Child Welfare Board is scheduled for Aug. 10 and 11 at the Yoakum County Park.

Entry fee is \$60 per team and is limited to 60 teams. A golf scramble is set each day with tee time beginning at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. Concession stand will be provided by the Child Welfare Board.

All proceeds will go to the needy children of Yoakum County.

The Plains Pride welcomes all news events, club notices and Letters To The Editor. There is no charge. The advertizers of this paper make this possible, as a community service. Weddings and wedding announcements, shower announcements and new arrivals are also published at no charge and we encourage you to use your paper as a way to reach the public, which benefits the entire community. Leave your news or announcements with Cindy at The Tin Shed, or call 456-7403.

> Thanks, The Plains Pride

## **Cowboy Cleaners Offers Plains Quality Cleaning Of All Types**

Cowboy Cleaners, located at 809 Brownfield Highway, is owned and operated by Jimmy and Claudette Joyce. Opening in July of this year, they offer quality cleaning of all types, competitive prices and friendly service.

Jimmy and Claudette were both raised in Morton and graduated from Morton High School. Jimmy graduated from Lubbock Christian College and Dallas Baptist College. Claudette graduated from the Texas Women's University with a degree in fashion design and merchandising. They have two children, Tony, age 14 and Kimberlee, age 6.

Experienced in all types of dry

cleaning, Jimmy has worked for the former owners of Nu-Way Cleaners in Morton. He is retired after 13 years in the military. He served a tour of duty in Vietnam and Germany and in several states in the U.S. Jimmy was a recruiter in Hobbs, N.M. at the time of his retirement.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce now own Nu-Way Cleaners in Morton and until Sept. 1 they will continue to work full time in Morton, also. Anxious to serve the people of Plains and the surrounding area, Jimmy and Claudette invite the public to come by and get acquainted with them.



JIMMY & CLAUDETTE JOYCE owners of Cowboy Cleaners



# Letter To The Editor

#### Publisher/Editor:

Please publish the enclosed letter to parents and eligibility guidelines concerning free and reduced-price meals for students of Plains Independent School District.

Application forms and letters will be distributed to students on the first day of classes.

Thank you.

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Sincerely, s/Dean Andrews Dean Andrews Superintendent

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Plains Schools serve nutritious meals, both breakfast and lunch, every school day. All Plains I.S.D. students receive free meals from our cafeteria. However, Plains Schools may be reimbursed for meals served to children from families whose income is at or below the level shown on the income guidelines chart below.

In order to claim reimbursement for these meals, a completed application form must be on file for each eligible child. If your child/children would qualify for free or reduced-price meals as indicated in the chart. Please complete the application form as soon as possible, sign it, and return it to the school. PLEASE ANSWER ALL **QUESTIONS ON THE APPLICA-**TION FORM. An application that does contain COMPLETE information on household members and income cannot be used by the school. For an application to be complete you must provide: The total household income listed by amount received by each household member receiving income; type of income such as wages, child support, etc.; the names of ALL household members; social security numbers of all household members of 21 years or older (or the word NONE if a household member does not have a social security number), or your food stamp number if your household receives food stamps; and the signature of an adult household member. The information on the application may be checked by the school or other officials, at any time during the school year.

If your child is approved for meal

benefits, you must tell the school when your household income increases by more than \$50 per month (\$600 per year), or when your household size decreases.

You may apply for benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now, but have a decrease in household income, become unemployed, or have an increase in family size, fill out an application at that time.

In certain cases foster children are eligible for meal benefits. If you have foster children living with you and wish to apply for free or reduced-price benefits for them, please contact the school and we will help you complete the application.

Benefits and services are available to all children and children who receive meal benefits are treated in the same way as those who do not. In the operation of this program, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex or handicap. If you believe you have been discriminated against, you have the right to file a complaint with the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington D.C., 20250.

If you do not agree with the school's decision on your application, or the result of verification, you may wish to discuss it with the school. You also have the right to a fair hearing. This can be arranged by writing to Dean Andrews, Superintendent, Plains I.S.D., P.O. Box 479, Plains, Texas 79355, or telephone Mr. Andrews at 456-7401.

The information on the application will be treated confidentially and will only be used for the purpose of determining eligibility for free or reduced-price meals, and the verification of data.

If you have any questions or need help in completing the application, please call your school. (High School - 456-7445; Junior High School - 456-7490; Elementary School - 456-7438) You will be notified when the application has been approved or denied.

If we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us. Sincerely,

s/Dean Andrews Dean Andrews Superintendent

ATTACHMENT A INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES 1985-86						
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i di	\$0 - 6,825	\$ 6,825 - 9,713	\$0 - 569	\$ 569 - 810	<b>SO</b> - 132	\$ 132 - 187
2	0 - 9,165	9,165 - 13.043	0 - 764	764 - 1.087	0 - 177	177 - 251
3	0 - 11,505	11,505 - 16,373	0 - 959	959 - 1,365	0 - 222	222 - 315
4	U - 13,845	13,845 - 19,703	0 - 1.154	1.154 - 1.642	0 - 267	267 - 379
5	0 - 16,185	16,185 - 23,033	0 - 1,349	1,349 - 1,920	0 - 312	312 - 443
6	0 - 18,525	18,525 - 26,363	0 - 1.544	1,544 - 2,197	0 - 357	357 - 507
1	0 - 20,865	20,865 - 29,693	0 - 1,739	1,739 - 2,475	0 - 402	402 - 572
8	0 - 23,205	23,205 - 33,023	0 - 1,934	1,934 - 2,752	0 - 447	447 - 636
ch Additional amily Hemper	\$ 2,340	\$ 3,330	\$ 195	\$ 278	\$ 45	\$ 65

THE PLAINS PRIDE, AUGUST 11, 1985, PAGE 3 Grand Opening Held;

# Jan Parrish Wins Membership

The Tropic, a new business in Plains, held their grand opening Aug. 1-3.

The health spa facility is equipped with saunas, hot tubs, a weight machine, tanning booths and offers jazzercise classes. Private dressing rooms are available for each activity.

Winners of the grand opening door prizes went to Sheryl Carey, one week's tanning session; Kathy Bell, hot tub one week session; Donna Bowers, one week use of the

Abraham Lincoln was the tallest president of the United States. He was six feet four inches tall. weight machine; and Lydia Grass, two weeks use of all the facilities. Grand prize winner named was Jan Parrish. She received a single membership - including all facilities for one year.

## Miss Fitzgerald To Be Honored

Miss Vennette Fitzgerald, brideelect of Nick Olenik, will be honored with a bridal courtesy in the Heritage Room of the Yoakum County Library, Saturday, Aug. 17.

Calling hours are from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Gift selections have been made with local merchants.



"TOUCH OF OZ" wins first place in parade float competition. The entry was made by Bubba's Welding Service.

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**NEWELL SQUYRES · PRESIDENT** 

## PAGE 4, AUGUST 11, 1985, THE PLAINS PRIDE Reese Air Force Lieutenants Give Program To Lions Club

Plains Lions Club held their regular noon meeting Thursday, Aug. 1 in the scout hut.

Special guest speakers were first lieutenants Mike Dodds and Pete Pattis. Program subject consisted of the Reese Air Force Base pivot training program and other programs available to the public.

Guests present were Mrs. Milton Bayer, Jack Cobb, Neal Newsom and David Reynolds.

Members attending were Judge Paul Cobb, David Knight, Kenneth McGinty, Dick McGinty, Jim Barron, Pete St.Romain, Milton Bayer,



#### Yoakum Co. Native Services Held

Services for L.B. Townsend, 77, of Tatum, N.M. were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Tatum First Baptist Church with the Rev. Keeney Dickenson, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Plains Cemetery under the direction of Smith-Rogers Funeral Home.

He died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in St. Mary's Hospital after an illness. The Yoakum County native mar-

ried Agnes Grounds on July 1, 1950, in Lovington, N.M. He had been a resident of Tatum since 1929 and was a farmer and rancher. He was also a school bus driver for the Tatum school district for 39 years, retiring in 1974.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Leroy of Ann Arbor, Mich., Melvin of Macintosh, N.M., Johnnie of Lubbock, Robert of Odessa and Calvin of San Francisco, Calif.; four daughters, Evas Dye of Cheyenne, Okla., Janet Rodgers of Lovington, N.M., Jackie Strickland of Lovington, N.M. and Ruby Page of Loco Hills, N.M.; three sisters, Mable Brumley of Rialto, Calif., Venia Carter of Brownfield, and Polly Andrews of Lubbock; 14 grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren. Johnnie Fitzgerald, Dale Bolter, Charles Osborn, Edwin Livengood, Sherm Tingle, Hugh Ambercrombie, Wayne House, Jim Warren and Lee Tingle.

Next meeting is Aug. 15 at 12 noon at the Scout Hut.

#### Insect Populations On Increase

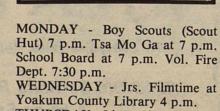
Cotton and maize farmers are being confronted with insect damages for the first time this year. Cotton farmers are seeing some high populations of aphids in various fields around the county. Kight, County Extension Agent, feels that early season pests control will be very important this year due to the lateness of the cotton crop. Make sure those first bolls are set.

Kight feels like area farmers will also be receiving some pressure from cotton bollworm in 7 to 12 days. Moth traps placed throughout county indicated that overall bollworm pressure will be moderate this year.

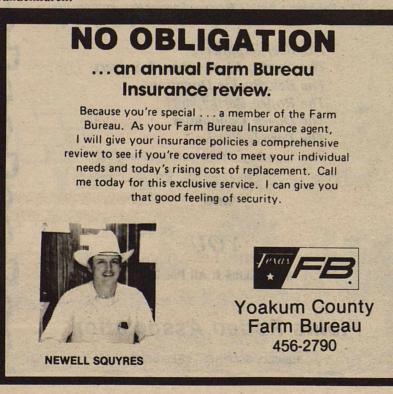
Maize is receiving some damage at this time from the green bug. A green bug is an insect 1/16 of an inch long with a dark green stripe down the back. They are usually found on the underside of the leaves. The green bug is an aphid that sucks plant juices and injects a toxin into the sorghum plant. For more information on management tips and control methods contact the county Extension office.

Community

Calendar



THURSDAY - Lions Club meets at 12 noon



#### **Senior Citizens**

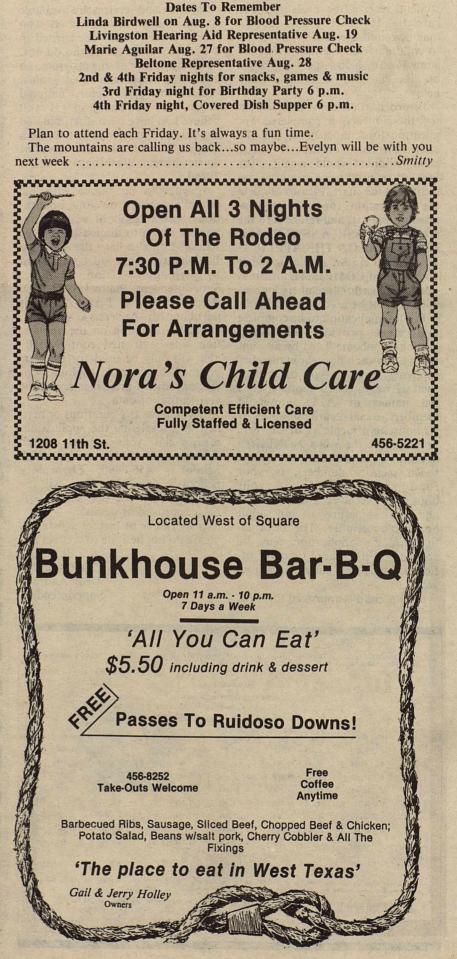
It's nice to be home after a few days in the cool country. My thanks to Evelyn for keeping everyone informed of all the happy events! I was sorry to miss the Jamboree, but came back in time to see the nice display of crafts and antiques, and the awards. It was a display that made us all proud! The big thing though, was the spizz everyone put into the telling. Another big thing was all the T-Shirt girls on Tuesday. Everyone who attended received a T-Shirt and they were modeled in all shapes and sizes. We are all proud to have helped make Yoakum County "Number One" at the Senior Citizens' Jamboree '85.

There has been so many deaths in our community of late. Persons from our center to whom we wish to send our sympathy are, Trudy Garner and family, the Roy Jordan family, and Dorthy Sunday and family.

A word of congratulation to the publisher of the Press. I wonder how many readers have read every issue of the Press these last 30 years. It would be interesting to know, eh Gene?

We appreciate our space and do not see how we could get along without it.

Friday night's gathering was great! Had 30 guests for snacks, games and music.



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MILDRED JONES

# Kitchen Korner

Charlie Jones, is our 'Kitchen Korner' cook this week.

Growing up in the Tokio community, Mildred moved there from Oklahoma with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Cox, in a covered wagon when she was just one year old.

Attending first grade at Turner School, she went to Harris School in the fourth grade and graduated from Brownfield High School.

Mildred and Charlie had four children, Barbara Bowman of Wichita Falls, Travis of this city, Linda Carmack of Eunice, N.M. and Marilyn McCormick of Levelland. Mildred has six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

#### **TUNA BAKE**

1 c cracker crumbs

1 sm can tuna

1 can cream of celery soup

2 slightly beaten eggs

Mix together and bake in small loaf pan in 350° oven 35-40 mins. "This is quick and easy to fix."

EASY PENUCHE ICING Melt 1/2 c butter (or oleo) in

Mildred Jones, wife of the late saucepan. Add 1 c brown sugar (packed). Boil over low heat 2 mins.; stirring constantly. Add 1/4 c milk. Bring to boil; stirring constantly. Cool to lukewarm. Gradually add 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-2 c sifted powdered sugar. Beat until thick enough to spread. Add chopped pecans, if desired. "I usually add about 1/2 cup" - If icing becomes too stiff, add a little hot water. "I using this icing on Betty Crocker Butter Pecan cake."

SQUASH DELIGHT

Slice squash and boil. In a casserole dish, put a layer of crushed crackers. Add layer of your favorite cheese, either grated or sliced. Add salt and pepper sparingly since it will be added with each layer. Add butter. Add a layer of squash. Repeat until squash is used. On the top, add crackers, butter, salt, pepper and cheese. Pour in either canned or homogenized milk, according to moisture desired. Bake at 350° until cheese melts.

"This is a nice way to disquise the squash taste for the non-squash eaters.'

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PEANUT BUTTER KISSES

1/3 c sifted confectioners sugar Mix Karo and peanut butter in a

used honey")

thick. Makes 24.

1/3 c Karo, red or blue label ("I have

1/3 c peanut butter, plain or crunchy 1/2 c instant nonfat dry milk

small bowl. Stir in gradually the instant dry milk and powdered sugar.

Mix until well-blended and smooth. Shape into a thin roll. Stud surface

with chopped peanuts. Slice 1 inch

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**Seals Out Dust** 

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PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD went to "Waiting For Mama" by artist, Linda Powell.



ORIGINAL PORTRAIT - 1st place "Wanda Strother". Artist is Wadonna Davis.





ORIGINAL STILL LIFE - 1st place "Jeddite With Corn". Artist is Vivian Rice.

ORIGINAL ANIMAL PORTRAIT - 1st place "Kissin' Cousins". Artist is Marguerite Barron.



BEST IN SHOW awarded Wadonna Davis with her painting, "Tray Davis."



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ORIGINAL LANDSCAPE - 1st place "Adobe Shadows". Artist is Eileen Fillipp.

#### LIGHTING EFFICIENCY...

Lighting efficiency is getting the most light for the electricity you buy. The watt is the measure of the rate of electrical flow and is directly related to the KWH you pay for on your electric bill. The lumen is the measure of light output from a lamp. Efficiency of a lamp is measured in lumens per watt (lm/w).

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#### PURCHASE AWARDS

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Mr. Marcos Frames - Clovis



Yoakum County Art Association

Patria Altman - President

## Yoakum Co. Art Association Has Annual Membership Show

Yoakum County Art Association Annual Membership Show was held Aug. 1-3 with Janet Bybell, Deborah Cropp and Gale Webb of Levelland serving as judges.

Winner of the door prize was Ed Lee Hunter.

Best painting for the show was "Tray Davis" by Wadonna Davis with the People's Choice Award going to Linda Powell for "Waiting For Mama".

Other winners include:

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ORIGINAL ANIMAL POR-TRAIT: 1st, "Kissin' Cousins" -Marguerite Barron; 2nd, "Waiting For Mama" - Linda Powell; 3rd, "Proud Mama" - Wilma McDonnell; Honorable Mention, "Basket Of Fur" - Karen Willis.

ORIGINAL MINIATURE: 1st, "Mini Indian Pots" - Vivian Rice; 2nd, "Joe's Watering Place" -Wilma McDonnell; 3rd, "Leaf Duet" - Linda Powell; Honorable Mention, "Piggy Back Quack" -Linda Powell and "Bouquet" - Vivian Rice.

ORIGINAL PORTRAIT: 1st, "Wanda Strother" - Wadonna Davis; 2nd, "Purification Ceremony" - Mary Nokes; 3rd, "Fun Time" - Marguerite Barron; Honorable Mention, "Communication Gap" - Linda Powell. ORIGINAL STILL LIFE: 1st,

"Jeddite With Corn" - Vivian Rice; 2nd, "Vase Of Roses" - Ruth Gooch; 3rd, "Indian Treasures" -Vivian Rice; Honorable Mention, "Hope Indian Pot" - Wilma McDonnell.

ORIGINAL LANDSCAPE: 1st, "Adobe Shadows" - Eileen Fillipp; 2nd, "Sunset At Padre" -LaVaughn Gooch; 3rd, "Yule Tree" - Thelma Cheatham; Honorable Mention, "Texas Bluebonnets" - Thelma Cheatham, "Grandma's Place" - Susie Powell, "Lonesome Corral" - Vivian Rice, and "Blazing Giant" - LaVaughn Gooch.

NOVICE STILL LIFE: 1st, "Wild Flowers" - Sadie Schneider; 2nd, "Hope Creation" - Kay Mc-Clure; 3rd, "Hope Creations" -Sadie Schneider.

NOVICE LANDSCAPE: 1st, "Toni's Hideaway" - Kay McClure; 2nd, "Barn And Quails" - Sadie Schneider; 3rd, "Yellow Meadow" - Sadie Schneider.

COPIES & CLASSWORK STILL LIFE: 1st, "Watermelon Time" - Wilma McDonnell; 2nd, "Seashells" - Jimmie Bayer; 3rd, "Daffodils" - Thelma Cheatham; Honorable Mention, "Mother's Kettle" - Helen Hunter, "Prime Crop" - Burve Overton, and "Copper From Turkey" - Wilma McDonnell.

COPIES & CLASSWORK LANDSCAPE: 1st, "Breaking Thru" - Vivian Rice; 2nd, "First Snow" - Inetta Teaff; 3rd, "Where Love Lingers" - Marguerite Barron; Honorable Mention, "Golden Day" - Helen Hunter, "Sunny Afternoon" - Louise Goehry, "Mountain Stream" - Marguerite Barron, and "Abandoned" - Susie Powell.

COPIES & CLASSWORK POR-

TRAIT: 1st, "Papa" - Thelma Cheatham; 2nd, "Terry Davis" -Wadonna Davis; 3rd, "Mustache & Purple" - Wadonna Davis; Honorable Mention, "Wayne Lee Davis" - Wadonna Davis and "Great Grandpa" - Marguerite Barron.

COPIES & CLASSWORK MINIATURE: 1st, "Country Spring" - Inetta Teaff; 2nd, "Yuccas" - Marguerite Barron; 3rd, "Daisies La Blue" - Inetta Teaff; Honorable Mention, "First Place" - Wilma McDonnell.

COPIES & CLASSWORK ANIMAL PORTRAIT: 1st, "Resting In The Shade" - Thelma Cheatham; 2nd, "Cock Of The Walk" - Marguerite Barron; 3rd, "Winter Stillness" - Thelma Cheatham; Honorable Mention, "A Deer In A Mist" - Burve Overton.

CRAFTS: 1st, Cathedral Window Quilt - Louise Tuggle; 2nd, Barnyard Scene Quilt - Louise Tuggle; 3rd, Tulip Quilt - Susie Powell; Honorable Mention, Goose Pillow -Louise Tuggle and Windmill -Laverne Newsom.

PHOTOGRAPHY: 1st, "Sun Flower" - Louise Goehry; 2nd, "Sunset" - Patria Altman; 3rd, "Back Pasture" - Patria Altman; Honorable Mention, "School Days" - Patria Altman.

Unjudged student exhibit featured eight paintings by Jo Lena Powell, Kimberly McClure, Jason Smith, Amy Jones and Lebert Powell.

PURCHASE AWARDS included Andrews Savings & Loan, "Piece & Quiet" by Susie Powell; Ruby Rucker Bruton, "Yuletree" by Thelma Cheatham; Carpenter Oil, "Mountain Splendor" by LaVaughn Gooch; Shari Chambliss, "Hopi Indian Pot" by Wilma McDonnell; Paul Cobb, "The Old Watering Hole" by Wilma McDonnell; Harrison Well Service, "Aspens" by Marguerite Barron; J & L Country Kitchen, "Proud Mama'' by Wilma McDonnell; W.L. Kidd, "Fond Memories" by Wilma McDonnell and Helen Hunter, "Leaf Duet" by Linda Powell.

Also Leaf & Petal, "Still Life Poppies" by LaVaughn Gooch; Lone Star Welding, "Lonesome Corral" by Vivian Rice; Plains

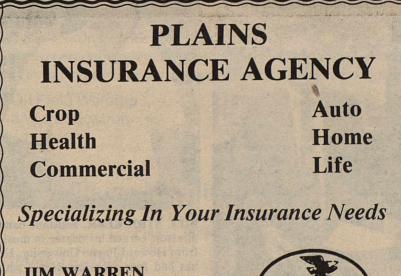
Farm Supply, "Joe's Watering Hole" by Wilma McDonnell and "Pottery From The TacTile Collection" by Vivian Rice; Plains Insurance Agency, "Adobe Shadows" by Eilleen Fillipp; Plains State Bank, "The Hacienda" by Ruth Gooch; Romain Telephone, "Waiting For A Breeze" by Wilma McDonnell; Royce's Restaurant, "The Lookout" by Ruth Gooch; Newell Squyres, "Denizens Of Texas" by Burve Overton; The Steak Place, "The Tree V Bird" by Linda Powell; The Tin Shed, "The Watering Place" by Wilma McDonnell, "Orange Sunset" by Jimmie Bayer, "Quail Covey" by Wilma McDonnell; The Tropic, "Indian Pot'' by Wilma McDonnell, "Horseshoes" by Ruth Gooch, "Where's The Man" by Ruth Gooch; and Video Compound,

THE PLAINS PRIDE, AUGUST 11, 1985, PAGE 7 oe's Watering "Waiting For Mom" by Linda McDonnell and Powell.

> Other purchase awards are Yoakum County State Bank, "Blazing Giant" by LaVaughn Gooch; Jim Barron; Jerry Corbin, "The Old House" by Ruth Gooch, "Country Spring" by Inetta Teaff, "Yuccas" by Marguerite Barron; Dale's Venture Food, "Indian Treasure" by Wilma McDonnell; Kay & Kompany Electric, "Cock Of The Walk" by Marguerite Barron; Linda & Melvin Lowrey, "The Chief's Daughter'' by Wadonna Davis; McPherson Floral & Nursery, "Memories" by Susie Powell; Scarborough Pharmacy; Thriftway, "Quiet & Peaceful" by Marguerite Barron and George F. Summers, "Adobe" by Betty Estep and "Sand Dunes" by LaVaughn Gooch.



LaDON MATHEWS, artist of Lamesa was present at Chitwood's Antiques' open house and reception, Saturday, Aug. 3. Shown here to her right are Irene and A.B. Chitwood, owners of the shop.

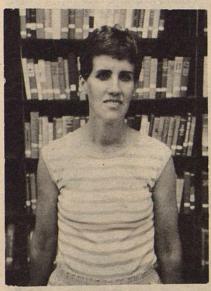


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# **Plains Independent School District**



**KAY CANNON**, special education aide for grades kindergarten through fourth, has been employed at Plains Elementary for four years. She earned her B.S. degree in home economics at Johnson County Community College for one year, Wayland Baptist University one year and finishing at Texas Tech University. Born in Perryton, Kay attended high school at Shawnee Mission High School in Overland Park, Ks. Kay and her husband, Robert, have two children, threeyear-old Leticia Bell and Tiffany Dawn, fifteen months old. Her hobbies are crafts, reading and sewing.



JOHN NANCE, elementary principal, earned his masters degree in education from Texas Tech University and has been in Plains for 23 years. Born in Dallas, John attended school there and in Whiteface. John and his wife, Reta, have three children, Sonnya, a teacher at Richardson; Ginger, a sophomore at South Plains College in Levelland; and Traci, a senior at Plains High School. His interests include jogging, reading and cooking.



The first American student to work his way through college was Zechariah Brigden, 14, who graduated from Harvard in 1657. He earned money by "ringing the bell and waytinge.



JONNIE GREEN, elementary secretary, has worked six years in Plains Elementary School. She was born in Lubbock and attended public schools in Meadow. Jonnie and her husband, Barry, have two children, Douglas, 15 and Melissa, 12. She lists her favorites as yard work, sewing and her family, but "not necessarily in that order", she says.



**BILL STRICKLER**, assistant band director, earned his degree in music from Howard Payne University. He has had four years experience with the last six months in Plains. Born in St. John's, NewFoundland, Bill attended Southwest High School in San Antonio. Bill and his wife, Debbie, have three children, Melinda, seven; Melyssa, five; and Bryan, 18 months old. He lists his interests as golf and guitar.

> Congratulations To The Winners Of The Balloon Bouquets from THE TIN SHED

Monday - Carolyn Culwell Tuesday - Toni Jones Wednesday - Beverly Lowrey

Thursday - Judy Fitzgerald

Friday - Helen Hunter Saturday - Paula Cullins

#### From The Superintendent's Desk

Good things are still happening at school. Our football and volleyball teams have already begun pre-season workouts and this means that students will be arriving on a regular schedule very soon.

I read the following statement from Leo F. Buscaglia, PH.D., in "Inside Education", a monthly educational publication:

"Declining achievement in our nation's schools has pointed out the need to reinforce basic skills. It is an understandable reaction to a very real problem. The danger lies in our over-reacting and promoting efficiency and competency as the only true objectives of our educational system. We need to reinforce the idea that we make decisions based on feelings as well as facts. Education's ultimate objective -- that we grow and become the best person we can and help others do the same -- is only partially served by teaching the three R's. This requires us to expand our definition of education, not constrict it.'

I feel this statement best describes education in Texas today and identifies the challenge for every public school teacher and administrator. We are working to meet the challenges of today as well as the challenges of tomorrow.



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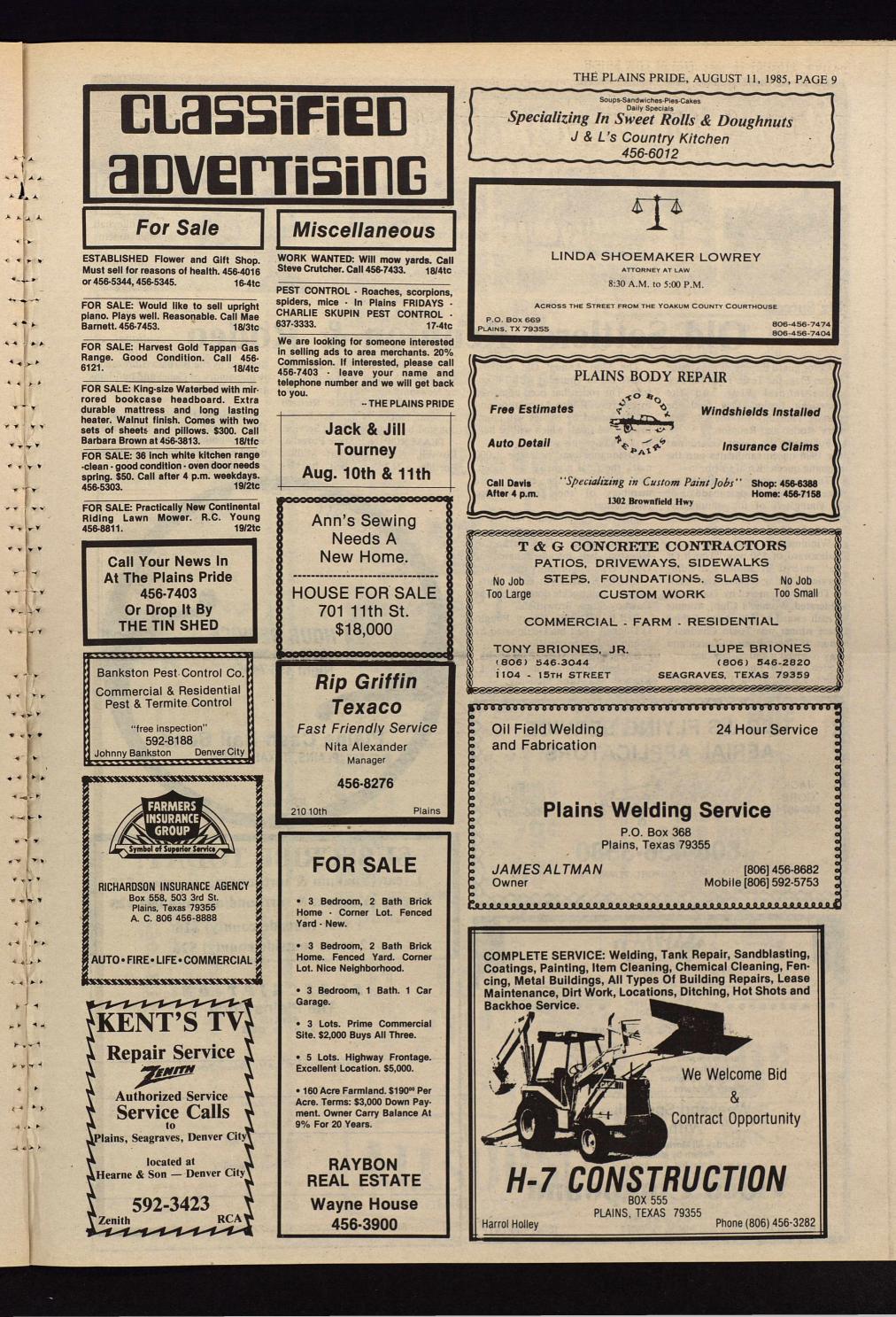
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# **Old Settlers' Reunion & Rodeo**

Color guard display of the United States Flag, the Texas Flag, the Sesquicentennial Flag and the American Legion Flag lead the parade Thursday for the Old Settlers' Rodeo and Reunion.

Following the Color Guard was the 1986 queen candidates and the reigning queen, Kristi Cobb.

There were approximately 14 entries plus a bike brigade made up of 35 youngsters of the community. Mr. Alton McGinty was the parade announcer.

Winning first place float and a cash award of \$50 was "Touch Of Oz" entered by Bubba's Welding Service. Placing second was "Now Is The Time" entered by Tsa Mo Ga Federated Women's Club, winning a cash award of \$40. Named third place winner was Tokio Children's Choir of Tokio Baptist Church and they received a \$30 cash award. Rodeo Has 140 Entries;

Points Earned Toward TRA Finals

The 32nd Annual Old Settlers' Rodeo began Thursday with 140 entries. The rodeo has been approved by the Texas Rodeo Association and points earned by entries will count toward the finals which will be held by TRA later this year.

Attendance was near the 1,000 mark the final night of the rodeo. The judges of the events were members of the Texas Rodeo Association.

Top cowboys in each event were:

BAREBACK: Val Gurka of Houston; belt buckle donated by Opal Perkins in memory of Champ. SADDLE BRONC: Sam Butts,

Adrian - belt buckle donated by The Cowboy Store, Brownfield. BULL RIDING: Kenny Pough, O'Donnell - belt buckle donated by

Johnnie's Restaurant. BARRELL RACE: Lisa Keith,

Gail - belt buckle donated by Dick, Kenneth and Alton McGinty. CALF ROPING: Paul Duncan, San Antonio - belt buckle donated by Newsom Gin. DOUBLE MUGGING: Richard

Lemond, Hobbs, N.M. - belt buckle donated by Two J-S Flying Service. TEAM ROPING: Steve Purcella, Poswell NM and leff Midlin

Roswell, N.M. and Jeff Midlin, Portales, N.M. - belt buckles donated by the Barbara Smith family in memory of Gene; and by Plains Insurance Agency. . .

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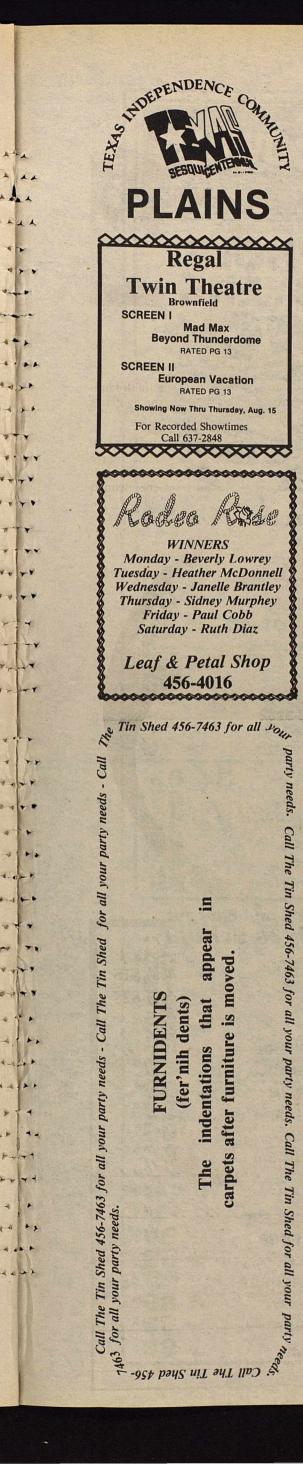
MEMBERSHIP RIBBON ROP-ING: Micah Stowe and Juhree Stowe, both of this city - belt buckles donated by Gene Bennett and Johnnie L. Fitzgerald.



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