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**VARSITY COWGIRLS CAPTURE** Championship Trophy at the 1989 Fillie Invitational Volleyball Tournament held in Denver City. Front row, ltr, are Jo Lena Powell, Melissa Green, Sandra Ramos, Martha Rivera,

Teresa Hinson, manager; back row, ltr, Coach Joyce Pierce, Coach Charles Cain, Michelle Lowe, Leslie Patton, Rena McElroy, Vee Ann Fitzgerald, Corie Spencer and Marsha Farnham.

## Cowgirls Win First In DC Invitational

The Cowgirls defeated Andrews in straight games last Saturday to become the Champions of the 1989 Fillie Invitational Volleyball Tournament.

Falling behind 6-11 in the first game, the Cowgirls rallied to a 15-13 win and took game two with a 15-8 score. Cowgirl hitting included Marsha Farnham, eight kills; Leslie Patton, four kills; Melissa Green, two kills; Rena McElroy, two kills; and Sandra Ramos, one kill. Leslie led all servers with nine points. Sandra and Martha Rivera recorded five digs each defensively and Marsha and Rena combined for five blocks.

The Cowgirl defense toppled Denver City 15-6 15-10 in semifinal action with Rena posting seven blocks and Martha four digs. Melissa contributed eight service points and Leslie, Martha and Rena put down three kills each.

Michelle Lowe tallied 11 service points in the Cowgirls' 15-3 15-8 first round triumph over the Lubbock High Westerners. The Cowgirl offense logged only six kills but the defense made up for it. Rena and Marsha recorded six and three blocks respectively and Corie Spencer had four digs.

Eleven teams began competition in pool play Friday morning to determine seeding for the tournament on Saturday. The Cowgirls blitzed Lubbock Dunbar 15-3 15-6 and Kermit 15-8 15-11 to advance to the tournament. Marsha paced the Cowgirls with eight kills against Kermit and Corie Spencer led all servers with eight points.

## Girl Scouts Organize

An organizational meeting for Girl Scouts was held Tuesday, Sept. 5. All girls interested in Scouts that did not get the opportunity to sign up may register at any time.

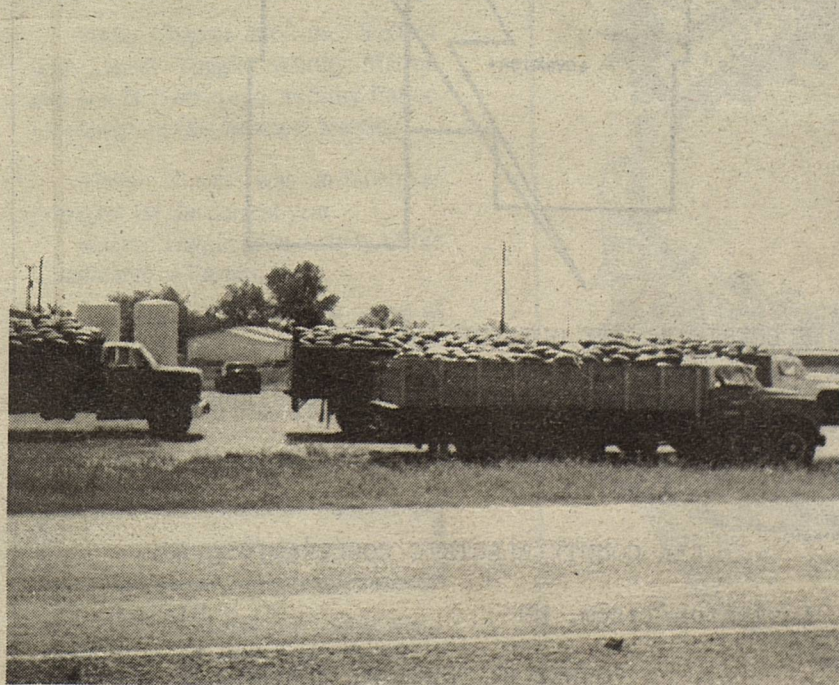
Leading the third grade Brownies will be Debbie Taylor and Jerri Lollar. Meetings were set for 4 p.m. each Monday at the Scout Hut on 2nd Street in Plains. Anyone wishing to register with this age group may meet with them at this time.

Chosen to guide the first and second grade Brownies are Dean Richardson and Judy Eppler. They will be meeting on Tuesdays at 3:50 p.m. at the Scout Hut. All first and second grade girls are invited to sign up at this time.

Kay Canon and Irma Wagnon will be directing the Daisy Scout program. All kindergarten girls are eligible for this program. They will also meet on Tuesdays in the Scout Hut at 3:50 p.m.

Carroll Murph has agreed to work with the fourth, fifth and sixth grade Junior Girl Scouts, if there is sufficient interest among the girls. An assistant leader would also be needed. If you are interested in having your daughter involved or in working with this age group, contact either Dean Richardson or Mrs. Murph.

The girls are looking forward to a busy and rewarding year with plans to attend Brownie Round-Up and in earning patches and try-its.



WATERMELON HARVEST NOW IN PROGRESS AT PLAINS.



YARD OF THE WEEK, sponsored by Plains Chamber of Commerce was presented to Paul and Louise Cobb.





# Plains Independent School District

'Home of the Cowboys & Cowgirls'

## From The Superintendent's Desk

Dean Andrews



We have begun the 1989-90 school year with much excitement. Our athletic teams and our band are showing signs of their old form and we are expecting great success in these areas.

After the seventh day of school, we have 508 students enrolled, 268 boys and 240 girls. There are 131 students in high school, 141 students in junior high, and 236 students in our elementary school. We expect our enrollment to continue to increase during the next week. Enrollment figures have remained very close over the past five years.

During the next week, we will work to adjust classes so that we might better serve all our students. We will also adjust bus routes in order to make bus trips as short as possible for our students.

Our school year is off to a very good start thanks to our employees, students and parents. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we start this new year. Once again, we look forward to a great year for the students of Plains I.S.D.



JUNIOR VARSITY COWGIRLS - left to right, are Shannon Squyres, Amy Jones, Stephanie Cole, Teresa Hinson, manager, Kristi Baize, Coach Joyce Pierce, Kemi Cobb, Lupita Ramos and Leslie Soloranzo. Not pictured, Ashlee Winn.



NINTH GRADE VOLLEYBALL GIRLS, back row, ltr, Coach Tricia Allman, Lora Luna, Andrea Salas, Darce Pierce, Ogla Ramirez, Betsy Blair; front row, ltr, are Monica Flores and Brandy Lester.

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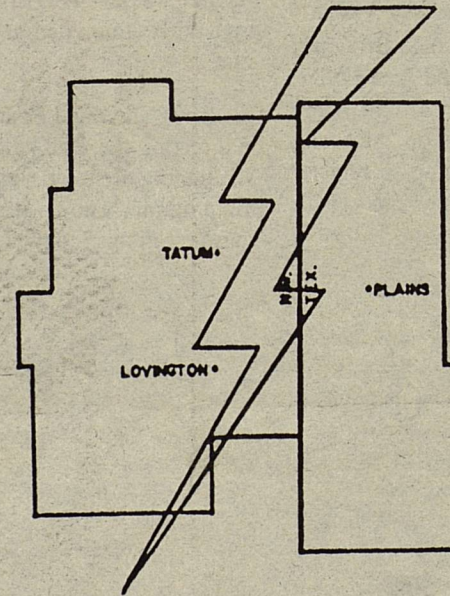



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### NOTICE TO CITY UTILITY CUSTOMERS

The City Council voted at a special meeting held August 15, 1989, to increase all sewer and garbage rates \$1.00. For example, residential sewer rates have been \$7.00 and will now be \$8.00 and residential garbage rates have been \$8.00 (\$8.56 with state tax) and will now be \$9.00 (\$9.63 with state tax). These new rates will become effective September 1, 1989, and will not be reflected on your utility bill until the end of September. It is the desire of the City Council to keep rates as low as possible, but new laws making many changes for the operation of sewer lift stations and sanitary landfills make it necessary for these increases.



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## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jimenez of Plains announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Terrie Ann to James Duran, son of Lupe and Janie Enriquez of Lubbock.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plains High School. The prospective groom is a Lubbock High School graduate.

The couple will exchange vows at 3 p.m. Oct. 14 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Plains. Friends and relatives are invited.

## Donna Miller To Be Honored

A bridal shower honoring Donna Miller, bride-elect of K. Paul Holt of Waco will be held Saturday, Sept. 23 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the Connie McWhirter home at 1104 4th Street in Plains.

Miss Miller is the daughter of T.J. and Lois Miller of 1207 17th Street in Plains.

Friends and relatives are invited. Selections have been made with local merchants.

## Plains Eastern Star Installs Treasurer

Plains Chapter #862 met Sept. 4 with Louise Tuggle, Worthy Matron and Joe H. Thompson, Worthy Patron presiding over the business meeting.

Helen Hunter was installed as treasurer for the current year.

Louise Tuggle gave a study of the Landmarks of Eastern Star.

A memorial service was given in memory of Mr. Leslie G. Burnett, Worthy Grand Patron from 1979 to 1980. Mr. Burnett passed away Aug. 6, 1989.

### For Sale

FOR SALE: 1 twin bed box spring, 3 bar stools, 1 queen size sofa sleeper, 1 drapery rod, 1 coffee table, full-length triple window drapes, single window balloon curtains. All are reasonably priced. Call after 6 p.m. 456-7130.

## Filmtime Takes Library Tour; Discusses Tumbling Classes

Filmtime began its "school year" Wednesday, Sept. 6 with a library tour for the little pre-school boys and girls.

Attending were Chelsea Blount, Laura Cantu, Joshua Curtis, Grady McNabb, Lacy Jones, Leah Ruthardt, MacKenzie Winn, Kayla Willis, Colleen Howard, Marlie Diaz, Justin Calsoncin, Cody Flores, Keeper Clay, Micah Clay, Evan Cain, Jill Gray, Keenan Hancock and Crystal Garcia.

Each child was given a name tag and everyone was encouraged to get acquainted.

Visiting Filmtime this week was Sarah Mason. Mrs. Mason explained

that those girls and boys interested in tumbling classes need to make a special effort to get signed up quickly. The Brownfield instructor will make the decision to come to Plains pending on the number of children enrolled. If less than 20 children enroll, classes will be held in Brownfield.

During the month of September, Filmtime coordinator, Kathy Holster will be presenting programs with emphasis relating to "I Am Special".

This week's filmtime story was "I Love Cats"; and films shown were "The Little Engine That Could" and "Curious George Goes to the Library".



KATHY HOLSTER presents Filmtime programs to pre-schoolers.

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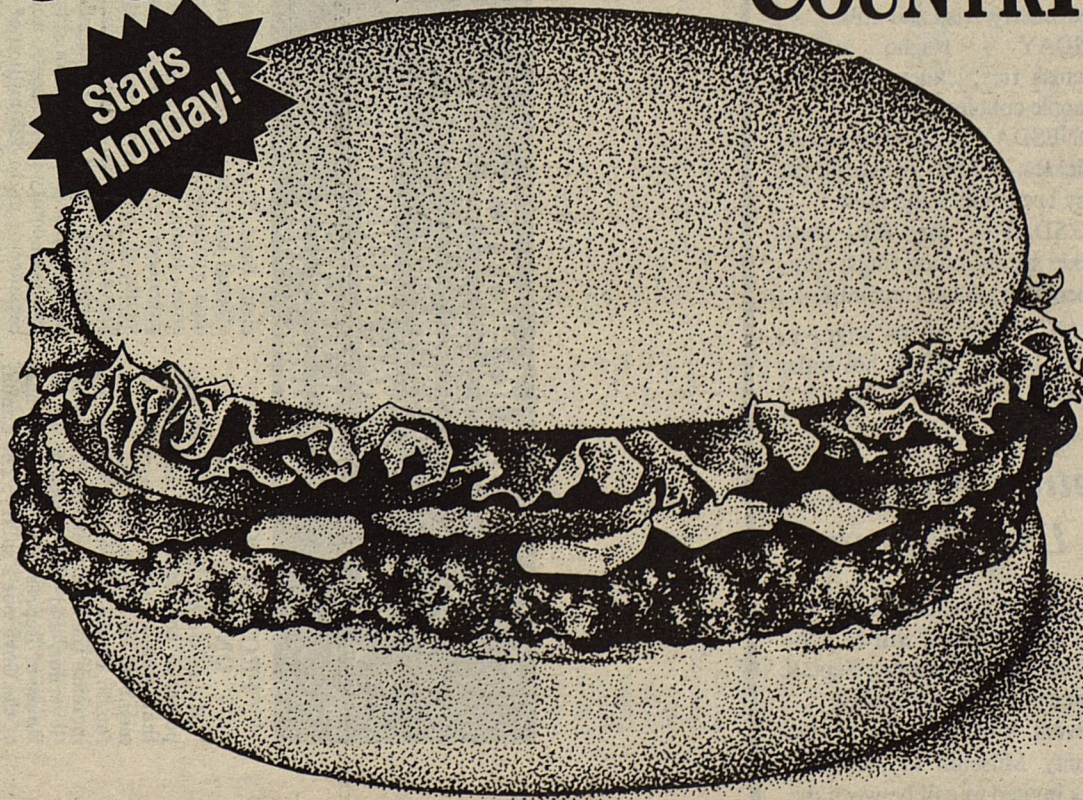


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Thirty Members Attend Art Meeting

Thirty members were present for the regular meeting of Yoakum County Art Association on Sept. 5. President Kay McClure presented Wilma McDonnell with a gift certificate for her People's Choice Award won at the August show. Burve Overton was appointed to the telephone committee and Mae Barnett was chosen as Artist of the Month.

La Wanda Calton of Portales, N.M. gave a program on painting adobe.

Refreshments of cake, cookies, fruit, and ham hors d'oeuvre were served by the hostesses Emma Lewis, Thelma Cheatham and Willie Mae Engle.

Pat and Aubrey Altman were presented an oil by Inetta Teaff purchased by the club for their hard work in remodeling the art building. A spokesperson for the club stated, "Their leadership has truly benefited the former First Christian Church building."

On Sept. 23, Kay Houston of Morton will conduct a workshop in Plains.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 3 with a program on portraits.

What's Cooking At School



- BREAKFAST MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal, grape juice and milk. TUESDAY - Donut, toast and jelly, apple juice and milk. WEDNESDAY - French toast w/honey, orange juice and milk. THURSDAY - Waffles, syrup, butter, tomato juice and milk. FRIDAY - Cereal, toast, pineapple juice and milk.

- LUNCH MONDAY - Chick-Fil-A sandwich, French fries w/catsup, lettuce and pickles, cherry crisp and milk. TUESDAY - Nacho w/meat sauce, Spanish rice, lettuce, tomatoes, crackers, apple cobbler and milk. WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onions, potato chips, fruit, honey bee cookies and milk. THURSDAY - Mr. Rib, pinto beans, pickle spears, onion rings, cornbread, chocolate chip bars and milk. FRIDAY - Pork chops w/gravy, green beans, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, Jell-O and milk.

Reception To Fete Mary Lou Bollman

Mary Lou Bollman of Lockney, genealogist and historian, will be honored with a reception Saturday, Sept. 9 in observance of her 80th birthday.

The event will be held in the Floyd County Museum in Floydada. Everyone is invited to call between the hours of 2 and 4 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 7, 1989

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the salary of members of the legislature to one-fourth of the Governor's salary and increase the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to one-half of the Governor's salary. The annual salary of the Governor, and the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is currently \$7,200. Under this provision, the annual salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker would be \$46,716, and the annual salary of members of the legislature would be \$25,356, based on the Governor's current annual salary of \$88,432. The increase for the Speaker and the members of the legislature would take effect when the legislature convenes for its regular session in January 1991. The increase for the Lieutenant Governor would take effect when the term of that office begins in 1991. The salary increase for the Lieutenant Governor would not make members of the legislature ineligible to run for the office of Lieutenant Governor. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to limit the salary of the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to not more than one-fourth of the governor's salary and the salary of a member of the legislature to not more than one-fourth of the governor's salary."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds. The additional bonds are to be used as follows: \$250 million of the bonds are to be used for water supply loans and facilities acquisition; \$200 million of the bonds are to be used for water quality enhancement projects; and to be used for flood control. The legislature may provide that \$100 million be used for subsidized loans and grants to economically distressed areas of the state for water and wastewater facilities. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds for water supply, water quality, and flood control purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 51 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to provide money to establish a Texas agricultural fund, a rural microenterprise development fund, a Texas product development fund, and a Texas small business incubator fund in the state treasury. The Texas agricultural fund would be used to provide financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced in Texas by Texas agricultural businesses. The rural microenterprise development fund would be used to stimulate the creation and expansion of small businesses in rural areas. The Texas product development fund would be used to aid in the development and production of new or improved products in this state. The Texas small business incubator fund would be used to stimulate the development of small businesses in the State. The principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time could not exceed \$25 million for the Texas agricultural fund and \$5 million for the rural microenterprise develop-

would enable the legislature to provide by general or special law, that members of a hospital district board may serve terms not to exceed four years. Currently, hospital district board members' terms are two years. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "Authorizing the members of a hospital district governing board to serve four-year terms."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 40 proposes a constitutional amendment that would change the format of the oath of office for officeholders in this state. All elected and appointed officers would be required to take an oath or affirmation swearing to faithfully execute the duties of office and to preserve, protect and defend the constitution and laws of the State and the United States in addition, each elected and appointed officer would be required to sign a sworn statement that he or she had not paid, offered, or promised anything of value for a vote or to secure an appointment to an office, as applicable. The written, sworn statement would be filed with the secretary of state. The information in the statement is currently contained in the oaths of office taken by elected and appointed officials. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to require that a member of the legislature, the secretary of state, and an elected or appointed officer, before assuming office, sign a written oath stating that the member, the secretary of state, or the officer did not engage in bribery to obtain the office."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 24 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds could be used to acquire, construct, or equip new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to issue up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, equipping, repairing, and renovating correctional, mental health, and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 101 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, that set standards for or distribute state funds to political subdivisions with authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 101 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, that set standards for or distribute state funds to political subdivisions with authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide an exemption from ad valorem taxation for goods, wares, merchandise, including tangible personal property (including aircraft), and ores (other than oil, gas, and petroleum products) if the property is acquired in or imported into the state and is destined to be forwarded out of the state, regardless of whether the intention to forward the property existed when the property was acquired or imported into the state, if it remains in Texas for 175 days or less for assembly, storage, manufacture, processing, or fabrication. The proposed amendment would authorize the governing body of a county, municipality, school district, or junior college district to prevent the exemption of this tangible personal property from taxation by taking official action before April 1, 1990. A county, municipality, school district, or junior college district could rescind a decision to exempt property from taxation in the year of the rescission and the property could not thereafter be taxed. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment promoting economic growth, job creation, and fair tax treatment for Texans who export goods to other states and nations by restoring and allowing, on a local option basis, an ad valorem tax exemption for certain personal property that is in Texas only temporarily for the purpose of assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 12 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds could be used to acquire, construct, or equip new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to issue up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, equipping, repairing, and renovating correctional, mental health, and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest."

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PROPOSITION NO. 18 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 18 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal subsection (c) of Article III, Section 50-d of the constitution. Article III, Section 50-d currently allows the Texas Water Development Board to issue and sell Texas agricultural water conserva-

tion bonds in an amount not to exceed \$200 million, if two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature approve. Under subsection (e), this authority will expire in November, 1989. Repeal of this amendment would continue in effect the authority to issue and sell the bonds.

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would require the district attorney in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve terms at the same times as criminal district attorneys in the state. Currently, criminal district attorneys are elected in gubernatorial election years and district attorneys are elected in presidential election years. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment requiring a district attorney serving in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve a term in the manner provided by general law for criminal district attorneys."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 82 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to permit charitable profit organizations. The amendment would require that the raffles be conducted, promoted, and administered only by members of the qualified nonprofit organizations and that the proceeds from the sale of raffle tickets must be spent for the charitable purposes of the organizations. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to permit and regulate raffles conducted by certain nonprofit organizations for charitable purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 16 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, that set standards for or distribute state funds to political subdivisions with authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

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PROPOSITION NO. 19 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 89 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow local governments to invest their funds as authorized by the legislature. Currently, the constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company prevents local governments from making some kinds of investments. This proposed amendment would allow local governments to make any investments authorized by the legislature. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to authorize local governments to invest their funds as provided by law."

PROPOSITION NO. 20 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 16 proposes a constitutional amendment which, if passed, would abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties. A majority of the voters in each of these counties must vote in favor of this proposed amendment before the office is abolished in that county. If the office of county surveyor is abolished in any of these counties, the powers, duties, and functions of the office are transferred to a county officer or employee designated by the commissioners court of the county in which the office is abolished. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 21 ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws authorizing the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to provide for, issue, and sell an additional \$75 million in general obligation bonds as college savings bonds. The form, terms, and denominations of the bonds would be prescribed by law. The interest rate and installments would be prescribed by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor. The maximum net effective interest rate would be set by law. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds would be credited to the Texas opportunity plan fund, which is used to make loans to students to attend institutions of higher education in Texas. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be payable from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not already appropriated by the constitution, less the amount remaining in the sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds as college savings bonds to provide educational loans to students and to encourage the public to save for a college education."

PROPOSITION NO. 22 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature, by general law, to authorize the use of public money to provide local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations to purchase fire-fighting equipment, to aid in providing necessary equipment and facilities to comply with federal and state law, and to educate and train their members. The legislature would also be allowed to authorize the use of public money for scholarships and grants to educate and train members of these organizations. Part of the money could be used for administrative costs of this program. The legislature would provide for the terms and conditions of all such scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the state to provide other financial assistance to local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations to purchase fire-fighting equipment, to aid in providing necessary equipment and facilities to comply with federal and state law, and to educate and train their members."

PROPOSITION NO. 23 ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide a bill of rights for crime victims. This constitutional amendment would give crime victims and respect and to be reasonably protected from the defendant. On his request, the crime victim would have the right to notification of court proceedings, the right to be present at all public court proceedings unless a court determines that the victim's testimony would be affected by hearing other testimony, the right to confer with a representative of the prosecutor's office, the right to restitution, and the right to information about the conviction, sentence, imprisonment, and release of the defendant. The legislature would be authorized to enact laws to define the term "victim," to enforce the rights of crime victims, and to protect certain public officers and agencies are not liable for a failure to protect a victim's rights. The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to define the term 'victim,' to enforce the rights of crime victims, and to protect certain public officers and agencies are not liable for a failure to protect a victim's rights."

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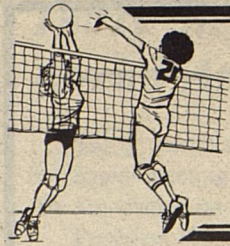
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## Volleyball Results

### NINTH GRADE

The ninth grade volleyball team came back from a one-game deficit and edged Snyder 10-15 15-11 15-7 in their season opener Tuesday night in the Cowgirl gym. Oglá Ramirez tallied 11 service points for the Cowgirls with four aces. Brandy Lester followed with nine points including four aces and Darce Pierce added eight points for six aces.

The ninth graders will be competing in the Denver City Invitational on Tuesday, Sept. 12 for a 5 p.m. contest.

### JUNIOR VARSITY

The Junior Varsity squad lost a 15-5 15-2 match to Midland Lee in their first round of the Denver City JV Tournament last weekend. Snyder defeated the Cowgirls 15-9 15-11 in the second round.

Amy Jones and Leslie Soloranzo led the Cowgirl defensive effort with a

combined seven digs in the JV's 15-6 15-9 homecourt loss to the Snyder Lady Tigers Tuesday night.

The JV will be in out of town competition with Wink this weekend. They will travel to Denver City Tuesday, Sept. 12 to take on the Fillies. The junior varsity match will follow ninth grade competition which is scheduled for 5 p.m.

### VARSITY

The Cowgirls notched their eighth consecutive victory by downing Snyder 15-12 15-11 in the Cowgirl gym Tuesday night. Rena McElroy paced the offensive attack with six kills and seven service points for four aces. Marsha Farnham and Melissa Green added three kills and two kills respectively and Leslie Patton dinked the Snyder defense seven times. The Cowgirl defense logged nine blocks and 16 digs.

After returning from Wink this weekend, the Cowgirls will take on Denver City in out of town action Tuesday, Sept. 12.



COLLECTION OF MANGER SCENES ON DISPLAY at the Yoakum County Library in Plains, includes one collection made by Carla Bennett of Denver City. Librarians express a "special thank you" to Wilma Powell for sharing her hobby with the people of Plains.

### School Events

MONDAY: Volleyball - Level-land - 7th & 8th - H - 5 p.m.; School Board Meeting at 8 p.m.

TUESDAY: Volleyball - Denver City - T - 9th, JV, V - 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: ASVAB Test at 8:30 a.m.

THURSDAY: Football - Seagraves - H - JV - 6 p.m.

FRIDAY: Football - Seagraves - T - V - 8 p.m.

SATURDAY: Volleyball - Snyder Tournament - 9th & JV; Volleyball - Grand Falls Tournament - V

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## County Ext. Homemakers Elect New Council Officers

Yoakum County Extension Homemakers met Tuesday, Sept. 5 at noon in the clubroom with Margaret Box presiding.

Dorothy Jones, secretary-treasurer read the minutes of the July meeting and gave a financial report.

Sidney Murphy, TEHA chairman reported the state meeting will be in Corpus Christi. The chartered bus will leave Lubbock at 11 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11 and return Sept. 15.

The delegates to attend will be Sidney Murphy, Clara William, Maurine Smith. Alternates are Licia Pippin and Jeannette Wood.

The guidelines for 4-H Scholarship given by Yoakum County Extension Council were read and approved. The recipient must be a Plains or Denver City High School senior and an active 4-H member.

It was reported that 40 persons participated in the August Home Tour. The Holiday Gift Workshop was scheduled for Oct. 10 and the Family Life Program Committee will meet Oct. 3.

New officers of the Council were elected. They are Margaret Box, chairman and reporter; Dorothy Jones, secretary-treasurer; and Clara Williams, vice chairman.

The Annual Extension Program Council will be held in the party house in Yoakum County Park Oct. 2 at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a covered dish. Rep. Jim Rudd of Brownfield will be guest speaker and his topic will be on Legislative Outlook.

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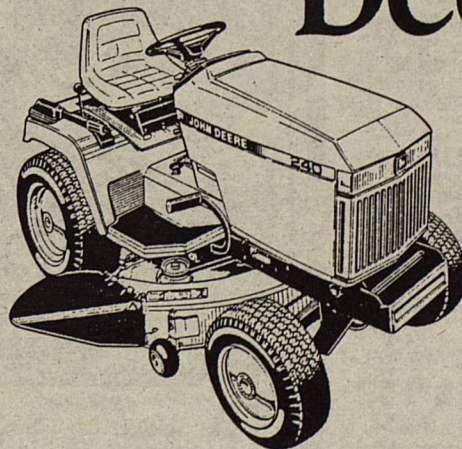
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CENTER CUT BONELESS BEEF CHUCK ROAST	LB.	\$1.69
HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF BONELESS ARM SHOULDER STEAK	LB.	\$1.89
SELECT SLICED YOUNG BEEF LIVER	LB.	89¢
LEAN FRESH GROUND CHUCK	LB.	\$1.69
ARMOUR'S PRE-COOKED CHICKEN FRIED BEEF PATTIES	LB.	\$1.39
OSCAR MAYER SLICED MEAT BOLOGNA	8 OZ. PKG.	\$1.29
LOUIS RICH TURKEY MEAT FRANKS	12 OZ. PKG.	\$1.19

**WASHINGTON X-FANCY RED DELICIOUS-NEW CROP Apples**  
59¢ LB.

**CALIFORNIA LARGE FLAME SEEDLESS Grapes**  
89¢ LB.

**PRODUCE SPECIALS**

TEXAS GREEN CABBAGE	LB.	19¢
PREMIUM RED POTATOES	4 LBS.	\$1.00
TEXAS FRESH BELL PEPPERS	2 LBS.	89¢

**FROZEN FOODS & DAIRY**

PET RITZ AP/LP/CH/RY. COBBLERS	28 OZ. PKG.	\$1.99
PET RITZ DEEP DISH PIE SHELLS	2 CT. PKG.	\$1.29
ORE-IDA SHREDDED HASH BROWNS	24 OZ. PKG.	\$1.09
WEIGHT WATCHERS BFC/HS ENCHILADA RANCHERO	8 OZ. PKG.	\$1.98
WEIGHT WATCHERS CHICKEN/BEEF FAJITAS	8 OZ. PKG.	\$1.98
BANQUET REG. FRIED CHICKEN	28 OZ. BOX	\$2.69
PATIO ASST. MEXICAN DINNERS	12 OZ. PKG.	\$1.29
PATIO ASST. BEEF & BEAN BURRITOS	5 OZ. PKG.	2.79¢

**SHEDD'S SPREAD COUNTRY CROCK**  
3 LB. TUB \$1.59

**BORDENS ASSORTED ICE CREAM** 1/2 GAL. ROUND \$1.89  
**WEIGHT WATCHERS CHOCOLATE TREATS** 6 CT. PKG. \$1.29  
**PAY-N-SAVE HOMO MILK** GAL. JUG \$1.97  
**SHURFINE BUTTERMILK** 1/2 GAL. JUG \$1.07



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