

1989 Young Farmer Award Presented To Don Parrish

Don Parrish was awarded the 1989 Outstanding Young Farmer Award by Yoakum County Young Farmers during the annual Agricultural Tour Wednesday.

The honoree and his wife, Sue Ann, farm irrigated and dryland cotton, grain sorghum and wheat. President of Yoakum County Marketing Club, Parrish also runs stocker cattle. He is involved in numerous educational programs in the field of agriculture.

More than 40 Yoakum County agriculturalists and Plains High School ag students attended the tour which also saw recognition paid to result demonstration cooperators who conducted research based practical application of the latest in agricultural technology and charter members of Yoakum County Marketing Club.

Cooperators included Chuck Dorminey, Eddie Earnest, Dell Knight, Wayne House, Tim Addison, Hoss and Lavern Newsom, N.S. Clanahan, Larry Morrow and Kenneth McGinty. Charter members of the Marketing Club are Parrish, Addison, Ron Craft, Rickey Bearden, Marvin Dearing, Ace Hamm, Gary Jackson, Brad Palmer, Jim Risley and Tracy Welch.

First stop on the tour was the Royce Randall farm where ostriches and other exotic livestock are raised. The ostrich industry is a thriving new industry in the U.S., offering diversification for farmers and ranchers.

Next, the group heard Larry Morrow comment on peanut production with special emphasis on new varietal developments better suited to the High Plains' short growing season. On the Wayne House farm on the state line, Puss Perkins of BASF described benefits and best application of Pix plant growth regulator.

Dr. James Supak, TAEX cotton agronomist, discussed harvest management for quickness of the 1989 crop. Next stop was the Brad Palmer farm where bell peppers are nearing harvest. He discussed production practices such as windbreaks and irrigation timing.

Traveling southward down the state line, the group viewed pima cotton production on the Kent Hilburn farm. Dr. Supak discussed differences in upland cotton (species Hirsutum) and Pima cotton (species Barbadense). Dr. Jim Leser described different in-

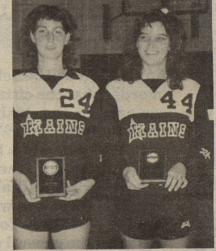
sect management practices needed for the "Old World Cotton".

Next stop was to view equipment and discuss applicability of conservation tillage in the area with the Jim Risley farm providing an assortment of "row-till" type implements and some excellent cotton under this management program.

Final tour stop was the Chuck Dorminey Ranch for demonstration plots showing the effectiveness of chemical weed and brush control on rangeland. Due to lack of moisture, the plots show a limited response at this time and may be included in the 1990 tour to better evaluate the practice.

Edwin Livengood discussed the upcoming underground water conservation district election and asked for support of the effort. Plains State Bank and Yoakum County State Bank sponsored a barbecue lunch catered by Big John's of Big Spring.

Transportation was provided by Plains ISD with superintendent Dean Andrews and ag science instructor Joe Pierce serving as drivers.



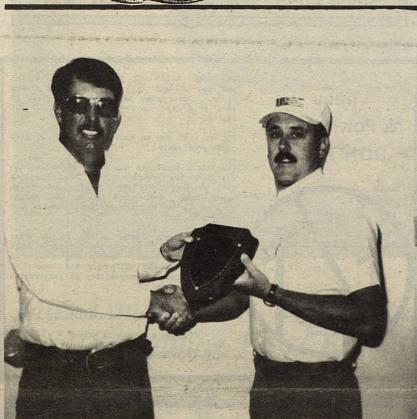
MARSHA FARNHAM & RENA MCELROY

Cowgirls Capture Tournament Win

The Cowgirls captured the championship at the Grandfalls-Royalty Invitational Tournament last weekend with their 15-3 15-1 win over the host team.

Marsha Farnham, who tallied nine kills in the championship match, was selected as the most valuable player of the tournament and Rena McElroy was named to the all tournament team.

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OUTSTANDING YOUNG FARMER OF THE YEAR award was presented to Don Parrish by Yoakum County Young Farmers' president Ron Craft.

Community Education Classes Offered At Plains Schools

Community Education Classes are once again being offered to adults and children in the Plains Independent School District although attendance is not limited to residents of the district.

Fees and minimum attendance must be met the first night of class or courses will be cancelled. Class fees have been assigned according to the cost of the instructor for a minimum enrollment. Most courses will require a minimum of 10 participants in order for the class to be offered.

Smoking will not be allowed in the building.

Persons may enroll in all classes by mail or by calling Mary Pettigrew or Arlon Alexander at 456-7490 or 456-7445. Senior citizen discounts are no longer honored.

Woodworking will be a 10 weeks course beginning Sept. 26 in the high school shop. Hours are 6 to 9 p.m. with a fee of \$15. A minimum of 15 students is required.

Micro-softworks will meet in the high school computer lab. Classes will continue for eight weeks, beginning Sept. 26. Fee is \$20 with the course to be taught from 6 to 8 p.m. Only 12 persons may enroll. High school home economics room will be the location for a Beginning Clothing course. To begin Sept. 26, classes will be from 6 to 9 p.m. and continue eight weeks. Fee is \$20.

Low Impact Aerobics will be offered for eight weeks with classes from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday. Beginning Sept. 25, fee is \$20.

A minimum of eight weeks and maximum of 12 is the Oil Painting Course. Beginning Oct. 5 it will be taught from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursdays for a fee of \$32.

Persons interested in Machine Monogramming (freehand) may attend a three weeks class in the home economics room of PHS. Beginning Oct. 10, it will be held Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m. Fee is \$10.

Calligraphy will be taught in a three weeks course. Classes will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Mondays with a fee of \$10.

Welding will be offered beginning Oct. 2. Classes will be 6 to 8 p.m. Mondays with a fee of \$20. The course will be four weeks.

Cowboys Defeated 28-14

The Cowboys traveled to Seagraves for their second game of the season.

Taking on the Eagles proved a tough chore for the Cowboys. Seagraves was coming off a big win over Stanton and are considered a strong force in AA football this year.

The Eagles opened the scoring during the first quarter. After a 43 yard run by Quincy Anderson, Steven Henderson scored on an eight yard run. The PAT was good.

On the Eagles next possession David Gonzales took the ball on the first play and sprinted 55 yards for Seagraves' second TD. The PAT was good and the score was Seagraves 14, Plains 0.

Plains defense slowed the Eagles during the remainder of the half. On one drive the Eagles were stopped at the Plains nine when Tony Yeager caused a fumble and Shane Lowrey recovered for the Cowboys. Monte Pierce went to the air more in the second half. He hit Shawn Booth with a 37 yard throw to the Seagraves 13. Pierce then hit Dan Rushing for the touchdown. Rodney Garland added the PAT and the score was 14-7.

Seagraves scored again on a 37 yard run by Anderson on the first play of the fourth quarter. The PAT was good.

Henry Gonzales scored one a two yard run which was set up by a 36 yard pass from Pierce to Booth. The PAT by Garland was good.

Anderson scored the final TD of the game on a six yard run. The PAT was good and the final score was Seagraves 28, Plains 14.

The Cowboys had 15 first downs, 47 yards rushing and 186 yards passing.

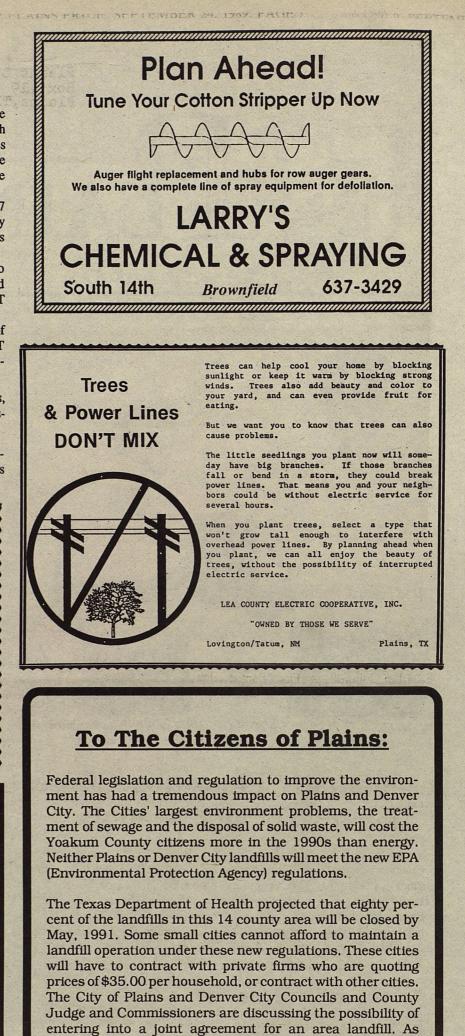
the Plains nine when Tony Yeager caused a fumble and Shane Lowrey recovered for the Cowboys. The leading tackles for the Cowboys were Rodney Garland, Chris Gayle and Tony Yeager.



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Sincerely, Ruth Hurphrue Ruth Murphree City Administrator

informed.

City of Plains P. O. Box 550 Plains, Texas 79355



MRS. FORREST MICHAEL EARNEST

Miss Landers, Mr. Earnest Recite Wedding Vows Recently

Wedding vows were exchanged Saturday, July 29 in First Baptist Church of Cotton Center for Kellie Shirlene Landers and Forrest Michael Earnest.

Officiating was the Rev. Cecil Golden of Plainview.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Landers of Cotton Center and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Earnest.

Betty Jayne Castle of Hale Center, pianist, presented pre-nuptial selections and accompanied Melba Crutcher, aunt of the groom, as she sang, "The Wedding Song", "The Lord's Prayer", and "Lost in Your Eyes". Tambre Tarlton, cousin of the bride, sang "Sunrise, Sunset" and, with Brad McWhirter, sang "All I Ask of You".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satin fashioned with Sabrina neckline enhanced with English net and Schiffli lace accented with seed pearls. Bibson sleeves of satin and English net were highlighted with Alencon lace appliques, Schiffli lace and seed pearls. Her full skirt fell from a natural waistline and was embellished with irridescents and seed pearls. Strands of pearls accented the back of the gown across the shoulders. A bow graced the back waistline above a chapel length train finished with scallops of Schiffli lace.

A tiara of antique teardrop pearls, seed pearls and rhinestones, finished with irridescents held her waltz length veil. She carried a bouquet of silk roses and gardenias with floor length streamers of lace and satin tied with love knots and accented with teardrops of white satin roses and lily of the val-

ley. Keeping traditions, for "something old" the bride wore her grandmother's gold wedding band. "Something new" was her gown and she "borrowed" a lace handkerchief from the groom's mother. She wore the traditional blue garter and, in her shoes, carried pennies minted in the year of her own and the bridegroom's births.

Shannon Dietrich of Kentucky was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Tambre Tarlton of Lubbock, Jennifer Earnest, sister of the groom, Melissa Gonzales of Hale Center and Rebecca Lee of Lubbock. They wore tea length dresses of mauve satin styled with puffed sleeves accented at the shoulders with satin roses. Large satin bows at the back accented their princess waistlines. They carried bouquets of mauve parrot tulips accented with baby's breath and streamers of white tulle with mauve and teal picots. Flower girl was Leslie Landers, sister of the bride.

Keith Earnest was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Paul Kennedy of Lubbock, Brad McWhirter, Cody Landers of Levelland, brother of the bride, and Billy Bob Anderson of Denver City. The groom was attired in black tails with white vest and shirt. His attendants wore black tuxedos with white vests and shirts. Tony Landers, brother of the bride, carried rings.

Lathan Landers, brother of the bride, lighted candles. Guests were seated by Kenley Powell and Treg Tarlton of Lubbock, cousin of the bride.

A reception was held in fellowship

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hall. Laid with mauve cloth under white lace, the bride's table was highlighted with the bride's bouquet and a Precious Moments porcelain figurine. Topped with a Precious Moments bride and groom, the cake featured three tiers above a fountain with smaller cakes on either side. Donne McCormich and Dee Villareal served cake and sherbet punch from crystal and silver appointments.

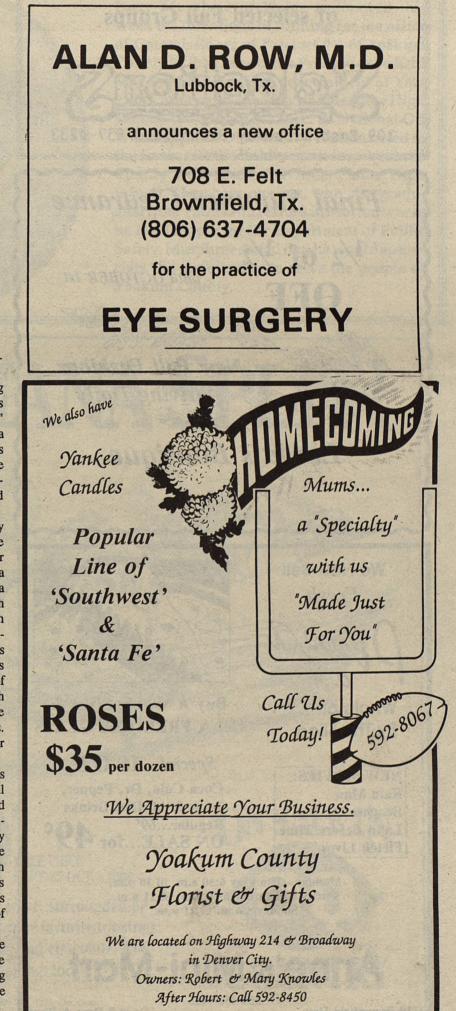
The groom's table was covered with a teal satin cloth and highlighted with a candle centerpiece surrounded by miniature tractors belonging to the groom. Red Velvet cake frosted in chocolate, designed as double hearts, was served with coffee from gold appointments. Presiding were Linda Ellis of Midland, aunt of the groom, and Lisa Arnett, cousin of the groom.

For a wedding trip to Dallas and Orlando, Fla., the bride chose a dress of red and white fashioned with open back.

The couple is at home in Plains.

A graduate of Cotton Center High School, the bride is a student at South Plains College.

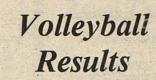
The groom graduated from Plains High School and earned an associate degree in agri-business from South Plains College. He is engaged in farming in the Tokio area.



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VARSITY

The Cowgirls, now 14-2, had their thirteen game winning streak broken Tuesday night when they suffered a 15-9 10-15 13-15 loss to the Brownfield Cubs.

Marsha Farnham led the offensive effort with nine kills. Rena McElroy added six kills and Leslie Patton followed with four. Rena and Corie Spencer finished the match with nine and seven digs respectively and Marsha contributed three blocks.

The Cowgirls are competing in the Colorado City Tournament this weekend. They will host Jal Tuesday, Sept. 26. JV competition will begin at 6 p.m.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Junior Varsity improved to 7-6 by bouncing back from a one-game deficit to defeat Brownfield 13-15 15-2 15-10 in out of town volleyball action Tuesday night.

Amy Jones and Jo Lena Powell led all hitters with four kills each. Ashlee Winn and Vee Ann Fitzgerald combined for four kills. Leslie Gonzales contributed four digs and Amy, Vee Ann and Shannon Squyres tallied one block each defensively.

The Cowgirls advanced to the third place match of the Snyder JV Tournament last weekend but failed to defeat Big Spring. Big Spring won the match 15-10 15-8.

In first round action the JV topped Monahans 15-2 15-3 with Ashlee contributing ten points. The Cowgirls fell to Snyder 5-15 13-15 in the semi-final round. Kemi Cobb led all servers with six points.

The JV is competing in the Lamesa JV Tournament this weekend. They will return to their homecourt Tuesday, Sept. 26 for a 6 p.m. match with Jal.

NINTH GRADE

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The ninth graders, now 8-1, defeated Brownfield 15-4 15-8 Tuesday night in the Cub gym. Darce Pierce recorded 11 service points including four aces. Cowgirl hitting included Darce, two kills; Ogla Ramirez, two kills; Betsy Blair, one kill; Brandy Lester, one kill; Andrea Salas, one kill.

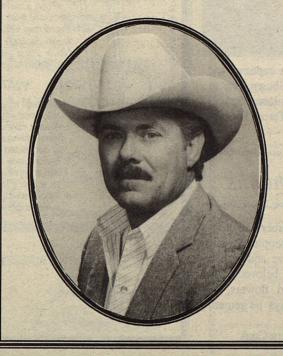
The Cowgirls claimed second place in the Snyder Ninth Grade Tournament last weekend. They were defeated in the championship match by Big Spring.

action, the Cowgirls in first round rallied to defeat Pecos 3-15 15-3 17-15. Ogla Ramirez contributed 16 service points.

Study Club Sets New Year Start

Tsa Mo Ga Study Club will begin a new club year Monday, Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. in the Tsa Mo Ga Clubhouse. Program topic will be "Awareness -Environment Education".

Darce recorded ten service points in the Cowgirls semi-final match with Monahans. Monica Flores and Ogla combined for 12 points. They advanced to the finals with their 15-12 15-2 win.



Larry Murphree of Plains announced this week his intentions of running for the office of Commissioner of Precinct # 4 of Yoakum County in the Democratic Primary to be held May 5, 1990. He is a 27 year resident of Yoakum County and a graduate of Meadow High School. He is Store Manager of National Oil Well Supply in Denver City. He is married to the former Ruth Hinkle, a native of Yoakum County who graduated from Plains High School. They have one son, who also graduated from Plains and resides in Morton where he is a Trooper for the Department of Public Safety. Murphree stated that he would appreciate the opportunity to serve the people of Yoakum County.



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TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS - Plains High's volleyball team captured top honors in the 1989 Grandfalls-Royalty Tournament Sept. 16. Shown, left to right, front row, Martha Rivera, Corie Spencer, Marsha Farnham, Sandra Ramos, Melissa Green. Back row, Coach Charles Cain, Manager Teresa Hinson, Rena McElroy, Leslie Patton and Michelle Lowe.

Cowgirls...

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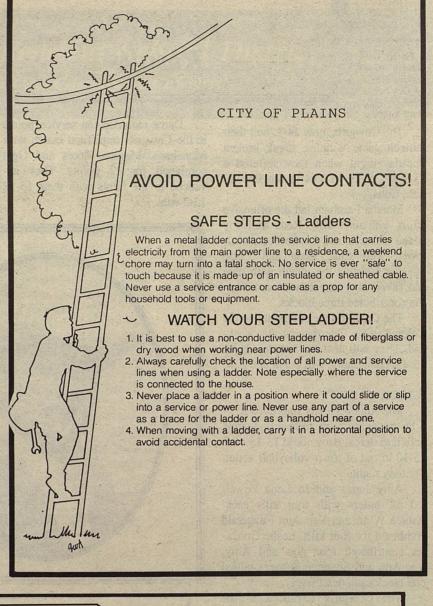
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Rena and Corie Spencer combined for 14 service points and Melissa Green

recorded four digs for the defense. Earlier in the day the Cowgirls downed Imperial Buena Vista 15-1 15-3 and blitzed Wink 15-2 15-6. Rena contributed 12 service points and Marsha seven kills in the Cowgirls' first round of play. Marsha paced the offense against Wink with seven kills and Melissa added two. Leslie Patton led all servers with 11 points and Sandra Ramos contributed four digs. and and a devander and a devander and

Words cannot express the gratitude we feel for all the people of Plains who expressed their love and sympathy in the loss of our beloved sister LaVern. The cards, food, flowers, and love offering will always be remembered by each of us.

The family of LaVern Cook





It will soon be time to light your gas heaters for the winter months. The City will check for gas leaks for you before you do this. Call 456-2288 for this service.

Did you know that the distinctive odor of natural gas is put there by the City as a safety measure? Natural gas has no odor when it comes from the ground, so the City adds the odor before it delivers the gas to you.

So, if you should ever smell gas, go next door or across the street to call the City. Do not do anything that might cause an electrical spark. The City will send an employee to locate the source of the odor. Do your part by calling the City whenever you smell gas.

Remember to call the City at 456-2288.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM

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Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Yoakum County will receive bids until 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd day of October, 1989 for the purchase of a new 1989 or 1990 vehicle, to be paid for from current budgeted funds. Specifications are as follows: Stationwagon, air/heat, tinted glass, tilt wheel, double mirrors, all electric windows and locks, cloth seats, AM/FM radio w/cassette player, 305 motor/automatic transmission, cruise control, full-size spare and wheel.

Sealed bids should be marked on the outside of the envelope and mailed or delivered to the County Judge's Office, P.O. Box 456, Plains, Texas 79355.

The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Published in The Plains Pride on September 17 and 24.

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DECLARING CANDIDACY FOR THE SANDY LAND UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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479, Plains, Texas.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Plains Independent School District will accept

bids for the purchase of Texas Learning Tech-

nology Group Physical Science Curriculum,

and computer hardware to run the system, until

2:00 p.m., Thursday, September 28, 1989. Bid

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ORDINANCE 98

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE MAXIMUM RATE OF SPEED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES; ALLOWING FOR SPEED ZONES; PROVIDING FOR PENALTY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of PLAINS, Texas, upon the basis of engineering and traffic investigation, find it necessary to establish maximum speed limits, and create speed zones in certain areas all within the Corporate Limits of the City of PLAINS, Texas.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of PLAINS, Texas, also finds it is necessary to immediate preservation of the public health and safety to provide for the immediate enactment of such measures, constituting an

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLAINS, TEXAS;

SECTION 1. Subsection (A). Speed restrictions. It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person to drive or operate a motor vehicle upon any street, roadway or highway in the City Limits of the City of PLAINS, Texas, at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the conditions then existing, having regard to the actual and potential hazards when approaching and crossing an intersection or a railway grade crossing, when approaching and going around a curve, when approaching a hill crest, when travelling upon any narrow or winding roadway, or when special hazards exist with respec to pedestrians or other traffic or by reason of weather or highway conditions; and in every event, speed shall be so controlled as may be necessary to avoid colliding with any person, vehicle or other conveyance on or entering the highway in complaince with legal requirements and the duty of all persons to use due care.

Subsection (B). Where no special hazard exists that requires lower speed for compliance with Subsection 1 (A) of this Section, the speed of any vehicle not in excess of the limits specified in this Subsection or established as hereinafter authorized shall be lawful, but any speed in excess of the limits specified in this Subsection or established as hereinafter authorized shall be prima facie evidence that the speed is not reasonable or prudent and that it is unlawful:

The speed zones established by this Ordinance shall include all of S.H. 214 within the Corporate Limits of the City of PLAINS; the maximum legal speed shall be as follows:

> Beginning at the North City Limit, the maximum legal speed for both northbound and southbound traffic shall be 55 MPH for a distance of 0.678 mile to the intersection with Moreland Street extending to the west; thence 45 MPH for a distance of 0.318 mile to the intersection with the South City Limit.

And all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not less than Ten (\$10.00) nor more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

SECTION 3. That the hazards and dangers to public health and safety create a necessity requiring all rules providing that no Ordinance shall be finally passed on the day of its introduction be suspended; and this Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure, to take effect from and after the date of its first publication

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 15th DAY OF August

APPROVED:

J.J. miller Mayor

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