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YOAKUM'S FIRST BALE OF COTTON was brought in Wednesday, Oct. 11 to Tokio Co-op Gin by Bobby Welch and his three-year-old son, Jack Trey. He and his wife, Janie have another son, Neil, four-years-old, who opted for something better to do than ride with his dad to the gin Wednesday. Pictured with the Welches, left to right, are Joe Garcia, ginner; J.O. Reed, manager; Sherlyn Sherrin, secretary; and Lupe Valdez, ginner.

42 to 6

## Cowboys Win Again

The Cowboys topped a week of Homecoming events with a convincing win over the Meadow Broncos.

Monte Pierce scored the Cowboys first TD on a two-yard quarterback sneak. Rodney Garland's extra point kick was good.

With 1:11 left in the first quarter Henry Gonzales reached the end zone after a good 19 yard run. Garland's kick was good. First quarter score was Plains 14, Meadow 0.

Only 57 seconds had gone off the second quarter clock when Mario Medina took the ball 27 yards for the Cowboys' third touchdown. Garland's kick was good. Halftime score was Plains 21, Meadow 0.

With good defensive effort, Medina blocked a Bronco punt and Gonzales recovered the ball.

As the Cowboys took over offensively, Shane Lowrey caught a ten yard pass from Pierce to put the Cowboys on the three yard line. Gonzales carried the ball in from the three for the touchdown. Garland's kick was good.

Just a little over a minute later, Gonzales intercepted a Bronco pass. Taking over the ball, Pierce tossed a 14 yard seam pass to Lowrey for the Cowboys fifth touchdown. Garland's kick was again good.

Only 35 seconds left in the third quarter, Wade Redman scored on a 20 yard run. Garland's kick was good.

The third quarter score was Plains 42, Meadow 0.

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## Bobby Welch Farm Produces County's First Bale Of Cotton

Yoakum County's first bale of cotton for the 1989 growing season was delivered Wednesday, Oct. 11 to Tokio Co-op Gin by Bobby Welch. The 455-lb bale was ginned free of charge.

The premium bale was of Stroman 254 and brought \$1 per pound. The strength was 26; grade 31; staple 36; and mic. 3.2.

Tokio Co-op Gin's annual Stockholder's Meeting was held earlier this year in the school cafeteria in Plains. Patrons received reports showing five year averages from 1979 to 1983 and 1984 to 1989, with the first period showing an average of 7826 bales ginned at a loss of 3.36. The second five year period, boosted by the 1988-89 season with 32,727 bales, averaged 14,781 for \$12.85.

Tokio Co-op Gin board of directors are president, Harold Parrish; vice president, Eddie Earnest; secretary, William Worsham; Roger Bennett, Roy Lowrey, Brad Ancinec and T.D.

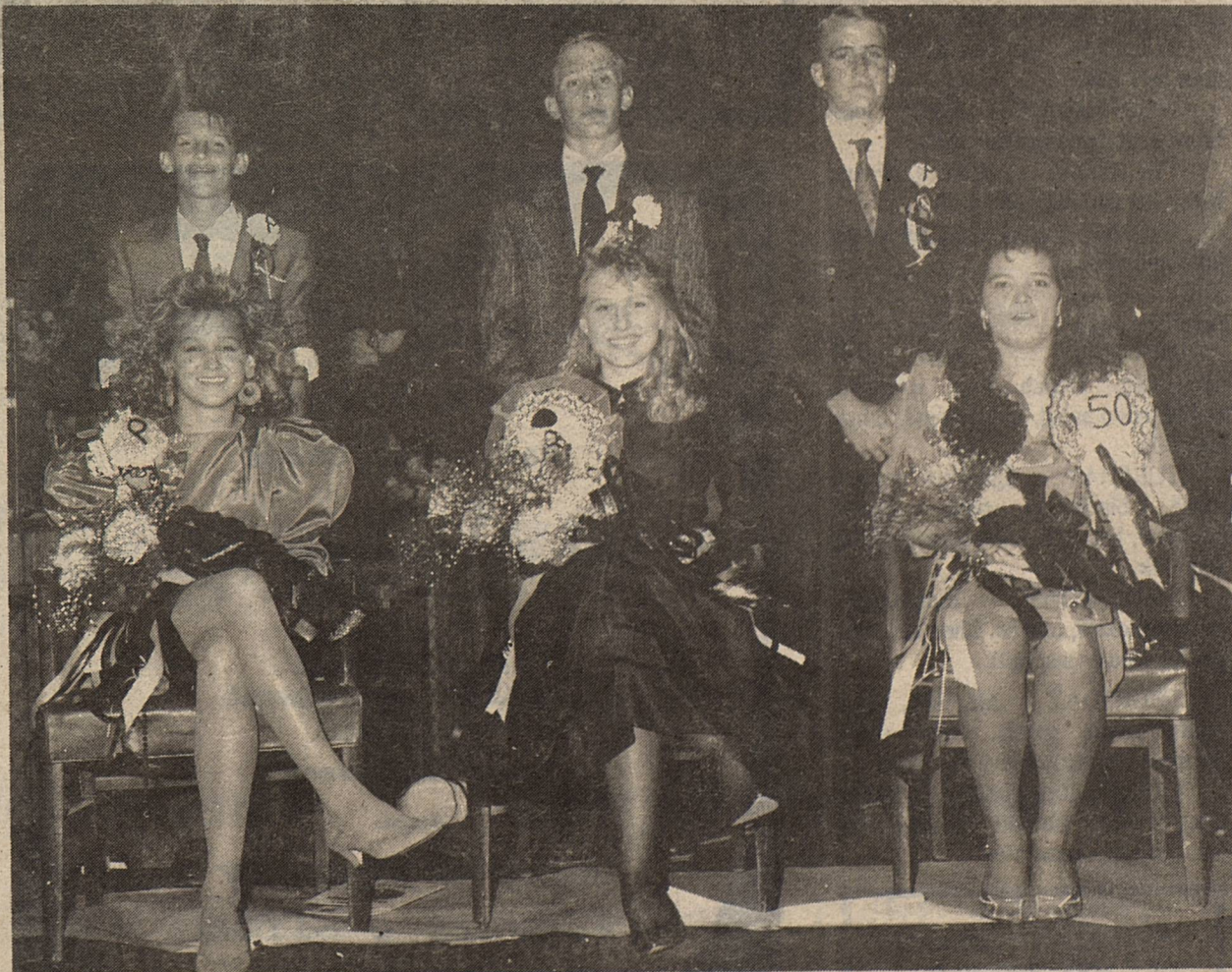
Roberts, directors; and J.O. Reed, manager.

## Time To Order Cowboy Yearbook

The 1990 Cowboy yearbook will be on sale Oct. 23-27. This is the only time orders may be taken and no extra copies will be ordered. Persons wishing to obtain copies must do so at this time.

Cost of the yearbook is \$12. For the first time, imprinting will be available at an extra charge of \$2.50 for names up to 21 characters (including spaces). Longer names or names with titles will be set in two lines and will cost \$5.

Yearbooks may be purchased in the elementary, junior high and high school offices or from Sally Burrus, Deborah Cowart, Jennifer Taylor and Mark Hill.



NEWLY CROWNED HOMECOMING QUEEN JO WINN; and to the right, Rena McElroy and escort, Brad Ashburn.  
LENA POWELL AND ESCORT, JASON SMITH; and her court, to the left, Ashlee Winn and escort, Ladd



# Plains Independent School District

'Home of the Cowboys & Cowgirls'

## From The Superintendent's Desk

Dean Andrews



We continue with the series of articles entitled "What Works at Home". We feel that the information in these articles can be of benefit to anyone who is interested in the quality of education provided for our children.

### RESEARCH FINDING:

A good way to teach children simple arithmetic is to build on their informal knowledge. This is why learning to count everyday objects is an effective basis for early arithmetic lessons.

Young children are comfortable with numbers; "math anxiety" comes in later years. Just watching the enjoyment children get from songs and nursery rhymes that involve counting is ample evidence of their natural ease. These early counting activities can set the stage for later, more formal exposure to arithmetic.

But counting is not limited to merely reciting strings of numbers. It also includes matching numbers to objects and reaching totals (for example, counting the number of apples sitting on a table). Children learn to do arithmetic by first mastering different counting strategies, beginning with rote counting (1, 2, 3, 4), and progressing to memorized computations (2x2=4). As children learn the facts of arithmetic, they also learn to combine those facts by using more sophisticated strategies. As their skills grow, they rely less and less on counting.

When teachers begin by using children's informal knowledge, then proceed to more complex operations, children learn more readily and enjoy it.

### What's Cooking At School?



#### BREAKFAST

- MONDAY - Toast, apricot preserves, grape juice and milk.
- TUESDAY - Donut, toast, apple juice and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Toast, hash browns, orange juice and milk.
- THURSDAY - Waffles, syrup, butter, tomato juice and milk.
- FRIDAY - Cereal, toast, pineapple juice and milk.

#### LUNCH

- MONDAY - Super dogs w/mustard, French fries w/catsup, combination salad, gingerbread, butter and milk.
- TUESDAY - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, blackeyed peas, creamy coleslaw, hot rolls, chocolate pudding and milk.
- WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onions, Chee-tos, fruit, peanut sandies and milk.
- THURSDAY - Mr. Rib, pinto beans, pickle spears, onion rings, cornbread, apple cobbler and milk.
- FRIDAY - Fried chicken w/gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, pineapple and milk.

ANNUALS ARE ON SALE  
OCTOBER 23-27, 1989

### EXERCISES:

- 1) When you do things with young children, form the habit of counting. Count everything. Count the stairs you climb; count the steps from the door to the street; count the white dogs you see; count the black cars. Once you start, your children will think of lots of things to count.
- 2) Board games and games with cards or dice give lots of chances to count and work with numbers. Games with play money are especially good. These can be very inexpensive at garage sales, can keep children busy and quiet, and can provide an activity that the whole family can enjoy.
- 3) Shopping trips are great for learning to work with numbers. Ask a child to pick out four apples. Read the prices on items as you go through the store. As children grow older, they can really think about prices, budgets, making change. Say, "This can of tomatoes costs 69 cents. Could we buy it with three quarters? How much money would we get back?"
- 4) Have children cut coupons out of newspapers and magazines. Let them keep track of how much money is saved by using them.
- 5) When one child is trying to learn the multiplication tables, let the whole family help. Take turns giving problems at the dinner table: What is 5 x 6? What is 3 x 8? (The review will help everyone.)
- 6) Create "practical" problems for children to solve. "There will be six children at the party and we want three cookies for each one. How many cookies should we buy?" "If you get \$1.50 per hour for babysitting, how much will you be paid for 3 1/2 hours?"

### School Events

- MONDAY: 4-H Festive Foods - Cafeteria, 4 p.m.; Volleyball - Tatum - T - 7th, 8th, JV - 5:30 p.m.
- TUESDAY: P.S.A.T. @ Plains; Volleyball - Three Way - T - V - 5 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY: TEAMS Exit Test - Language Arts; District Cross Country @ Lamesa, 5:30 p.m.
- THURSDAY: TEAMS Exit Test - Language Arts; Football - Brownfield - H - 7th - 4:30 p.m.; Football - Petersburg - T - 8th - 5 p.m.
- FRIDAY: Yoakum County Youth Development Retreat - Circle 6 Football - Petersburg - H - V - 7:30 p.m.
- SATURDAY: A.C.T. @ Plains; Volleyball - Alpine @ Odessa, 2 p.m.; Yoakum County Youth Development Retreat continues

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Anthony Day  
Rena McElroy

Most Handsome  
Dain Guetersloh

Most Beautiful  
Michelle Lowe

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Blaine McWhirter  
Monica Flores

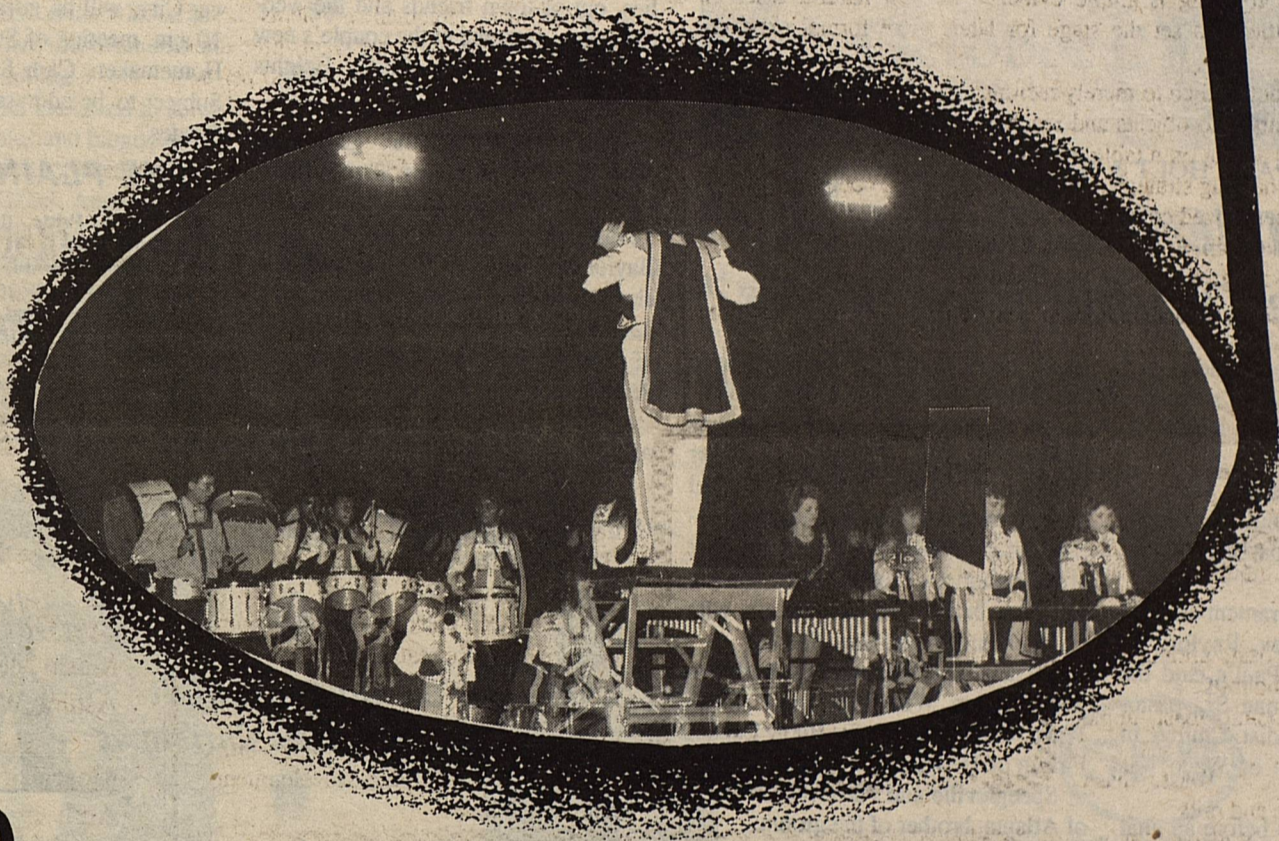
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Rena McElroy

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Dusty Rafferty  
Leslie Patton

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MR. K. PAUL HOLT & DR. DONNA MILLER

## Donna Miller, K. Paul Holt Exchange Double Ring Vows

Wedding vows were solemnized Sunday afternoon in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Waco for Dr. Donna G. Miller and K. Paul Holt.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Holt of Atlanta are parents of the groom.

Conducting the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony was the Rev. Rayford B. High Jr., rector of St. Paul's, and the Rev. Richard M. Freeman Sr., pastor of First United Methodist Church in Waco. Ken Williamson of Waco was acolyte.

Vows were spoken before an altar accented with white gladioli arrangements in brass urns. White bows with greenery accented the pews.

Dr. Debrah Brown Worsham of Joaquin, soloist, sang "Cherish The Treasure" and "The Servant's Song".

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white satin fashioned with lace and pearl enhanced bodice featuring a round neckline, dropped waistline and long sleeves. She carried a cascade of phalaenopsis orchids with stephanotis, Queen Anne's lace, maidenhair fern and English ivy complimented with white satin ribbons.

Keeping traditions, she carried an embroidered linen handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother as "something old". "Something new" was a white personal edition of the Book of Common Prayer. She "borrowed" a pearl necklace from her mother. "Something blue" were sky blue Ceylon sapphire earrings with diamond and sapphire jackets, a gift from the groom. In her shoe, she carried a six pence belonging to Mrs. William Wintford Taylor Jr.

Melanie Ann Monroe of Waco

was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were the bride's sisters, B.J. Miller Nicholson of Woodway, Glenda F. Miller of Richardson and Sherry K. Miller Melecki of Austin. They wore royal blue tea length dresses and carried cascades of stargazer lilies with light pink pixie carnations, rosario alstroemeria and blue belladonna delphinium with maidenhair fern and pink ribbons.

Attending the groom as best man was William Wintford Taylor III of Waco. Groomsman were Harry Eugene Firmin of Hewitt, John Carroll Minnix of Speegleville and Alex William Holt of Atlanta, brother of the groom.

Guests were seated by William Brian Anderson of Arlington, Dr. Randall Dean Spoonmore of Wylie, Sam Rice Bethea III of Silsbee and Wilder Eugene Chandler IV of Kerrville.

The groom and his attendants wore black pearl lapelled tuxedos.

The couple designed their own wedding rings, each featuring Ceylon sapphires, and accented by diamonds. The bride's gold engagement ring was comprised of seven stones, with a centered oval sapphire, flanked by alternating channel set diamonds and sapphires. Her two wedding bands were matching six stone rings of alternating sapphires and diamonds, arranged so that the oval sapphire was centered on all three bands. The groom's wedding band featured three stones, similar to the bride's. They were an oval channel set Ceylon sapphire, flanked by two diamond circumscribed in triangular relief, set in gold.

A reception honored the couple following the ceremony in the Parrish Hall. Guests were greeted by the wedding party in the Church Parlor.

Laid with a white linen cloth and adorned with a five branch crystal can-

delabra, the bride's table was appointed in silver. The three-tiered cake was frosted in white with white flowers and leaves. Presiding at the table were Dr. Frances Ann Lovelady of El Paso and Donna Cheatham Timmons of Brownfield.

The groom's table was laid with a royal blue linen cloth and highlighted by an arrangement of king protea with ti leaves, croton leaves and early willow in a tall brass compote. The two-tiered red velvet cake was decorated with butter icing and chocolate grapes. Appointed in silver, the table was presided over by Hazel C. Limback of Waco and Arlene Noel Ormsby of El Paso.

Kay Kocian Sheehy of Woodway attended both tables.

Presiding at the bride's book was Robbie Hale Phipps of Welch. Nieces of the bride, Meredith and Sarah Melecki of Austin distributed rice bags.

Following the reception, the families, out of town friends and the wedding party gathered at the couple's new home in the historic Castle Heights district in Waco.

Salutatorian of the graduating class of 1976 of Plains High School, the bride attended the University of Texas in Arlington and graduated from Baylor University in 1980 with a bachelor of science degree. She received her DDS degree from Baylor College of Dentistry in 1985. She has her own dental practice in Waco.

The groom graduated from Atlanta High School in 1972 and

Baylor University in 1976. He did masters work in social psychology. He is Executive Director of The Freeman Center, a residential treatment center for substance abuse recovery.

Following a week-long honeymoon on the Texas coast, east of Galveston, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Blair of Kountze, the newlyweds will be at home in Waco.

## Shower To Fete Sellers Infant

Little Miss Chrissa Skye Sellers, infant daughter of Renece Sellers, will be honored with a layette shower Monday, Oct. 30 in the party house of Yoakum County Park.

Friends and relatives are invited to call from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

## ATTORNEY TO SPEAK

Jerry Corbin, attorney from Denver City, will be guest speaker for the 10 a.m. meeting of Stateline Extension Homemakers Club Saturday, Oct. 28. Subject to be addressed is "Wills and Estates".

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**Football...Continued from Page 1**

Meadow scored their only touchdown in the fourth quarter on a run by Rudy Limon. The two point conversion failed and the final score was Plains 42, Meadow 6.

Medina rushed 14 times for 125 yards, Gonzales five for 44, Pierce five for 23, Redman eight for 63, Garrick Engle seven for 26, and Tony Yeager

two for four.

Pierce threw nine times with three completions for 46 yards and one interception.

Lowrey caught two passes for 24 yards and Dain Guetersloh had one for 22.

Leading tackle was Rodney Garland.

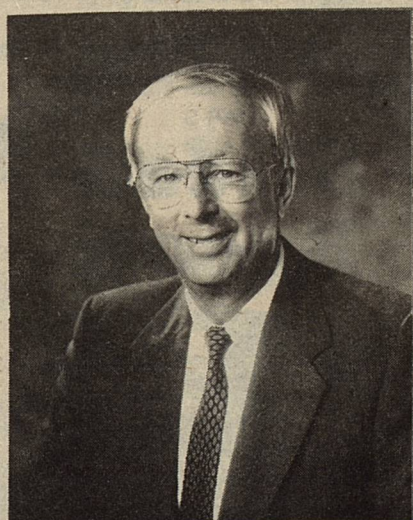
**Outstanding Artist To Be Selected**

The State of Texas will recognize its outstanding artists for their contributions portraying the proud spirit of Texas with the selection of the 1990 Texas State Artists.

Nominations are open statewide to any artist who resides in Texas and wishes to be considered for the honor.

One artist will be selected on the basis of achievements in two-dimensional media and one artist will be selected for his or her achievements in three-dimensional media.

Interested artists are asked to send photographic samples and biographical sketches to the office of Senator Carl Parker, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711. All materials will be returned to the artist. The deadline for application is Nov. 10, 1989. Any artist selected as a semi-finalist should have three representative pieces of their work ready to exhibit in the Capitol during early December.



JIM BARRON

**Barron Installed As President Of Association**

Yoakum County Commissioner Jim Barron was installed this week as president of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas. Installation culminated a three-day conference which was held in Astro Village Hotel in Houston.

All members of Yoakum County Commissioners Court attended.

Highlights of the conference were addresses by Attorney General Jim Mattox and State Treasurer Ann Richards. The conference also featured presentations on redistricting, criminal justice reform, disaster management for counties and county and special district laws.

*'Thank You' to our many friends for the prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, food, and flowers during my recent surgery.*

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*Helen & William Worsham*

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**Dear Editor:**

Dear Editor:  
I wish to thank everyone involved in the recent bike-a-thon for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

There were nine riders who turned out to ride and help children who are stricken with cancer and being treated at St. Jude's.

Two riders rode 50 laps around the park. They were Johnny Don Davis and Steven Bunch. Brad McMinn rode 35 laps; Ladd Winn and Sinky Bernal rode 25; Jason Robertson, Greg Salas and Jake Fitzgerald rode 20 and Dawn Garland rode eight laps.

These riders were great and we appreciate their efforts.

I also wish to thank Shirley Bunch for her help before and during the bike-a-thon.

And last, but not least, I wish to thank all the people who sponsored the riders and donated to St. Jude's.

All these people helped to make the ride a success.

Paula McMinn  
Bike-A-Thon Coordinator

**Palmer Services Held In Floydada**

Services were held Oct. 11 in Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home Chapel in Floydada for Harlan Palmer, 73, of Lubbock, brother-in-law and uncle of Plains residents, Pansy Palmer, Judy Fitzgerald and Jack Palmer.

Mr. Palmer died Oct. 9 following a lengthy illness.

He was a retired mechanic.

Other survivors include his wife, Besclare; a daughter, Harlan Provence of Lubbock; and two sisters, Shirley Stevenson of Tulia and Maudie Adams of Lubbock.

**EXPIRING SUBSCRIPTIONS**

OCTOBER

- Jim Barron
- Danny Bell
- Alex Bitolas
- Tim Bowers
- Lola Bryan
- Rickey Bearden
- Mary Clanhahan
- Lynn Cox
- John Dale Curtis
- Charles Dyer
- Johnnie L. Fitzgerald
- Randy Forbus
- Ray Faught
- Robert Haines
- Bob Johnson
- Jan Lester
- Darrell Lowrey
- C.P. Lewis
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- Neal Newsom
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## Murphree, Cobb & Smith Toss Hats Into Election Ring

Primary elections of 1990 are already drawing the attention of several persons with a trio of announcements given this week to The Plains Pride. Announcing their plans to become candidates for county offices are Larry Murphree, Jack Cobb and Hershel R. Smith.

Murphree and Cobb have stated their intentions to seek the commissioner's post for precinct 4. Smith has announced his intentions to run for the office of Justice of the Peace, precinct 1.

A resident of Yoakum County the past 25 years, Smith is in his seventh year of employment with Yoakum County precinct 3. He is serving his third term on the City Council.

Smith and his wife, Debbie, are parents of two sons. Jason is a sophomore at Plains High School; Luke, a sixth grader.

Murphree, store manager for National Oilwell Supply in Denver City, is a 27-year resident of Yoakum County. He is married to the former Ruth Hinkle and the father of one son, a trooper with the Department of Public Safety.

Cobb has lived in Yoakum County 38 years. A graduate of Plains High School with degrees from Howard Payne and Texas Tech Universities, he has served as high school principal and for the past 11 years has farmed and

operated his own aerial spraying business.

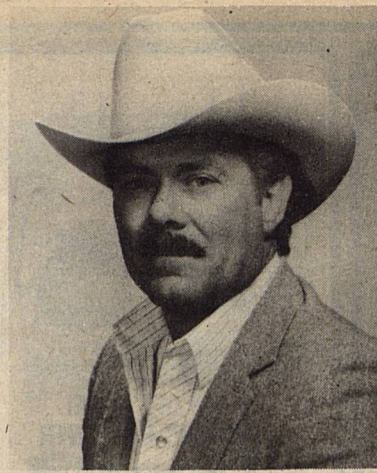
He and his wife, Janelle, are parents of three daughters. Kristi and Karen are students at Texas Tech; Kemi is a student in Plains High School.

The trio pledges a desire to serve the people of Yoakum County and ask support in the forthcoming election.

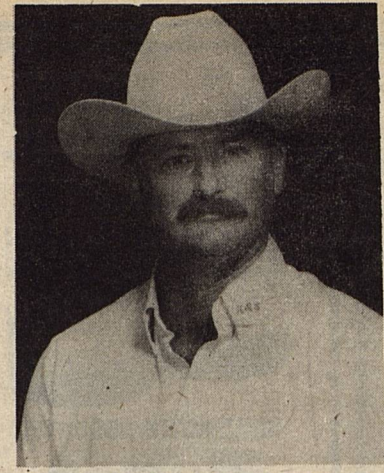
## DPS Association Sets Convention

Texas Department of Public Safety Officers Association will host its 16th Annual Convention Oct. 19-22 in the Holidome in Odessa.

Amendment #1 and other legislative subjects will be addressed during the convention. Representatives of North American MORPHO, an automated fingerprint identification system manufacturer, will also speak. A memorial luncheon will honor DPS members who have fallen in the line of duty.

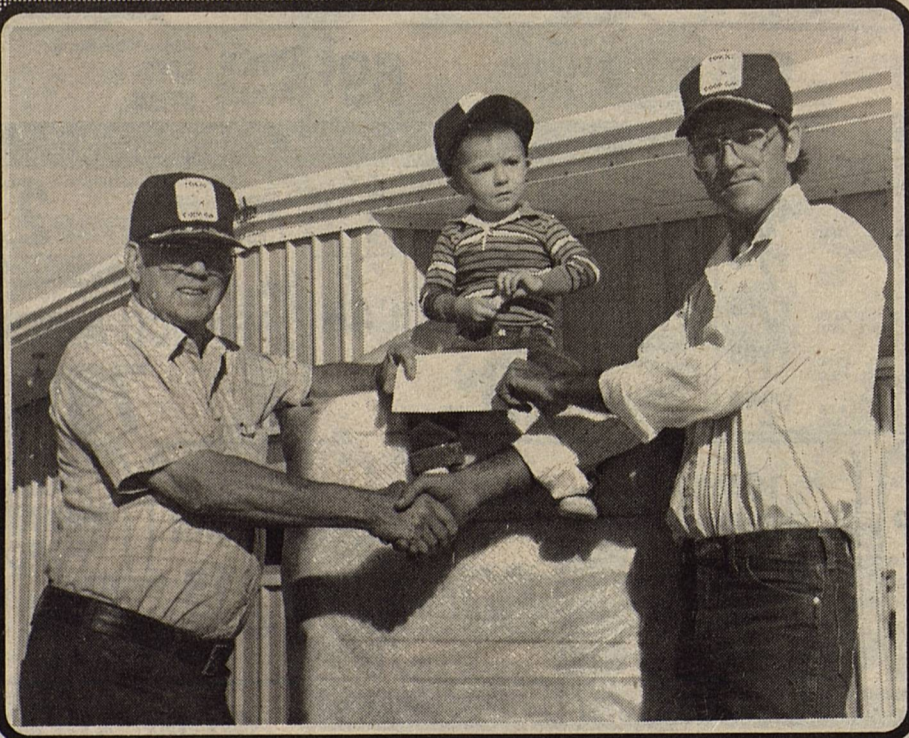


LARRY MURPHREE



HERSHEL R. SMITH

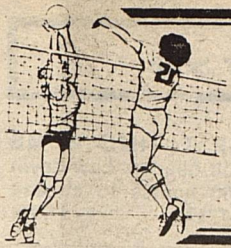
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J.O. Reed, manager of Tokio Co-op Gin, presents a check along with congratulations to Bobby Welch for bringing in Yoakum County's first 1989 bale of cotton. Delivered to the gin Wednesday, Oct. 11, the cotton was ginned free of charge. Pictured atop the new bale is Welch's three-year-old son, Jack Trey.

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## Volleyball Results

### VARSITY

The Cowgirls suffered their third defeat of the season Monday night when they traveled to Floyd, New Mexico. Marsha Farnham recorded eight kills in the Cowgirls' 15-8 15-9 15-6 loss. Marsha and Rena McElroy combined for eight blocks defensively.

Melissa Green led all servers with 13 points and five aces in the Cowgirls 15-2 15-3 district win over Three Way Saturday afternoon.

The Cowgirls jumped on Jal 15-6 15-3 15-3 in out-of-town action Thursday, Oct. 12. Melissa served 14 points for six aces followed by Marsha with 12 points. Marsha led all hitters with nine kills. Rena added five kills. The Cowgirl defense recorded five blocks.

The Cowgirls will travel to Three Way, Tuesday, Oct. 24 for a 5 p.m. contest.

### 8TH GRADE

Rhonda Cowart and Jennifer Cowart combined for eight points in the Wranglers' 5-4 15-7 loss to Lamesa Monday afternoon.

Levelland outscored the Wranglers 15-9 2-15 15-12 in out of town action Monday, Oct. 9. Amy Crutcher finished the match with 10 points. Rhonda and Shandy Willett added nine and eight points respectively.

The eighth graders will be out of town for their next match, Monday, Oct. 23 with Tatum.

### 7TH GRADE

Lamesa slipped by the 7th Grade "A" team 15-8 12-15 15-6 Monday afternoon. Dusty Beckham led in service points with 10. Sandy Sainz and Stacy Jones combined for 12 points.

The 7th Grade "B" team defeated Lamesa 1-15 15-9 15-13. Selena Humphrey notched 10 service points followed by Jodie Gayle with seven.

## Fall Arrives At Library

Fall has arrived at Yoakum County Library in Plains. Pat McNabb and her children have made an autumn arrangement with shocks of feed in front of the library. Color has been added by large and small pumpkins donated by Hoss and Laverne Newsum.

Posters and bulletin boards have been made by Helen Hunter. She used photos of Plains Cowboys and Cowgirls. Athletes are invited to stop by and see the bulletin board. Another bulletin board with a fall theme features Halloween scarecrows and other motifs.

### Miscellaneous

AGRI-TECH FEEDYARDS are in the market to buy local new crop corn and milo. Call Doug Davis 806-732-2675 or Pete Gonzales 1-800-544-5187. 27/3tc

The 7th Graders will travel to Tatum Monday, Oct. 23 for their next match.

### JUNIOR VARSITY

The JV split games with Floyd Monday night in out of town action and came out on top 15-3 11-15 15-5. Ashlee Winn led the Cowgirls with 15 service points.

Ashlee recorded nine points in the Cowgirls' 15-10 15-8 victory over Jal Thursday, Oct. 12. Vee Ann Fitzgerald and Lupita Ramos added eight each.

The JV defeated LCHS 15-5 15-2 last Saturday afternoon in the Cowgirl gym. Amy Jones paced the offense with 15 service points and three kills. Vee Ann posted four kills and Kemi Cobb and Leslie Gonzales combined for four.

The JV will travel to Tatum, Monday, Oct. 23 for their season finale.

### NINTH GRADE

The 9th Graders downed LCHS 15-0 15-6 Saturday afternoon. Brandy Lester finished the match with 16 points including 12 aces. Monica Flores put down two kills.

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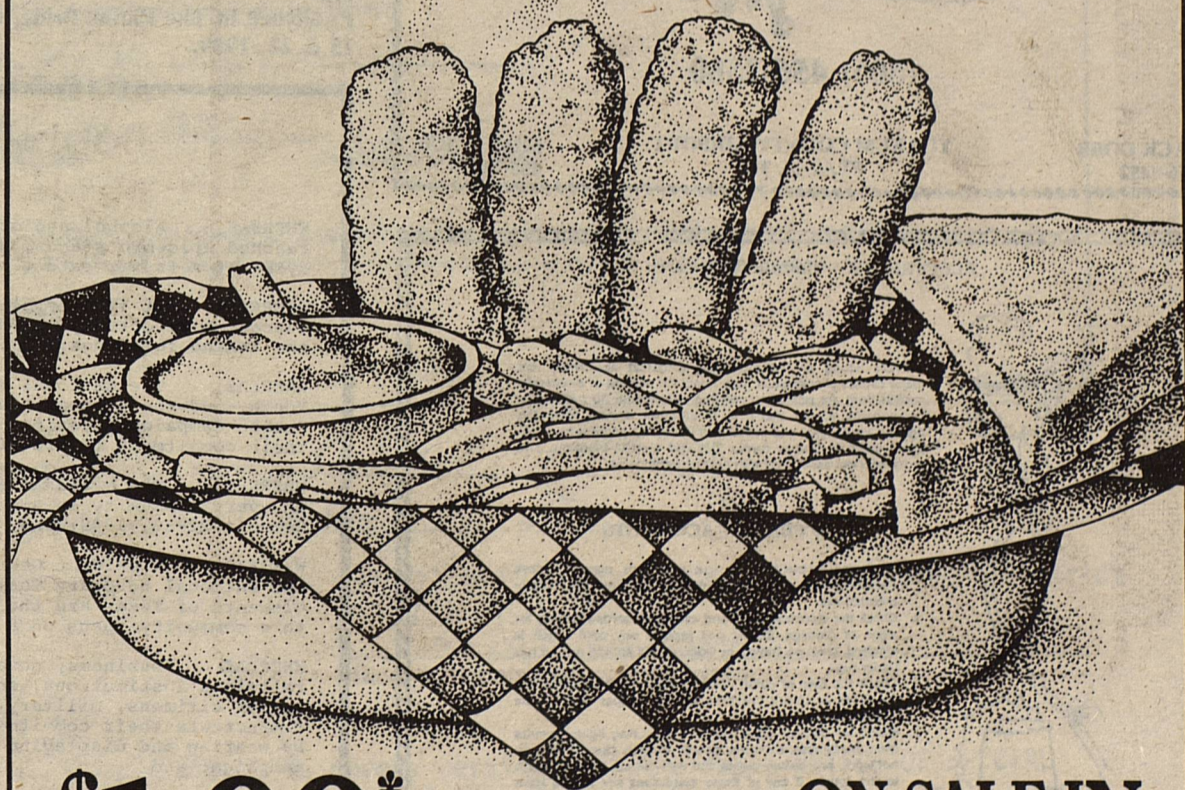


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CLARA WILLIAMS HONORED WITH birthday luncheon Friday in the home of Jo Ann and Jim Barron. Pictured above with Mrs. Williams, is Burve and Bill Overton.

## Clara Williams Honored On Seventy-Seventh Birthday

Clara Williams was honored Friday with a luncheon in the home of Jo Ann and Jim Barron.

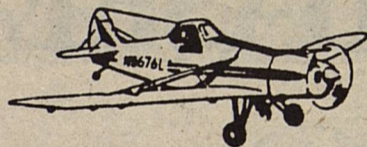
In observance of Mrs. Williams' seventy-seventh birthday, the luncheon featured a meal of chicken enchiladas and the trimmings.

Special guests were the honoree's daughter, Dolores Davis, and grandson

and granddaughter-in-law, Wayne Lee and Cindy Davis.

Attending were Louise and Paul Cobb, Burve and Bill Overton, Jo and Red Harbour, Wadonna Davis, Jimmie and Milton Bayer, Allene Carnohan, Lavell and Buck Howell of Seagraves, Carolyn and Vaughn Culwell, Martha Guetersloh, Edna Chambliss, Bert Bartlett, Mae Weed, Glenda and Tana Hobbs and Ken Horn.

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Faulty wiring or malfunctioning electrical appliances are major causes of residential fires. About 35 percent of electrically caused fires are related to cooking equipment; 30 percent to components of the electrical distribution system including lighting equipment and cords; and about 20 percent to appliances such as clothes dryers, TVs and electric blankets. The remainder are associated with heating equipment.

#### TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS

1. Read the instructions or use and care manual before operating any electrical product and follow the recommendations.
2. Check the electrical cords and extension cords regularly for signs of damage. Repair and replace any cord which is pinched, cracked, frayed, or worn. Cords should not be run under rugs.
3. Check the fuse or circuit breaker boxes to be certain that the fuses or circuit breakers are the proper size for the house wiring.
4. Watch for trouble signs such as flickering lights, sparks from appliances, switches, or wall outlets, circuits that do not work, and switch plates and wall outlets that are warm to the touch. If any of these conditions are found, have them repaired immediately.
5. Do not use any appliance that is defective.
6. Do not leave appliances such as laundry equipment or dishwashers running when you are away from home. They could malfunction and cause a fire.
7. Overloading extension cords can cause fires. Most extension cords are not able to carry as much current as the normal house circuit without overheating so know the rating of an extension cord before you use it.

Reference: Consumer Product Safety Commission

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## NOTICE

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service's (ASCS) Yoakum County Office presently occupies 2904 square feet of office space at 1305 Brownfield Hwy. in Plains, Texas. ASCS is interested in signing a succeeding lease for this space, but it will consider relocation if economically advantageous to ASCS. Occupancy is required by January 1, 1990.

Anyone interested should call Gary Six at Yoakum County ASCS Office 806-456-2132 for more information. 29/2tc

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF YOAKUM

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Yoakum County will receive bids until 10:00 a.m. on the 23rd day of October, 1989 for the purchase of two new "police special" automobiles. The automobiles are to be paid for from 1990 budgeted funds.

Yoakum County offers as trade-in two 1987 Chevrolet Caprice "police special" automobiles. Sheriff Jim Rice (telephone #806-456-2377, or 806-592-2747) may be contacted for inspection of the trade-in vehicles and for specifications on the two vehicles to be purchased.

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, TX. 79355.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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### PROCLAMATION Office of the Mayor Plains, Texas

WHEREAS, Alcohol and other drug abuse in this nation has reached epidemic stages, and the 15-24 year old age group is dying at a faster rate than any other age group; and,

WHEREAS, it is imperative that visible, unified prevention education efforts by community members be launched to reduce the demand for drugs; and,

WHEREAS, The National Federation of Parents For Drug Free Youth, and the City of Plains are sponsoring the National Red Ribbon Campaign offering citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug free lifestyles; and,

WHEREAS, The National Red Ribbon Campaign will be celebrated in every community in America during "Red Ribbon Week", October 22-29, 1989; and,

WHEREAS, President George Bush and Mrs. Barbara Bush are the National Honorary Chairmen, and Governor and Mrs. Bill Clements of Texas are the State Honorary Chairmen to provide this community focus on a Drug Free America; and,

WHEREAS, business, government, law enforcement, schools, religious institutions, service organizations, youths, physicians, senior citizens, military, sports teams, and individuals will demonstrate their commitment to drug-free, healthy lifestyles by wearing and displaying red ribbons during this week-long campaign; and,

WHEREAS, the community of Plains further commits its resources to ensure the success of the Red Ribbon Campaign; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Plains does hereby support October 22-29, 1989 as RED RIBBON WEEK and DRUG FREE AMERICA WEEK, and encourages its citizens to participate in drug prevention education activities, making a visible statement that we are strongly committed to a drug free community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of Plains encourages all citizens to pledge; MY CHOICE...DRUG FREE.

T.J. Miller  
T.J. Miller, MAYOR

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION  
(AVISO DE ELECCION ESPECIAL)

To the Registered Voters of the County of Yoakum, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Yoakum, Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 7,

19 89, for voting in a special election for the creation of the Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District and the levy of a maintenance tax at a rate not to exceed 2½ cents for each \$100 of assessed valuation and to elect five initial directors.

(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Noviembre,

de 19 89 para votar en la Elección Especial para la formación del Distrito de Conservación de Aguas Subterránea Sandy Land y el derecho para imponer un impuesto de mantenimiento que no sobrepase 2½¢ por cada \$100 de valuación de propiedad y para electar cinco directores iniciales.

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES  
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Prct. 105: Sligo Community Bldg., Sec. 757	Prct. 303: Library, 901 Ave.E, Plains
Prct. 106: Prct. 1 Bldg., 139 E. Broadway, D.C.	Prct. 308: City Hall, 102 W. 3rd, D. C.
Prct. 202: Library, 205 W. 4th, Denver City	Prct. 401: Tax Ofc.Bldg.,1010 N.Main, D.C.
Prct. 207: Community Bldg., W. 15th, Denver City	Prct. 404: Youth Center, 911 Ave.G, Plains

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at  
(La votación en ausencia en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

County Clerk's Office, Courthouse, Plains and Denver City Community Bldg., W. 15th St.

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on October 18, 1989  
(date)

(entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 18 de Octubre, 1989)  
(fecha)

and ending on November 3, 1989 . (y terminando el 3 de Noviembre, 1989 )  
(date) (fecha)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Ruby Bruton, County Clerk  
(Name of Absentee Voting Clerk)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Ausencia)

P. O. Box 309  
(Address) (Dirección)

Plains, Texas 79355  
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 31, 1989.  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)

31 de Octubre, 1989  
(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 13th day of October, 19 89.  
(Emitada este día 13 de Octobre, 19 89.)

Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District  
David Turnbough  
David Turnbough, President

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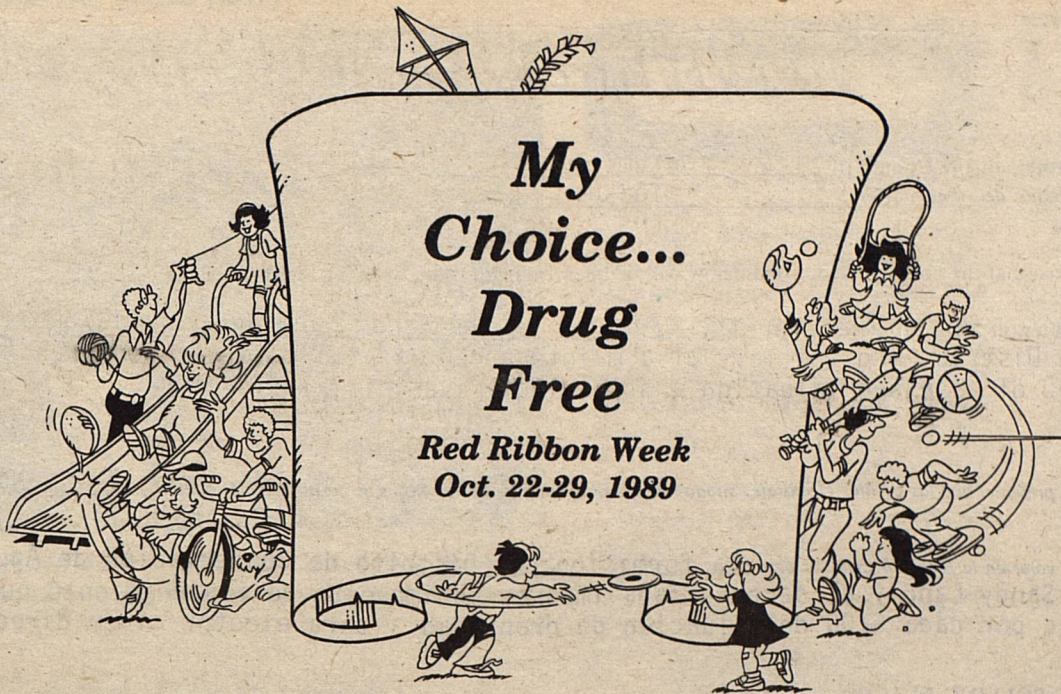
I, Ruby Bruton, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION is a true and correct copy of said Notice filed in my office, and that I posted a true and correct copy of same on the Courthouse bulletin board and one copy on the door to the south entrance of the Courthouse, accessible to the general public at all times, and said notice remained so posted continuously through election day.

Posted this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ . M.

FILED Oct. 13 1989 at 10:45 o'clock A.M  
RUBY BRUTON, County Clerk, Yoakum County, TX

Ruby Bruton, County Clerk, Yoakum County, Texas  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

BY Raney Edwards Deputy



## Does My Child Have A Drug Problem?

- \* Are you seeing a change in your child's friendships, old friends disappearing and new ones appearing?
- \* Are your child's grades dropping? Does he/she have unexplained absences from school?
- \* Has your child lost his/her appetite, or does he/she snack excessively?
- \* Is your child often out of money, even though you know he/she should have some.
- \* When you answer the telephone, does the caller hang up, or does the caller refuse to give his/her name.
- \* When your child comes home, does he/she frequently go straight to his/her room with little or no conversation?
- \* Does your child resent authority from home or school and become defensive?
- \* Is there less participation in family activities on the part of your child.
- \* If you have more than one child, do you find that one child is more demanding and causes you more concern than the others.
- \* Does your child become angry easily, often over unimportant issues?
- \* When you question your child, do you generally end up defending your right to ask questions, or made to feel that you are infringing on his/her privacy?
- \* Are you and your spouse having arguments or disagreements more frequently on how to discipline your child?

If you answer any of the above question "YES", then your child may be using alcohol or other drugs. These warning signs warrant your attention. Left untreated, alcohol/or other drug problems get worse, not better. One of the most common errors parents make when faced with drug abuse is that they are so scared of making a mistake that they do nothing at all.

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