

Cowboy Band places second



COWBOY BAND DRUM MAJORS JEREMY DEARING & TESSA ST. ROMAIN

Places Second Texas Tech Marching Festival held in Lubbock Saturday

The Plains Cowboy Band, competing Saturday, Oct. 15 at the 18th annual Texas Tech Marching Festival in Lubbock, were named Class 1A Runner-Up, behind State Champions Irion County.

The Cowboy Band performed "Tennessee Waltz," "Mama," "Pez," "Flamingo Lips," "School's Out" and "Tie Me Kangaroo Down, Sport," receiving straight ones. Their scores were 97, 95 and 94.

Plains was one of only three Class 1A bands to receive a Division I rating. Others were the winner and Jayton. Other class A1 bands competing at the Festival were Spur, Wilson, Roscoe, Lubbock Christian, Wink, Nazareth, Loop, Whiteface, Petersburg and Sudan. Sundown was the only Class 2A band to receive a Division I.

Mr. Morgan, band director, said he was very pleased with the band's performance. The band expressed their appreciation to all those who came to support them during their performance Saturday.

The Cowboy Band will perform at UIL Marching Contest Tuesday, Oct. 25 at 9:42 a.m. at Jones Stadium at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Area cotton crop reported better than last year's overall

by Laura Barnes Texas Tech Journalism Dept.

Two cotton gins in the Plains area reported that this year's crop has been better than last year's overall, as of Oct. 12.

Yoakum County Co-op Gins and New Tex Gin gave the turnout percentages and percentages harvested at each of their gins.

Yoakum County Co-op ginned their first bale Sept. 28 this year. The lint percent of their cotton cropped ginned was 23-26 percent, and seed was at 40.2 percent. These figures are within three percent of the season's crop having been harvested, which is 1,252 bales. Donna Bearden of the Co-op believes that the turnout is better than last year's.

Gail Craft of New Tex Gin said that the dry land cotton was the biggest surprise this year. It's not doing as well as last y^{ρ} because of low rainfall, but is a ang better than was expected.

New Tex ginned its first bale Sept. 21, with 10-15 percent of the crop being harvested as of Oct. 12. The lint percent turnout is 22-25, and seed is at 40 percent. Six thousand bales have been harvested, with 35,000 bales expected by the end of the season. This is 10,000 less than last year's crop because of no rain, according to Craft. He says that some of the crop is worse and some is better than last year's.

Yoakum County Library receives accreditation as member of Texas State Library System

William D. Gooch, Director and Librarian of the Texas State Library, announced that the Yoakum County Library was recently accredited as a member of the Texas State Library System for fiscal year 1995.

In making the announcement, Gooch said, "We are pleased to award a certificate of system membership in recognition of the efforts this community has made in providing public library services. It is a symbol of having achieved a level of excellence."

The library is a renewal member of West Texas Library System, serving citizens in Plains, Yoakum County and surrounding areas. Yoakum County Library had to meet strict criteria, according to Latrell McDonnell, Library Director, such as hours of access, professional training requirements, number of library materials and local per capita support. Yoakum County Judge Brewer and Commissioners Court have worked diligently to see that Yoakum County Libraries have the per capita they need to qualify for system membership annually. Yoakum County Library has been a member of West Texas Library System for many years.

The local library receives funds from Texas State Library Funds, which are given to states from the Federal National Center for Educational Statistics in Public Libraries in the United States. (Rule 1.74 of the Rules for Administering the Library Systems Act.) These funds are used for books, educational periodicals, literacy materials, equipment for libraries, etc.

Yoakum County Library received two computers and printers from the system in the past, with the greatest benefit from the West Texas Library System being the Interlibrary Loan privilege and consultation from the administration.

Authorized by the Library Systems Act of 1969, the Texas State Library was developed to improve library service in the state through cooperative efforts.

Comprised of 10 regions, the statewide systems provides an opportunity for local libraries to make the best possible use of both their own resources and those available elsewhere in the system. These cooperative efforts are made possible through state and federal funds appropriated to the Library Development Program of the Texas State Library.

This year, the Texas State Library will distribute approximately \$7.8 million to the 10 library systems in Texas.

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

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., November 8_, 19_94, for voting in a general election to elect______*, Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county and precinct officers; and FOR the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the _______ Legislature, ________ special __________ session(s), of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el <u>8th</u> de noviembre de 19 <u>94</u> para votar en la Elección General pàra elegir <u>*Miembros</u> del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto y PARA adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas propuestas constitucionales así como fueron sometidas por la <u>73rd</u> Legislatura <u>Special</u> Sesión(es), de la Estado de Texas.)

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Tsa Mo Ga Study Club members give 'Artistic Impressions' at meet

"Artistic Expression of Club Members" was the title of the program given when members of Tsa Mo Ga Study Club met Monday evening, Oct. 10 at 7 p.m.

Louise Goehry, Program Coordinator, explained the purpose of the Texas Commission on the Arts in Texas was established to develop creative arts and attract outstanding artists.

Multiple workshops are planned and conducted in order to share ideas and to learn from each other.

The Commission accomplishes goals by providing financial grants to non-profit art organizations. It is hoped that an arts council may be formed in Yoakum County to coordinate promotion of events and obtain funding from grants - if and when they are granted tax exempt status. Promotion of artists in residence schools are goals expected to be met from this organized effort.

Ms. Goehry presented a thought about photography, stating "a photograph is a moment caught in our lives that we didn't live to the fullest, but we are able to capture and savor it forever in our memory."

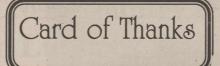
Gwen Carter displayed her art as crafts and sewing, painting and designing. Stating her project of 10 quilts which she made for her grandchildren has been most enjoyable. Bonnie Earnest's favorite art is photography of people and her desire to learn something of her subjects. She displayed photographs of people she made during her trips of adventure and told something of the person photographed. She states that some of her favorite photographs comes from Yoakum County ideas.

Barbara Brown and Chris Edwards co-hosted the meeting, using the theme of Halloween for decorating the table and clubhouse.

President Sit Jones called the meeting to order; minutes of the Sept. 26 meeting were read by Secretary Ann Graham. Roll call was given and appreciation bestowed for special efforts and work done for the club, such as repair to the clubhouse and museum.

Members were reminded of Caprock District Fall Board meeting which will be held in fellowship hall of First Methodist Church in Denver City, Nov. 5 with registration being from 8:30 until 9:15 a.m. Pre-registration deadline for the meeting is Oct. 31. A special program at the luncheon will be given by Jackie and John Mattus and Denise Clinton.

Ann Chadwick led the Club Collect and the meeting was adjourned. Tsa Mo Ga meets each second and fourth Monday.



To all our friends:

Thanks for all your thoughtfulness, cards, love and especially your prayers. James & Jerry Warren

Muleshoe club to hold bazaar

The Moonlight Family and Community Education Club's Sixteenth Annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar will be held Dec. 2-3 in the Bailey County Coliseum and Civic Center in Muleshoe.

Booth space may be reserved by contacting Moonlight FCE Club, c/o Myra Copley, Route 2, Box 375, Muleshoe, Tx 79347.

Do you remember when

The new x-ray machine was installed at the Plains Clinic? The clinic opened in August of 1959 and the x-ray machine was installed in late September. The following month Roy Edwards began duties as pharmacist at Curry Drug. Gift workshop set Saturday A Holiday Gift Workshop has

been set by the State Line FCE Club for Saturday, Oct. 22 beginning at 10 a.m. in the Plains Clubroom, located in the old courthouse.

Leading participants through the steps of making a folded star ornament will be Helen Worsham. Others will show additional ideas for holiday decorations and gifts. Guests are also invited to bring samples of gift ideas with them.

The workshop is open to the public and the ornament kit cost is \$3 to cover the cost of supplies. To register and to receive a list of needed supplies (or to reserve an ornament kit) call 456-2263 by Thursday, Oct. 20.

Anyone is invited to come and observe the demonstrations, even though they may not wish to participate.



Yoakum County Art Association views watercolor portrait painting

Meeting in the clubroom of the old courthouse, Yoakum County Art Association held its regularly scheduled meeting Oct. 4 at 7 p.m.

Presiding was Ineatta Teaff, president. Sixteen members were in attendance.

The association voted to open membership to artists who live outside the county, with annual dues of \$20. They also voted to resume luncheons at Johnnie's Restaurant each last Friday of the month and to attend the Paul Milosevich Show at the Godbold Center in Lubbock and the have lunch Saturday, Oct. 15.

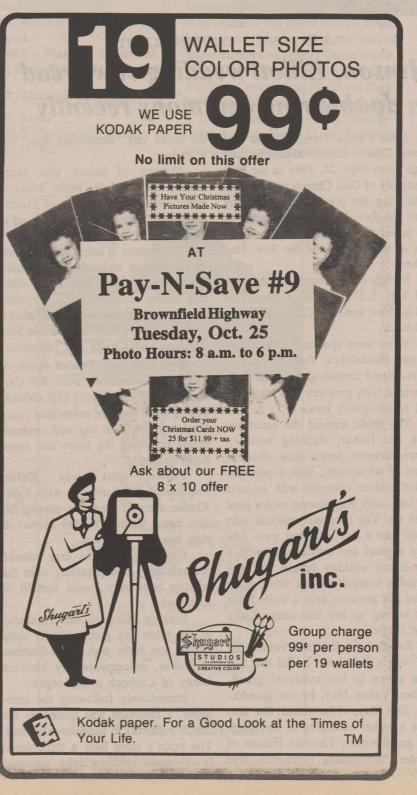
Kathy Teal Morris of Lubbock gave a demonstration on painting portraits with watercolors.

Artist of the Month honors went to Pat Altman.

Hostesses Linda Powell and Sheila Stephens served blackeyed pea gumbo, cornbread muffins, crackers, pumpkin muffins, pastries and soft drinks.

Ben Konis will demonstrate at the Nov. 1 meeting of the association.







MRS. DANIEL CLINTON ELLIOTT Hinson, Elliott wedding vows read in double ring ceremony recently

Miss Teresa Dawn Hinson and Daniel Clinton Elliott exchanged marriage vows Sept. 24, 1994 in the First Assembly of God Church in Lubbock. Officiating the double ring ceremony were the Rev. L.D. Hinson, father of the bride; the Rev. Clinton Elliott, father of the groom; and the Rev. Tom Lakey.

Parents of the couple are the Rev. and Mrs. L.D. Hinson of Seagraves and the Rev. and Mrs. Clinton Elliott of Lubbock.

Vows were spoken before a fanshaped candelabra, flanked by two heart-shaped candelabras which were entwined with greenery and burgundy and hunter-green bows.

The bride entered the sanctuary with her father, walking between flower-draped pews. She chose a gown of white satin, with a princessstyled bodice adorned with sequins and lace, with long sleeves with a petal point tip. The dropped waistline skirt swept into a full cathedral train. She wore a pearl and crystal tiara with a four-tiered walking length veil and carried a bouquet of silk white roses edged silk greenery atop a white Bible that belong to her late aunt, Kathy May Daniel.

Keeping traditions, "something old" was a gold heart locket that had been given to her maternal grandmother, Velma May, by her grandfather, Earl May, of Levelland. She also wore a locket belonging to her paternal grandmother, Charlsie Hinson of Snyder. "Something borrowed" was

Miss Teresa Dawn Hinson and the bridal veil. "Something blue" was iel Clinton Elliott exchanged mar- a garter.

Matron of honor was Stacy Kinder, sister of the bride. Maid of honor was Kristi Beaver of Hearne and Misti Stone of Lubbock served as bridesmaid.

The matron of honor wore a hunter green princess style, dropped hemline dress and carried a bouquet of white silk roses, accented with burgundy and green. Bridesmaids wore similar dresses of burgundy and carried bouquets of white roses and carnations.

Best man was Richard Smith of Lubbock. Groomsmen were Ele Cass and Brent Tyson, both of Lubbock. The groom and his attendants wore black tuxedos with ties and cummerbunds matching the bride and attendants' attire.

Flower girl was Kelsei Fortenberry of Lubbock with Katie Kinder, niece of the bride, passing out rice bags. Nathan Tucker served as ring bearer.

Greeting guests as they entered the sanctuary and presiding over the register book was Twyla Spruell of Lubbock.

Singing "Cherish the Treasure" as the bride and groom lit the unity candle was Kelly and Karen Shearrer of Dallas, accompanied by Melvina Lakey of Lubbock at the organ.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was hosted by the couple's parents in the fellowship hall. The bride's table held a three-tiered heart-shaped wedding cake, accented with burgundy roses and hunter green leaves and topped with two white doves. Wedding punch was served from an antique crystal cranberry punch bowl. The table was centered with a hunter green and burgundy flower arrangement.

The groom's table, covered with a burgundy cloth overlaid with white lace, held a chocolate cake with fudge icing and surrounded by chocolatedipped strawberries. The couple's names were written inside a heart design on the center of the cake. A glass and silver coffee service and a silver picture frame displaying the peom, "It Takes Two" completed the setting.

House party members included Kristi Baize, Tisha Romero, Shannon Gonzales, friends of the bride; Teresa Wardwell and Robyn Elliott, sisters of the groom; and Barbara Barron, Sherry Alling and Donna Timms.

Guests attended from Snyder, San Antonio, Levelland, Bovina, Seminole, Plains, Slaton, Dallas, Clinton, Okla.; California; Clovis, N.M.; Seagraves and Lubbock.

The bride chose a one-piece black dress accented with red roses and black accessories for a honeymoon trip to Dallas and San Antonio.

The bride is a graduate of Plains High School and attended South Plains College and is presently employed with J.C. Penney in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Olton Christian Academy and attended Southwestern Assemblies of God College in Waxahachie and Texas Tech University and is presently employed by Lubbock Village.

The couple will be moving to McLean, where they will be involved in Youth and Music ministry at First Assembly of God Church.

Larger fashions now available at Jerri's Boutique

by Laura Barnes Texas Tech Journalism Dept.

Jerri's Boutique in Plains has a wide selection of brand name clothing just brought into the store. Jerri Ellis, owner, invites everyone to come in and browse.

The mature lady is accommodated with brand names such as Caron and Southern Lady, while the younger crowd enjoys a choice of brand names such as Zero 2 Three, Leslie Lucks and Go Vicki.

The larger women can find Amato brands from 14W to 26W priced from \$50-\$90. Also new at Jerri's are Big Beautiful Women's hose and panties. For the colder weather just around the corner, windsuits in sizes 1x, 2x and 3x, as well as coats and sweater sets.

For children, the boutique carries brands such as Doe Spun, which are sold at \$15 per set.

Go Vicki, Zero 2 Three, Leslie Luck and Southern Lady are moderately priced, with dresses ranging from \$50-\$69. Caron is a little more expensive because of the beautiful material and detailing used. Caron dresses range from \$80-\$118.

The Boutique also carries Savola handbags, Haley Feliche purses and a wide variety of jewelry. Misty Harbor coats are being sold for \$49. Short and long coats, also washable, and hooded and rain-resistant coats are also available.

Jerri's has a variety of clothing and accessories to choose from - for any taste.

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images by bonnie opening in Hobbs Nov. 1

119 E. Taylor Hobbs, New Mexico 505-393-5753



Pre-opening Halloween Costume Shoot Saturday, Oct. 29, 2 - 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 31, 1 - ????

Plains Cowboys beat Anton Bulldogs

The Plains Cowboys kept up their winning ways Friday night as they won over the Anton Bulldogs 21-17. The Cowboys' record is now 6-0.

Individual receivers were Shannon Ward with six catches for 152 yards and one touchdown; Brad McMinn, four catches for 47 yards and two touchdowns; and Ralph Ramirez, one catch for nine yards.

Individual rushers were David Bitolas, 20 for 45 yards; Stephen Bitolas, 7 for 119; Josh Traweek, 4 for 13; Shannon Ward, 3 for 16; and Victor Bernal, 8 for 5.

Victor Bernal was 11 for 23 in the passing game, for 208 yards and three touchdown passes.

The Cowboys had 18 first downs, compared to Anton's 9; rushed 198 yards with Anton rushing 238; passed for 208 yards, compared to 7 for the Bulldogs. Total yards for the Cowboys was 406, while the Bulldogs compiled only 245.

Plains and Anton scored 7 points each in the first quarter. Anton scored 10 in the second and Plains scored 7 in each of the two remaining periods, while keeping Anton scoreless.



STUDENT OF THE WEEK at Plains High School is Ken McAdams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Evertt McAdams. A senior, he was nominated by Sue Banfield. She commented, "I nominated this student because I believe he is a leader whose influence is an asset to his class and to the school. He is a hard worker. He is available when a job needs to be done. He has a great attitude and works well with others. I think that this will translate into success for him and all those around him here at Plains and later on in his life."

Cross Country teams compete in Lubbock meet October 8

Plains Varsity Boys' Cross Country team finished tenth in the Lubbock meet, Oct. 8, one of the largest Cross Country meets in Texas.

The Cowboys finished ahead of all Class A teams in the meet, with Joe Valdez and Ralph Ramirez leading the way for the Cowboys.

Junior Varsity boys' team came in eighth, finishing ahead of all Class A schools. Kipp Blount led the Cowboys with a 12th place finish.

In a field of 278 runners in the girls' division, Plains JV girls ran well. Lisa Parrish, Krystle Blundell and Tanya Hernandez all ran the distance under 15 minutes.

VARSITY BOYS: 10th place - 281 points

30th - Joe Valdez - 17:32 44th - Ralph Ramirez - 17:51

SCHOOL EVENTS

MONDAY - Volleyball, Seminole -7th; 8th A&B, here, 5 p.m. TUESDAY - Texas Tech UIL March-

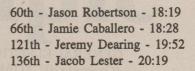
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7th & 8th, there, 5 p.m.; JV, there, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY - Football, O'Donnell - V, here, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY - Volleyball, Alpine - V, at Kermit, 11 a.m.



JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS: 8th place - 206 points

12th - Kipp Blount - 18:41 44th - Will St.Romain - 19:32 59th - Hector Gallegos - 20:05 84th - Edward Escobar - 21:00 85th - Chris Willett - 21:01

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS:

37th - Lisa Parrish - 14:22 54th - Krystle Blundell - 14:42 62nd - Tanya Hernandez - 14:48 210th - Becky St.Romain + 17:01

The District Cross Country Meet was held Monday, Oct. 17 at Littlefield beginning at 4 p.m. at the Country Club.

Do you remember when

Plains had a funeral home and a nursing home? Barrett's Funeral Home formally opened Jan. 12, 1964, according to an article in The Plains Record. It was located across Avenue G to the west of where the new Community Center is now. Carrie Copeland was the first resident of the Plains Convalescent Home and Nursing Center when it officially opened April 6, 1964. It was located on 7th Street between Avenues E and G, and has been converted to apartments.

Junior Varsity Cowboys fall to undefeated Sudan Hornets

Plains Junior Varsity football boys lost to Sudan 24-6 Thursday night.

Roy Ramirez returned the opening kick-off 25 yards to the 44 yard line and Plains drove 56 yards in nine plays. Big plays were runs of 9 by Eric Luna, 12 yards by Roy Ramirez, and a 24 yard pass from Abraham Garcia to Brad Seaton. Garcia sneaked in from the two, but the conversion pass was incomplete, leaving the score at 6-0 Plains.

Sudan drove 57 yards in 8 plays and scored. The run for extra points was successful and Sudan led 8-0.

Plains then drove from their 20 yard line into Sudan territory in 9 plays before giving the ball up on downs.

After an exchange of punts, Sudan drove 32 yards in 5 plays for a score with less than a minute remaining in the half. A pass for extra points was good and Sudan went to the locker room ahead, 16-6.

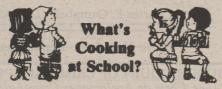
Plains held Sudan on the first possession as the third quarter got underway, but failed to move the ball and was forced to punt. Sudan then drove 77 yards in 13 plays, scoring on a 13 yard sweep. Extra points on a pass made the score 24-6.

Two more exchanges took place before the Cowboys drove to the 14 yard line, where Ramirez scored on a draw play, only to have it called back on a penalty, with only two minutes remaining in the game.

The boys' coach said they played well against a predominantly sophomore team while the smaller Cowboys were predominantly freshmen. "We look forward to a return match, the last game of the year."

Seeing action for the Cowboys

were Garcia, Ramirez, Luna, Seaton, J.T. Peeples, Chris Willett, David Flores, Kipp Blount, Heath Bowlin, Billy Braswell, Casey Forbus, Derek Brunson, Adam Domingues, Will St.Romain, Allen Ward, Jason Redman, Joe Vasquez, Isaac Trevino and Chris Gonzales.



OCT. 24-29

BREAKFAST MONDAY - Cereal, toast, grape juice, milk.

TUESDAY - Cinnamon rolls, toast, apple juice, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Cheese toast, toast, orange juice, milk.

THURSDAY - Waffles with syrup, fruit punch, milk.

FRIDAY - Toast, cold cereal, orange/ pineapple juice, milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Hot dogs with chili, pear half, French fries with catsup, milk. TUESDAY - Nacho with meat & cheese sauce, pinto beans, lettuce & tomato salad, crackers, cherry cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburger, lettuce, sliced tomatoes, onion rings, pickles, Cheetos, mixed fruit, coconut cookies, milk.

THURSDAY - Mr. Rib with barbecue sauce on roll, baked beans, carrot sticks, peaches, milk.

FRIDAY - Fried chicken with gravy, corn, creamed potatoes, hot rolls Jell-O, milk.



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Sample Ballot

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FIRETRUCK AT FILMTIME

Children inspect fire truck during Filmtime Wednesday

Thirty-four youngsters attended filmtime Wednesday, Oct. 12 at Yoakum County Library.

A visit from the fire department was the highlight of the day. The children inspected the truck and were allowed to blow the horn and siren. Firefighters attending included Tammy Sellers, Brenda Wauson, LaDonna Diamond and Charles Diamond.

Children attending were Jasmine Mares, Alfredo Martines, Alex and Heather Penner, Ryan Crump, Jacob Brink, Katie Winn, Morgan Willis, Bret and Brooke Kenney, Marissa Melendez, Stephanie and Christopher Addison, Landon and Dakota Earnest, Kevin John Gass, Michell Wauson, Amber and Cody Friesen, Lauren Hise, Cody Mayes, Matt Jimenez, Lauren Davis, Brett and Trent

Campaign rally to be held Thursday

Kevin Jackson will be the featured candidate at a campaign rally in Levelland, Thursday, Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. in the NTS building at 1706 Ave. H. The rally is sponsored by the Hockley County Democratic Party. Admission is \$10 per person, which includes a meal. Student admission is free.

Jackson is the Democratic candidate for State Representative in the 80th Texas House District.

Master of Ceremonies will be the Honorable Judge Andy Kupper. Special guests include Garry Mauro, Commissioner of General Land Office; Pete Laney, Speaker of the House of Representatives; Justice Bryan Poff of the 7th Court of Appeals in Amarillo; and Betty Marshall, candidate for Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin.

Entertainment will be provided by musicians from South Plains College.

For more information, contact Kevin Jackson at (915) 523-4817 or Ron Presley, Hockley County Democratic Chair at (806) 894-6998 or 894-9622, Ext. 328. Hawthorne, Ashten Blomstedt, Katelyn Young, Joani and Jaaron Bell, Rhaela Stall, Courtney Asebedo and Ashley Sellers.

High school students may seek scholarship

High school students with a grade point average of "B" or better and who are U.S. citizens interested in applying for \$1000 college scholarships should request applications by Dec. 15 from Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, P.O. Box 5012, Lake Forest, IL 60045-5012.

To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state, zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation. All requests for applications will be fulfilled on or about Jan. 13, 1995. One hundred fifty winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and some consideration for financial need. A total of \$150,000 will be awarded.



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Influenza shots recommended by American Lung Association

Each year millions of Americans are afflicted with influenza and pneumonia. Those most at risk are the very young, the very old, those suffering from chronic lung or heart disease and those with weakened immune systems.

This fall, the American Lung Association of Texas urges all those who are considered high risk to get a flu shot. You are at high risk if you are over age 65, have chronic lung, heart or kidney disease, reside in a nursing home or other longterm care facility or if you have other chronic diseases. In addition, health care workers should be immunized to reduce the chances of spreading this condition to high-risk people. The shot is recommended every year because the influenza virus strain changes annually. The ideal time to receive flu vaccine is between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15.

According to the Lung Association, both influenza and pneumonia are deadly. "Influenza is a highly contagious, potentially life-threatening lung disease," said Dr. William Paul Glezen, epidemiologist at the Influenza Research Center at Baylor University. "Since 1960, pneumonia has been the leading killer by infectious disease in the U.S. It is both the most common and most deadly complication arising from influenza," he explained.

"Combined, influenza and pneumonia are the fourth leading cause of death among all American women and the fifth leading cause of death among all Americans over the age of 65," Dr. Glezen said. Lung disease, including influenza and pneumonia, is the third leading cause of death in America.

Senior citizens are at particularly high risk for both influenza and pneumonia and are most likely to be hospitalized as a result of this deadly combination. Influenza and pneumonia are the fifth leading cause of death for those aged 65 and over, resulting in 68,962 deaths in 1991 alone.

"Only 40 percent of older adults living in the community receive their influenza shots every year, and only 20 percent receive the pneumococcal pneumonia vaccine," said Dr. Glezen. "Both vaccines are covered under Medicare and other health insurance programs.

For more information on influenza and pneumonia shots, call the American Lung Association of Texas at 800-252-5864.



Error in taking prescription drugs cited during Pharmacy Week

Each year more than 240,000 Americans require hospitalization simply because they do not take their prescription medication correctly.

In fact, approximately one-half of the two billion prescriptions taken annually in the United States are used improperly by patients, with the cost of hospital admissions alone for these individuals estimated at more than \$8.5 million.

Texas pharmacists have declared war against this needless suffering and avoidable loss of time and money. Their weapon of choice is increased communication between pharmacist and patient. Their battle cry is also the theme for Texas Pharmacy Week '94: "Communication is Good Medicine." The week will be observed throughout the state Oct. 23-29.

"Most people who do not take their medications correctly are not intentionally gambling with their health,"

said Pharmacy Week spokesperson Jeanne Toewe. " They simply are unaware of the high risk associated with taking it improperly."

Although most prescription medications are accompanied by written instructions, one in five patients cannot read well enough to understand the directions. The problem is most acutely felt by the very young and the very old. More than 200 million prescription are written annually for children, with studies estimating that almost one-half are taken incorrectly. At the opposite end of the age spectrum, the average senior citizen takes twice as many prescription as younger people, and more than 9 million adverse drug reactions occur each year in older Americans.

Ms. Toewe represents Texas Pharmacists United in Patient Care, a grassroots pharmacy organization which annually sponsors Texas Pharmacy Week. She pointed out that 96 percent of patients ask no questions about their prescriptions when they pick them up from their local pharmacist.

"With more than one-half of the U.S. population receiving at least one prescription drug each year the problem of non-compliance touches virtually every household in America. Taking medications properly can improve their effectiveness and reduce risks. Consumers can have a positive impact on their health by becoming better informed concerning health products, particularly prescription medications," she said.

The most effective way to learn about medications is to ask a pharmacist. These highly-educated professionals are the most available members of the health care team. During Texas Pharmacy Week, Oct. 23-29, Texas pharmacists are increasing their efforts to help patients to take charge of their own health by becoming better informed about their medications.

"Understanding medication therapy is as easy as spending a few moments asking your pharmacist five simple questions," Ms. Toewe said. She said no one should leave a prescription counter without first determining:

* What is the name of the medicine and what is it supposed to do?

* How and when do I take it, and for how long?

* What foods, drinks and other medicines or activities should I avoid while taking this medicine?

* Are there any side effects, and what should I do if they occur?

* Will this new prescription work safely with the other medicine (prescription and non-prescription) I am taking?

For more information concerning prescription and non-prescription medications, develop a habit of speaking with your local pharmacist. Texas Pharmacy Week, Oct. 23-29, is an excellent time to start.

Happiness is beneficial for the body but it is grief that develops the powers of the mind.

-Marcel Proust



CHASE CLANAHAN, son of A.C. and Beth Clanahan, is a 16-year-old junior at PHS. He plays football and basketball and his favorite subject is chemistry. He would like to attend college and his hobbies are watching TV.



Plains High School

SYLVIA TARANGO is the 16-yearold daughter of Albert and Hortencia Tarango. She plays volleyball and basketball and is a junior at PHS. Her favorite subject is world history. Her hobbies are reading, cleaning and cooking. She wants to become an archaeologist, studying at South Plains College, then Texas Tech. She is fourth vice president of the FHA.



J.T. PEEPLES, son of Bubba and Denise Peeples is 16 years old and a sophomore at Plains High School. He participates in football and track and his favorite subject at PHS is biology. His hobbies are playing football and running around on the weekends. He would like to become a physical therapist.

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Windbreak trees available for conservation plaintings

Yoakum Soil and Water Conservation District, which sponsors a program to purchase windbreak trees for ant, deer, turkey and squirrel are also use in yards, fields, wildlife and other conservation plantings, now is taking orders for trees.

Available are evergreen species such as Austrian Pine, Ponderosa Pine, Scotch Pine, White Pine, Rocky Mt. Juniper, Afghanistan Pine, Arizona Cypress, Blue Spruce and Eastern Red Cedar.

Hardwoods available include Bur Oak, Catalpa, Desert Willow, Flameleaf Sumac, Honeylocust, Mulberry, Osage Orange, Pecan, Russian Olive, Shumard Oak, Cottonwood, Green Ash, Hackberry, Little Walnut, Redbud and Chinquapin Oak.

Shrubs available are American Plum, Cotoneaster, Fourwing Saltbush, Honeysuckle, Lilac, Nanking Cherry, Native Plum, Skunkbush Sumac and Western Sandcherry.

"Windbreaks, if properly designed and maintained, can help protect life and property for many years to come," says Mark Lewis of the Soil Conservation Service. Windbreaks help decrease heating costs in winter by insulating the area around the home from cold winter winds. In summer, windbreaks provide shade to the home which helps decrease cooling costs. In addition, windbreaks significantly increase the monetary value of a homestead and the aesthetic quality of rural life.

"Windbreaks along the edge of cropland can provide shelter for growing crops from strong winds and damaging sandstorms," added Lewis.

Based on the height of the windbreak, a producer can expect protection for crops that are twice the height of the windbreak. They also provide

Free flu shots offered veterans

The Lubbock VA Outpatient Clinic is offering free flu shots for veterans and their spouses.

Times for shots to be given are Tuesday, Oct. 18 from 5 to 7 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 20 from 5 to 7 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 22 from 9 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

The Clinic is located at 4902 34th St., Suite 10, in Lubbock. No appointments are necessary and the shots are free. Call 796-7900 for additional information.

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For more information, call 456-3703.

4-H, FFA Validation deadline announced

Validation deadline for the 1995 Yoakum County Livestock Show for 4-H and FFA livestock exhibitors has been announced.

Nov. 1, 1994 is deadline for heifers; Nov. 15, 1994 is deadline for lambs; and Dec. 1, 1994 is deadline for swine and rabbits.

For more information, contact Joe Pierce, Plains AST at 456-7745; Geoff Cooper, Denver City AST 592-8070; or Joan Chandler, Yoakum County CEA-FCS at 456-2263.

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Deficiency payment estimate increases for 1994 cotton crop

According to Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) increases in both the average price received by growers and monthly marketings lifted projections for the 1994 upland cotton deficiency payment.

The projected cotton deficiency payment climbed top 7.91 cents per pound leaving a 1.46 cent final payment rate after subtracting their advance payment. Earlier this season producers were able to apply for and receive a 6.45 cent advance on their 1994 deficiency payment.

Through August, cumulative marketings totaled 5.93 million bales. Cumulative marketings during the same 8-month period in 1993 were slightly higher at 6.029 million bales.

Preliminary calculations through August still indicate the final payment will be in the 7-8 cent range. Signifi-

Auditions set for TV show

South Plains College student auditions for "Thursday Night Live," a live audience musical variety television show scheduled to begin airing in February on SPC-TV, cable channel 13, are scheduled Nov. 1 at the college.

The auditions are open to currently enrolled SPC students and those who plan to enroll in the spring and begin at 7 p.m. in the SPC Commercial Music Building, room 138.

"Thursday Night Live" will be produced the first Thursday of each month, beginning in February, by SPC students in the commercial music, sound technology and performing arts technology programs, according Cary Banks, SPC commercial music instructor and coordinator of the show.

"We are really excited about this new show, said Banks. "It should bring in people and businesses to the city of Levelland and provide a family entertainment option at no charge to the people of West Texas."

Another advantage is that the "show will involve more students, give them more opportunities to perform," he noted. "Students will perform in ceremonies, and in all technical aspects of sound, lighting, cameras and other areas," said Banks.

The show will be broadcast from 7:30-9 p.m. and will feature a live audience each night. "The show's timing will give out-of-town people a chance to come into Levelland, have a meal, watch the show and be back home at a reasonable hour. Professional musicians and selected area high school students will also be featured guests."

A "THursday Night Live Summer Edition" is also planned with shows once a week at various outdoor locations throughout Levelland.

For more information, contact Banks at SPC, 806-894-9611, ext. 474. cant changes in either marketings or prices received could still effect the final payment rate. The maximum deficiency payment possible in 1994 is 22.9 cents, the difference between the upland cotton loan rate of 50 cents and the 72.9 cent target price established in the 1990 Farm Bill.

Deficiency payments are calculated as the lesser of the difference between the target price and the either the Commodity Credit Corporation Loan Rate or the average price received by growers weighted by total marketings for the preceding calendar year.



NOLAN RYAN

Nolan Ryan named Texas Chairperson

Lt. Colonel Jack T. Waters, Texas Divisional Commander of The Salvation Army, announced that Nolan Ryan will serve as the 1994 Texas Divisional Christmas Chairperson.

As Texas Divisional Christmas Chairperson, Ryan will appear in radio and television public service announcements, as well as endorse the work of The Salvation Army in print advertisements.

Services provided with money raised at Christmas include toys and clothing for children, utility assistance, Christmas dinner to the homeless, gift bags for senior citizens, as well as continued emergency assistance throughout the year.

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Graveside services held for G.B. Hyde

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1994 for Georgia Beatrice Hyde, 88, of Odessa, formerly of Wilson. Burial was in Green Memorial Park Cemetery in Wilson with the Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Wilson, officiating and under direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Mrs. Hyde died Monday, Oct. 10, 1994 in Medical Center Hospital in Odessa after a lengthy illness.

Born July 12, 1906 in Thorndale, she married J.L. Hyde Nov. 13, 1926 in Wilson. He preceded her in death Feb. 18, 1984. Two daughters, Linda Sue Hyde and Glendora Seals, also preceded her in death.

She was a homemaker and a member of First United Methodist Church in Wilson.

She is survived by two grandchildren, Roger Seals of Andrews and Donna Chandler of Midland; four great-grandchildren; and a son-in-law, H.W. Seals of Wilson.

Texas Tech Rodeo begins Thursday

The time has arrived for the 45th Annual Texas Tech Intercollegiate Rodeo, which will begin Thursday night, Oct. 20 and run through Saturday, Oct. 22 in the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum. Each performance begins at 7:30 nightly. More than 350 students will be competing in the world's largest indoor collegiate rodeo.

Students will be competing in steer wrestling, saddle bronc riding, calf roping, team roping, bull riding, barrel racing, break away roping, goat tying and bare-back bronc riding. Announcer for this years rodeo is Terry Starnes and Terry Walls of Stephenville is the rodeo contractor. Extra attractions at the rodeo is Susan Sewell singing the National Anthem, Terry Starnes with a special dog act, and rodeo clown Gerry Byrns.

Reserve seats are \$8 and general admission is \$6. Children 8 and under accompanied by an adult will be admitted FREE! Tickets may be purchased at Boot City & Boot City Too, Luskey's, Bill Price Western Wear, Tejas Western Wear and the University Center Ticket Booth.

The Tech Rodeo is a National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association (NIRA) sanctioned event. Students from the Southwest Region will participate in 10 rodeos, accumulate points and those with the most points will be invited to participate in the College National Finals Rodeo (CNFR).

Texas Tech Rodeo Association uses proceeds to fund scholarships and eliminate any expenses for the non-profit student organization.

Sponsors of the Texas Tech Intercollegiate Rodeo are Lubbock Convention & Visitors Bureau and Lubbock Civic Inc.

