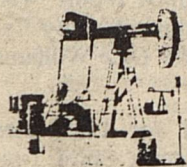


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STATE REP. JIM RUDD, and wife, Brenda of Brownfield, were recent guests of Plains Lions Club. Shown with the couple is Jim Barron, Yoakum County Commissioner of Precinct 3.

## State Representative Rudd Speaks To Lions Club

State Representative Jim Rudd of Brownfield was special guest at the Thursday luncheon meeting of Plains Lions Club. More than 60 Lions and their wives attended. Accompanying Rudd was his wife, Brenda.

Welcome was spoken by Lion Boss Charles Oswalt. Jim Barron introduced Rudd.

Rudd briefly explained the 25 amendments which voters will be asked to consider at the special election Tuesday, Nov. 3.

He also gave a brief history of the State Constitution, stating it was written in 1876 and patterned somewhat after the U.S. Constitution. There have been 437 attempts to amend the constitution over the years, 287 were passed by voters.

"Remember when voting for tax exemptions," said Rudd, "you are only exempting some and leaving the tax on others, sometimes relieving the older citizen, who most likely is more able to pay, and taxing the younger citizen who is less able financially."

## School Board Meeting Held

School board members met Monday evening in regular session.

Superintendent Dean Andrews was authorized to waive Title II (Math/Science Training) Public Law 98-377 funds to Region XVII Education Service Center. He was also authorized to waive Drug Free Schools Act Public Law 99-570 funds to the Service Center.

Local board policies were adopted. Approved were the Four County Special Services policies and procedures.

August bills were approved for payment. Financial reports were given by Andrews in the areas of general operating, cafeteria, tax and transportation.

## PHS Cheerleaders Selling Mums

Plains High School Cheerleaders are accepting orders for Homecoming Mums. Orders may be placed with Bertha Gonzales, Lydia Jimenez, Sally Burrus, Wendie Alexander, Michelle Lowe or Mrs. Brenda Canada.

Mums are selling for \$10 and up. Made by a Denver City establishment, they feature all sorts of ribbons and bangles.

## Communicable Disease Policy Discussed By School Board

Concerns nationwide over Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) and a recent memo from the Texas Education Agency (TEA) and Texas Department of Health have prompted the Plains ISD Board of Trustees to study

amendments to its communicable disease policies.

Commissioner of Health Robert Bernstein and Commissioner of Education William Kirby are now recommending that school districts

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## Services For Leon F. Simpson Held At First Baptist

Services for Leon F. Simpson, 66, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church in Plains with Rev. Alton West, pastor of Tokio Baptist Church, officiating. Rev. Ken Horn, pastor of First Baptist Church in Plains, assisted.

Burial was in Terrace Cemetery in Post under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.



LEON F. SIMPSON

Simpson died at 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness. Born in Post, he married the former Eleanor Smith on Aug. 25, 1946 in Plainview. He was a member of Tokio Baptist Church.

A Plains area farmer and rancher for 38 years, Simpson was a member of the Plains Independent School Board of Trustees from 1972 to 1982.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Stephen of Estacada, Oregon and Shelley of Lubbock; a daughter, Susan Cherry of Lubbock; and two brothers, Paul and R.L., both of Post.

Pallbearers were Larry Welcher, Gayle Craft, Royce Kelley, Ray Bearden, Lewis Waters and Royce Randall. Honorary pallbearers were Eddie Earnest, Ronnie Johnson, Wilburn Bailey, Preston Murphy, Glen Waters, William Worsham, Randy Tuggle, A.B. Williams, Ty Wilmeth, Jet Wilmeth, Dell Knight, Roger Bennett, Tim Addison, Rickey Bearden and Lee Martin.



TAKE SECOND PLACE -- Cowgirls win second place in Denver City's Invitational Tournament. Members of the team are back row, ltr, Coach Charles Cain and Marsha Farnham. Middle row, ltr, Lydia Jimenez, Lynda Jimenez, Melissa Green and Melissa Welch. Front row, ltr, are Heather McGill, Karen Cobb, Bertha Gonzales and Corie Spencer.



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**County Public Health Nurse To Assume Duty On Oct. 1**

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Gail is married to Wayne Stowe and they have two children. They are members of the South Seminole Baptist Church.

She received her L.V.N. Degree from Brownfield General Hospital

in 1970 and her R.N. Degree from Hobbs Junior College in 1985.

Obtaining experience in General Hospital Nursing at Brownfield and Seminole Hospitals, Mrs. Stowe is certified in Advanced Cardiac Life Support. She has also served as Public School Nurse.

"Gail is very well trained and comes highly recommended. She will be a credit for all our citizens," states Dr. Douglas Black, director of South Plains Public Health District.

Senior Citizens will be administered flu vaccines in October.

**Extension Club Elects Officers**

Turner TEHA Club met in the Clubroom Sept. 8 at 2 p.m. with Reta Snodgrass as hostess.

Jerri Lollar presided. Sherry Burrows gave the council report. Ten members and Yoakum County Extension Agent, Mary Dale Williams were present.

Officers elected for 1988 were Jerri Lollar, president; Edith Tuggle, vice-president; Dorothy Jones, secretary-treasurer; and Fern Lowrey, reporter. Helen Worsham and Gay Wilmeth were selected as council delegates.

A very interesting program on "Create the Look You Like With Textures" was given by Mary Dale Williams. A sack containing different materials was passed around with each member feeling the materials without looking, and then guessing the fabric content. Some were shiny, smooth, dull and matte, rough, soft and clinging. Smooth texture was chosen as the most popular weave.

Next meeting to be hosted by Ila Trout will be held Oct. 13.

**Grenada Visitor To Speak Monday**

Henry Bullen of Dallas will be guest speaker for the ABWA meeting Monday, Sept. 21 in the Heritage Room of Yoakum County Library. Meeting time is 7 p.m.

Formerly of Grenada, Bullen will tell of his experiences during the Grenada invasion and of the effect on his people.



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# Farm Bill Cited For Young Farmers

Yoakum County Young Farmers gathered Thursday evening to hear Jerry Harris speak on Past and Future Implications of the Farm Bill. Harris is chairman of the State ASCS Committee.

Attending were eight members and eight guests.



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# Plains Independent School District

## From The Superintendent's Desk

DEAN ANDREWS



Maybe you've had the same thoughts voiced recently by State Education Commissioner W.N. Kirby about schools today.

"When I was in school, students got in trouble for things like chewing gum and throwing spit wads and cutting class to go fishing on a spring afternoon or even for holding hands on the campus. Today, we see problems like drug and alcohol abuse, teen pregnancy, delinquency and suicide. The problems of children today are not only more severe than they used to be - they are far more deadly."

Kirby spoke at a conference on "School Administrators as Problem Solvers" recently in San Diego, Calif. He said:

\*The U.S. has the highest rate of teenage drug use of any industrialized nation. More than 61 percent of all high school seniors have used drugs.

\*The teen birth rate in the U.S. is twice that of any other Western nation. More than one million teens become pregnant each year.

\*Since 1960, delinquency rates for youngsters between the ages of 10 and 17 have increased by 130 percent. More than one-half of all serious crimes are attributed to young people under the age of 21.

\*Teen suicide is up 150 percent since 1950. A teenager commits suicide in this country every 90 minutes.

Kirby stated that 70 percent of American families have no children in school. Yet education must also involve them. They are the majority of taxpayers in our communities, and we all know that we cannot operate our schools without their tax dollars.

The commissioner said for too long educators have taken on all of America's problems and it's time to demand help. He said that the first people we need help from are parents. "It's high time for the parents in this country to realize that the schools can no longer be the sole educators, babysitters, psychologists and clergy for their children," Kirby said.

"It is sadly true that our students today present us with very different problems than they did when many of us were in school," Kirby said. "These problems - coupled with those of finance, demographics and changing family structures - present major roadblocks to our ability to do our jobs."

Churches, too, must be committed to education. Churches must be willing to be part of the collaborative effort to educate our children and to help parents accept their responsibilities, Kirby explained. "Education is a community responsibility, a community concern and a community benefit. This is the attitude we must foster. Parents, churches, the community...all must be involved in education if we hope to succeed..."

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WEDNESDAY - Toast, sausage, orange juice and milk.

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## Lowrey Attends Seminar For Democratic County Chairs

Melvin Lowrey, Chair of Yoakum County's Democratic Party attended a seminar for Democratic County Chairs in Austin on Sept. 11. Representatives from the Secretary of State's office presented information on recent

### School Board...

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have policies in place before the need for a policy arises in the local district.

In a memorandum issued jointly by the two commissioners, school district officials have been told that Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), the virus causing AIDS, "is not transmitted in everyday school settings." Affected individuals should be dealt with on a case-by-case basis, depending on the risk of transmission.

Generally, students must be placed in a regular classroom, except in unusual circumstances. The State Board of Health's communicable disease chart for schools specifies excludable conditions that include open sores or skin eruptions, biting behavior, and lack of toilet training as relevant factors in making that decision. Students who must be excluded from the regular classroom must nevertheless be provided education, most often through the special education program.

Employees must be allowed to continue in their work duties in most circumstances, according to the commissioners. Whether the district maintains an individual in the regular work assignment will depend on whether the condition interferes with the performance of regular duties.

The Texas Association of School Boards, of which Plains ISD is a member, has prepared sample policies, reviewed by TEA and the Health Department. The policies reflect the latest legal developments and recommendations from medical and education experts.

Under new laws passed this summer by the Texas Legislature, test results or any statements as to whether a particular person does or does not have the virus are strictly confidential, with only a few selected individuals having the right to know.

By law, school districts are also prohibited from requiring AIDS testing of its employees and students, except under extremely limited circumstances, such as by Health Department or court order. An employee or a student's parent could also consent to the tests.

Plains ISD Superintendent Dean Andrews pointed out that the board and administration wants to be prepared if a student or employee contracts HIV. Additionally, district officials are studying various methods by which to educate employees, parents and students on the nature, effect and prevention of the virus, as recommended by TEA and the Department of Health.

The Board will study the proposed policy changes at its next regular meeting on Oct. 12.


changes in election laws relative to the 1988 "Super Tuesday" primary.

Next year's primary will be held on Tuesday, March 8, 1988. In prior years, the primary election, which serves to choose each party's nominees, was held on the first

Saturday in May of even-numbered years. The earlier primary date for '88 has been adopted by 20 southern states. It is believed that "Super Tuesday" will enhance the importance of the southern states in choosing Presidential candidates.



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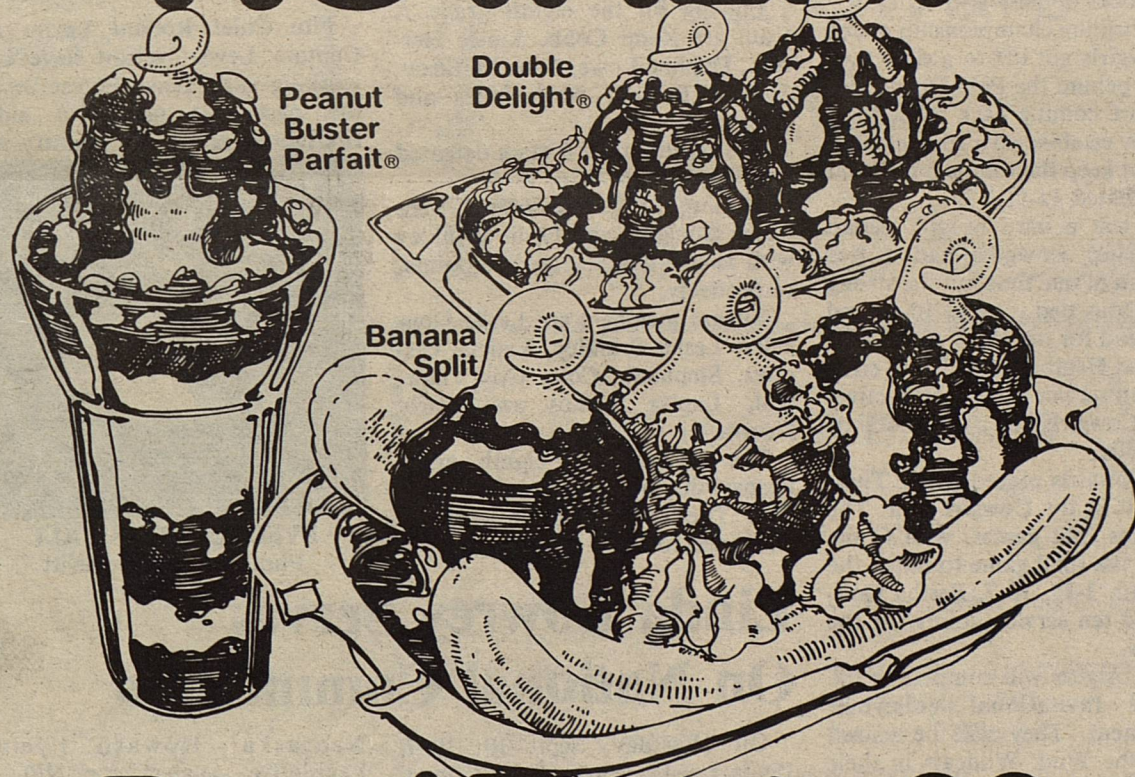
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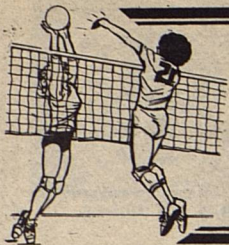
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## Volleyball Results

### VARSITY

The Cowgirls returned from the Denver City Invitational Volleyball Tournament with the Second Place Trophy, losing in the championship match to Amarillo Palo Duro.

They defeated the Kermit Yellow-jackets 15-3, 15-7 in their first round of play. Serving seven points each for the Cowgirls were Lynda Jimenez and Karen Cobb. Marsha Farnham had five kills in the match.

In an exciting three game match with tournament host Denver City, the Cowgirls overcame a one-game deficit and came from behind in the final game to win the match, 11-15, 15-2, 16-14. Leading the Cowgirl attack were Lydia Jimenez with seven kills, Marsha Farnham, five kills, six blocks and Karen Cobb, twelve service points.

They defeated Lubbock Dunbar 15-4, 15-9 to advance to the Championship match. Sparking the offensive attack, Lynda Jimenez had thirteen service points and Marsha Farnham had four kills. Marsha had three blocks defensively.

In a thrilling championship match the Cowgirls got off to a slow start and fell behind the Palo Duro Dons 6-0 before coming back to tie it up 8-8. They established a 10-8 lead but could not keep their momentum and were defeated 11-15.

They lost a hard fought second game. They Cowgirls had a five point lead at one time but the strong hitting Dons tied it up at 10-10 and went ahead for the 15-13 win. Karen Cobb and Heather McGill had eight and seven service points, respectively. The Cowgirls had a team total of twelve kills.

The Cowgirls played Crane Tuesday night in the Cowgirl gym. The two teams split games, with Crane winning the final game to notch the win 15-10, 3-15, 15-7. Bertha Gonzales had ten service points for the Cowgirls.

The Cowgirls will compete in the Imperial Invitational Volleyball Tournament. They will be paired against the Wink Wildcats in their first round of competition.

### JUNIOR VARSITY

The Junior Varsity lost a two game match with Crane on their home court Tuesday night. Veronica Gonzales had ten service points in the offensive effort.

The JV Cowgirls next game will be Tuesday night against Brownfield.

### NINTH GRADE

Sandra Ramos had seven service points in the ninth grade team's 1-15, 9-15 loss to Crane Tuesday night in the Cowgirl gym.

They were eliminated from the Snyder Volleyball Tournament last weekend in their second round of play.

Ninth grade team members are Leslie Patton, Roseanne Martinez, Lucy Diaz, Sandra Ramos, Annette Martinez, Michelle Lowe, Tisha Crain, Shannon Squyres and Vee Ann Fitzgerald.

Their next contest will be in the Cowgirl gym Tuesday afternoon when they take on the Brownfield Cubs. The game is to begin at 5 p.m.

### JUNIOR HIGH

The seventh and eighth grade volleyball teams opened their season in the Cowgirl gym Monday night against Levelland.

The seventh graders were victorious 6-15, 15-9, 15-1. Carmaleta Pope had sixteen service points in the match.

The seventh grade squad consists of Sonja Baker, Betsy Blair, Monica Flores, Brandy Lester, Lora Luna, Darce Pierce, Carmaleta Pope, Ogla Ramirez, Andrea Salas and Keri Powell, manager.

The eighth grade A team was defeated 15-6, 15-10. Kemi Cobb had five service points.

Playing on the eighth grade A team are Kemi Cobb, Janice Herrera, Daphne Lowe, Rena McElroy, JoLena Powell, Amy Jones and Ashlee Winn.

The eighth grade B team defeated Levelland 10-15, 15-6, 15-4.

Leading in service points were Leslie Gonzales and Leslie Brinkley with twelve and ten service points, respectively.

B-team members are Leslie Gonzales, Leslie Brinkley, Leticia Vasquez, Stephanie Cole, Cris Villarreal, Lupita Ramos and Carol Guerra.

The seventh and eighth grade teams will play at Lamesa on Monday. The seventh grade game is scheduled to begin at 4:30 p.m.

## Linda Lowrey Serves On National Commission

On Thursday, Sept. 10, 1987, Linda Lowrey traveled to St. Paul, Minn. for a meeting of the Commission on the Future of Rural America and the Future of Farmers Union.

The Commission met Thursday night and all day Friday at the National Farmers Union headquarters in St. Paul. The Commission was chaired by Alec Olson, who is the national director for Green Thumb, a federal program sponsored by NFU which finds employment for senior Americans.

Other members of the Commission were David Stetler, Pennsylvania Dept. of Agriculture and a past president of the Pennsylvania Farmer's Union; Jack Kelsey, president of Oklahoma Farmers Union; Bob Bergland, executive vice president of National Rural Electric Cooperatives; Bob Carlson, vice president of North Dakota Farmers Union; Marty Strange, Co-Director of the Center for Rural Affairs in



**WE THE PEOPLE...** Chief Justice Warren Burger asked that Americans celebrate the 200th birthday of the signing of our United States Constitution by ringing bells 200 times at 3:00 CDT. The citizens of Plains observed this occasion by ringing the bell at the Methodist Church followed by a short patriotic program and prayer.



**PROCLAIMED "AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S DAY", SEPT. 22** - Witnessing Judge Dallas Brewer's signature are members, Linda Wall, Carolyn Culwell, Dolores Davis, Martha Palmer and Cindy Davis.

## Plains Firemen Fighting Blazes In California

Fire Chief Roland Taylor and Captain Lewis Nelson have been working with Texas Forest Service the past two weeks in aiding firefighters across the country who



**PVFD ANSWERS CALL**  
Photo by Adelia Devitt

are fighting blazes in California.

Plains Volunteer Fire Department answered a call Thursday, Sept. 10 to extinguish a barn fire. The barn contained a number of large hay bales and was completely destroyed. It was owned by Jim Gay of Tokio. Cause of the fire has not been established.

Tuesday, Sept. 15, the department was called to a fire at the Sam Dominguez residence. Damage was minimal. Department members express thanks to all who helped with the fire calls.

## Former Resident Buried Here

Services for Jim Pharr, 82, of New Deal were held at 1 p.m. Monday in Lubbock's Primitive Baptist Church with the Rev. Hule Bass, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Plains Cemetery under direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Pharr died at 1:30 a.m. Friday at his home. Justice of the Peace McKinley Shepard ruled the death due to natural causes.

Pharr was born in Munday and moved to Plains in 1948. He married Mabel McCutcheon on Nov. 28, 1935, in Brownfield. He was a rancher.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Sandy Jackson of Lubbock and Gwynette Sturgess of Strong, Okla.; a son, Pharon of New Deal; three sisters, Ruby Perry of Lovington, N.M., Ruth Ingram of San Antonio and Bea Nelson of Lubbock; five brothers, Cecil of Lubbock, Vernon of Selmon, Calif., Robert of Waco, Otis of Arlington and Travis of Denver City; seven grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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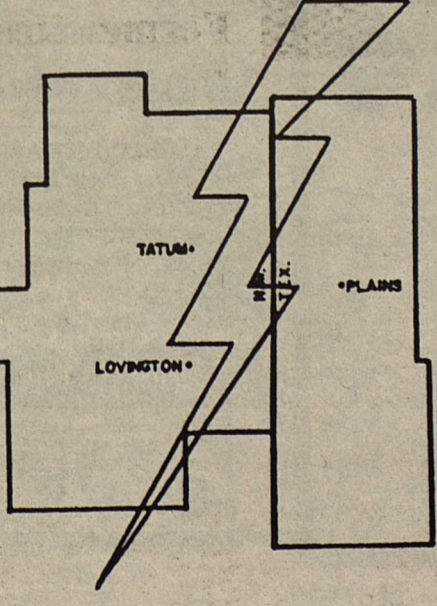
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