

RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONIES were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday for Monica's Minor Touch, a beauty and tanning salon owned by Monica and Billy Don Guetersloh. Shown participating in the ceremony at the shop located at 303 3rd Street are, Itr, Paul Cobb, Billy Don and Monica Guetersloh, Mary Wilmeth, Toni Jones, Mary Jo StRomain, Robby Guetersloh, Faye Nelms and Rhonda Carter holding Danielle Guetersloh. The shop is open Wednesday through Saturday. Appointments may be made by calling 456-7142.

## 1226 Yoakum County Voters Cast Ballots On Tuesday

Yoakum County voters trekked to the polls Tuesday, with 1226 casting ballots for the 25 amendments to the constitution and two referenda.
Despite carrying state-wide, the referendum to legalize parimutuel betting on horse and dog races was turned down by Yoakum voters, 698 to 495 . Referendum one, to continue staffing the State Board of Education by appointment rather than election was defeated by county voters, 815 to 350 . That too was being okayed at the state level.
Amendment 1 , to establish a grain warehouse self-insurance fund to guarantee payment, with public money, in case of defaults, was approved by County voters, 650 to 501.

Amendment 2, to raise the maximum property tax rate that may be adopted by certain rural fire prevention districts, lost 737 to 399.
Amendment 3, limiting school tax increases on residence homestead of surviving spouse (if at least 55) of elderly person, drew 861 for votes; 303, against.
Amendment 4, authorizing the legislature to provide assistance to encourage economic development in the state, 424 for, 714 against.
Amendment 5, allowing the State Highway Department and Texas Turnpike Authority to cooperate in road and bridge building using public monies to guarantee bond issue, lost 384 to 740 .

Amendment 6 , authorizing the
legislature to provide for state financing of the development and production of Texas products and businesses, defeated 377 to 768 .
Amendment 7, providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds to finance certain local public facilities, was turned down, 276 to 839.

Amendment 8, authorizing issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to correction institutions and mental health/mental retardation facilities, was approved 625 to 513.
Amendment 9, to provide that a member of the legislature is eligible to be elected or appointed to serve in a different state office but may not receive an increase in compensation, lost 475 to 660.
Amendment 10 , to allow the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation certain personal property not held or used for the production of income, was defeated 491 to 643.

Amendment 11, providing for the exemption from ad valorem taxation certain personal property that is located in the state for only a temporary period of time, was turned down 415 to 695 .
Amendment 12, to permit spouses to hold community property with right of survivorship, was approved 943 to 226.
Amendment 13, to allow for the creation and establishment, by law, of special districts to provide

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## Two Weeks 'Grace Period' Given Hot Check Writers

Hot check writers of Yoakum County are being given a two weeks "grace period" to pay off checks or be served warrants by Yoakum County Criminal District Attorney Linda Shoemaker Lowrey.
District Attorney Lowrey has reviewed hot check cases pending in her office and has found a significant number of persons have not paid off their checks even though complaints have been filed and warrants issued and served. Several check cases date back to 1985 and 1986, she states.
"As a general rule, individuals are not arrested on the Class C "Issue Bad Check" warrants because it is not cost effective to fill the jail with Class C offenders," says Ms. Lowrey. "Many people take care of their checks after a warrant is served.'

Notice is being given by Ms. Lowrey that warrants will be issued, or re-issued in some cases, Nov. 20 for all persons who have not paid off their checks. Arrests will be made. Individuals who have signed a payment agreement will not be arrested unless they have not paid as agreed. Situations which involve a person who has not paid as agreed will be reviewed on a case by case basis, Ms. Lowrey says.
She explains that warrants cannot be served unless the merchant secured vital information from the check writer including date of birth and driver's license number. Frequently the address printed on the check is no longer valid. Therefore, the Sheriff's Department cannot serve the warrant unless additional information has been obtained by the person taking the check.

## Bazaar, Auction

Slated Dec. 5
Yoakum County Art Association will sponsor a Craft Bazaar and Art Auction Saturday, Dec. 5 in the art building at Avenue $G$ and 11th Street.

Bazaar hours will be 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. with the auction scheduled for 2 p.m. Booths may be rented for a fee of $\$ 15$ each. Rental information may be obtained by calling Ineta Teaff, 456-4022, or Susie Powell, 456-3411.

During the two weeks' grace period, individuals can contact the Justice of the Peace and pay off checks. After Nov. 20, the Criminal District Attorney, Sheriff's Department and both Peace Justices will join in a concerted effort to collect the money owed to area merchants.
"Anyone having bad check cases pending is urged to take immediate action to clear the cases by payment and avoid being arrested," Ms. Lowrey advises.

## Chamber Offers Christmas Contest

Plains Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning in Johnnie's Restaurant. Jim Warren, president, presided.

The annual Christmas Tree Lighting, scheduled Dec. 2, was discussed. A decorating contest to be held among local businesses was planned. The Chamber will present a prize for the best entry.

Ribbon cutting ceremonies for two new businesses, Monica's Minor Touch and Mary's Country Flowers and Gifts, were discussed. Monica's Minor Touch ribbon cutting was held Wednesday. Ceremonies for Mary's Country Flowers and Gifts will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 19. The Chamber welcomes the two new businesses.

Attending were Paul Cobb, Dolores Davis, Jim Warren, Jim Barron, David Bunch, Carolyn Culwell, Mary Jo StRomain and Toni Jones.

## 'Light Up America' On Veterans Day

"The Veterans Administration wants all veterans to 'light up America on Veterans Day' by driving through the day on November 11 with their headlights on," said Stephen L. Lemons, Director, Waco VA Regional Office.
'The 'light up America' program, initiated by national veterans service organizations, is intended to symbolize the camaraderie and mutual concern of the nation's 27.4 million veterans," said Lemons.
The Veterans Administration wholeheartedly endorses this national gesture and asks all veterans to "light up America" on Veterans Day.

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## Raynee Davis <br> Recently Inducted Into Honor Society

Raynee Davis, senior accounting and finance major at HardinSimmons University in Abilene, was recently inducted into Alpha Chi, National College Honor Society.

Daughter of Dolores Davis and the late Wayne Davis, Miss Davis was one of the 48 H -SU students selected for membership. Only those junior and senior students of good character who rank in the upper tenth of their classes and have completed at least 30 hours at the university, are considered for membership.

Mrs. Davis attended the candlelight induction ceremony and reception.

## L.J. Sanders

## Elected Director

L.J. Sanders was recently elected to the Yoakum Soil and Water Conservation Board of Directors. He represents Zone 3 of the district.

Purpose of Yoakum SWCD, with headquarters in Plains, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters and other issues affecting private property rights of landowners.

The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements - with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

As one of five individuals serving on the district board of directors, Sanders will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district laws.
In other areas of leadership Sanders is active in the Methodist Church, Child Welfare Board and the Society of Petroleum Engineers.
Sanders is married to the former Virginia Price. They have two sons, David of Houston and U.S. Air Force Captain Dan Sanders of Lubbock.

In Texas there are 206 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCD's do not have the power of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowners or operator
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## Presented By Native Son

Patriotism was the theme of Monday, Oct. 26's meeting of GFWC Tsa Mo Ga Club. Program director for the evening was Sarah K. Burrus.
Ms. Burrus introduced special guest, Capt. Dan Sanders of the United States Air Force stationed at Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock. A former resident of Plains and grandson of the late Bayne Prices, Capt. Sanders narrated a slide presentation, "Legacy of Reese Air Force Base"
Some 3300 people work at Reese including 800 civilian employees, the presentation noted. Reese annually trains 400 pilots and has a $\$ 155$ million dollar impact each year on the West Texas economy. Approximately 950 jobs are created by the base.
Sanders graduated from Lubbock Christian College in 1981 and was commissioned a lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force in 1982. He

## Courtesy Compliments Melissa Galvan \& Son

Melissa Galvan and infant son, Jarod were complimented with a baby shower Saturday, Oct. 31 in the home of Carolyn Culwell.
Special guests were the infant's grandmothers, Marietta Guetersloh and Rosa Galvan, and greatgrandmother, Martha Guetersloh.
Guests registered at a table laid with white lace. Highlighting the registry was a miniature crocheted bassinet holding a tiny baby.

Adorning the white lace over blue cloth of the party table was a white polar bear dressed with a bib im-

## Art Association Plans Fall Exhibit, Fund Raiser

Members of Yoakum County Art Association, at their meeting Monday, made plans for their annual fall art exhibit. It is slated to begin Monday Nov. 30 in Yoakum County Courthouse.
A bazaar and art auction was planned to conclude the week-long event, Saturday, Dec. 5 in the Art Association building. Booths may be obtained by contacting club president, Inetta Teaff, at 456-4022, or Susie Powell, 456-3411.
No more than two persons will be allowed per booth. A fee of $\$ 15$ was set. Wes Underwood will auction art objects donated by members for the auction to begin at 2 p.m. Bazaar hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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graduated Reese Pilot Training in 1983 and was assigned for two years to Anderson AFB in Guam. He returned to Reese in 1985 as an in structor pilot and was promoted in 1986 to captain. He is presently serving as a T-37 flight examiner.

The former Plains resident has received several military decorations including the Air Medal with oak leaf cluster for 33 typhoon penetrations; Commendation Medal for saving 10 lives on a Search and Rescue Mission in the Pacific; and Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster for numerous individual accomplishments.
He and his wife, the former Shanna Jeanan Renfrow, are parents of a daughter, Shaley Jeanay.
Other guests were Capt. Sanders' parents, Virginia and L.J. Sanders; his wife and daughter; and Kirk Parrish.
printed with "Jarod's Bear". Napkins were decorated with a rocking horse. Crystal appointments were used for serving muffins, coffee and juice.
Hostesses presented the honoree's mother with a corsage designed of white infant socks, a stroller and play pen.

Assisting with hostess duties were Dolores Davis, Pat Curtis, Pam Smith, Pat Hinkle, Linda Harris, Latrell McDonnell, Pat Lowrey, Myrna White and Marjorie Diaz.

Proceeds of the event will go for building repairs.
Art Association members are asked to contribute something for the auction and donate $\$ 20$ to the repair fund.
Plans were finalized for a workshop to be conducted Nov. 14 by Pee Wee Lanier of Lubbock and for the club Christmas party Dec. 12.

Kathy Cowart is Artist of the Month for November.


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Our junior students took the T.E.A.M.S. exit level test this past week and we look forward to those results. Our students are very serious about this test because they know they must pass it before receiving a diploma.

Our students, teachers, and total staff are committed to making Plains Schools the best. We all appreciate your support.


## JUNIOR HIGH

The seventh and eighth grade 1987 volleyball season came to a close Monday afternoon in Seminole.
The seventh grade girls were defeated 15-11, 15-2. Darce Pierce had five points for the Wranglers. Leticia Vasquez had eleven service points for the eighth grade team in their 15-9, 15-11 loss to Seminole.

NINTH GRADE
The ninth grade girls traveled to Kermit last week for their last volleyball match of the season. The Yellowjackets were triumphant, 15-8, 15-4.

## JUNIOR VARSITY

The JV had seventeen team kills in their season finale at Kermit last Thursday. Kermit came out on top 7-15, 15-11, 15-7. Raquel Medina led all servers with nine service points.

## VARSITY

The Cowgirls split games with the Seminole Maidens Tuesday night with Seminole claiming the victory The Cowgirls bounced back to win the second game 15-8 after dropping the first game 4-15. The final game of the match was tied 12-12 before Seminole went ahead to notch the victory. Melissa Welch and Lynda Jimenez recorded six kills for the Cowgirls. Leading in service points were Bertha Gonzales and Heather McGill with nine and seven service points respectively. Marsha Farnham had four blocks defensively.
The Cowgirls downed the Kermit Yellowjackets 15-12, 15-6 last week. Sparking the offensive attack were Melissa Welch with five kills and Marsha Farnham and Lynda Jimenez with four kills each.

The Cowgirls, now 18-9, will meet the Wink Wildcats Saturday, Nov. 7 in their in their first playoff match.

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MONDAY - Tacos w/taco sauce, corn, peas, crackers, sopapillas $\mathrm{w} /$ cinnamon spread and milk.
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WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce and pickles, onion rings, corn chips, fruit, coconut cookies and milk.
THURSDAY - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, blackeyed peas, tossed salad, peanut butter, honey and milk.
FRIDAY - Fried chicken w/gravy, mashed potatoes, spinach, hot rolls, Jell-O and milk.

## 1988 Yearbooks On Sale Now

Orders will be taken Nov. 9-13 for 1988 Plains yearbooks in elementary, junior high and high school offices. Orders for the $\$ 11.50$ annuals may also be placed with Elsie Carrillo, Tana Hobbs, Lisa Coronado, Diana Garcia, Teresa Hinson, Lusema Luna, Daphne Lowe, Amy Jones and Rena McElroy.

Copies of the 1987 yearbooks are still available also. They may be purchased for $\$ 11.50$ each by contacting Regina Meeks at the high school.

## Channel 3 KPLN

Monday, Nov. 9 at 2 p.m. Plains vs Wilson

Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 2 p.m. 1987 Bi-District Volleyball, Plains vs Wink

Wednesday, Nov. 11 at 2 p.m. Plains vs Meadow
Thursday, Nov. 12 at 2 p.m. 1987 Area Volleyball

Friday, Nov. 13 at 2 p.m. Plains vs Wilson

The bi-district contest is scheduled for 4 p.m. at Andrews in the Andrews Middle School gym.



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## Cowboys Kick Roughnecks

by Paula McMinn The Plains Cowboys broke open a close game in the third quarter to defeat Sundown 28-7. The Cowboys, now 8-1 for the season and 4-0 in district play, used their rushing game to build up a 14-7 half-time lead.

With the first offensive play, the Cowboys showed they could rush the ball. Alex Barrientes broke for a 75 yard run, but a holding call cancelled the touchdown and brought the ball back. The Cowboys were able to get a first down on a pass from Shane McMinn to Doug Green at the 45 yard line on a third and nine. The Sundown defense held and on fourth and three from the fifty yard line Barrientes punted the ball to the 10 yard line where Kevin Lowrey hit the punt receiver and knocked the ball loose, then fell on the ball setting up the ensuing touchdown. On second down McMinn sprinted in from 10 yards out on a veer play to the right. He also added the extra point on the PAT.
Sundown took the kickoff and marched to the 50 before punting. The Cowboys were unable to move the ball. Barrientes punted 40 yards to the Sundown 45.

The Roughnecks, mainly behind the running of Mark Morgan, drove the ball the 55 yards for a score. Morgan took the ball in from the 35 yard line for the touchdown.

Taking the kickoff the Cowboys drove for two first downs where the drive stalled at the 50 yard line. Barrientes punted the ball 50 yards into the end zone.

A Sundown runner broke into the secondary on the ensuing drive, where McMinn and Barrientes hit the runner and the ball popped out and Kenley Powell caught the ball in mid-air and returned it to the 33 yard line. A 30 yard pass from McMinn to Scott Lowrey set up the next touchdown. On a second and three McMinn reached paydirt on a quarterback sneak and added the PAT.
The Sundown Roughnecks took the kickoff and started a drive that ended when McMinn intercepted a Davis pass and returned it to the

Sundown 45 yard line ending the first half, 14-7.
The Cowboys came out in the second half with a tenacious defense only allowing Sundown two first downs the second half of play.
The offensive line opened gaping holes for the Cowboy running backs. Guards Brad McWhirter and Lebert Powell, Center Kevin Lowrey and Tackles Don Booth and Brian Livengood paved the way for Cowboy running backs as they made many good runs against the Roughneck defense.

However, on the first play after the half, the Cowboys fumbled and lost the ball giving the Roughnecks good field position. The Cowboy defense held and took over at the seven yard line. The Cowboys mounted a 93 yard drive from that point. During the drive Michael Diaz carried the ball three times for 30 yards; Blake McWhirter carried three times for 25 yards and Barrientes carried one for 10 yards. Jeff Ashburn caught a pass for 10 yards; and Scott Lowrey caught a pass for 12 yards. McMinn ran a quarterback sneak for a touchdown and kicked the PAT with 5:14 left in the third quarter.
A face mask penalty on the kickoff put the Roughnecks at the Cowboy 45 yard line, but the Cowboy defense held and got the ball on the 14 yard line after the Sundown punt.
The Cowboys then mounted an 86 yard drive. Barrientes carried three times for 71 yards and Diaz one for 16 yards with Barrientes going the last 44 yards on a sweep for the touchdown. McMinn added the PAT with 2:28 left in the third quarter.
The Roughnecks drove the ball to the Cowboy 15 yard line where Chad Wall knocked the ball loose from Mark Morgan and Diaz recovered the ball for the Cowboys. The Cowboy drive stalled when a McMinn pass was intercepted at the Sundown 49 yard line.
The Roughnecks fumbled right back to the Cowboys with Blake McWhirter recovering the ball. After a 40 yard punt by Barrientes the Cowboy defense stopped the

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Roughneck drive when Barrientes intercepted a pass at the Cowboy 20 yard line. The Sundown defense held and took over on downs. They took over at their own 17 yard line and were unable to move the ball.
The game ended with Plains having 20 first downs, 243 yards rushing and 95 yards passing for a 338 yards of total offense. Sundown had 11 first downs, 180 yards rushing and 33 yards passing.

Defensively the Cowboys were led by Blake McWhirter with 7 tackles and four assists; forced a fumble and recovered a fumble. Chad Wall, Michael Diaz, Shane McMinn, Alex Barrientes, Jesse Flores, Kyle Stephens all played an important
role in the outstanding second half performance.


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emergency services, was endorsed 622 to 510.

Amendment 14 , giving the state a limited right to appeal in criminal cases, approved 705 to 424 .

Amendment 15 , to provide for the abolition of office of county treasurer in Gregg, Fayette and Nueces Counties, okayed 583 to 467.

Amendment 16 , providing that certain justice precincts may contain more than one justice of the peace court, passed 682 to 443.

Amendment 17, authorizing the legislature to define for all purposes the governmental and proprietary functions of a municipality, was turned down 443 to 644 .

Amendment 18 , relating to the creation, operation and financing of jail districts, was defeated 536 to 590.

Amendment 19, authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds to fund undertakings related to a superconducting super collider

## Legal Notice

The First Baptist Church will offer for sale by sealed bid, certain Churchowned property. The property is located on the extreme West city limits. Old Mission property outside city limits (1.427-acre tract with existing buildings), Blocks 49/50/51/73 and 75, and S/2 and W 198' of N/2 Block 72, Original Town of Plains. Interested persons should contact First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 299, Plains, TX 79355 for bid form. 29/4te
research facility sponsored or authorized by the United States government and to make appropriate grants for such undertakings, approved 723 to 425.

Amendment 20 , to authorize the legislature to provide ad valorem tax relief for certain offshore drilling equipment that is not in use, lost 474 to 645 .
Amendment 21 , permitting the legislature to include the speaker of the house or speaker's appointee in the membership of an executive agency or committee, lost 364 to 731.

Amendment 22, allowing the legislature to limit the authority of a governor to fill vacancies in state and district offices during the end of the governor's term if the governor is not re-elected, was voted 675 for; 467 against.

Amendment 23, authorizing the issuance of an additional $\$ 400$

## Card

## Of Thanks

To the Citizens of Plains:
The people of Saragosa, Father Ralph Barranger, and I give thanks to God for you. Your kind generosity at our time of need has brought comfort and a realization of God's loving presence among us.

May God bless you and grant you all good things.
Raymundo Pena

## TSA MO GA CLUB GARAGE SALE

Saturday, Nov. 14th from 9 to 5 p.m. in the Ambulance Garage at Plains City Hall

million of Texas Water Development Bonds for water supply, water quality and flood control purposes, approved 642 to 485.

Amendment 24 , permitting a county to perform work, without compensation for another governmental entity, was defeated 518 to 592.

Amendment 25, authorizing the legislature to permit Amarillo Hospital District to serve certain residents of Randall County to authorize Randall County to provide financial assistance to the district, and to authorize certain hospital districts to change their boundaries or jurisdiction with voter approval, okayed 668 to 404

Notice is hereby given that a vacancy exists in the combined office of Yoakum County Veterans Service Officer and Weifare will accert Commissioners Court will accept applications for omploy M on opplications may be obtained in the applicaty Judge's Office and completed forms returned to the County Judge's Office Office.
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