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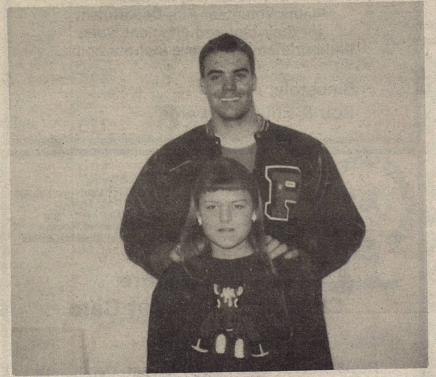
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TO COMPETE AT STATE contests this weekend, in the Civic Center in Lubbock are, left to right, Lesli Rowe, Colt Winn, Joshua Bell, Kimberly Martinez, Linzie Rust, Ashlei Mason; back row, ltr, Kristi Guetersloh, Lyndi Rowe, Tandi Jones and LaCresha Johnson.



UIL BAND SOLO WINNERS KENLEY POWELL & WENDIE ALEX-ANDER -- Senior band member, Kenley Powell, earned a division I rating for his Tuba Solo during the UIL Solo and Ensemble Competition held in Lubbock, Saturday, Feb. 27 at Texas Tech University. Powell qualifies for State UIL Solo and Ensemble contests at Austin in May. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Powell. Wendie Alexander, freshman student and alto saxophone player received a Division II rating. Wendie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Alexander. The Plains High School students are members of the Cowboys Band, directed by Bryan Morgan.

Royal Bounders Host Meet, Qualify For State Events

Plains Royal Bounders hosted the District II STTA Novice Qualifying Meet Feb. 27. They captured a number of wins and qualified several to advance to state competition Saturday in Lubbock.

Qualifying were Lesli and Lyndi Rowe, Colt Winn, Joshua Bell, Kimberly Martinez, Ashlei Mason, Kristi Guetersloh, LaCresha Johnson and Tandi Jones. Members of the Advance Team who will compete in state contests Sunday are Linzie Rust, Amber Bryan, Tandi Jones and Misty Willett.

Pat Green of Brownfield is Royal

Bounders coach. Ashley Winn is their trampoline coach.

Earning a first place win in the District Meet was Ashlei Mason. Second place winners were Lyndi Rowe, Joshua Bell and Kimberly Martinez.

Other students placing were LaCresha Johnson, Lesli Rowe, Colt Winn and Kristi Guetersloh, third; Jennifer Lollar, Jeffery Lollar, Amanda Koncaba and Nancy Koncaba, fourth; Kimbe Jones, Daniel Clay and Candace Bowers, fifth; and Jerad Bell, sixth.

Tandi Jones won first on trampoline.

City Candidates May File

Registered voters will go to the polls one month later this year because of an election change mandated for Texans. Rather than the first Saturday in April, voters will choose local candidates on the first Saturday in May.

Plains voters will be electing a

mayor and two councilmen in the May 7 election. Terms of Mayor T.J. Miller and councilmen Barry Green and Kevin Guetersloh are expiring.

Candidates may file for either office between Feb. 22 and March 23.



EARN DIVISION II IN ENSEMBLE -- Cowboy Band members attending and competing in the Texas Tech UIL Solo and Ensemble Contests in Lubbock, Saturday, Feb. 27 as a clarinet quartet, were band students, ltr, Rachel Gonzales, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valdemar Gonzales; Veronica Gonzales, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Gonzales; Jo Ann Martinez, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martinez; and Lisa Flores, junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores. The foursome are band students, under the direction of Bryan Morgan, Plains Band Director.

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School Board Extends Contracts

School board members met in regular session Monday evening with Melvin Lowrey, president, presiding.

Recommendations of the textbook committee were unanimously accepted. Board members cast ballots in the Region XVII Education Service Center board of directors election.

Bid of \$24,432 by Bridges-Hemphill Enterprises Inc. was accepted for the purchase of a fifteen passenger Collins Super Bantam school bus. Bids were also accepted for repair of school buildings by Karr Tuckpointing. The bids included high school, \$22,000 - \$23,300; junior high, \$27,000 - \$29,100 and elementary, \$12,100 - \$13,700.

Lowrey was named representative to the TASB Legislative Network. February bills were approved for payment.

Superintendent Dean Andrews presented financial reports for general operating, cafeteria, tax and transportation.

Teaching contracts extending through the 1988-89 school year were approved for J. Baldwin, C. Cain, B. Canada, R. Canon, D. Casey, R. Clay, R. Cullins, R. Meeks, B. Morgan, J. Moore, Estelle McAdams, Evertt McAdams, L. McMinn, M. McWhirter, Joe Pierce, Joyce Pierce, C. Riffe, J. Stickrod, L. Warren, S. Alexander, S. Alldredge, K. Andrews, P. Cullins, K. Engle, S. Foster, A. Graham, V. Kight, R. Nance, M. Pettigrew, L. Simpson, C. Blair, T. Cheatham, J. Cobb, W.M. Engle, P. House, J. McGill, A. McGinty, McWhirter, I. Martinez, L. Miller, R. Casey, J. Parks, M. Record and Y. Ramos.





LIONS CLUB MEMBER, PETE StROMAIN & Lion's guest speaker, Mary Guetersloh.

Adult Probation Explained For Lions Club Thursday

Mary Guetersloh, Adult Probation Officer for Yoakum and Terry Counties, was guest speaker at Thursday's luncheon meeting of Plains Lions Club.

Sharing an update of the Criminal Justice System, Ms. Guetersloh cited examples of how the sheer numbers of offenders has complicated the system, especially Texas Department of Corrections.

She explained probation's role and stressed its role and affect on each local community. She noted that each Adult Probation Department is directed by a Chief AP officer appointed by the District Judge (or Judges).

Parole is directed by the State, she

"Probation works to prevent an offender from continuing illegal behavior by close detailed supervision in the local community while the offender lives, works and hopefully becomes a responsible, tax paying member of society," she stated.

"When the probationer violates conditions of the probation order, the probationer faces incarceration. The parole system deals only with

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the offenders leaving the Texas Department of Corrections."

"In short," she added, "probation is designed to be proactive and preventive with intervention hoping to divert offenders from incarceration, while parole is designed to be reactive and monitor offenders after incarceration in the state penitentiary. Probation serves local judicial systems; parole, the state executive system."

Ms. Guetersloh stated, "The purpose of probation supervision is two-fold. One is to protect society by close surveilance and two is to assess and address the needs of the probationer."

Members attending were L.J. Sanders, Sherm Tingle, Frank Spencer, Charles Oswalt, Ken Peterson, Paul Cobb, Johnnie Fitzgerald, T.J. Miller and Pierre StRomain.

Mike McClure, Yoakum County Highway Patrolman, will present the program at the March 17 meeting.



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MRS. MILTON BAYER



Kitchen — Korner



Recipes are shared with the readers of Plains Pride this week by Jimmie (Mrs. Milton) Bayer.

Bookkeeper for the family business, Bayer Lumber Company, Jimmie manages to find time for her favorite pastimes, reading and painting. She also likes to sew and enjoys stitch embroidery. In the summer, she enjoys teaching oil painting to interested youngsters.

Jimmie grew up and attended school in Plains. She and Milton are parents of Pamela Burnett of Midland, Sandy Kreller of Australia, Keith of Plains, Scotty of Wimberly and Laine of San Angelo. They are proud grandparents of six.

An adult Sunday School class teacher, Jimmie has participated in a number of crusades.

SWEET & SOUR PORK

11/2 lb lean pork, cut in 2x1/2 inch strips (shrimp may be substituted) 2 T melted shortening

1 chicken bouillon cube

1 lge can pineapple chunks 1/4 c brown sugar or Sugar Twin 2 T cornstarch

1/4 c vinegar

1 T Soy sauce

1 med green pepper, cut in strips 1/4 c thinly sliced onion

Brown pork slowly in melted shortening. Add 1 cup water, bouillon cube and 1/4 t salt, mix well. Cover and simmer one hour. Meanwhile drain pineapple, reserving syrup. Combine brown sugar and cornstarch; add reserved pineapple syrup, vinegar, Soy sauce and 1/2 t salt. Cook and stir over medium heat until thickened and bubbly. Remove from heat. Add sauce to pork and mix well. Stir in pineapple, green pepper and onion. Cook over low heat two to three mins or until vegetables are tender crisp. Serve over hot cooked rice and with chow mein noodles.

LINDA'S CREAMED **CHICKEN TACOS** Have Ready: 1 chicken, boiled and diced 2 c cubed Velveeta cheese 1/3 c chopped onion 12 corn tortillas, lightly fried until soft, as for enchiladas) Saute in 4 T butter: Onions 8 oz can green chilies

2-3 T flour, for thickening 2 - 8 oz cans of tomato sauce 1 can evaporated milk

Blend and add cheese and stir over low heat until melted. Add diced chicken.

Spread a thin layer of sauce; then a layer of tortillas in a baking dish. Continue to build layers, reserving enough sauce to cover the final layer of tortillas. Bake 30 to 40 mins in moderate oven. Let stand briefly before serving. (6 servings)

MAMA'S CHERRY COBBLER

1 can sour cherries

2 c water

1 c water

2 T flour

1 t almond extract

1½ c flour

½ t salt

½ c sugar ½ c Crisco

1 t baking powder

½ c milk

Gift Coffee Fetes Melba Crutcher

Melba Crutcher was honored Thursday morning with a Grandmother Coffee in the courthouse.

Coffee and doughnuts were serv-

Courthouse employees and other friends presented the honoree with disposable diapers, play suit, photo album and money.

1/2 c pecans

Mix first flour ingredients; add flavoring and pour in baking dish. Mix flour, salt, sugar, Crisco, baking powder; add milk and pecans. Pour by spoonfuls on cherry mixture. Bake at 375° till brown.

PAM'S HAM CHOP-CHOP Mix well:

1 can Tender Chunk ham

1 c mayonnaise

1 c chopped celery

1 c grated carrots 1/4 c chopped onion

Right before serving, add 4 oz shoestring potatoes. Serve on lettuce leaves, and top with sliced pineap-

CORRECTION NOTED

In the Jan. 17 issue Kitchen Korner, the Sour Cream Pound Cake recipe by Mary D. Williams, should read 1/4 teaspoon soda, instead of 1/4 cup soda.

Eastern Star Meeting Held

Plains Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star met March 7. Attending were 10 members and three

Presiding were Mrs. June Anderson, Worthy Matron, and Glenn Morehouse, Worthy Patron.

Members were encouraged to visit Plains Independent Schools during Texas Public Schools Week. Announcement was made that all senior citizens are invited to have lunch at school during the weeklong observance.

Guests attending were Linda Payne, Brownfield; and Blanche Dulin and Esther Holland, Denver City. Members attending were Dick McGinty, Mary Jo StRomain, Joe and Sudie Thompson, Florine Hayes, Emily Bolling, Ottie Morehouse and Bert Bartlett.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting, Monday, April 4 at 7:30



Guy & Karen Williams would like to announce the arrival of Wesley Todd Williams. Born Friday, March 4 in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock, he weighed eight pounds three ounces and measured 20 and three-quarters inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams of Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Redman of Morton. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Bearden of Plains; Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Williams of Welch; and Mr. and Mrs. G.P. Robertson of Wolfforth.

Angel and Albert Castro wish to announce the arrival of their daughter, Adrienne Michelle. Born at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17 in Yoakum County Hospital in Denver City, she weighed eight pounds, two and one-half ounces and measured 20 and one-half inches long. She has a four-year-old brother, Mathew Ryan. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Martin Flores of Plains; Albert Castro Sr. of Albuquerque, N.M.; and Nora Castro of Roswell, N.M. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Castro of Roswell, N.M.

Party Honors **Brett Squyres**

Five-year-old Brett Squyres was honored Sunday afternoon with a birthday party in city park. A western motif with cowboys and ropes was used in decorations and favors. Hosting the affair were his parents, Newell and Peggy Squyres.

Assisting with hospitalities were the honoree's sisters, Shannon and

Cake, ice cream and Kool-Aid were served. Guests were presented bubbles, personalized cups and balloons.





Plains Independent School District

From The Superintendent's Desk



During the past couple of weeks we have been taking our elementary and junior high students to the Sports Science Spectrum in Lubbock. This exhibit is a traveling exhibit and has only been on display in Texas once before. I would encourage each of you to take advantage of this science exhibit very soon since it will only be in Lubbock until early May.

Many of our students and teachers will be enjoying a much deserved Spring break this week. However school will not be closed completely. Those students who participate in TI-IN classes (those classes offered through satellite TV) will have the opportunity to participate in classes as usual. The Resource Center will be open for scheduled TI-IN classes and personnel will tape programs for those students who are unable to attend. Since TI-IN is a national teaching enterprise, it is considered advisable to broadcast classes each week with no break.

Other students and teachers will be busy during Spring break preparing for U.I.L. literary contests which begin on Monday, March 21st. Events scheduled at Plains for Monday are: Science, Ready Writing, Journalism, Number Sense, and Calculator Application. On Wednesday, Debate events are scheduled in Loop. Typewriting, Spelling, Poetry Interpretation, Shorthand, Persuasive and Informative Speaking, Prose Interpretation, Accounting, and Literary Criticism events are scheduled at Plains on Thursday.

The week of March 21-26th will be a very busy one for Plains I.S.D. since in addition to literary events, there are tennis matches scheduled for Monday (Junior High at Muleshoe); Wellman, O'Donnell, and Loop High Schools at Plains on Thursday; and the Plainview tennis tourney beginning on Friday. On Tuesday we will participate in the North Zone One-Act-Play contest at Dawson, and if successful, will compete in District One-Act-Play competition at O'Donnell on Saturday. There will also be a track meet at Sands High School on Saturday. So as you see, those who can, should take the opportunity to "rest up" during Spring break in order to be fully prepared for the hectic week that follows.

We wish all of our students success in their efforts and know that they will do their utmost to continue the winning tradition of Plains Schools.

Plains Youth Exhibit 20 Projects In Houston Show

Fourteen 4-H and FFA members from Plains exhibited their animal projects at Houston Livestock Show during Feb. 26-March 5. Approximately 13 swine projects, four beef cattle projects, and 10 sheep projects were exhibited by local youth.

Dusty Rafferty received \$1,806. Nikki McGinty also placed 12th with her Duroc swine. There were 2,947 swine exhibited at the show. Michael Hart from Denver City placed 10th in the swine division.

In the beef cattle division, Nikki McGinty placed 17th with her Simmental steer and Brandon McGinty, fifth with a Hereford heifer.

Members of Yoakum County 4-H and Plains FFA attending were Donald Booth, Shawn Booth, Keith Earnest, Monte Pierce, Matt Record, Kyle Stephens, Stacey Jones, Tracey Bearden, Yancey House, Dusty Rafferty, Brandon McGinty and Nikki McGinty. Accompanying the group as advisors and leaders were David Kight, Joe Pierce, Rickey Bearden, David Record and Kenneth McGinty. Ap-

proximately 7,500 animals were exhibited in this year's show at Houston.

Wendie Alexander Plays For Club

Plains Fine Arts Club met Thursday evening in the clubroom with Gale McDonnell as program leader.

Wendie Alexander, freshman at Plains High School, played "Adagio and Allegro", the selection she chose to perform in UIL Solo and Ensemble competition. She plays the alto-sax.

Guests attending were Miss Alexander's parents, David and Lyndia Alexander.

Others attending were Cynthia Blair, Kelley Clay, Allene Carnohan, Martha Palmer, Mary Dale Williams, Annette Cleveland, Dolores Davis and Mary Guetersloh.

Next meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 7 in the home of Melba Crutcher.

Tennis Team Competes In First Meet Of Season

Plains High School's tennis team competed last week in the Regional Team Tennis Tournament in Levelland, finishing sixth. Eighteen teams were entered.

Girls participating were Lynda Jimenez, Lydia Jimenez, Heather McGill, Elsie Carrillo, Corie Spencer, Melissa Green and MaDawn Sherrin. Boys competing were Kris Andrews, Henry Gonzales, Doug Green, Shane McMinn, Scott Lowrey and John Harris.

Plains was defeated in the first round, 10-1, by Brownfield. Melissa Green and Corie Spencer won doubles competition to put PHS on the consolation side of the bracket. In the second round, Plains defeated Dimmitt, 13-0. Winning in singles were Lydia and Lynda Jimenez and MaDawn Sherrin. The Jimenez sisters won doubles. Boys winning in singles were Andrews, McMinn, Harris, Green, Gonzales and Lowrey. McMinn and Green, Lowrey and Harris and Andrews and Gonzales won matches in doubles.

In the next round, Plains defeated Forsan 11-7. Singles winners were Sherrin, Spencer, Green, McMinn, Harris, Gonzales and Lowrey. Winning in doubles were Jimenez and Jimenez, Lowrey and Harris and Andrews and Gonzales.

The wins over Forsan gave PHS the right to challenge Denver City for fourth and the right to advance to the State Team Tennis Meet. Plains met Hart for the consolation title and lost 8-10 in an evenly matched battle. Winning in singles were Carillo, Sherrin, Spencer, Green and Lowrey. Doubles winners were Carrillo and Sherrin, Spencer and Green and Andrews and Gonzales.

Plains tennis teams had never before advanced thus far in this

PJHS HONOR ROLL

A HONOR ROLL

FIFTH GRADE - Lance Cole, Jennifer Earnest, Janie Ruiz, Angelica Tarango and Shannon Ward.

SIXTH GRADE - Tracy Bearden, Jennifer Cowart, Rhonda Cowart, Jennifer Day, Gabriel Flores, Lenny Morrow and Jay Rushing.

SEVENTH GRADE - April Horn and Keri Powell.

EIGHTH GRADE - Lacy McAdams, JoLena Powell and Wade Redman.

A-1B HONOR ROLL

FIFTH GRADE - Danny Brinkley and Ladd Winn.

SIXTH GRADE - Heather Bowlin, Tammy Lowrey, Kim Mc-Clure and Lucinda Perez.

SEVENTH GRADE - Betsy Blair.

EIGHTH GRADE - none listed.

tournament. Coach Devitt states he believes the team will improve with each practice and match and be very competitive by district.

School Events

MONDAY: One-Act-Play at 8:15 a.m.; Safety Program in Elementary at 9 a.m.; Spring Meet, UIL Literary at Plains; Tennis with Muleshoe, here for Junior High TUESDAY: North Zone One-Act-Play at Dawson

WEDNESDAY: Spring Meet
-Debate at Loop

THURSDAY: UIL H.S. Literary Contest at Plains, starting at 1 p.m.; Tennis, O'Donnell, Wellman, Loop, Plains, Here at 5 p.m. FRIDAY: Tennis, Plainview Tourn.

SATURDAY: Tennis, Plainview Tourn. Continues; Track, Sands Meet, B/G; District One-Act-Play at O'Donnell

Channel 3 KPLN

MONDAY, March 21 at 2 p.m. -Plains vs New Home
TUESDAY, March 22 at 2:30 p.m. Yoakum County Stock Show
WEDNESDAY, March 23 at 2:30 p.m., Plains vs. Wellman
THURSDAY, March 24 at 2:30 p.m., Plains Girls vs. Wellman
FRIDAY, March 25 at 2 p.m., Yoakum County Stock Show

What's Cooking At School?



BREAKFAST
MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal, grape juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Donut, apple juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Toast, apricot preserves, orange juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Pancake, syrup, butter, tomato juice and milk.
FRIDAY - Frosted flakes, pineapple juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Pizza, corn, tossed salad, gingerbread, butter and milk.

TUESDAY - Chicken pot pie, broccoli w/cheese sauce, hot rolls, butter, peanut butter, honey and

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onion rings, corn chips w/bean dip, fruit, brownies and milk

THURSDAY - Taco w/taco sauce, peas, lettuce, tomatoes, crackers, apricot cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY - Pork chops w/gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, peaches and milk.



Around The Cinder Track



Plains High School Cowboys hosted the Cowboy Relays last week and finished the event in a tie for second place. Eleven teams competed with O'Dell taking the title with 130 total points. Plains and Meadow compiled 117 points each. Sudan, finishing third, had 91 points.

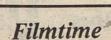
finishing third, had 91 points.

The PHS 400 Relay won first place with a 45.36 performance by Blake McWhirter, Alex Barrientes, Michael Diaz and Jeff Lowrey. The 1600 relay team finished in third place with 3:38.3 by Diaz, Mario Medina, Lowrey and Jeff Ashburn. The distance medley relay team came in second. Running 12:51.7 were Medina, Irvan Matta, Lebert Powell and Chad Guetersloh.

Ashburn also collected first place wins in the 110 high hurdles and 300 intermediates. His times were 16.2 and 41.9. Also placing in the 110 hurdles were Monte Pierce, third, 18.7 and Medina, fifth, 19.9.

Diaz won the long jump with a leap of 19'9".

Other placings included Daniel Canada, sixth in the 200 yard dash, 25.2; Matta and Ricky Vasquez, se-



Filmtime youngsters joined in celebrating Tiffany Canon's birth-day Wednesday. Cookies and punch were served.

Film of the day was "Friends". Books read were "Joshua James Likes Trucks", "Mother Goose Rhymes" and "Brer Rabbit".

Attending were Crystal Ivins, Kimberly and Sarah Martinez, Lesli Rowe, Skyler Johnson, Ashlei Mason, Dustin Six, Kelsey Blundell, Scott Robertson, Elizabeth Clanahan, Chase Howell, Kimbe Jones, Justin Taylor, Kyle Kight, Jayce Clayton, Ty Shearman, Chelsi Wagnon, Ragan McGinty and Linsey Cullins.

PHS HONOR ROLL

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A-1B HONOR ROLL - Krystal Bradley, Sally Burrus, Phillip Cowart, Anthony Day, Keith Earnest, Lisa Flores, Henry Gonzales, Teresa Hinson, Lydia Jimenez, Lynda Jimenez, Rosanne Martinez, Brad McWhirter, Juan Morales, Sara Ruiz and Kyle Stephens.

cond and third respectively, in the 800 yard run. Their times were 2:16.3 and 2:19.4. Vasquez came in fourth in the 1600 run with 5:13.

Guetersloh finished fourth in the 3700 run with 11:43.6. Pole vaulters were McWhirter, third with 9'6' and Pierce, 9'.

The Cowboys also competed in the Denver City Track Meet, claiming first place. They earned 82 points in the fourteen-team competition. Sudan and Meadow tied for second with 77 each.

Composed of McWhirter, Barrientes, Medina and Booth, the 400 meter relay team won first with 46.7. The 1600 relay team placed second with 3:40.7. Runners were Lowrey, Ashburn, Booth and Barrientes.

McWhirter and Barrientes took the one-two wins in pole vault with 10' and 9'6'' jumps.

Booth was fourth in the 400 dash with 55.8; Henry Gonzales, sixth in the 800 run, ran 2:16.2. Gonzales won the 1600 with 4:52.2. Ashburn came in second in the 300 hurdles with 42.7 and Booth, third in the high jump with 5'8".



TSA MO GA BOOK REVIEW GIVEN -- Members assisting in this month's book review for senior citizens, were Eleanor Simpson and Sit Jones.



RECENTLY HONORED -- Special guests attending a bridal courtesy for bride-to-be Teresa Lewis, are, left to right, Rebecca Forbus, Geraldine Lewis, Sadie Schneider, the honoree and Loretta Houck.

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20-Page Manual On Chapter 12 Now Available To Farmers

A 20-page manual on Chapter 12, the new Debt Settlement provisions of the Agricultural Credit Act of 1987 and the Tax Reform Act of 1986 is now available for family farmers and ranchers in West Texas, Bruce Magness, Operation Bootstrap Director, announced Monday.

The manual, called "The Bureaucracy Buster," covers topics ranging from some of the tax treatments afforded farmers who elect to engage in debt settlement to the effect of disposal of crop proceeds and ASCS signup on Chapter 12.

He said the manual is not the final answer on the new legislation, but that it does try to give some early indications on the law and alternatives it provides. The manual is available by sending \$1.00 for postage and handling to: Bruce Magness, 2302 34th Street, Lubbock, TX 79411.

Magness, with co-counsel Don Richards and Lane Arthur, Monday obtained a dismissal of the Family Farm Defense Fund-financed lawsuit filed in April of 1986 to enforce time deadlines for loan consideration under the Food Security Act of 1985. The case, entitled Mark Frick et al v. USDA and FmHA, was filed in Lubbock due to delays in loan processing and funding.

He said the lawsuit had accomplished its purpose of educating both the public and farmers as to the deadlines and that the issues were now moot. One of the farmers is now in Chapter 12, one in Chapter 11, one retired from farming with his land in the CRP program and one is considering debt settlement.

"We want to continue our pledge, though, that farmers will never again be left without information on alternatives again like they were in 1986," he said.

"I hope this book will help farmers still in debt to deal with the cloud of debt which still hangs over many of our West Texas farms," he concluded.

Yoakum County Delegates Attend TFU State Convention

Ty Earl Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lowrey attended the recent 84th Annual State Convention of Texas Farmers Union in Fort Worth. The trio represented Yoakum County as delegates.

Lowrey chaired the policy drafting committee.

Delegates passed a special order requesting Congress to repeal the new requirement that agriculture producers pay the diesel fuel tax of 15.1 cents per gallon. Under current law, farmers are exempt from paying taxes on the purchase of wholesale diesel used strictly for onfarm and off-highway purposes. Effective April 1, farmers will be required to pay the tax and then file for a refund.

Farmers Union at the State and National levels are urging members of Congress to appeal the new law.

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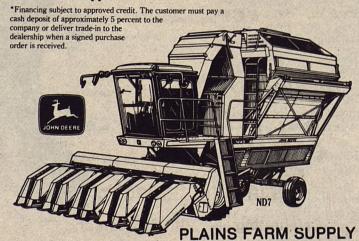
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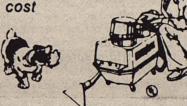
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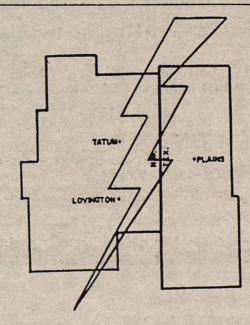
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