

COTTON:	1970	1971
Allotment	100	67.5
Total Permitted Acreage	100	No Limit
Payment Acres	65	67.5
FEED GRAIN:		
Base	100	100
Total Permitted Acreage	100	No Limit
Payment Acres	50	50
WHEAT:		
Allotment	100	43.3
Total Permitted Acres	100	No Limit
Payment Acres	48	43.3
ACRES THAT MUST BE DEVOTED TO:		
Cotton to obtain full payment	58.5 (A)	60.7 (A)
Cotton to retain full history	(B)	60.7 (A)
Feed Grain to obtain full payment	45.0 (A)	00.0
Feed Grain to retain full history	00.0	45.0 (a) (D)
Wheat to obtain full payments	43.2 (A)	00.0
Wheat to retain full history	75.0 (F)	38.7 (A) (D)
Total Acres Needed to Meet These Minimums in 1971	148.4	
ACRES THAT MUST BE SET-ASIDE:		
Cotton	1970	1971
	00.0	13.5 (C)
Feed Grain	20.0 (C)	20.0 (C)
Wheat	30.3 (G)	30.3 (E)
Total Acres Needed to Meet These Minimums in 1971 -	63.8	
Acres Available For Unrestricted Use (H) in 1971 -	122.1	
(A) 90% of payment acres		
(B) Must have earned payment		
(C) 20% of allotment or base		
(D) Wheat may be substituted for feed grain history or feed grain for wheat history		
(E) 70% of wheat allotment		
(F) 75% in 1 out of 3 years		
(G) 30.3% of wheat allotment		
(H) This cropland may be devoted to any use, except that it cannot be planted to Elms, Cotton, Tobacco, Sugar Cane, Rice or more than one acre of Peanuts.		

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ASCS notes

Here's a sample breakdown of acreages under 1971 programs

By CHARLEY E. HILL
County Executive Director

Here is a comparison of the program acreages and options for 1970 and 1971 under the cotton, feed grain and wheat programs.

OUR EXAMPLE in the accompanying table is a 330.3 acre, fully allotted farm which has no conserving base. The table gives the maximum and minimum acreages authorized for this farm under the 1970 and 1971 programs, and contains footnote references to show the options that are available in 1971.

1. On a fully allotted farm the acreage available for unrestricted use (H) will equal about one third of the cropland. This fully allotted 330.3 acre farm has 122.1 acres available for unrestricted use (H). If you have excess acres they are also available for these uses.

2. You may lease your cotton to another cotton farm. Your history and yields will be maintained. The cropland that would have been devoted to cotton will be available for unrestricted use (H).

3. If you choose not to plant feed grain or wheat you can retain your history by signing up and devoting the minimum acreage to conserving uses but not receive your payments.

4. If you overplant your cotton allotment and your yield per acre is less than your payment yield, the payment yield will not be reduced provided the total production equals or exceeds your expected production (payment yield times allotment).

WOOL AND LAMB INCENTIVE PAYMENTS
Sales receipts of wool and unshorn lambs sold during 1970 should be filed before Jan. 31.

GSPA cites legislative record in calling for new memberships

"The Grain Sorghum Producers Association has done it again," reported Charles Heck Jr. of Nazareth, and Melvin Barton of Dimmitt, local representatives of the organization. The legislative action of relating grain sorghum to corn on a nutritional value has given millions of dollars of farm income protection to the grain sorghum producers of the United States.

WHILE MANY areas of farm income were being lowered by the provisions of the new farm bill, the total loan and price support payments were raised from \$2.14 per hundred weight in 1970 to \$2.25 per hundred weight for 1971. This is an increase of 11 cents per hundred weight income protection on all grain grown. Grain sorghum is now related at 92 percent of the nutritional value of corn, and tests are being conducted to substantiate that the nutritional value is at least 95 percent or greater than that of corn. This would mean an additional 8 cents per hundred weight income protection for all grain sorghum grown.

The production year of 1969 saw 16.8 percent of all grain sorghum grown go into export markets as

cash sales. This means that 16.8 percent of the producer's income is derived directly from export markets, which removes this much grain from the local market condition. This additional grain could have a depressing factor upon local prices. Export markets pay well to our local producers, and milo producers must see that these markets are maintained and enlarged.

The Grain Sorghum Producers Association, since its organization in 1956, has been the recognized spokesman for grain producers. It has seen national production go from 22 bushels per acre to a high of 65 bushels per acre, which demanded new markets, and these markets were found in the local feeding and export industry.

Grain sorghum sales exceeded \$200,000,000 in this area each year and is now the largest acreage and cash crop in the area. Protected and serve on the board in making policy decisions and giving directions. Their efforts have paid big dividends for the producers of this area. Administrative decisions are being made each day that affects the income of each grain sorghum producer.

GSPA must meet with leaders on all levels to get the best possible deal for the producer. Many producers have overlooked the opportunity to support this commodity with their membership dues. Incidentally, as a landowner or land operator, have you given your support?

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FAB 69¢

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Gaylene Hawkins weds Donnie Black

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Black are at home on Avenue B in Hart following a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N.M.

THE COUPLE exchanged vows last Thursday evening at 6 o'clock in the First United Methodist Church. Rev. Fred Brown of Lubbock, former pastor, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the former Gaylene Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins Jr. of Hart. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black of Hart.

Attending the couple were DeRhonda Brown and Greg Crosby of Hart.

The bride wore a baby blue street length dress, with a corsage of white carnations and baby breath.

Miss Brown wore a navy blue street length dress with a corsage of white carnations.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

For traveling, the bride wore a blue dress with beige accessories.

The bride is a senior in Hart



MRS. TOM WALLS
... The former Rita Vick

Couple at home in Dimmitt

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walls have established their home in Dimmitt following their recent wedding in the First Baptist Church.

THE BRIDE is the former Rita Vick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Vick of Dimmitt. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Joseph Walls of Wichita Falls.

They were married in a double-ring, formal ceremony officiated by Dr. Raymond Perkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Maid of honor was Linda Ellis of Dimmitt, and the matron of honor was Mrs. Jan LeMaster of Amarillo, cousin of the bride.

BEST MAN was Corky Walls of Amarillo, and groomsman was Bruce Walls of Wichita Falls. Both are brothers of the groom. Linda Elder and Janet Nor-

ris of Dimmitt served as candle-lighters. Ushers were Johnny Vick, the bride's brother, Joe Kenmore of Dimmitt and Perry Gipson of Ruidoso, N.M.

Rhonda Tidwell, organist provided traditional wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Maxie Horton, who sang "A Time for Us."

THE ALTAR was decorated with greenery and flanked by two candelabra bearing eight tapers each. The setting was surrounded by arrangements of poinsettias.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full length gown of white peau de soie fashioned with a fitted bodice and

waist and a full skirt. Her sleeves were trimmed with eyelet buttons. Her bouquet was of pink carnations and red roses.

Her attendants wore red velvet dresses with Empire waists, trimmed with pink sequins and accented by large red velvet bows.

A RECEPTION in the church's fellowship hall followed the ceremony. The three-tiered wedding cake was trimmed with pink icing and red roses.

The newlyweds went to Clovis, N.M., on their wedding trip.

The bride is a student in Dimmitt High School. The groom, a graduate of Rider High School in Wichita Falls, is presently employed by Dimmitt Wheat Growers, Inc.

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The groom is a 1970 graduate of Hart High School and attended South Plains Junior College in Levelland. He is presently employed by Hart Oil Co.

Your kitchen is a dangerous room -- what can you do to make it safer?

What room can be the most dangerous in the house? Research shows that it's the kitchen, but it does not have to be so, according to Jan Slabaugh, Extension specialist in housing and home furnishings.

THE KITCHEN is a combination factory, bakery, camery, butcher shop, restaurant, household workshop and children's playground.

"Each family member should put into practice all he knows about safety in this busy place," Mrs. Slabaugh says.

Safety is an attitude of sincere concern for the well-being of oneself and others. Mrs. Slabaugh adds, "It is a willingness to accept rules and regulations and to apply them in all activities."

A SAFE kitchen starts with the development and practice of good habits in the selection, preparation, serving and storage of food. Safety continues its march to actuality as long as the family members observe strict rules designed to prevent fires and mishaps.

Keep matches in metal containers. Light gas burners by holding a lighted match to the burner before turning on the gas. Be careful not to place trays, pot holders, and plastic or wooden utensils on electric range units which could be hot without showing red.

Mrs. Slabaugh also suggests that range burners should not be turned on until they are needed. And, they should be turned off as quickly as they are not needed.

SUCH flammable items as waxed paper, towels, cleaning agents and other combustibles should be stored away from the range. Turn pan handles to the rear or side of the range to prevent scalding from an accidental bump or spill. A supply of dry, thick pot-holders should be on hand for use with hot objects.

"A fire extinguisher should be

part of every kitchen, and each family member should know how to use it," Mrs. Slabaugh reminds.

When using the oven, pans and other utensils should be placed or removed by pulling out the rack. Such precaution will save a lot of hand and arm burns.

SMOTHER grease fires with salt, soda or a pan lid, but the best control is to not let them start in the first place.

"One important safeguard against disaster in the kitchen is to train the children in safety measures," emphasizes Mrs. Slabaugh.

Wilders honored in Mineral Wells

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilder, former residents of Castro County, were honored on their 60th wedding anniversary Dec. 27 with a luncheon in the Orchid Room of the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells.

HOSTING the event were the couple's children, Mrs. Joe Traylor of Spearman, Mrs. John M. Coke of Mineral Wells, Mrs. Gerald McIlroy of Lubbock, L. E. Wilder of Tulsa, Okla., and Charles Wilder of Bartlesville, Okla.

Jessie J. Wilder and Nellie Millard were married at Perrin on Christmas day, 1910. They moved to the Jumbo community in 1918, and farmed in northeastern Castro County 30 years. In 1948 they moved to Mineral Wells.

The Wilders have five children, 13 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Dimmitt residents attending the anniversary luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson Jr. and Lisa.

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Dimmitt 4-H'ers make 1971 plans

The Dimmitt 4-H Club met Jan. 5 with nine members present, and planned the programs for the coming year.

NEXT meeting will be in the Dimmitt Junior High School home economics room on Feb. 9. The program will be on "Tornado Safety."

'Family Life' symposium slated at Friona today

A symposium focusing on family life is slated for today (Thursday) at the high school auditorium in Friona, according to County Home Demonstration Agent Mrs. Irene Keating.

THEME OF the symposium is "Accepting the Pace of the 70's."

The symposium is being sponsored by Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Castro, Deaf Smith and Farmer Counties in support of the Panhandle Economic Program in its effort to bolster the social and economic development of the Panhandle.

Registration for the symposium will begin at 1:30 p.m. and the program will get underway at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Janice Fant, Farmer County home demonstration agent, residing.

THE WELCOME and purpose will be given by Mrs. Fant followed by a skit "The Harried Family Circus," serving to introduce the program. The skit will be by Mrs. Fant; Mrs. Argen Draper and Mrs. Rita Huckert, Deaf Smith County home demonstration agents; and Mrs. Irene Keating, Castro County home demonstration agent.

Featured at the meeting will be "Accepting the Pace of the 70's" by Dr. Stanley Fowler, chairman of the Home and Family Life Department of Texas Tech University.

The session will be rounded out by a question and answer period conducted by Dr. Fowler from questions by those in attendance.

Mrs. Keating encouraged everyone in the area to make plans to attend the seminar. The lecture by Dr. Fowler will feature topics that are of vital concern throughout our nation today, and should attract widespread interest in this area, she said.

"**SOIL CANNOT** be considered as soil alone. People live on it. They own it, rent it, plow and cultivate it, harvest its crops, and live upon the fruits of the harvest. When the soil fails, people suffer." — Katherine Glover, "AMERICA BEGINS AGAIN"

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... wondering how it got away! "COUGAR Country" is the real story of the first two years in the life of a mountain lion in the beautiful mountains of the West. It is the latest release by American National Enterprises, Inc., an outdoor and adventure film company located in Salt Lake City.

A huge cast of wild animals provides the action as "Whiskers," the cougar, grows up under the careful tutoring of his mother. Background is the natural splendor of the Rocky Mountains. Nature provides the special effects; American National Enterprises, Inc. provides the film and cameras.

Life for the young cougar among the peaks of the Colorado mountains is exciting and funny as he learns to catch fish from an icy stream and sometimes ends up getting wet.

"COUGAR Country" provides "fun" entertainment for the entire family as "Whiskers" moves farther and farther from his mother's lair and meets more of his neighbors, including a somewhat offensive skunk, a mean marmot, a not-too-friendly American eagle, giant moose and elk, beaver, badgers and coyotes — and all the other animals with whom he shares his territory.

It is an outdoor film that shows nature as it really is — sometimes deadly serious, sometimes comical — but always colorfully beautiful. "Cougar Country" is scheduled to show at the Carline Theater Jan. 21.



SPLIT LEVEL FENCE—Ernest Sammann of Big Square, the county's Conservation Farmer of the Year, shows what erosion can do through the years. This "double fence" below his house on the Running Water Draw watershed, yields graphic proof. Many years ago, someone put in the original fence (short posts) along the slope. Eventually, silt washing toward the

draw almost buried the original fence, and the second fence had to be put in over it by a later owner. All the posts in both fences are about the same length. Since he bought the farm four years ago, Sammann has "tied down" the slope with Midland Bermuda grass, and all rainwater that trickles past this fence now is clear.

Holiday traffic toll described as 'state tragedy' by governor

Governor Preston Smith this week described the recent New Year holiday period traffic toll as a Texas tragedy and a disaster of major proportions.

"AT LEAST 57 men, women and children lost their lives on the streets and highways of Texas between 6 p.m. Dec. 31 and midnight Sunday, Jan. 3," the governor said. "This far exceeded the Department of Public Safety estimate of 35 and allowed Texas to lead the nation in traffic fatalities for this period."

"Had this toll of human life occurred from a natural disaster such as a hurricane, I am sure a state of emergency would have been declared and outpourings of grief and compassion would have come from all parts of the nation," Gov. Smith said.

"It is saddening to me that such heartbreak, suffering and economic loss involved so many of our people so needlessly. I am deeply grieved for the Texas families who suffered these tragedies."

"THE RECENT Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's holiday periods witnessed an all-out effort by newspapers, the wire services, radio, television and state and local enforcement agencies to reach the individual driver," the governor said. "All of these sources of communication and influence have my strongest commendation for their

work." Gov. Smith added that he will step up an already massive effort to lead and coordinate an effective program to reach Texas drivers through education and enforcement.

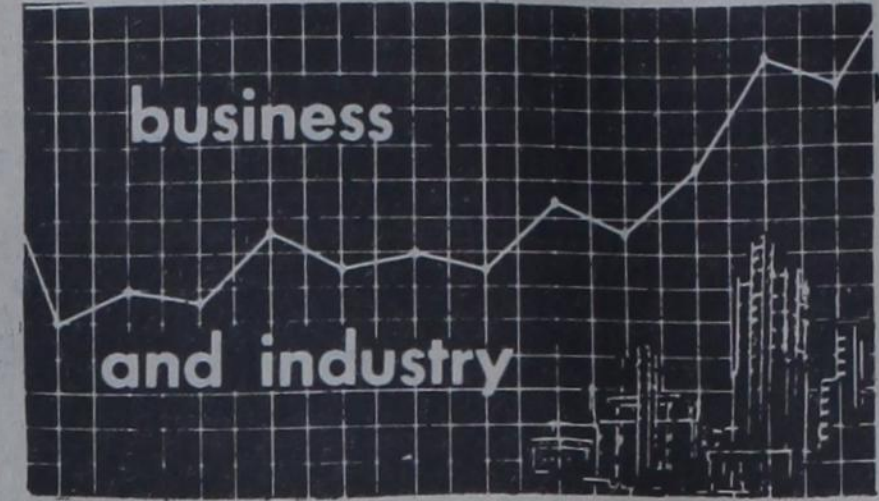
"We know that certain steps must be taken by our legislators if we are to reduce traffic fatalities substantially. This I fervently hope will be accomplished by the incoming legislature. In fact, I have already forwarded to each member of the House of Representatives and the Senate a summary of Texas traffic safety legislative needs along with my personal appeal for prompt and positive action," he said. "However, I would like to make one thing clear. No governor, no legislator, no other public official, and no enforcement body can solve this problem alone. We must

have the full cooperation of the driving public itself.

"THE NEW Year holiday traffic toll revealed nothing new as to accident types or causes. The usual involvement of speed, recklessness and driving while intoxicated was evident," he stated.

"With this statement, I am issuing a personal appeal to every head of local government and to every traffic law enforcement agency in Texas to deal with traffic violators as strictly and as promptly as possible," Gov. Smith said. "In my opinion, there is no better deterrent to traffic accidents than the certainty in the minds of would-be violators and reckless drivers that their acts will be detected by law enforcement officers, that they will be apprehended and given prompt and suitable treatment in a court of law."

"The response by Texans to the meaning of 'Drive Friendly' has been highly encouraging," he added. "The citizens of Texas will be hearing more about 'Drive Friendly' from every source at our command.



Center builds good reputation developing markets for crops

The Texas Agricultural Market Research and Development Center was organized less than two years ago and has already found its place in the agri-business community of the state.

SOME 21 marketing problems and studies have been accepted by the center, designed to serve agriculture on a cost-sharing basis, according to Dr. W. E. Black, Extension economist at Texas A&M University and associate coordinator of the center.

These different projects have been financed with more than \$150,000 paid by producer organizations and private industry in exchange for research and planning by teams of specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The center was begun under the leadership of Dr. Black and Dr. R. E. Branson, who serves as coordinator of the center.

Most of the center's clients are producer organizations, but occasionally a private firm uses the facilities. Current projects include research on new methods of processing and handling beef and marketing Texas orions. In addition, the center is testing consumer acceptance of a new variety of tomatoes that can be harvested mechanically, a problem that has plagued tomato producers for years.

"AFTER YOU have developed a new product, you must subject it to the rigors of the market," asserts Dr. Black.

The idea behind the center is to offer the skills, services and facilities of Texas A&M University for market development with the organizations which benefit paying the direct costs of the work done. This results in the

organizations receiving expert assistance at a savings and allows the specialists to add new information to agriculture. It allows a closer relationship between research efforts and Extension education in the state.

The specialists receive no extra compensation for the work done; the client pays only the direct costs of research. The center differs from commercial market-research firms in that results must be made public and the project must pertain to general problems for Texas agricultural producers.

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The Texas Highway Commission Friday reduced the normal work week of hourly-paid maintenance employees of the Texas Highway Department from 45 to 40 hours a week.
THE CHANGE is effective Jan. 1.
The action was taken to bring work week of hourly-paid maintenance employees in line with those of salaried employees of the Department who have been on a regular 40-hour work week for several years.
The commission has had under study for some time a proposal to place all employees on a uniform work week without a reduction in gross pay.

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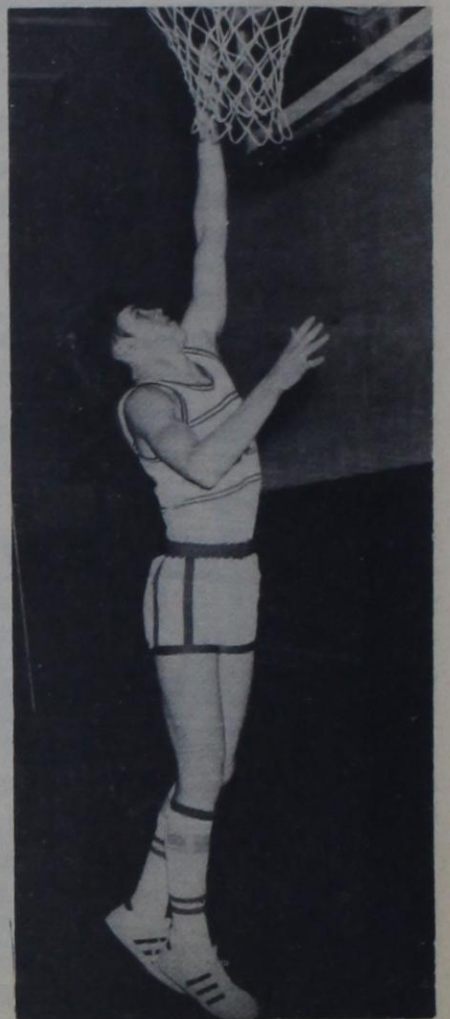
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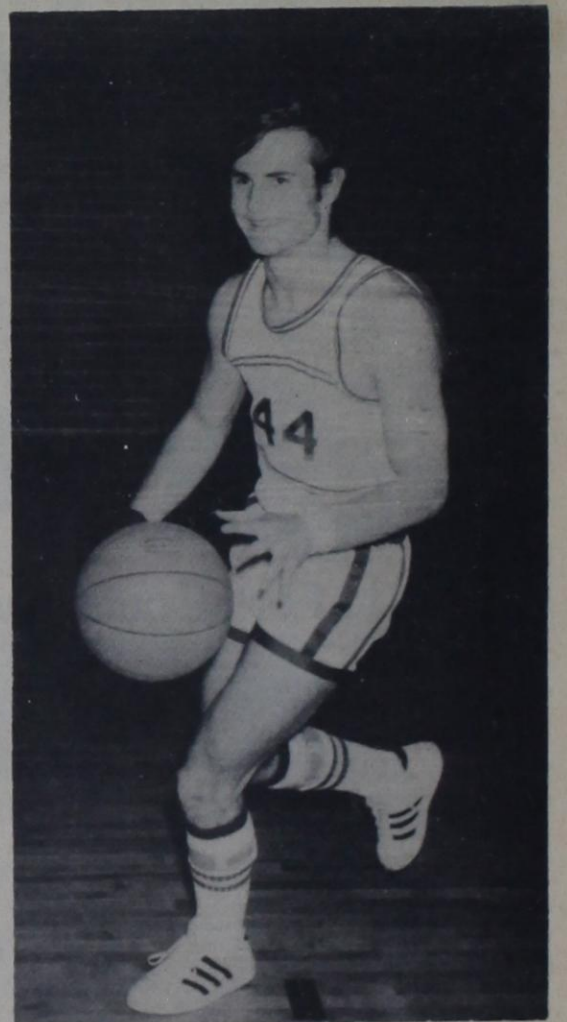
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TUESDAY, JAN. 19



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Senior—Forward



KENNY DOSS
Senior—Guard

DATE	TEAM	PLACE
Jan. 5	- Olton	Here
Jan. 8	- Lockney	There
Jan. 12	- Littlefield	There
Jan. 15	- Morton	Here
Jan. 19	- Friona	There
Jan. 22	- Abernathy	Here
Jan. 26	- Floydadaa	Here
Jan. 29	- Olton	There
Feb. 2	- Lockney	Here
Feb. 5	- Littlefield	Here
Feb. 9	- Morton	There
Feb. 12	- Friona	Here
Feb. 16	- Abernathy	There

BOYS

GIRLS

WE	THEY	WE	THEY
69	62	52	35
98	58	47	25
103	53		

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- Seale Florist
- Dimmitt Super Market
- Southwestern Public Service Company
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- Polson's White's Auto Store
- Tidwell Spraying Service
- Dimmitt Wheat Growers

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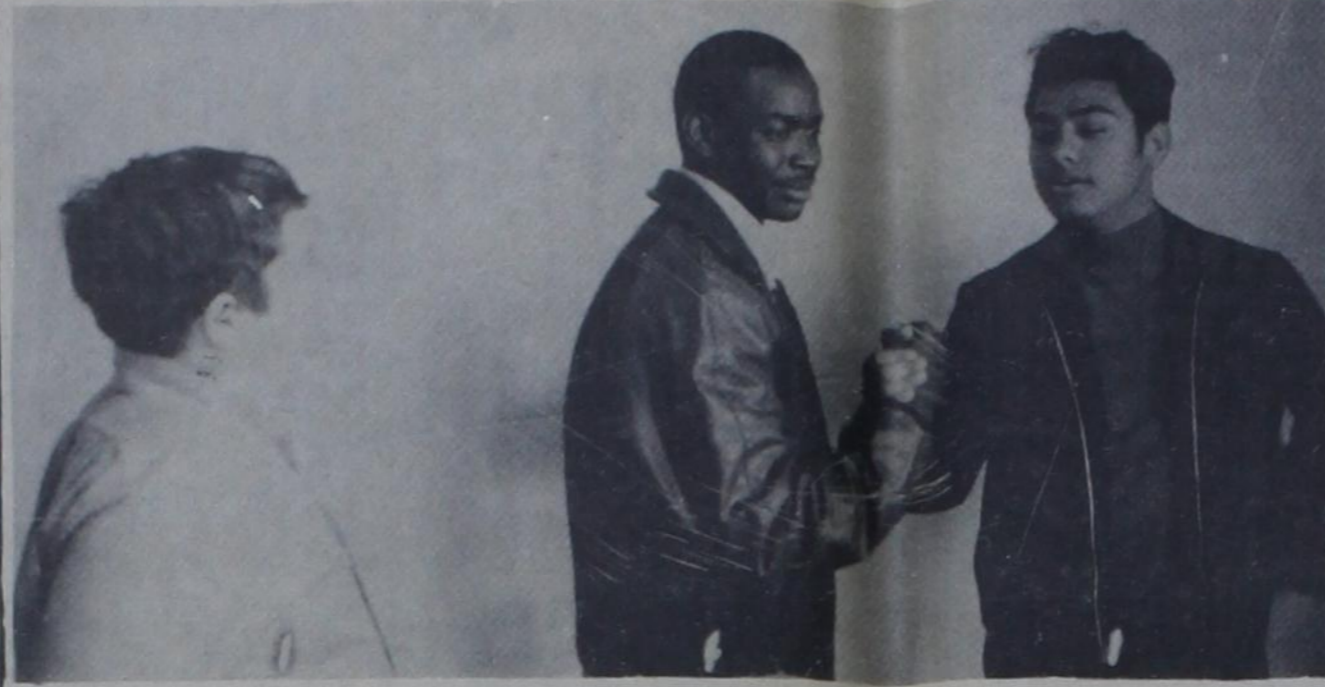
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- Castro County Grain Co.
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WELCOME BACK, FRIERSON!
Football Manager John Brooks, Dan Frierison, teammate Nati Anes

Campus chatter

Welcome back, students

First of all, the Bobcat Tales wants to give a big "hi" to all the new students that have enrolled this semester in Dimmitt High School.

We are also glad to have all these students back who got dismissed for an extended vacation before the Christmas holidays.

REX ALLSUP are you going to any more parties, because Robert needs to win his ten dollar bet.

The home management class boys have started cooking now. Lonnie Markley has already started out right, he burned his scrambled eggs.

Pat Barrios says he went to Lubbock with Andrew Garza and nearly got thrown in jail for looking at new cars at 3:30 in the morning.

Susan Parish sent Stanley Byrnes, a local serviceman, a present for FTA, and it appears that a "good relationship" has sprung from it.

CHARLES McLEAN got a green 1971 super sport 454. Apparently his old car was sick!

Debbie Hogue also got a car. It is a 1970 Nova. She wants to run you Charlie.

Gary Wise is having a hard time trying to decide which girl it will be, a brunette, or a redhead.

Note to Jerry Matthews—who's next—Muhammad Ali?

Soul Strikes Again!

Doris Payne would like to appreciate for the long, absence of scullful news due to the illness of soulful news. Consequently soul returns as interesting as ever. Juniors welcome soul brother Robert Washington. Robert is also a player for Dimmitt Bobcats Basketball team. Rah, Rah. Freshmen welcome Mary Heien

Washington. Also DHS souls welcome Sarah Glover, Daniel Frierison and Hayward Glover back to the campus. We don't really think that Daniel really knows where he wishes to become a famous star. (Is it the Cowboys or the Bobcats?)

Charles Sawart, what other exams did you and Shirley pass during the semester?

Danny Washington are you and Aetha Thomas friends now?

WANDA DANIELS, now that a certain person is back in town, are you still loveless? (We doubt it!)

Ann Mayberry got a new car? Alfred Sanders said "I know nothing and I don't care."

Billy and Bobby Finch tried racing bus 6 Tuesday afternoon, who won boys?

Rose Spencer is sitting on the deck of the bay watching the

time roll away while Ruby Spencer is saying "What you see is what you get."

Frank Crespin, is it true what we heard? That you've got a thing going in Tulia? What does Diana Garcia have to say about it?

It seems that Mary Cardenas feels uncomfortable in Home Management. Does Andrew Garza have anything to do with it?

We hear Santos Gonzales went back to Henry Rivera. Congratulations! Now you have to decide what to tell Charlie Bear.

WE UNDERSTAND that the Choir has been reduced by 6 or 7 songsters—these include Richard Nino, Charles Stewart, Lino Perez, Joe Cavazos, Hayward Glover, Daniel Frierison. What do you fellows plan to take now?

Richard Nino is very sad that football is over with the Super Bowl. What can he bet on now?

Luis Acevedo's resolution: To get the Los Angeles Rams to the Super Bowl.

Plans outlined for 'Best Beau'

By ROSA ORTIZ

"A Night in Acapulco," will be the theme for the Best Beau Banquet this year.

ALONG WITH the atmosphere of that night, authentic Mexican food will be served. Mistress of ceremonies honors, will be shared by Leiza Dannevik and Teresa Underwood.

A surprise speaker will entertain the guests.

Each year the Future Homemakers of American honor their best beau. This is the purpose of the banquet.

ALL THIS and much more will take place this Saturday, Jan. 16, at 7:30 in the South Grade Cafeteria.

Mrs. Broderson produces artists

"Students are individual people. They should be encouraged to think more individually and independently."

ONE OF the best liked teachers in DHS is Mrs. Sue Broderson. There are few teachers who work more closely or maintain closer contact with the students than she. Although she has taught in Dimmitt for six years, her high school career began with the senior class four years ago.

She began teaching English and art, but eventually began teaching only the subject she enjoys most, art. This year, however, she has had to teach one class of health education along with art.

Before she moved to Dimmitt, students in DHS had no chance to acquire skills in art. This has changed, and now there are many students who not only take, but enjoy her class. There are problems, however, she has been forced to suffer a lack of space and supplies.

Mrs. Broderson's husband is the principal of North grade Elementary school and their three children are attending school here. So the entire family is involved in the school system.



"Seniors, exhaust the library!
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Top hits and who they hit

- Look What They Done to My Song — to "Deep".
- Chewy, Chewy — Steve Brown.
- Julie Do Ya Love Me? — To Julie McDermitt from Clyde Danveron Jr.
- Cracklin Rosie — Rosie Ortiz.
- Ain't No Mountain High Enough — Dora Garza.
- I See the Light — Mr. Moore.
- Midnight Hour — Pat Barrios and Andrew Garza.
- Little Too Wild — Craig Vandiver.
- Temptation Eyes — Rex Allsup.
- Get Along With Out Ya Before I Met Ya — Steve Brown.
- Your Cheating Heart — Junior Davis from Jane Ann Moorey.
- It's a Long Road — Senior Class '71.
- I Can't Make Up My Mind — Mr. Farrer.
- Let's Get Drunk and Be Somebody — Brenda Seely.
- He's My Brother — Mr. Moore from Miller.
- Fightin' Side of Me — Gary Wise to Jerry Matthews.
- Fara'id — To David Sanchez.
- Tezther, We Two — Rosa Ortiz.
- 5-10-15-20-years of Love — to Luan and Kerry Ebeling from the News Staff.
- Apcman — Dean Barfield.
- Close To You — Diane Garcia from Luis Acevedo.
- For The Good Times — to Mr. Ringo.

Diana Garcia's Ideal Boy

- Most Handsome — Frank Crespin.
- Walk — Frank Crespin.
- Smile — Pete Davila.
- Best Dressed — George Vasquez.
- Personality — David Nino.
- Meanest — Isidro Zarazua.
- Brains — Luis Acevedo.
- My Pal — Richard Davila.
- Best All Around — Frank Crespin.
- Most Likely to Succeed — Andrew Garza.
- ANY DUST in the air is a sign that the wind is stealing the topsoil.

Robert Acevedo's Ideal Girl

- Most Beautiful — Leslie Harsh.
- Smile — Martina Doaes.
- Best Dressed — Rhonda Welch.
- Personality — Pam Barker.
- Meanest — Mary Cardenas.
- Friendliest — Margaret Abrego.
- Brains — Polita Herrera.
- Pal — Cindy King.
- Best All Around — Delise Kay.
- Most Likely to Succeed — Mary Cardenas.

Ewell Kelly is new CVAE teacher

"I really enjoy my work so far." This is what Ewell Kelly says about his new job. Mr. Kelly, who had been working at Dimmitt Wheat Growers, is now teaching C.V.A.E. at Dimmitt High.

KELLY BEGAN his work at the start of the second semester when Mr. Jim Dowdy left to take a farming job in Dumas.

Kelly and his wife Nell, have three children Greg, Cindy, and Kristi.

His classes are now building a set of safety car stands in metal working, and disassembling an engine for repairs in mechanics class.

We of the Newspaper staff, say welcome aboard Mr. Kelly.

35 will attend FTA convention

"Within Our Grasp" is the topic for the 1971 Future Teachers of America Convention.

DIMMITT HIGH School plans to send around 35 F.T.A.'ers to Houston for the State Convention being held Feb. 26 and 27.

The students, chaperones and sponsor will leave Feb. 24. They will be entering their top ten projects.

The students have raised their money to attend this convention as they always do, by holding car washes, selling candy and Christmas cards, painting house

numbers for Dimmitt residents, and holding a Halloween Carnival. They have put in a lot of hard work to earn the money for this educational trip to Houston.

THE CONVENTION will increase their knowledge of the workings of Texas and better prepare them for the future in the teaching profession.

Going with the 35 students and sponsor, Miss Thelma McMinn, are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Golding, Mrs. George Gross, Mrs. S. R. Hurto, Mrs. N. B. Stokes, and Mrs. Oscar Wylie.

B-Bobcats hope to improve mark

Coach Don Parker's "B" Cats have a 7-win and 8-loss record this year, but it will improve you can be sure of that. The reason is that they will play no more varsity teams. All their losses are to AAA and AA varsity teams. They lost to Olton, Quitaque, Mulshoe and Tulia twice this season.

COACH PARKER uses the shuffling system since he has two quintets capable of starting.

Team A consists of Brent Miller, Bo Myers, Andy Mays, Kenny Ringo, and Paul Askey.

Team B is made up of Jay Stanton, Terry Powell, Gary Webb, Ricky Battles, and David Schaeffer.

According to Parker there are several boys who will help our varsity in the coming years.

District play gets underway

By PAXTON

Basketball is getting down to the nitty gritty now that district play is beginning. With all of the teams proving to hold up to their expectations, perhaps this year the district is the toughest it's ever been.

AS OF NOW it looks as though the battle will be between Dimmitt and Morton. The Bobcats realize that Morton has all five starters back and have been picked to win district.

Up to this point the Bobcats feel that they will have to be strong on the boards and also feel that their press will be a determining factor in the outcome of the game.

The 'Cats ask for your support in the oncoming games.

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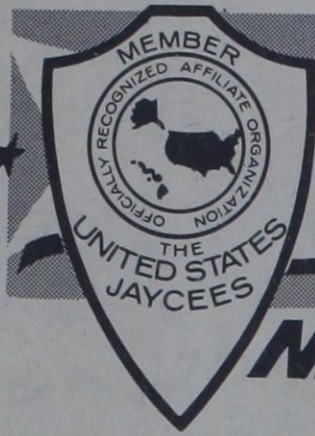
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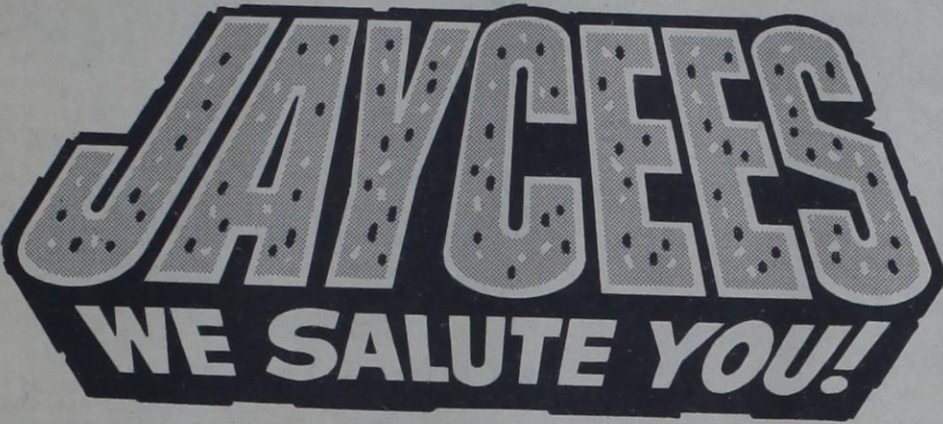
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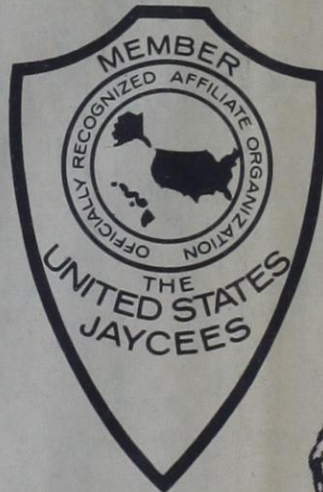


In a rapidly changing world, it is our privilege to salute you young men who unswervingly dedicate yourselves to the difficult task of balancing the values of today with the visions of tomorrow. Your untiring efforts and achievements on behalf of this community assure its continued progress and prosperity. Your examples of leadership fill us with pride, and our town is a better place to live in. Thanks, we are grateful.

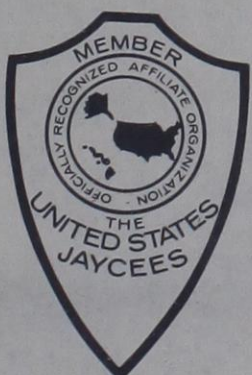
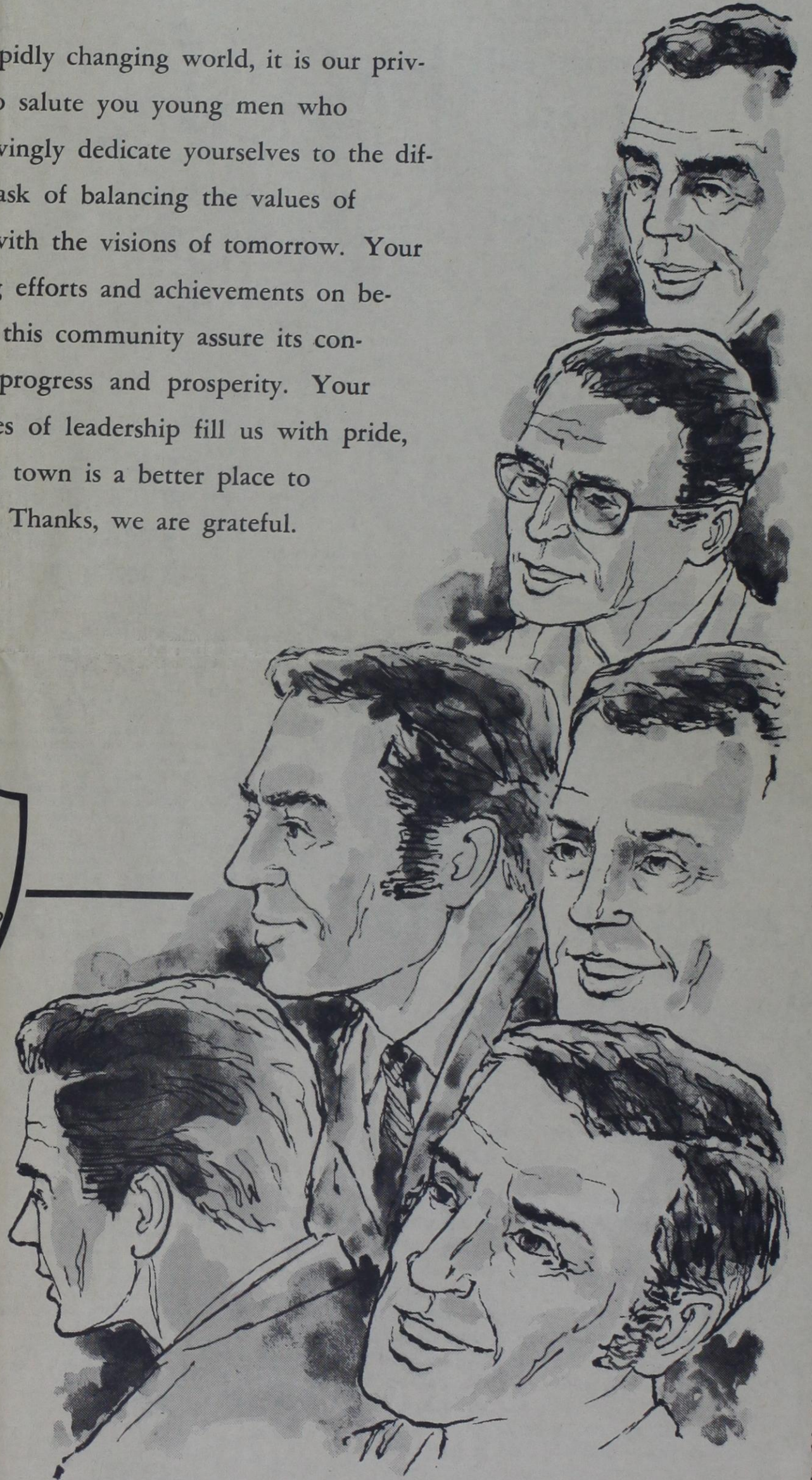
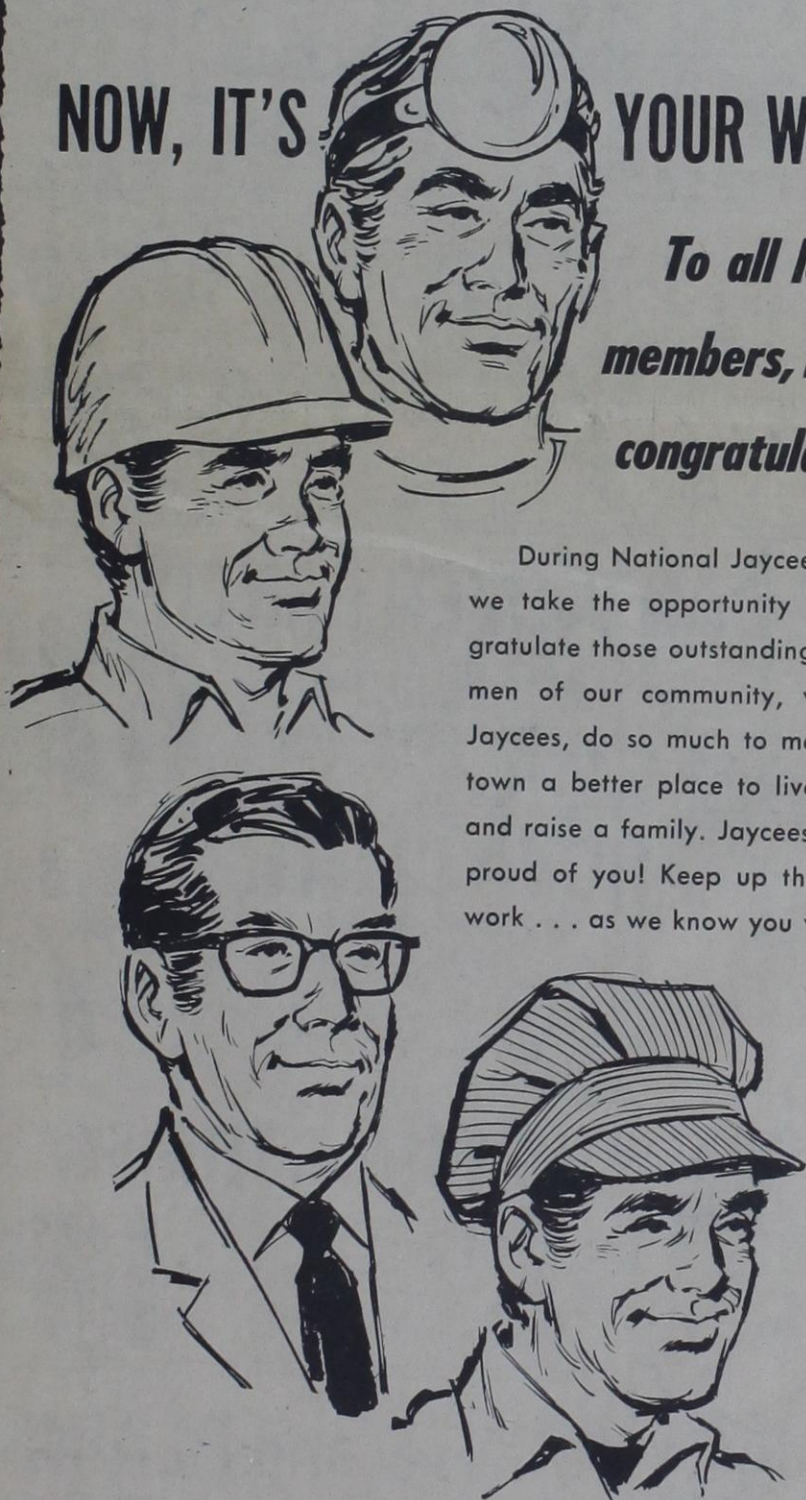
NOW, IT'S YOUR WEEK!

To all local members, hearty congratulations

During National Jaycee Week, we take the opportunity to congratulate those outstanding young men of our community, who as Jaycees, do so much to make our town a better place to live, work and raise a family. Jaycees, we're proud of you! Keep up the good work . . . as we know you will.



Jaycees Lead the Way to Our Town's Progress with Their Energy, Ideals and Efforts



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CASTRO COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Hart news

School board hires two new teachers

By MYRT LOMAN
The Hart School Board employed two new teachers at its meeting last week.

Mrs. Grace Ann Headlee of Perryton will teach first grade. She graduated from West Texas State University in December, and she will replace Mrs. Flora Bledsoe, who recently resigned. Lewis Jennings Winter will replace Patricia Kingsley in grades 1-6 in music. Winter received his BA degree in music in February and comes to Hart from Carlsbad, N.M.

THE following young people of the First Baptist Church enjoyed bowling Sunday night in Plainview, following the evening worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Edwards, Darrell Six, Helen Murrey, Jerry Heller, Roni Cox, Becky King, Keith Lemons, Gayle Reed, Mike

Lloyd, Carl Lacy, Dirk Rambo, Debra Hardy, David and Diane Barham and Gary Six.

Following games of bowling, the group enjoyed pizzas.

THE HART "B" Girls won second place in the Springlake Earth Tournament over the weekend. The boys' team lost in the consolation game.

THERE are a few openings for children in kindergarten. To qualify, the child must be economically or educationally deprived and must be old enough to start to school next year.

THE Juniors will present their play "Headin' for a Wedding," next Thursday. The night performance will be given at 7:30. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. There will be a morning performance

for the elementary grades at 9 a.m.; admission will be 25 cents. The afternoon performance will be for the junior high and high school students. Admission will be 50 cents.

THE HART Lions Club met Monday at noon with 22 members present. Guests were Orvil Friday, George Bennett, Everett Heller, Jean Foster, Sgt.-Major Bradshaw and Lt. Col. John Childs.

LT. Col. Childs presented the program pertaining to the ROTC, stressing the five main points emphasized in ROTC programs in US colleges and universities. ROTC he said, teaches leadership abilities, fulfills military obligations, provides financial assistance for students, helps in making the student a better citizen, and provides officers for the armed services at less expense than other methods.

A report from District Gov. Jack Riley stated that the Christmas project sponsored by the Lions Clubs of District 2-T1 was a success. Each of the 101 girls at Girlstown was given a new coat and shoes for Christmas.

The excess money received will be used by Girlstown for general operating expenses.

AMERICAN Legion Post 206 of Friona will host the January zone meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the American Legion Hall at Friona.

All members of Hart Post 311 and their wives are urged to attend.

CUB SCOUTS of Pack 246 held registration parties at last week's meetings.

Cub Scouts of Den 1 met Tuesday after school in the community room of Farmers State Bank, with den mother, Mrs. Leo Alexander, assisted by Mrs. Leonard Griswold.

Cub Scouts of Den 2 and Den 3 met Wednesday after school at the bank building with den mothers Mrs. Glen Gieghorn and Mrs. Lyndall Warren.

Den Chiefs Duane Clevenger, James Warren and Sonny Mancias assisted with the registration.

THE Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church sponsored a program Sunday afternoon at the Golden Spread Nursing Home in Dimmitt.

Harmca Bishop gave the opening prayer and led in group singing, accompanied at the piano by his wife.

Rev. C. T. Cunningham, pastor of the local church brought the devotional and gave the closing prayer.

Attending from Hart were Rev. C. T. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Harmca Bishop and Mmes. Iva Stanton and Myrt Loman.

SHAD DOUGLAS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lancaster of Plainview, was born in Plainview Hospital Jan. 5. The young man weighed in at 7 pounds, 12 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Millard Sells of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lancaster of Hart.

MRS. Leonard Griswold, den leader coach of Cub Scouts, was hostess last Thursday night for a business meeting with Cub Scout den chiefs.

The Cub Scout pack meeting was discussed, with the date tentatively set for Thursday night, Jan. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The program will be presented with each of the dens participating. Den 3 will have charge of the star and flag ceremony. Den 2 will present a skit with Den Chief Sonny Mancias reading the story of the north star; while Cubmaster Max Marble presents awards. Den 1 will have charge of the closing ceremony with the returning of the flag.

MEN'S DAY will be observed Sunday in the First Baptist Church with local laymen in charge of both morning and evening worship services. R. A. Futtrell will bring the mes-

sage at the 11 a.m. worship hour Sunday morning, with Don Lloyd in charge of music. Weldon Davis is in charge of special music for both services. Ted Averitt will be moderator of the morning service with laymen of the church giving their testimonies at both services.

Max Marble, president of the Brotherhood will serve as the evening moderator and Vaughn Ross will bring the message. Elmer Six will have charge of the music at the 6:30 hour.

Rev. C. T. Cunningham is pastor of the church.

THE JUNIOR Department of the First Baptist Church will have a skating party Saturday afternoon in Plainview.

The juniors and guests are to be at the church at 2 p.m. Sponsors are Mrs. Everett Heller, Max Marble and Harold Smith.

HERE'S the Hart school lunch menu for next week:

Monday - Barbecued wieners, whole new potatoes in sauce, carrot stick, hot rolls, red velvet cake, milk and butter.

Tuesday - Chuck wagon beans, turnips and tops greens, onion slice, cornbread, peach cobbler, milk and butter.

Wednesday - Fried chicken and cream gravy whipped potatoes, tossed salad, peach half, milk and butter.

Thursday - Pork patties, baked beans, sauer kraut, cole slaw, hot rolls, applesauce, milk and butter.

Friday - Hamburgers, French fries, catsup, lettuce and tomato, whole wheat cookies, milk and butter.



ALMOST OVER, GIRLS

Okay, wise guy, now that you've taught her all the formations and the difference between a split end and a flanker so she can enjoy the game, how are you going to keep her entertained after the Super Bowl closes out the six-month football season Sunday? Are you going to take her out to lunch on Sundays? Or dig through the storage room for the camping equipment? Or will you just be happy to get the TV set back? (Our model for this photo was Mrs. Rex Sheffy)



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Conservation

Which type of watering system is best for you? By CLAYTON JOBE Primary purpose of irrigation is to supply crops with the needed amount of water at the right time to promote optimum production.

IRRIGATED agriculture is an intensive form of agriculture and requires a considerable investment. The soil must be such that it can be made to produce a sufficient permanent increase in returns to more than offset the added expense.

Several factors will control the location of a well on any given farm. For surface irrigation, the well should generally be located on the high point of the farm. Water from any lake on the farm may be pumped with a relatively economical set-up.

FOR flood-type irrigation, the relative elevation of the water source and the various portions of the field to be irrigated must be considered.

When determining feasibility of irrigation, the types of systems and location of control structures should be considered as well as the slopes of the land as to rate, length, direction and uniformity of water flow.

Flood type irrigation may be broken into two methods - level and graded.

THE LEVEL method is the application of water to a level or nearly level area in excess of the rate of intake of the soil. The water is spread over the area to a uniform depth for the required application. This method must have soil of sufficient depth to permit the required leveling.

The graded surface flow method of water application is based on guiding the flow of water over the land surface by means of borders, furrows, or corrugations until the required amount of water has been taken into the soil.

The graded surface flow method is not recommended on slopes which permit excess erosion. Of course, drilled crops such as alfalfa or pasture may be irrigated on steeper land than row crops.

Both level and graded irrigation have advantages and disadvantages. A level system is easy to operate, but may be expensive to install. Soil conservation service technicians are well trained for this work and are glad to be of service.

UNDERGROUND water in this area can be exhausted, so the best possible use should be made of it. A well designed and operated irrigation system can and will eliminate excessive tailwater. It costs just as much to pump a gallon of waste water.

IN LAND management there is no substitute for proper use. Every acre used according to its capabilities and treated according to its needs means proper use.

TG & Y FABRIC SHOP advertisement. Includes store address (112 S. BROADWAY), hours, and various fabric offers like Gold Dust PRINTS, 100% Polyester Dacron DOUBLEKNITS, and DAN WOVEN FANCIES. Also features an illustration of a woman in a dress and stacks of fabric.

Dimmitt Wheat Growers, Inc. advertisement. Features a large illustration of a man in a suit and a woman in a dress. Text includes 'NOTICE ALL STOCK HOLDERS', 'A special meeting of the common stockholders...', and 'DIMMITT WHEAT GROWERS'.