

# Nazareth, Neches to lead off state tourney today

Nazareth of Region I-B and Neches of Region IV-B will lead off the state girls' basketball tournament today (Thursday) when they meet at 8:30 a.m. in Gregory Gymnasium on the UT-Austin campus.

The winner will advance to the state championship game, but it will be sudden death for the loser. There will be no third-place game.

Neches was one of the two state finalists last year, and has a perfect 39-0 season record going into the state tournament. The Swiftettes sport a 32-4 mark.

Pacing the Neches sextette are a high-scoring 5-10 forward and a 6-3 post guard who doubles at forward when needed. The Neches girls came within a basket of the state championship last year, losing to Crawford by one point in the title game.

But the defending state champions are back, too, to insure a super-tough state Class B tournament. Crawford of Region III-B will meet May, the Region II-B champion, at 10 a.m. today [Thursday] to round out the semifinal action among the state's top four teams.

The Class B state championship game will be

played at 8:30 a.m. Saturday between the winners of today's two games.

Nazareth's state tournament games will be broadcast live over KDHN Radio, 1470.

Nazareth Public Schools have turned out classes in all grades Thursday and Friday so as many students as possible can attend the state tournament.

The Swiftettes left at 9 a.m. Tuesday on their 470-mile bus trip to Austin. They spent Tuesday night in Brownwood, where they had a workout, then drove into Austin Wednesday morning.

They're staying in Austin's Villa Capri Motel.

The Swiftettes' appearance in the state tournament is a first in Nazareth High School's sports history. The school that has produced state champions in tennis has never before been to Austin in girls' basketball.

It's a big first, too, for young Coach Cathy Wilson, who is only five years older than some of her players. This time last year, Miss Wilson was dribbling the ball for the Wayland College Flying Queens as a playmaking guard. Signing on as the

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### Another record

# Stock sale nets \$154,900



about dimmitt and castro county by b. m. n.

There is almost too much going on to allow time to pay special attention to any one event. What with Nixon drinking toasts and breaking Chow Mein with the Chinese unimpeached officials, with Henry Kissinger settling all of the problems in Central and South America after straightening out everything at home, with Mohammed Ali, the great one, picking up another million plus dollars in another rip-off of gullible Americans, and in the process proving that he should be at the head of our foreign relations as he picks out the ones that are easy to whip.

I'm all for getting the legislature or governor to appoint an Advertising Commission just like the state insurance board with the legal stipulations that everyone be instructed to buy enough advertising to meet minimum publicity requirements, with said requirements being determined by the media. By using the same logic as the State Insurance Board used the Publicity Commission would have granted the media a 13 to 25 percent increase in rates in January, 1975, depending on where the media operates, we are in the 25 percent area. Another 8.3 percent increase in homeowners insur-

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### Crash fatal to Dr. Hicks

Dr. Clarence E. Hicks, 50, a physician in Hereford for nearly 20 years, died at Deaf Smith Hospital at 6 p.m. Sunday from injuries received earlier that afternoon in a car-truck collision on US 385 in northern Castro County.

IT WAS the county's first fatal accident of 1976.

Dept. of Public Safety investigators said the car driven by Dr. Hicks apparently crossed the center line on Highway 385 five miles south of Hereford, into the path of a cattle truck driven by Horace Clyde Morrow of Hawley, which was headed for a feedlot west of Hereford.

Morrow was not injured, but the collision knocked a fuel tank off the truck and the Hereford Fire Dept. was called to wash spilled fuel from the highway.

FUNERAL services for Dr. Hicks will be conducted at 3 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Presbyterian Church at Hereford by Rev. George Belford, pastor. Burial in West Park Cemetery will be directed by Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Dr. Hicks, a heart specialist, was a native of West Virginia and a graduate of Virginia Medical School. He was a member of the Tierra Blanca Medical Society. He served in the US Air Force in World War II.

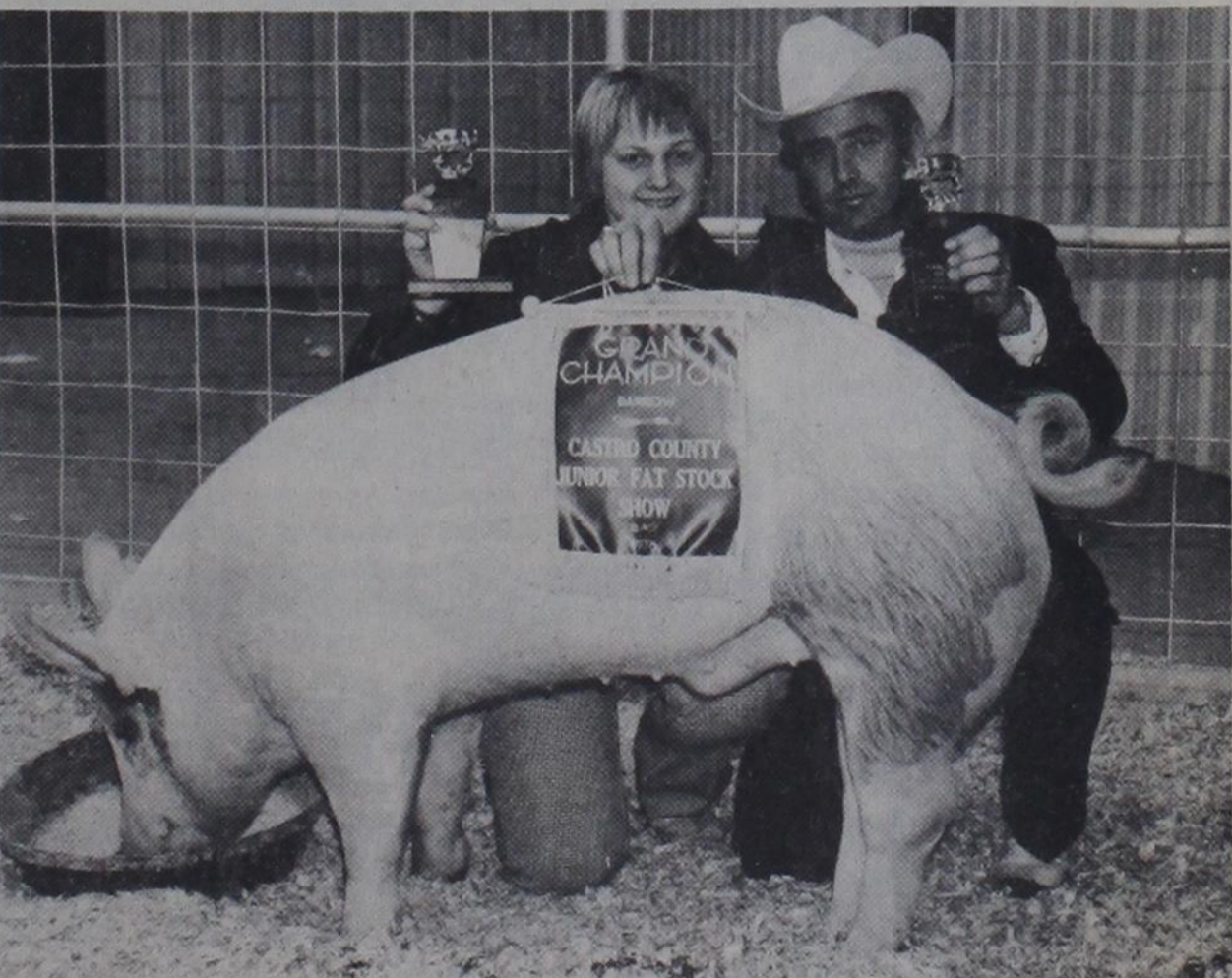
Survivors are his wife; three sons, David and Gary of the home, and Dennis, stationed in Germany with the US Army; his mother, Mrs. Bessie Hicks of West Virginia, and a brother.



KIMMIE HOLLUMS AND HER GRAND CHAMPION LAMB . . . With buyer George Sides



MARK WELCH EXHIBITS GRAND CHAMPION STEER . . . With buyer George Bagley of Dimmitt Feed Yards



LANA TUCKER SHOWS GRAND CHAMPION BARROW . . . With buyer Houston Hamby of Hart Oil Co.

Enthusiastic bidders shelled out a record \$154,909.75 for 261 project animals Saturday afternoon to give a big finish to the annual Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show.

THE SALE total was more than \$40,000 higher than the previous record, set in 1974. With fewer animals going through the sale ring than in any recent year, the per-animal premiums were far higher than ever before.

The county's youngsters received an average of 95.83 cents per pound for their calves, \$2.98 per pound for their barrows and \$3.51 1/4 per pound for their lambs.

Providing good floor prices for all the animals in the show were Homer Hill of Hart, 39 cents per pound on the steers; Farmers' Hog Market of Plainview, 48 1/2 cents per pound on the barrows; and Estacado Industries of Sunnyside, 46 1/2 cents per pound on the lambs.

DEDUCTING the floor prices, premiums totaled \$130,682.69, according to Schaeffer & Co., CPAs. This amount included donations totaling \$4,108.44 to the Dimmitt Young Farmers, Dimmitt FFA and Castro County 4-H Council on the resale of three animals.

During the 5 1/2-hour sale in the County Expo Center, auctioneers Jack Howell, Dean Sanders, Johnny Davis and Edgar Dennis sold 30 calves, 126 barrows and 105 lambs.

The young stockmen had a tougher time qualifying their animals for the sale this year. In the past, all unsifted animals went through the auction ring, and the annual sale had grown to a 6-to-8 hour marathon.

THIS YEAR, only the top 75% of the animals in each division were allowed to go through the ring, and youngsters were restricted to three animals each in the sale, with no more than two each in any division. As a result of these restrictions, plus the pre-show sifts, only 65% of the 404 animals originally entered in the show went through Saturday's sale.

The 261 animals in this year's sale compared with 352 last year and 355 in 1974, the first year the livestock sale topped the \$100,000 mark.

The smaller number of animals was a factor in the higher per-animal prices. But mainly, bidders were just in a high-paying mood as they shelled out 26% more money than ever before.

OF THE 261 animals sold, 58 received guaranteed bids here and will go on to the big Houston Livestock Show.

Mark Welch of the Dimmitt FFA showed the Grand Champion steer, a 1,198-lb. black crossbreed. His steer brought \$1.50 per pound from Dimmitt Feed Yards for a total of \$1,797.

Leona Kleman of the Nazareth FFA showed the Reserve Champion steer—and it, too, [See STOCK SALE, Page 14]

### Teasing clouds

[Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours.]

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	70	21
Friday	65	21
Saturday	65	26
Sunday	44	13
Monday	63	23
Tuesday	70	26
Wednesday	74	36
1976 Moisture	0.04	

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NAZARETH'S ELAINE SCHULTE goes high and uses her kid-glove touch to loft a two-pointer against Garden City Friday in the first-round game of the Region I-B tournament in Levelland. Following her shot are Nazareth forwards Chelle Pohlmeier [42] and Cheryl Hartman, and Garden City guards Denise Plagens [20], Dana Halfmann [31] and Debra Wheat [13]. The tough battle between

the Swiftettes and Bearkats highlighted the quarterfinal round of the tourney, with Nazareth earning a 55-47 victory over the bi-district champions from 11-B. Nazareth went on to defeat Anthony 58-38 and Klondike 47-43 to capture the regional championship and a berth in the four-team state tournament. [Photo by Shelly Cross]

## Victory over Klondike earns ticket to state

By MARTY CATOE

The Swiftettes gained their berth in the Class B state cage tourney by edging past Klondike, last year's Region 1-B

### Sunuvagun--we're No. 1

Dimmitt's bemused Bobcats found it to be only slight consolation Sunday when they learned they were the No. 1-ranked Class AA basketball team in Texas.

THE DEFENDING state champions had already turned in their uniforms four days earlier, having been knocked out of the district championship by the powerful Morton Indians.

Morton, apparently state-bound after defeating Floydada in the bi-district game Tuesday night, was ranked No. 4.

The pre-playoff rankings came from the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches, no less.

BOBCAT Coach Kenneth Cleveland explained how it happened:

"Those votes for the top teams go in early. Feb. 15 was the deadline. At that time I'm sure our record was such (27-2) that they decided we should be picked No. 1."

The Bobcats went on to finish their year with a 31-2 mark, with the only two losses to Morton in district play.

"I GUESS we do have the best won-lost record in the state," Cleveland commented. "I don't imagine Morton was very pleased to be ranked fourth behind us."

Other top-ranked teams on the TABC list were Bowie second, Northwest (Justin) third, Cameron fifth, Rockwall sixth, Mart seventh and Van Vleck eighth.

winner, 47-43 Saturday night in the regional finals at Levelland.

SENIOR forward Elaine Schulte led the Swiftettes with 23 points, while Cheryl Hartman cleared the nets with 17 and Chelle Pohlmeier added another eight points.

The Cougars' only lead came at the beginning of the game when they jumped out front 4-0. Scoreless the first two minutes, the Swiftettes gained a 15-10 lead by the end of the initial quarter.

The Swiftettes went to the dressing room at the half with a three-point margin after scoring only eight points in the second quarter while allowing the Cougars 10.

THE TIGHT defensive battle continued through the third frame as each team scored just eight points. The score was tied midway through the fourth per-

iod but a total team effort gave the Swiftettes the final four-point margin.

Schulte hit 4-4 from the free throw line and scored two field goals in the final three minutes while Vera Birkenfeld, Rosie Schulte and Cindy Schacher kept their poise in defending the Cougar goal without fouling, and advancing the ball to the Nazareth forwards.

THE CASTRO County girls reached the tourney championship game with a 55-47 quarterfinal win over Garden City and a 58-38 semifinal victory over the Anthony Wildcats.

Garden City's Bearkats gave the Swiftettes a scare as they took a 16-15 first-period lead and continued to threaten throughout the game.

The Swiftettes managed to stay with their opponents and [See VICTORY, Page 14]

## Cash awards given for 4-H projects

Entries from 26 girls and boys were judged in the 4-H Project Show held Saturday as an adjunct to the Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show and Sale.

CASH AWARDS were made in three age groups; prize money was donated by the Castro County Farm Bureau. Elaine Acker was chairman of the contest and was assisted by Margie Wilhelm, Sandy Harkins, Kylene Behrends and Wendy Bruegel.

Food and clothing projects entered by the youngsters were judged by Debbie Mumme, Judy Park, Estella Hottel, Becky Scribner, Pat Bagley and Agnes Acker.

Kathy Young placed first in the 9-10 year age division and received \$13. Janice Hutche-

son, second, was awarded \$9; Martha Flores, third, \$7; Tammy Washington, fourth, \$5. Others in this division were Shelly Frye, Becky Benton, Sharon Washington and Amy Downing.

FIRST in the 11-12 year class was Edith Durbin, followed by Mary Jean Huseman, Laura Downing and Johnny Hochstein. Also entering were Tammy Behrends, Kim Manion, Jackie Washington, Janet Huseman, Karen Huseman and Annett Hoelting.

Margie Wilhelm and Dianne Hochstein tied for first in the division for age 13 and over. Another tie placed Mary Jean Hochstein and Carol Hochstein second. Others competing were Kylene Behrends, Sandy Harkins, Elaine Acker and Leona Kleman.



Sheffy's chatter

From jet to camel: families tour Canaries, Morocco

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Carl and Frances King were telling about their trip to the Canary Islands, just off the coast of Spanish Sahara, Africa. They enjoyed the difference in living from the US, mostly French people, some Spanish. Other people going were Dick and Edna Faye Reinhardt, the Shirley Garrisons and the Jay Bostons. They went across to Marrakesh, in Morocco, saw the marketplace that is more than 800 years old. Some of the buildings are crumbling. Carl says to watch your pocketbook each minute. Of course they rode the camels, that is part of it. There are many olive tree orchards. They ship tons of olives and the oil out to us and Europe. Like all the US folks, they say it is good to travel and much better to come home.

GARY AND Susan Royal have moved to Lubbock where he has employment. The Royals have been here with her parents for a while after they moved from Kansas.

Johnny Davis went to Lubbock last weekend to see her great grandson. He belongs to her granddaughter, I forget her name at the moment.

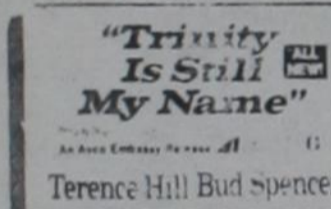
Many Dimmitt people are home from a jet trip to Hawaii. They all loved the place, took the tours, saw the sugar cane growing, many did some swimming and surfing, heard Don Ho sing. Jeannie says Glen Campbell can beat him singing. These are the go'ers: Mrs. G. L. Willis and her mother Mrs. C. O. Byrnes, Anita Morris and sister Allie Mae Willis, the Larry Morrises, Andy and Kay Rogers of Clayton Ranch, the J. R. Matthews, the Randall Craigs, the Tom Millers, Cowboy and Jeannie Johnson, the John Gibraths, the Carl Lee Kemps, the Mike Bacas, the Fred Bruegel Jr., the Jackie Clarks, the George Elders, the J. R. Matthews, the Charles Rickerds, the Roy Lillies, Jay Paul and Gertie Waggoner, Truman Touchstone, Jerry Watts and Terry Robertson.

HARLIN AND Bobbie Dodd have bought and moved into the Jack and Alta Summers house at 100 Front Street. I told you a while back that Mr. Summers is living in the small house just west of the big house.

Helen and Levi Bennight went

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Friday & Saturday



Sunday & Monday



CARLILE Theatre Dimmitt, Texas

Would You Believe that the Head Matron of the 6 Sides will be 40 Sunday? Happy Birthday, Carolyn!

to Truth or Consequences (I always call it Hot Springs), N.M. for a rest and for the hot baths. I hear that Lou Ella (Maxwell) and husband Dick Sullivan went out there, as did Ivey Jackson who has relatives there. All went at different times.

Kathy Hewett was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club at the Country Club. Lunch of pick up foods was served to several ladies. Usually 12 people play.

I just met Reg Arnold, owner of the Dairy Queen. He is not married, went to school in Lubbock and has lived in Tullia. Dimmitt has many newcomers. Let's make them welcome.

IF YOU want to see an exciting game, go to the gym and see the 10-year-olds play basketball. Our grandson Brett and the Bradley boys (Carl and Jerri's) play with the Bears, as does Mike Smotherman and the Thomas boy. The Tigers, also 10-year-olds, are very good. I didn't get names but one small guy didn't miss the basket very often. Tell me your names.

George and Irene Blanton went to Dallas and Richardson to visit the girls Georgene and LaNelle and families.

Melvin and Juanita Summers went out to Phoenix to visit her sister Ona Lee and husband Mr. Taylor. They got off soon enough to miss that dirt and cold wind Friday.

Sen. Jack Hightower called Saturday to wish us well. He says that Ivan Sinclair is with him as a special aide. You know that Sinclair is a Dimmitt boy, a brother to Mrs. Fate Shannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harbert of Hartley were guests of his sister Lena and Buck Crum last Tuesday. And Friday Lena served cake and coffee to some friends, Alma Nelson, Suzie Reeves, Rachel Cleaver and Melba Howell. The gals played games of '88'.

HOMER AND Nell Newton have been in Wichita Falls to baby sit while daughter Billy took the little boy to San Antonio for treatment for an allergy or bronchial trouble.

Vera Patton, who is finishing school at Pampa, came home for a weekend visit with her parents Jack and Clara Patton. Lorena and Rolla Truax of Perryton were guests of her brother Curtis and Marie Tate for a few days. They were here for their aunt Pearl Mapes memorial service.

Mrs. Bunia Shwen was the honoree at a birthday party in the home of Mrs. George Sides last Wednesday. A big cake, many gifts and good wishes were given to Mrs. Shwen by the members of the Bethel Club. Other guests were Juanita Bruegel, Sandy Baker and Mrs. Moss Howell of Weatherford who has been here visiting her kin. The Bagwell men are her brothers and her sons, Jimmy and Jack and the families. Callers in the Shwen home were her daughters Georgia Wall and daughter-in-law Lee Wall and Lola Standifer of Clovis.

MRS. INEZ Yates of Olton is here with her grandsons Morris and Norris Cole while the boy's parents David and Oneeta were in Hawaii.

Herman and Rose Acker are in Huntsville near Houston with their daughter Alice and Jay Garrison who probably have the new baby by now.

Mrs. Ailt Feldman was hostess to the Garden Club mem-

bers Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Bill Behrends presided at the business meeting. Get your gardens cleaned up. Plant some red, white and blue flowers. At least plant some red and white geraniums for color. The district meeting will be in Odessa in March. Mrs. James Welch tells us to spray for bugs, and wrap your peach tree trunks with treated paper you can get from your nursery. This is to kill borers. Mrs. Ed Manning was the guest. Coffee and cookies were served to eight members.

MRS. GORDON Bradley of Tucumcari is in Dimmitt visiting her children and grand's, Weldon, Dent, Carl, Anna Dee who has had a sick spell, and granddaughter Ginger Gibbs who has been in the hospital. Mrs. Bradley was a Flagg neighbor in the early days.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell is in Midland visiting her daughter Maria. Mrs. Bagwell had eye surgery at Odessa a while back and she is slowly recuperating from that ordeal.

Kevin McCuiston and Virginia Sheffy, both students at WTSU, were home for the birthday dinner for sister Beth Wallace of Tullia at Ted and Dorothy's house. Beth's birthday was Saturday and our grandson Richard Jackson celebrated Feb. 22 at his folk's house. That is Kenneth and Ruth. I helped take care of that good food.

Goodwin and Jeanie Miller and the Jack Millers went to Abilene last weekend to attend

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the activities of the grandchildren Brent and Kim at A.C.C.

AL AND FRANCES Lytle of Amarillo were Sunday guests of their daughter Karen and Graham Sheffy and for the christening of the grandson John Gabrail at the morning service at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dodge of Amarillo were Sunday guests of her sister Marge and M. E. Cleavinger.

Myrtle Lois Moran visited son Scott and his Mrs. Sharon in Waco for a few days. Russel took her to the Lubbock airport and went for her also.

Shirley Wise was hostess with games of bridge and good food Thursday afternoon. Guests were Polly Simpson, Joannis Robertson, Doris Lust, Dorothy Mayfield, Stefanie Love, Courtenay Armstrong, Gail Bruegel, Maxine Tidwell, Ruth Jackson, Carolyn Jones, Myrna Miller, Mona Merritt, Betty Huckabay, Betty Patterson, Martha Dannevik and Deanne Clark.

TRES RITOS was the snowey place last weekend for Earl and Betty Parish, Herb and Dorothy Mayfield, Ray and Joannis Robertson and Fred and Ramona Annen. They stayed at the Parishes mountain house. Some of the people did ski, most stayed by the fire and played bridge. Dorothy says much snow came down up there, maybe we will get it later—the snow or rain, I mean.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benson were hosts to their dinner bridge Thursday. The dinner was at K-Bob's with games at home. Guests were the Glen Ratcliffs, the Bill Thorntons, the Weldon Skinners, Helen Richardson, Faun Welker and M. E. and Marge Cleavinger.

PARTIES were the thing last week. Fran Gabel of Flagg was hostess with a Mexican dinner with Texas pecan pie last Thursday. Guests were Sandra Potts, Mary Gabel, Carlie Warren, Pat Braafladt, Vicki Clarey, Joan Thrasher, Kay Kellar. And Tuesday the same week Fran was hostess to another bridge playing group at the Country Club. Guests were Johnnie Wilson, Carlie Warren, Cindy McDaniel, Martha Isaacs, Jean DuLaney and Jackie Byrnes.

Saturday evening Bill and Cheryl Glidewell were hosts at a bridge party. They served strawberry shortcake and coffee to Durwood and Betty Patterson, Tony and Fran Gabel, Bob and Betty Huckabay, Cowboy and Jeannie Johnson, Myrtle Sheffy and Carolyn Jones. Well, seems Cowboy and Jeannie and Fran all got the good cards since they won high score. And a happy birthday was sung to Durwood. Cowboy says Hawaii is a most beautiful place, but he still likes windy Dimmitt better to live in.

Jimmy Pinner has moved to South Hills Manor for a while to recuperate from a light

stroke. She is okay.

NOEL AND Oleta Gollehon attended the REA Convention in Anaheim, Calif. the first of February through the fourth. The convention hall was across from Disneyland. They heard Hubert Humphrey and George McGovern speak and enjoyed the singing of the famed King family. In the REA beauty contest a girl from Tennessee won the national title.

They went on their trip in their motor home, so after the convention ended they did some sightseeing. At Long Beach they visited the Queen Mary, the ship on which the "Poseidon Adventure" film was made. They took the Universal movie tour. They traveled on Pacific Highway 1, which borders the Pacific Ocean, and stopped at San Clemente Park for three days because of the rainy weather. They drove on Avenue Del Presidente and saw former President Nixon's home the Casa Pacifica.

They enjoyed the San Diego zoo and Sea World. On the way

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home they saw the fruit orchards and acres of vegetables in the Imperial Valley. They stopped at Indio for a night and saw the "Arabian Nights Festival." Indio is the date capital. At Deming, N.M. they saw the Wagon Train on its way

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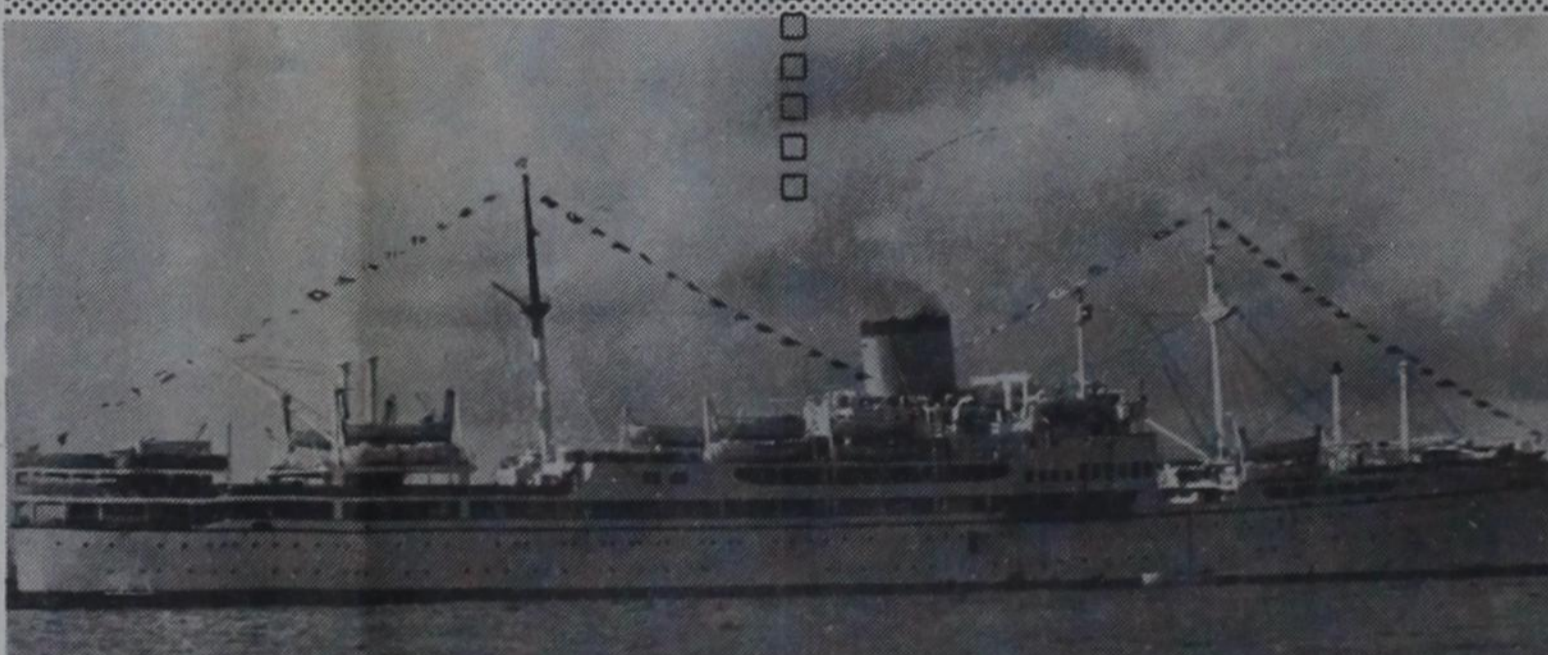
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CRUISE IN THE OFF-SEASON

Although most people prefer to take their cruise during the peak of the season for all the glamour, excitement, and crowds it offers, others enjoy the quiet and restfulness of the off season cruise. Tourists are not present in such great numbers; interesting places can be visited more leisurely and at greater length.

Some people prefer to pray only when they are in church or at some great public gathering where the prayers are led for them. But our Lord said to pray in the "off-season." He

said, "But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly." The real joys of prayer are truly found when you are praying alone with God. The scripture says to be instant in season and out of season. The church would encourage you to pray both in church and at home. Prayer can uphold, support, and strengthen our churches, ourselves, and our country.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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Corn Oil **68¢**

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Pure Cane 5 lb. bag

**99¢**

BUDGET BALANCER

PEAS

Joan-of-Arc. 16 oz.

5 for **\$1**

TANG

Orange Drink Mix 27 oz.

**\$1.49**

PRUNES

Del Monte Pitted 12 oz.

**48¢**

ORANGE DRINK gallon **\$1.09**  
Rich & Ready

PUREX

Bleach 1/2 gallon

**39¢**

SUPER SUDS

42 oz. size

**59¢**

IVORY

Liquid 32 oz.

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Liquid Detergent 22 oz.

**79¢**

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Dishwasher Soap 35 oz.

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Boneless Beef **\$1.09** lb.

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SALMON

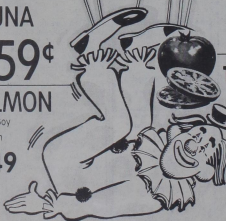
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1-28-tfc

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**WANTED:** Bookkeeper-Typist. Write Box 67, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. 9-14-tfc

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**SCRAP IRON** wanted. We pay \$35 per ton for scrap delivered to our shop, and \$25 per ton if we pick up. Dimmitt Welding & Electric, E. Hwy 86, 647-3128. 10-21-tfc

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**15—LEGAL NOTICES**

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR CITY OF DIMMITT GARBAGE DISPOSAL EQUIPMENT**

The City of Dimmitt desires that all bids regarding Garbage Disposal Equipment be submitted on the basis as herein after stated for equipment manufactured to the following plans and specifications:

EQUIPMENT	QUANTITY
1 1/3 cubic yard containers	300
2 1 1/2 cubic yard containers	150
3 1975 model Ford Truck, 361 engine, 18,500 pound rear axle, 7,000 pound front axle	1
4 30-ton Packer Body with automatic cab control side lift for automatic loading of packer	1

Please submit your bids on the above described equipment to the City Manager for the City of Dimmitt, no later than 6:00 p.m. Monday, March 15, 1976, all bids to be sealed and complete with contractor's bond by a recognizable surety company. Sealed bids will be opened at the regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Dimmitt at 6:30 p.m., March 15, 1976.  
Your cooperation is appreciated.  
-s-Garnett F. Holland  
Garnett Holland  
City Secretary  
City of Dimmitt, Texas  
15-21-2tc

**NO MAN** is a true gentleman who does not inspire the affection and devotion of his servants.  
—Chesterfield.



**TROPHY TIME**—With her Swiftette squad behind her, Nazareth Coach Cathy Wilson presents the district and regional championship trophies to the school during a pep rally Monday afternoon. The Swiftettes, already established as one of the top four Class B teams in Texas, left Tuesday for Austin in quest of still another trophy to mark the best basketball season in the school's history.

## Here's Hart's school menu

**HERE ARE** the school lunch menus for Hart Schools for March 1-5.

**MONDAY** — Enchilada casserole, tortillas, tossed salad, buttered corn, peanut butter brownies, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Cheeseburger on homemade bun, French fries, catsup, fruit, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Barbecued beef, hot rolls, pinto beans, coleslaw, peach cobbler, milk, butter.

**THURSDAY** — Corn dogs, onions, pickles, crackers, ranch style beans, orange cake, milk, butter.

**FRIDAY** — Fried fish, tartar sauce, cornbread, cabbage salad, blackeyed peas, buttered rice, milk, butter.



**THE 76'ERS,** the county's Bicentennial chorus, made their first public appearance of the year Saturday evening, presenting a program of patriotic music at a meeting of Castro Masonic Lodge 879. Directed by Jim Massey, the 76'ers concentrate on patriotic favorites and plan to perform throughout the year at public gatherings. The chorus rehearses each Monday evening at 7:30 at the First United Methodist Church, and is still open to all singers who want to join, Massey said.

## Ellison named campaign head

Terry Ellison has been named Mental Health chairman in Dimmitt for the 1976 campaign of the Texas Association for Mental Health, and will be assisted by Key Club members in house-to-house calls during Mental Health Month.

**THE TAMH** is a volunteer association, with members whose objective is to inform the public about mental health and mental illness, while helping the mentally ill and their families.

Principal aim is education as a key factor in preventing mental health problems, which affect one in 10 persons in the state. The association offers

free literature on alcoholism, children's mental health, sexuality, depression and other mental health topics.

**YOU MAY** be deceived if you trust too much, but you will live in torment if you do not trust enough. —Crane.

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## NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hooper

### Couple at home after marriage at Nazareth

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hooper are at home at 2610 Iowa Park Road, Wichita Falls, after their recent marriage in the Holy Family Catholic Church at Nazareth. Mrs. Hooper is the former Rebecca Wilhelm of Nazareth.

Kern played guitar accompaniment for wedding songs. Michele Schmucker, Tricia Gerber and Mona Brockman joined them in singing. The bride's gown of snowflake lace was in empire style with a gently flared skirt shaping into a full train trimmed with seed pearls. Pearls also studded the Edwardian collar and the cuffs which held full sleeves at the wrist.

HER LACE-edged illusion veil fell from a lace caplet to float over the train. Her bouquet was of white gladiolas and tiny pink roses. In the style of the bride's dress, the attendants' frocks were in leaf green trimmed with white lace. They wore wide-brimmed hats and each carried a single white gladiola blossom. A reception in the Nazareth American Legion Hall followed the wedding. The bride attended Nazareth schools and the groom is a Dimmitt High School ex-student. He is employed by the James Paint and Body Shop at Iowa Park.

Red poinsettias were decorations on the church altar. Noreen Kleman and Theresa

### Home and hobby That was Nell's chili everyone was enjoying

By IRENE KEATING

Thank you to each of you for patronizing the 4-H concession stand at the Junior Fat Stock Show. Many thanks to Nell Ingram for graciously helping me get the concession set up, making the chili and staying there throughout the three days.

HERE ARE some interesting facts I thought you'd enjoy: In 1974 more than 75,000 microwave ovens were sold in the United States. What do you suppose the figure is for 1975? Many of our county households added this appliance last year.

United States commercial canners process more than 38 billion containers of fruits, vegetables, meat and specialty products each year. Wonder how many containers are canned or frozen by individuals? Leather is the single most valuable animal by-product. Now car manufacturers are looking at it for seat covers

since plastics are in short supply.

TRY THE "dollar bill test" to be sure your refrigerator is properly sealed. If you can pull a dollar bill out of the closed door, the refrigerator needs a new gasket. Measure the old one and check the appliance model number before purchasing a new one. To replace the gasket, remove the old one by loosening the screws that hold it to the door and put in the new one.

The knit fabrics for spring are lighter in weight but more expensive than in the past.

The cotton is in this spring and summer. As always it's cool, absorbent, comfortable and now easy care! Look for cotton gauze, voile, organdy, denim, doecord, poplin and corduroy. The soft styles almost demand cotton.

### Catholic Daughters at Nazareth meet

The Catholic Daughters of Holy Family Church at Nazareth met with Bishop Lawrence DeFalco of Amarillo after he had conducted mass at the church Sunday.

DISCUSSION was on reinstating the Amarillo Court of Catholic Daughters of America. There were 21 members and officers present for the short meeting.

Bishop DeFalco was entertained at a luncheon afterward.



### SQUARE DANCE TIPS

The Nazareth Kurlie Q's will hold their first anniversary dance in the Nazareth Community Hall Sunday, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The caller will be Hap Pope from Reese Air Force Base at Lubbock.

Door prizes will be drawn. Everyone is invited to attend.

### Little Dribblers Schedule

- MAJOR LEAGUE (High School Gym)
- Thursday
    - 6-Raiders vs. Longhorns
    - 7-Bears vs. Aggies
    - 8-Mustangs vs. Owls
  - Friday
    - 6-Razorbacks vs. Raiders
    - 7-Longhorns vs. Aggies
    - 8-Horned Frogs vs. Bears
  - Monday
    - 6-Razorbacks vs. Mustangs
    - 7-Raiders vs. Aggies
  - Tuesday
    - 6-Owls vs. Bears
    - 7-Longhorns vs. Horned Frogs
  - Next Thursday
    - 6-Aggies vs. Razorbacks
    - 7-Mustangs vs. Bears
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- Thursday
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### PLAINS MEMORIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Byrd of Dimmitt are the parents of a girl, Brandi Dawn, born Feb. 22. She weighed 6 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmundo Barera of Hereford are the parents of a girl, Melissa. Born Feb. 19, she weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

### Small Talk

By SUE COLEMAN

Our almost-spring weather, which seems to be a little more unusual this year than usual, is bringing out some of those remarks about wind and drought that I haven't heard in a long time.

There probably aren't any really new thoughts on the subject, considering the past history of West Texas.

BUT SHORTY Barlow, delivering the mail while dirt, gravel and small boulders were gusting down the street Friday morning, claimed to have seen "some guys with a trace chain that was giving them trouble. They were holding one end and it was blowing straight out."

And a few days ago Dale Fowler was predicting that "if it don't rain before the wind really begins to blow in March, a lot of real estate is going to change hands around here. Some farmers are going to wake up some morning and find that all their land has blown over into their neighbor's field—or to the next county."

THOSE SIGNS that say "Think Rain!" are becoming more numerous and maybe will do some good if people can stop thinking drought long enough.

Somebody was thinking rain at a film showing in a service club lately. It was one of those travel films with a syrupy voice commenting on the exotic scenes, calling attention to lush trees and silver sands.

However, somebody's eyes were elsewhere, and a voice from the darkness spoke out, "Boy! those clouds look good. It's sure gonna rain!"

### Socially Yours



Ginger Brown and Randy Morgan

### March vows planned

An early spring wedding is being planned by Ginger Brown and Randy Morgan, who have chosen March 20 as their marriage date.

Parents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. A. T. (Buster) Morgan of Dimmitt.

Miss Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown of Colorado Springs. She is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell, who reside near Bovina, and the wedding will take place in the Caldwell home.

### Mrs. Schwen honored on 80th birthday

Mrs. Bunia Schwen was a birthday honoree at a recent meeting of the Bethel Home Demonstration Club. Her 80th birthday was on Feb. 17.

A decorated birthday cake in heart shape was served as part of the refreshments.

Gifts were presented to Mrs. Schwen with "happy birthday" wishes from the 23 women present.

### Fifth Sunday singing slated

Fifth Sunday Singing at Lee Street Baptist Church is announced for Sunday afternoon, 2 to 4 p.m., by Rev. Bobby Gordon, pastor.

Everyone is invited to come, join in the singing of familiar songs and listen to special songs.



[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars of the County Home Demonstration Council and the Nazareth American Legion Auxiliary.]

- FEB. 28 — Birdie and Jack Rister, Bobby and Gloria Stefens.
- MARCH 1 — Wayne and Darlene Collins.
- MARCH 2 — Dale and Marie Winders.
- MARCH 4 — Leo and Mary Ann Durbin.

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men not pictured are Gerald McCathern and G. W. Duncan of Hereford and Donald Wright of Dimmitt. The committee will announce nominees at the annual meeting of the Deaf Smith REC Saturday in Hereford.

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## Deaf Smith REC to distribute \$217,588 to members Saturday

Capital credit checks totaling \$217,588 will be paid back to Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative members at the 38th annual membership meeting Saturday in Hereford. Drawing for a free trip to Acapulco will also be a highlight.

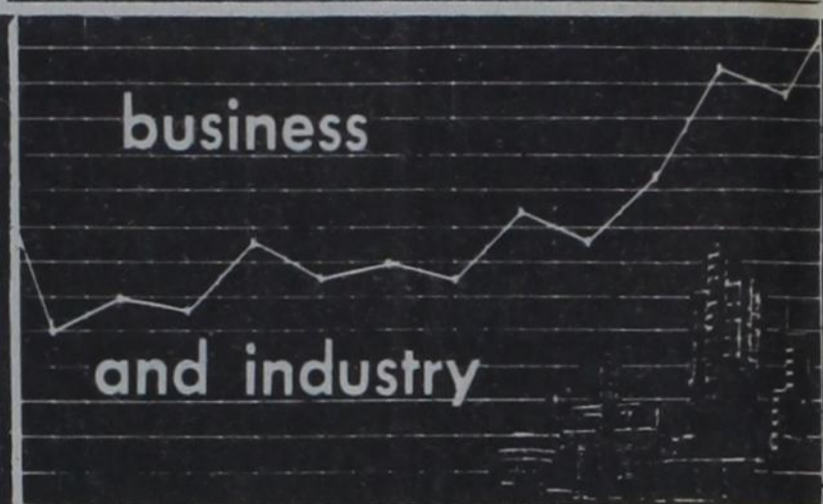
A FREE barbecue dinner for members will begin at 5 p.m. in the Bull Barn at Hereford. The Catholic Daughters Society of Nazareth will serve the meal.

Three directors will be elected to the board. Nominees from Castro County are Noel Gollehon and Donald Wright; from Farmer County, Sloan Osborn and Floyd Reeve; from Deaf Smith County, Tom Draper and Clark Andrews.

The Acapulco trip for two, to be awarded to lucky members in a drawing, will include six days and five nights. Attendance prizes will also be awarded.

SERVING on the member service committee to plan the annual meeting were Messrs. and Mmes. Jerry Brown, Floyd Reeve, Larry Potts, Je-Don Gallman, Floyd Schulte, Anthony Acker, C. F. Homfield. Also Messrs. and Mmes. Dan Petty, Richard Connell, Jerry Roberts, Alfred Smith, Edward Allison, G. W. Duncan and Pat Robbins.

IF YOU want to kill any idea in the world today, get a committee working on it. —Kettering.



On Wall Street  
By Bob Hill  
A. G. Edwards & Sons, Inc.

This is the story of the bank the state of Delaware doesn't want. It seems that in 1807, just 168 years ago, Delaware established the Farmers Bank of the State of Delaware in order to give the poultry and vegetable farmers in the southern part of the state a financial assist. Delaware held 20% of the stock and over the years the state has accumulated additional shares until it now owns 49.3% of the bank. The state must also obey a state law requiring it to do all of its banking with Farmers.

POOR management, bad loans and a major swindle have all hit the bank with severe losses and the bank now needs between \$10 million and \$20 million of fresh capital. Farmers had to write off \$6 million last year, the result of bad loans and the discovery of a fraud covering 46 worthless mortgages involving \$1.2 million. The largest pension trust account left the bank's trust department abruptly and there has been a \$5 million decline in the bank's investment portfolio.

State officials were flabbergasted when they found their powers severely limited. A copy of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. report was requested by the state Treasurer. He didn't get it. Another state official maintains that the Budget Commission, the body supervising the bank, didn't have one banker on it. Hence, not wanting to look unknowledgeable, the members of the commission didn't ask the right questions if they asked any questions at all.

The entire state of Delaware budget of \$451 million passed through the bank sometime during the year. The state also kept \$21 million in an interest free checking account and an additional \$35 million in a savings account earning 5%. For these deposits the bank handled the state payroll and performed other services. In addition, local governments and departments also kept funds in the bank. Nevertheless, despite ventures of the Farmers into international banking, mortgage banking, insurance and retail banking in the northern part of the state, Farmers still showed a loss of \$9 million in 1975.

The ironic part of the story is that the state's investment, now worth \$2 per share (less than \$1 million) could have been sold for \$12 million in 1969, just six years ago.

## EEO Commission calls meeting

Representatives of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission are conducting a series of meetings in the Panhandle this week, discussing Equal Employment Opportunity laws as they pertain to employers and employees.

A MEETING is scheduled at 7 p.m. today (Thursday) at Bowie Junior High Auditorium in Amarillo, and at 8 p.m. Friday in the Community Building at Dumas. Previous meetings were in Hereford and Pampa.

The speaker is Andres Lopez, supervisor in the district EEOC office at Albuquerque. Meetings are open to the public and one of the aims is to educate the public on provisions of the federal civil rights act.

## Chairmen named for LD tourney by Kiwanians

Little Dribblers regional tournament plans highlighted the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club meeting Monday, as chairmen were named to arrange for the club-sponsored event here April 8-10.

MARK Cleavinger, general chairman, announced that Jack Patton will head the gate committee, Larry Birdwell the referee selection committee, Danny Lewis the clock and scorekeeper committee. Bob Crozier will have charge of programs.

A report on the Junior Fat Stock Show and Sale of last weekend was given by Ted Robb. He said the sale, in which the Kiwanis Club was one of the buyers, set a record.

Overall the show was perhaps the best ever staged here, he said, and competition was close as the quality of entries was better. He added that 58 animals from the Dimmitt show will be entered in the Houston Fat Stock Show next week.

Kiwanians were invited to assist in the observance of Public School Week March 1-5, by visiting the schools and eating in the school cafeteria.

Key Club members visiting the club for lunch were Jeff Bell and Jim Bradford. Four Hereford Kiwanians were guests also.

## New beauty shop opens in Dimmitt

A new business in downtown Dimmitt, La Coiffures Salon, has opened at 118 Broadway. MARY MAYS and Herminia Salinas are owners and operators. Another operator is Amelia Barrera.

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LARRY ROBB [right] of the Dimmitt FFA exhibited the reserve champion lamb in the Junior Fat Stock Show. At left is John Gilbreath, representing Estacado Industries' Lamb Feeding Division, which paid \$3 per pound for the 112-lb. medium-wool lamb in the sale that followed the show.

## VETERANS' SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH  
County Service Officer

Those disabled veterans and survivors of servicemen who appear to be eligible for property tax exemptions under a new law recently enacted by the State of Texas, will be furnished a letter verifying service-connected disability data, according to Jack Coker, director of the VA Regional Office at Waco.

IT WILL not be necessary to write the VA in most cases, since a computerized letter containing the required verification will be mailed by the VA automatically by April 1.

The state law authorizing tax exemptions applies to veterans who have a service-connected disability of 10 percent or more and to certain widows and minor children of veterans or of servicemen who died while on active duty.

Those desiring to claim the exemption should present a copy of a letter from VA to the appropriate tax collector on or before April 30, verifying service-connected disability.

Some veterans and survivors who meet service-connected disability requirements will not receive the computerized letter and will have to request such a letter from the regional office where their records are located or from the appropriate military service department. These include widows and children of veterans who died after leaving military service, those persons who reside out of state, and those where VA records are incomplete or do not exist because disability payments are made by the military service department instead of VA.

Those who need verification letters by not receiving the computerized letters may see me in my office on Tuesdays and Thursdays for help in making applications.

### CONCERNING VA Insurance Policy Dividends for 1976:

Checks totaling \$233 million in GI insurance dividends will be mailed to approximately three million veterans by the latter part of February. These include World War I, WWII and Korean Veterans who have kept their policies in force. Detailed information will be supplied in the Castro County News.

THE VETERANS Administration spent \$1,045,775,326 in Texas during fiscal year 1975 for facilities, operations and benefits to veterans and dependents.

The compilation of VA spending in Texas is broken down by counties and shows amount for veterans' compensation and pension, readjustment and education payments, insurance, loans, construction costs and hospital and regional office operating costs.

As of June 30, 1975, the Veterans Administration estimated there were 1,594,000 veterans living in Texas. Of the total, approximately 399,000 served in the Vietnam era, some 248,000 are veterans of the Korean conflict, 732,000 served during World War II and 47,000 served during World War I.

ON THE soft bed of luxury most kingdoms have expired. —Young.

## Art display is scheduled

An art show in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel Sr., six miles west of Dimmitt, will be open to the public from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday.

ON DISPLAY will be paintings done by students of Phyllis Sanders, who has held two oil painting workshops here recently. Mrs. Sanders will also exhibit some of her work.

Subjects will include landscapes, seascapes, still life and portraits in oils.



Rev. Eugene A. Perry



Raneal Ivey Perry

## Couple to take part in crusade in Alaska

Rev. Eugene A. Perry of Lone Grove, Okla., and his wife, the former Raneal Ivey of Dimmitt, have been invited to participate in the 1976 Pioneer Baptist Missions Crusade in Alaska from March 26 to April 9.

THEIR WORK will be centered at the North Star Baptist Church 90 miles from Fairbanks but will include other nearby preaching points.

Rev. Perry, who is pastor of Lone Grove Baptist Church, will preach and Mrs. Perry will present special music in a number of churches and missions.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ivey of 305 North Third, Mrs. Perry is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and of Wayland Baptist College at Plainview. Before her marriage she was a secretary in the missions department of the Baptist General Convention at Dallas and then educational secretary for Travis Avenue Baptist Church at Fort Worth.

REV. PERRY, a native of Bartlesville, Okla., is a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University and holds degrees from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth.

He has been pastor of Baptist churches in Ashland, Konawa and Norman, Okla., in addition to his present pastorate, has done summer missions work in Missouri and served as staff evangelist and office administrator for an evangelistic association based in Fort Worth.

The Perrys are part of a group of some 70 pastors and musicians from "the lower 48" who are to assist Alaska Baptists in the evangelistic mission this spring.

Revival personnel are responsible for their own travel expense, and the Lone Grove church, with the Brookhaven Baptist Church of Norman where Rev. Perry formerly was pastor, assisted by interested individuals are providing travel funds as part of their mission support programs.

"GENE AND I feel greatly honored to be invited to participate in this project," Mrs. Perry said. "Not only will we learn a great deal about missions firsthand but we will have the opportunity to make a personal contribution to mission outreach."

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## TEXAS TALK

By David Hays



Something special was reflected in the bright lights of Kansas City late last year when the annual Future Farmers of America convention was held. Reflected almost blindingly was the change in attitudes about agriculture. FFA conventions used to be almost mediocre affairs with dwindling attendance and speakers not in demand elsewhere. Old attendance records fell like rain in a hurricane when more than 20,000 of the Future Farmers checked in for the November convention. They came from all fifty states with visiting students from Europe and South America. Speaking before the sea of blue-jacketed farmers were Vice-President Nelson Rockefeller, former Texas Governor and Secretary of the Treasury, John Connally and former Georgia Governor and FFA member, Jimmy Carter. One of the highlights was the planning for this year's national convention. Early indications point to another record setter.

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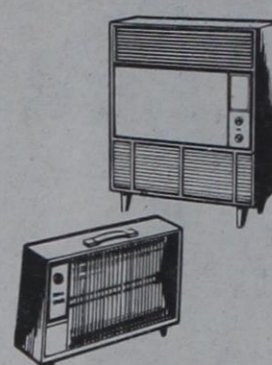


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Dimmitt Welding & Electric has added several other new services, also, to its industrial machine-shop and electrical services. The company on US 86 east now has a complete "farm and industry parts department," carrying all types of bearings, spray parts, electrical merchandise, welding supplies, keystack, threaded rods, roller chains, etc.

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Mike Patterson and J. D. Parker bought the business in July 1974 and renamed it Dimmitt Welding & Electric. The company has 20 employees, not counting the owners.

In the electrical department are Jerry Ethridge, manager, and Ken Stratton, service man.

The shop department includes Virgil Sullivan, manager, Jesse Sepeda, Frank Ethington, Keith Goldsmith, Larry Vaught, Billy Goldsmith and Johnny "Dusty" Smith.

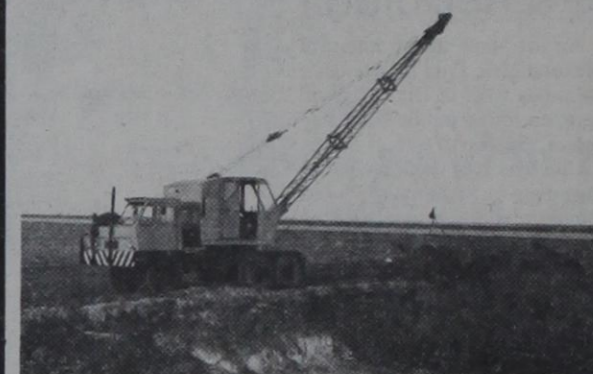
Field men are Egnacio Hernandez, lead man; Edward Gregory, lead man; and Ricky Stratton, Ismael Flores and Billy Fitzgerald, helpers.

Handling the junk department are Pablo Reyna and Pete Sifuentez.

John Wait is the company's machinist. Parts manager is Darrell Musick, and the secretary-bookkeeper is Nancy Whately.

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Sam is 26 years old, and was with the Texas Highway Dept. in Amarillo before moving to Dimmitt. He and his wife, Rhonda, and their two children, Becky, 4, and Johnny, 2, are having a new home built on FM 3215, near Ruskin Circle Swim Club. They're living in a local motel until their new home is completed.

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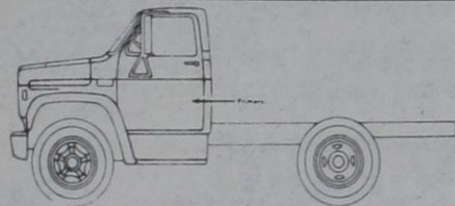
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TO PLANT 1,776 tree seedlings is the Bicentennial goal of a Boy Scout troop at Mt. Vernon, Va. The scouts have arranged with a forest ranger to plant the seedlings during an early spring camping trip in March.



**TOP SHOWMEN**—Winners of first-place trophies for showmanship in the Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show were (from left) Larry Robb of the Dimmitt FFA, overall showmanship winner; Mark Welch of the Dimmitt FFA, steer division;

Clyde Birkenfeld of the Nazareth FFA, lamb division; and Lana Tucker of the Hart FFA, barrow division. They were presented trophies by the Dimmitt Young Farmers before Saturday's sale.

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IN 1776, well over 90 percent of America's colonial population lived on farms.

**Ex-resident of Sunnyside dies Sunday**

Mrs. Virginia Durham, 62, of Lubbock, former resident of the Sunnyside community, died Sunday morning in a Lubbock hospital following a lengthy illness.

**THE FUNERAL** was conducted Tuesday morning in a Lubbock funeral home chapel and graveside services Wednesday afternoon in Laurel Land Memorial Park at Dallas. Officiating for the Lubbock service were Rev. Paul McClung of First Baptist Church of Morton, Rev. Tom Reynolds, pastor of Slide Baptist Church, and Rev. Fred McPherson of Lubbock's Southside Baptist Church.

Mrs. Durham moved to Lubbock in 1968 from Sunnyside. Her husband, Rev. Marvin Durham, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, died last Dec. 28.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John Rossi of Lubbock; a sister, Maxine White of Miami, Fla.; two brothers, M. E. and E. V. Shaw of Garland; and a granddaughter.

**View from the Library**



By **CARLTON MOYERS**  
Librarian

One very rewarding duty of librarians in the Panhandle Library System is to spend an occasional day in Amarillo previewing films for possible addition to the film collection there which are to be used by librarians in the system.

We watched thirteen different films and I'd like to share a description of them with you.

**"THE HANDS"**. A pantomime, is an allegory of good and evil. The hands are the struggle of good and evil revealed by the force of the hands themselves through symbolic moments. Marceau's selection of dramatic music complements his motions and helps to create the changing moods.

**"Talking With Thoreau."** What can a gentle 19th-century philosopher (and a rustic to boot!) possibly say to a modern, urban-oriented society? Plenty, according to this film. Borrowing a "time travel" technique from science fiction, four contemporary Americans drop in at Walden Pond with Henry David Thoreau. Searching questions are raised as Thoreau's ideas are sometimes attacked, sometimes defended, but always found to be relevant.

**"The Ingenious Reporter."** Obstruction of justice is the theme of this film. A brash young American reporter who works for a Paris scandal sheet devises a clever way to improve his paper's circulation. Learning of a murder in which neither the victim nor the murderer has been identified, he decides to pose as the suspect, get himself arrested, and slip out of the trap only after his paper has fully exploited the promotional possibilities. But the trap snaps shut when the victim is identified as the reporter's sweetheart and no one will believe his story . . . until . . . after the reporter's tragic end, his editor receives a visitor and a surprising jolt.

**"AUNT ARIE."** Spry and independent Aunt Arie Carpenter, who is nearly 87, lives in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina. In the characteristic idiom of Appalachia, she tells of her childhood, her marriage, and how she helped her husband build their house and farm the red clay soil near Coweeta Creek. Oral history rich in folkways, folktales and hard-won wisdom.

**"The Fish That Nearly Drowned."** A fish describes incidents which take place in the aquarium—the life habits of a fish, how it builds its nest, and how an accident nearly caused its death.

**"The Loon's Necklace."** A charming Indian legend of how the loon, a water bird, received his distinguishing neckband. Authentic ceremonial masks, carved by Indians of British Columbia, portray the Indian's sensitivity to the moods of nature.

**"Fire Mountain."** Searing orange flames of a towering lava fountain, eerie, burned-out tree trunks shrouded in lava and steam, molten lava cascading over a precipice could be imaginative science fiction scenes. But they are real! Rare close-up views of the second greatest eruption of Mt. Kilauca in Hawaii force an emotional response to this awesome natural phenomenon. Color, music and natural sounds of the volcano's roar

have an impact enhanced by the absence of narration.

"Fire Mountain" is in the library right now and we'd like about nine minutes of your time to show you this spectacular film. We're using a borrowed projector but soon we'll be buying one for the library. Thanks to everyone who contributed to the projector fund.

This is Carlton at the book store. Thanks for listening.

**THE TEST** of every religious, political or educational system is the man which it forms.

—Amiel.

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[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars of the County Home Demonstration Council and the Nazareth American Legion Auxiliary.]

- FEB. 26 — Lorene Brockman, Michele Acker, Chris Hatla, Brent Ehly.
- FEB. 27 — Wanda Nelson, Dean Behrends, Eva Bernal, Wendal Huseman, Tony Acker, Emil Ehly.
- FEB. 28 — Jackie Mayhew, Shawn Weatherford, Donna Johnson.
- FEB. 29 — Carolyn Sides, Linda Parson, Kyle Yates, Floy Driver, Laura Venhaus.
- MARCH 1 — Kim Parks, Virginia Hansen, Bill Conyers, Becky Wilhelm, Vic Kern, Stanley Maurer, Joyce Acker, Janie Braddock.
- MARCH 2 — Terri Small, Shan Powell, Scott Acker, Peggy Book, Helen Gerber.

MARCH 3 — Jay Reeve, Tim Sims, Elmer Huseman, Benny Schacher.

MARCH 4 — Drilma Handley, Mary Edna Hendrix, Janet Tuggle, Virgil Wilhelm.

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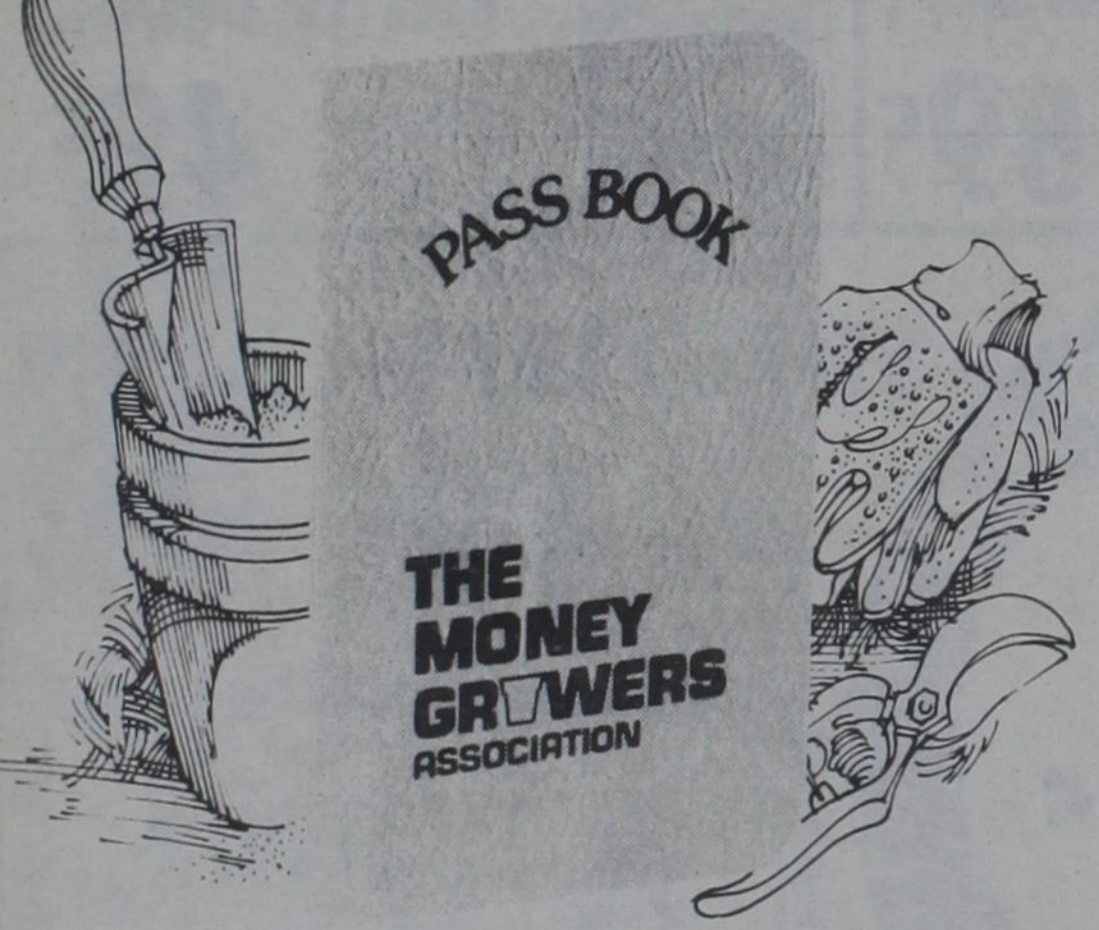
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RESERVE CHAMPION STEER in the Junior Fat Stock Show was this 1,261-lb. black crossbreed shown by Leona Kleman of the Nazareth FFA. The Nazareth Buyers' Club paid \$1 per

pound for the big steer. Here, Miss Kleman poses with Arnold Huseman of the Nazareth Buyers' Club.

NATURE has given us two ears, two eyes, and but one tongue, to the end that we should hear and see more than we speak. —Socrates.

**Nazareth**

**Father Stanley has surgery**

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

Father Stanley had surgery last Friday and is on the critical list and will probably be a very sick man for some time. Anyone wanting to send him a get well card can send it to Father Stanley Crochiolla, Room E 493, Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

A NUMBER of folks from here took in the sausage dinner at Bovina. Among them were the Florence Schachers, Al Maurers, Christine Braddock, Clarence Shultes, Ella Hoelting and Agnes Brockman.

Three students from Nazareth High School were on TV Sunday morning taking part in a panel on the Live and Learn program. They competed against Perryton and won 90 to 75. Those taking part were Teresa Kern, Kenny Brockman and Dorothy Guggemos. They will compete against Happy

March 28. Mr. and Mrs. Florence Albracht left for three or four weeks visiting their daughters in and around Chicago.

WE CERTAINLY have been having wind and dust here for the last several days now, and need rain badly.

Robbie Huseman from San Diego, Calif. spent two weeks in Nazareth recently visiting his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huseman and two children, also Alphonsa Huseman and Helen Backus, spent last weekend visiting the Ralph Pohlmeiers in Yukon, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Heiman of Amarillo had dinner last Thursday with Mrs. Ella Hoelting and visited also with other relatives in the afternoon. A lot of folks from here took in the ball games at Levelland last weekend. Congratulations, girls. You did real well, and good luck to you in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Venhaus of Happy, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Venhaus, the Paul Venhauses, Agnes Brockman and Helen Backus spent last Thursday afternoon and evening in Clovis with Mrs. Hilvers and the Kaplans. Frank Hilvers of Visalia, Calif. and Sister Jean Marie of Grants, N.M. were also there for a visit. Sister Jean Marie is a social worker in Grants.

Bishop DeFalco of Amarillo was here Sunday to say the Masses and attended the dinner put on by the Catholic Daughters.

Leslie Birkenfeld took his two little girls to visit their grand-

parents, the Benkes, in Lawton, Okla. last week and Sunday the grandparents brought them back to Nazareth.

A NEW foam-bonded process for producing fabrics achieves the look of crewel embroidery without the time-consuming handwork, Beverly Rhoades, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says.

**UFW NEWS**

The VFW Auxiliary to Post 8056 sponsored three members as candidates in a Valentine Queen contest in which all proceeds went to the auxiliary. FLORENE Leinen was winner of the contest. Other candidates were Earlene West and Kitty Johnson.

All VFW Auxiliary members are reminded by Sylvia Stubblefield, secretary, that your 1976 dues are past due. You will have until March 15 to pay.

**Social Security worker to visit**

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be in Dimmitt Monday, beginning at 9 a.m., to discuss business concerning the SSA with Castro County residents.

INTERESTED persons may see him at the county courthouse. Service may also be obtained on any business day by going to the Social Security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview.

A representative of the office is in Dimmitt on the first, third and fourth Monday in each month.

**What's cooking at the schools**

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt Schools for March 1-5.

MONDAY — No school, teacher workday.

TUESDAY — Pizza, corn, tossed salad, gelatin, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef stew, pear half with cheese, cinnamon rolls, cornbread, crackers, milk.

THURSDAY — Hamburgers, French fries, cake, milk.

FRIDAY — Fish with tartar sauce, rice, peas and carrots, fruit salad, rolls, butter, milk.

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**Brother of Dimmitt man dies at Borger**

Funeral services for Roy Clyde Walker, 51, of Borger, brother of Isom Walker of Dimmitt, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the Fellowship Baptist Church of Borger and burial was in Westlawn Memorial Park there.

Borger since 1950 and was an employee of Phillips Petroleum Co.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Linda Walker of Borger and Kathy Acker of Amarillo; a son, Kenneth of Houston; two sisters and six brothers.


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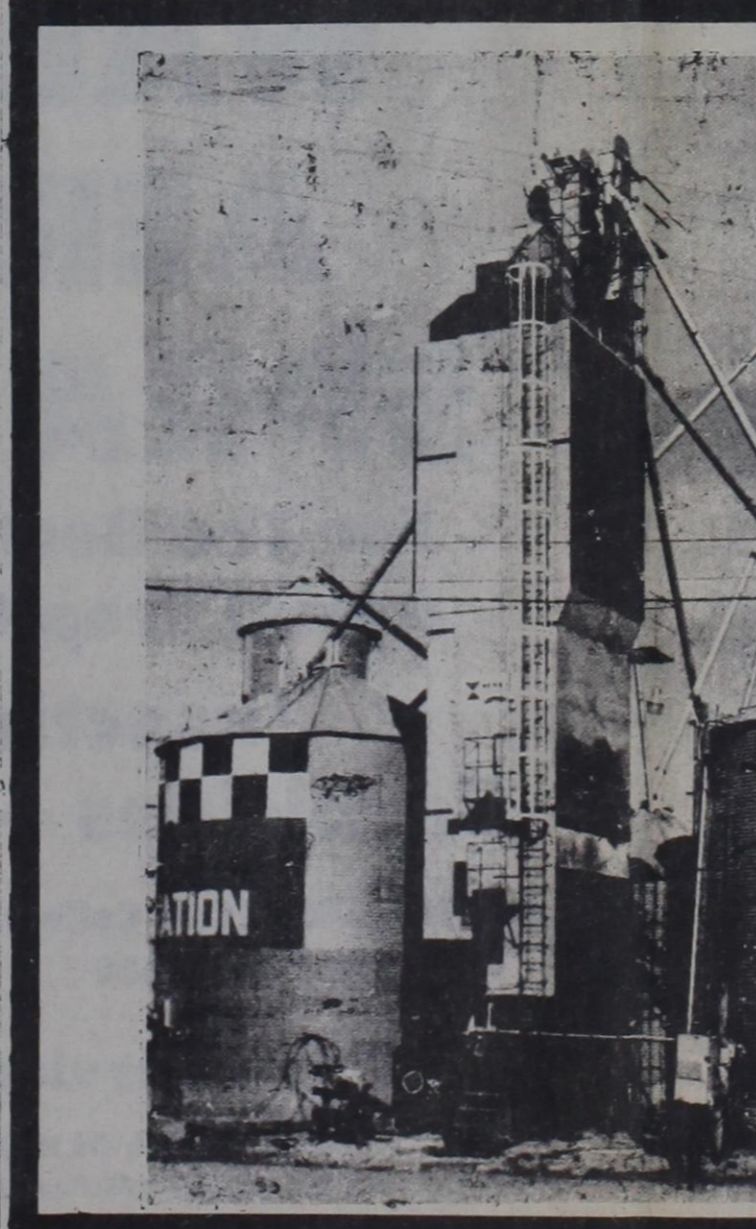
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RESERVE CHAMPION BARROW in the Junior Fat Stock Show was this 245-lb. Chester White exhibited by Terry Hill (right) of the Hart FFA. The reserve champ brought \$5.75 per pound from Hart Oil Co. and Hart Aerial Sprayers. At left is Houston Hamby of Hart Oil Co., representing the buyers.

### Missionary to conduct 'Awareness Week' here

World Mission Awareness Week will begin Sunday with special services in First Baptist Church here. Rev. Gerald W. Pinkston, missionary to Indonesia, will be the speaker.

SERVICES are scheduled at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The public is invited to hear the messages.

Rev. and Mrs. Pinkston, both native West Texans, are stationed in Bandung, Indonesia, where he directs work of the Baptist Publishing House and since 1966 has also been pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bandung, the oldest church in Indonesia.

They were appointed by the Foreign Mission Board in 1957 and Pinkston first taught in the Baptist Theological Seminary at Semarang and directed evangelistic work in north central Java.

BORN AT Leuders, he grew up at Levelland and graduated from Wayland Baptist College and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He served pastorates at Haskell, Kermit, and Avondale, Ariz.

Mrs. Pinkston, who helps promote Baptist women's work



Gerald W. Pinkston

in Indonesia and teaches children of missionaries, is a native of Hereford. She holds a BS degree from Mary Hardin-Baylor College, has attended Wayland and Southwestern Seminary and taught in schools of Dalhart, Fort Worth and Haskell.

The Pinkstons have two children, Vicki and Jim.

### Mrs. Hackworth buried Monday

Mrs. Maude Enos Hackworth, 89, died at South Hills Manor Thursday after a long illness, and the funeral was conducted Monday morning in a Hereford funeral chapel. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery at Memphis.

MRS. HACKWORTH, a former teacher, had lived in Hereford a number of years before she came to Dimmitt in 1974. She was a native of Virginia and married Phylemon Hackworth April 2, 1908. His death occurred in 1931.

Survivors include a daughter, Jean Streu of Apache Junction, Ariz., and a sister, Myrtle Cadd of Troutville, Va.

### Rotary inducts new member Friday

Informing a new member of the principles of Rotary International, Ike Moore reminded all the Dimmitt Rotary Club members of the history and traditions of their organization at the club lunch Friday.

KENNY PAXTON was presented his emblem pin as a new member. Moore said Rotary is the oldest service club, formed in 1905 and soon growing to international status. Emphasis on world friendship, business ethics and personal service by members, were named as Rotary principles.

Ticket sales for a circus the club will sponsor here April 11 were planned under direction of a committee headed by Dan Nelson.

Guests were Hereford Rotarians Jim McDowell and Stan Simmons.

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### Stock show appreciated

Dear Editor: I would like to express my thanks to the business men of Castro County, the Young Farmers of Dimmitt, the judges, and all the people too numerous to mention, who worked so hard to make the Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show such a success.

TOO OFTEN we hear of teenagers who get into trouble and cause trouble for their community. Not enough is said about the 99 percent who are an asset to their home town and country.

This was shown this past weekend at the stock show when the youngsters of the county showed how much they could work and complete a job. Then the business men of the



IN TRAINING—Airman Florencio Acevedo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Acevedo of 411 S.W. Second, has been selected for technical training in the US Air Force communications systems field at Corry Field, Fla. He recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. A graduate of Dimmitt High School, Acevedo attended South Plains College.

county showed how much they back the youngsters by staging such a wonderful show. For example, one boy's pig died before the sale, and that pig sold for as much as though the pig was beside the boy in the sale ring.

We as adults should never forget that there is no better lesson for young people than this type example by adults.

JIM HRABAL

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### Farm Bureau week slated in county

Farm Bureau Week in Castro County, March 1-6, has been proclaimed by County Judge Weldon Bradley.

THE CASTRO County Farm Bureau will have a special membership drive during the week, a part of a statewide drive to exceed last year's total of 180,470 members. In the county, 541 were enrolled last year.

Gale Sadler of Sunnyside is the county president and Ronnie Gfeller of Dimmitt is membership chairman.

"Our membership goal for March is 32 new members," Gfeller said. "As an incentive, each Castro County Farm Bureau member who signs up as many as seven new members becomes eligible for a polyester tire, or by signing up 10 he becomes eligible for a steel belted radial tire.

"THIS incentive is applicable to any new member as soon as

his membership becomes effective," Gfeller added.

The county president said, "Farmers and ranchers need an organization now more than ever, to help solve problems in marketing, agricultural public relations, taxation, farm exports and other matters affecting our net income."

Part of the proclamation issued by Judge Bradley reads: "MANY OF our citizens are dependent directly or indirectly upon agriculture for their livelihood. All consumers benefit from the productive efficiency of modern agriculture.

"Farmers and ranchers have learned to promote their industry through organization. Four out of five agricultural producers in this nation who belong to a general farm organization are members of Farm Bureau."

### HOSPITAL NEWS

#### PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL

- N. W. Anderson
- Ouida Boyd
- Colleen Byrd
- Annie Faye Byrnes
- Rala Byrnes
- Linnie Cauldwell
- Belle Goldsmith
- Jan Grand
- Maureen Henderson
- Linda Jaramillo
- Tommy Kellar
- Modesta Sandoval
- Floyd Stanford
- Jessie Thomas
- J. O. Vaughn

#### PATIENTS DISMISSED:

- Freddie Ruiz
- Kate Mills
- Ruben Olvera
- Maude Hackworth
- Lula Scott
- Gumercindo Correa
- Edward Ross
- Mary White
- J. O. Vaughn
- Teresa Lister
- Carolyn Byrd
- Robert Cozby
- Thomas Carrell
- Noble Armstrong
- Joe Lust
- Rosa Barrera
- Oralia Rodriguez
- Francisco Guzman
- Lupe Hernandez
- Ann Mercer
- Hector Garcia
- Ginger Gibbs
- Milburn Conard
- Arthur Lindsey
- Naomi Moreno
- Ben Moreno
- Elida Martinez
- Ora Lee Stansell

IN CASE of fire, get all children out of the house and stay with them. Don't go back into the burning building—they might follow, warns Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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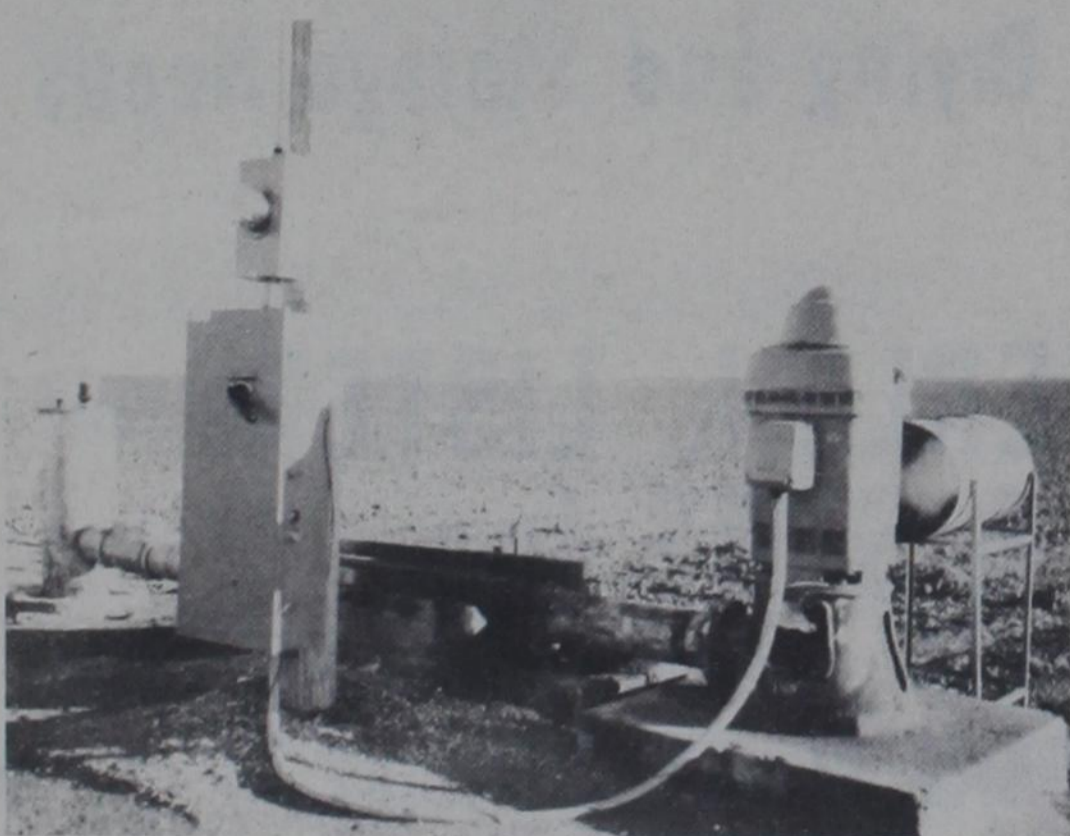
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**Sunnyside**

# Families return from Hawaii

By TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbreath and Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner returned home Thursday morning from an eight-day vacation in Hawaii sponsored by Miller Seed Company. They flew directly from Amarillo to Honolulu. They made most of the tours of the Island, visited Pearl Harbor, the agricultural areas, and ate a lot of exotic food. They spent two days on the Island of Kauai where they rented a car and toured the island and played in the ocean. They also saw the production "Don Quixote." They had a great time, but did suffer some jet lag on the flight home.

KEVIN RILEY showed the Suffolk breed champion, the reserve fine wool champion of the breed, the reserve champion in the Hampshire breed, and the showmanship award for sheep in the Springlake-Earth Junior Livestock Show Wednesday through Friday. Jodie Riley received the New Exhibitor award on sheep, and a second and third place with his sheep.

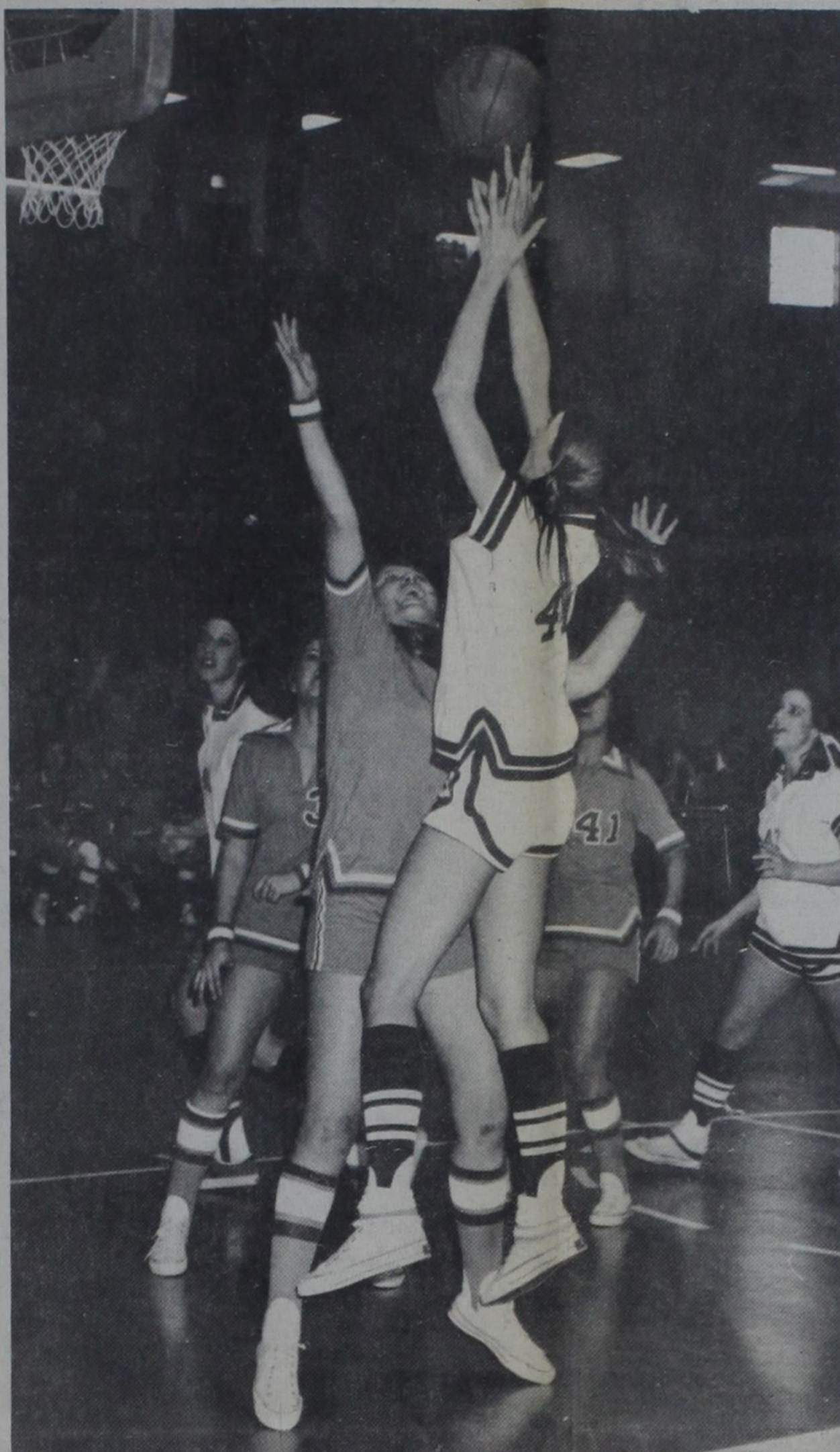
Coby Gilbreath showed the third place medium weight Hampshire pig, the fourth place Spotted Poland China pig and the 12th place medium weight lamb in the Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show Thursday through Saturday. Matt Gilbreath showed the third place medium wool heavy weight lamb and a 15th place. Hal Gilbreath showed the fifth place medium weight medium wool lamb.

Quint Waggoner showed the first place Fine Wool lamb in the Castro County show and the 11th place heavy weight medium wool Hampshire lamb.

Jerri Kay Clark showed the fifth place Southdown lamb in the Castro County show and 13th on her heavy weight medium wool lamb. This was her first show.

Charles Axtell, Gale Sadler, L. B. Bowden and Ed Dawson attended the hail suppression meeting in Earth Thursday night. Axtell is a new director.

Response to the Baptist Heritage hunt is slowly filtering in. For example, this week from an old B.Y.P.U. Secretary's Record Book for the eight point record system, I found that in 1932 there were about as many members of what we now call Training Union who were not members as were members of the church. Everyone went to the closest church rather than to their own denominations it seems. A few records in the book are dated 1930 and 1931, 1938 and 1939, but like today they are not filled out completely so don't make good history. Anyway, names I took from this book include Claudia and Bonnie Ruth Marlar, Leo and Evelyn Baggett, Pauline Cleacy and Madge Winders, Lavern and H. L. Duke, Ruth and Cybe Bearden, Verba and Ernestine Louder, Beatrice and Ruby Maude Ferguson, Mozell Marie and C. J. Armstrong, Ezell Sadler, Leonard Drake, Junior Cox, Wayne Tucker, Ola Grace Ferguson, Toby Dodson, Leslie Louder, Tommy and Ruby Marlar, Jay



ELAINE SCHULTE, Nazareth's all-state forward, rises above the outstretched arms of an Anthony guard for a two-pointer in the regional semifinals Saturday morning in the Texas Dome at South Plains College, Levelland. In background, teammates Cheryl Hartman (left) and Chelle Pohlmeier follow the shot. Schulte scored 19 points, Hartman 35 and Pohlmeier four as the Swiftettes topped the Pantherettes, 58-38, to advance to the finals. (Photo by Shelly Cross)

Winders, Ruby Nell Smith, Lillie Bell Waggoner, Glen Earl Eugene and Bonnie Redwine, Tommie Ferrell Fowlkes, Laverne Dement, Avaneil Gilmer, Earl Stagner, Weldon, Dent and Anna D. Bradley, Edward and Willis Ogletree, Raymond Randolph, Lillian Nelson, John B. and Jimmie Pope, Rockie Boyd, Erma Lee and Bryce Keeney, Lester Chism, Pat Stagner, Truman Redwine, Lena Mae Carruth, Cassie Waide and adults Mrs. Pearl Sadler, Mrs. Lannie Ruth Marlar, C. J. Fowlkes, O. B. Winkle, Joe Burns, Rev. C. C. Keeney, Mrs. Louise Winkle, Mrs. Penetha Armstrong, Mrs. L. E. Tucker, Mrs. Mae Gilmer, Mrs. Veda Baggett and Mrs. Lois Saxon. Of course these were not all enrolled at the same time. The enrollment in the junior department was 19 in 1930, 10 in 1931, 22 in 1932. In 1938 there were three classes (all ages) with a total enrollment in B.Y.P.U. of 32 and later in the year four classes with an enrollment of 54.

LLANOS ALTOS Association's Conference met with the Sunnyside church Monday night. Approximately 75 were served supper before the program. Rev. Derrel Lewis, associational stewardship chairman and pastor of the First Baptist Church of Bovina acted as moderator and led the singing. Mrs. Derrel Lewis brought the special music accompanied by Mrs. Gale Sadler who was pianist for the evening. Rev. Glen Wilson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Amherst spoke on the Stewardship of life. Rev. Mike Summers, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sudan, spoke on the stewardship of talents; and Rev. Ron Trussler, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church of Friona, spoke on the stewardship of possessions. About 20 churches were represented.

There will be no community meeting this month because of the Worker's Conference last Monday and Lions Club this Monday night. Rhoads Memorial Library has a nine-minute color film with actual sound of an actual eruption of a volcano in Hawaii in 1973. It will be well worth your trip to see it. It is on loan so don't wait too long to go see

it. Mrs. M. D. Durham of Lubbock passed away in University Hospital in Lubbock Sunday morning. Funeral services were in Resthaven Chapel in Lubbock Tuesday morning at 10 a.m. with burial in Dallas, Rev. M. D. Durham passed away Dec. 28, also on Sunday morning.

ROBERT SANDERS of Lubbock, brother of Mrs. Furch Riley, died suddenly of an apparent heart attack last Friday. Mrs. Ila Haydon visited with his family last Sunday and also with the Furch Riley family. Funeral services were in Lubbock Monday morning.

Mrs. Carl Bradley and her mother Mrs. Jess Matlock of Springlake attended the funeral services of a cousin Ronny Goss in Tulia Saturday. Ronny was killed in an auto accident early Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer finished their dialysis training in Lubbock this week. Both passed their tests with very good grades and he will go on the home unit in two weeks.

Mrs. Cliff Brown and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Castro County Genealogical meeting in Rhoads Memorial Library in Dimmitt Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke attended the Dimmitt-Abernathy game in Plainview Monday night.

Carl Bradley and Mrs. Gale Sadler attended the Washington's Birthday observance at the Masonic Lodge in Dimmitt to sing with "The '66ers" in their first Bicentennial performance. Mr. Bradley also attended the practice session Monday night.

Mrs. Roy Phelan taught the first part of the Home Mission study book "Tomorrow Starts Today" to the church Wednesday night.

DR. DAN KENT, new Bible professor at Wayland, filled the pulpit Sunday while the pastor and his wife vacationed with

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Each den will provide decorations for its table, under directions of the Den Mothers who are in charge of banquet arrangements.

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his parents on the Gulf Coast. His daughter Leslie accompanied him. They were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson of Ropesville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Danean and attended the Sunday morning services with them. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Epperson and Mrs. Jim Collins and children of Ropesville and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Epperson and children of Midland had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and their guests. They all visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson and new baby Samantha Sunday afternoon.

Samantha Wilson attended her first church service Sunday morning but slept through it. She and her mother were dismissed from the Littlefield Hospital Monday.

Jodie Riley participated with the Springlake-Earth third grade class in the presentation of a patriotic program Tuesday.

Jerri Kay Clark stayed with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark while her parents vacationed in Hawaii. She spent last weekend in Dimmitt with Jane Butler.

Bob Duke was home from Texas Tech Saturday and Sunday.

KAY MORRISON of Hereford visited Thursday and spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Jodie.

Quint Waggoner and the Aggies with his dad Winston Waggoner as coach won over the Owls Friday night 15-20.

Mrs. Charles Axtell was honored with a birthday dinner last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell in Earth. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson and Clint and Mr. Charles Axtell, Paul and Harley were also present.

Kim Haydon and the Springlake-Earth eighth graders won second place in the junior high tournament at Springlake-Earth last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson left Thursday to spend the weekend with his mother and other relatives at Blanket.

Jolee Stanford of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley and boys.

MRS. GERALD Graham and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley helped prepare the show barn at Springlake-Earth Tuesday for the stock show. They and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Mrs. Roger Owens and Mrs. Jerry Hampton helped with the concession stand and furnished food for the show.

Mrs. John Gilbreath and Mrs. Jackie Clark helped at the concession stand for the stock show in Dimmitt Saturday.

L. B. Bowden visited in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Friday morning with Noble Armstrong and his visitors. Roy Phelan visited with him earlier in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn and Gale Jones spent the day Sunday in Lubbock with relatives. They had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown and visited also with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Woodward and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Copeland and Jennifer.

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CHELLE POHLMEIER adds a basket for Nazareth in the regional championship game Saturday night, despite the efforts of Klondike guards Tracy Airhart [42] and Teri Airhart [34]. Pohlmeier scored eight points as the Swiftettes topped the defending regional champion Cougars, 47-43, in a hard-fought contest that vaulted Nazareth into the girls' state basketball tournament this weekend in Austin. (Photo by Shelly Cross)

## Retail sales manager named by Goodpasture

Jack Villines has been named retail sales manager for Western Ammonia, a division of Goodpasture, Inc., it has been announced by Ray Phillips, wholesale sales representative for Goodpasture Inc.

VILLINES is working out of the Dimmitt retail sales office, covering the Dimmitt area. He is familiar with the local plant and area, having helped with the recent plant expansion project here.

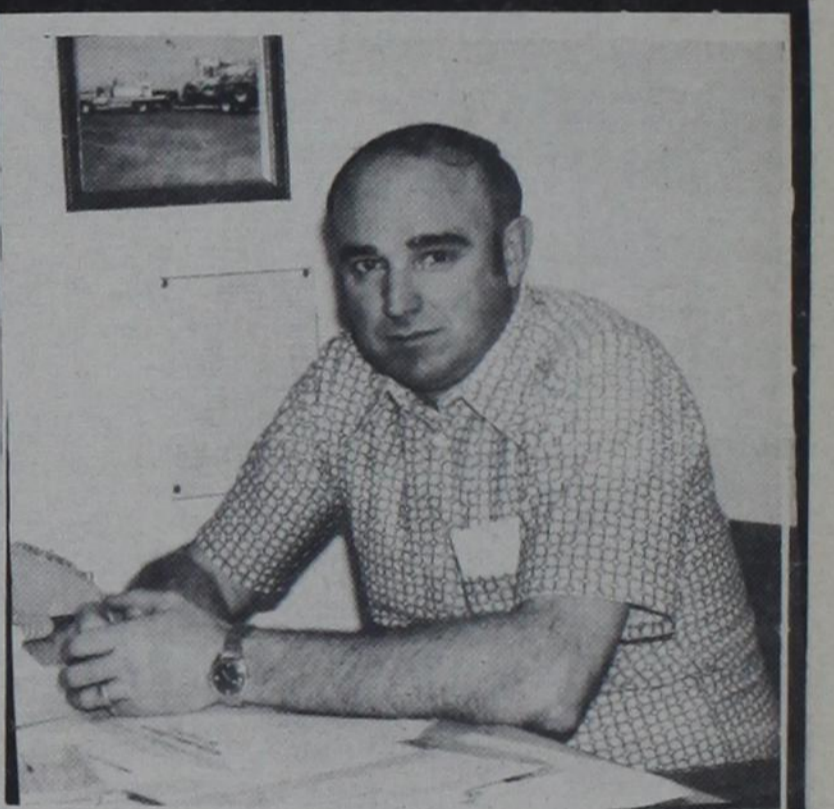
He formerly has represented Goodpasture at Guymon the past four and a half years and in East Texas one year. He has been in chemical sales more

than 10 years and was in the elevator business five years. From the Dimmitt office he will manage sales of all Goodpasture liquid fertilizers, anhydrous ammonia and farm chemicals.

Villines, 38, was raised in Central Oklahoma, graduated from Byers High School and received his BS degree in agronomy from Panhandle A&M at Goodwell, Okla.

His wife, Wanda, is a native of Pampa and is in the real estate business. She and their two children, Carrie, 14, and Jack Samuel, 7, will move to Dimmitt at the end of the school year.

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CHERYL HARTMAN sinks two points for Nazareth in the Swiftettes' regional tournament game against Garden City in the quarterfinals Friday. Hartman contributed 18 points as the Swiftettes won the first-round game, 55-47. The Nazareth girls went on to defeat Anthony in the semifinals and Klondike in the title game to capture NHS's first regional basketball championship. (Photo by Shelly Cross)

PLANT population or density often has a big effect on how vegetables react to nitrogen fertilizer, according to a study by a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientist. For instance, nitrogen boosted broccoli yields but caused hollow stems, an undesirable quality factor. However, fewer hollow stems occurred at high plant populations. Nitrogen also increased tomato yields when plant numbers were high but decreased yields with low plant populations.

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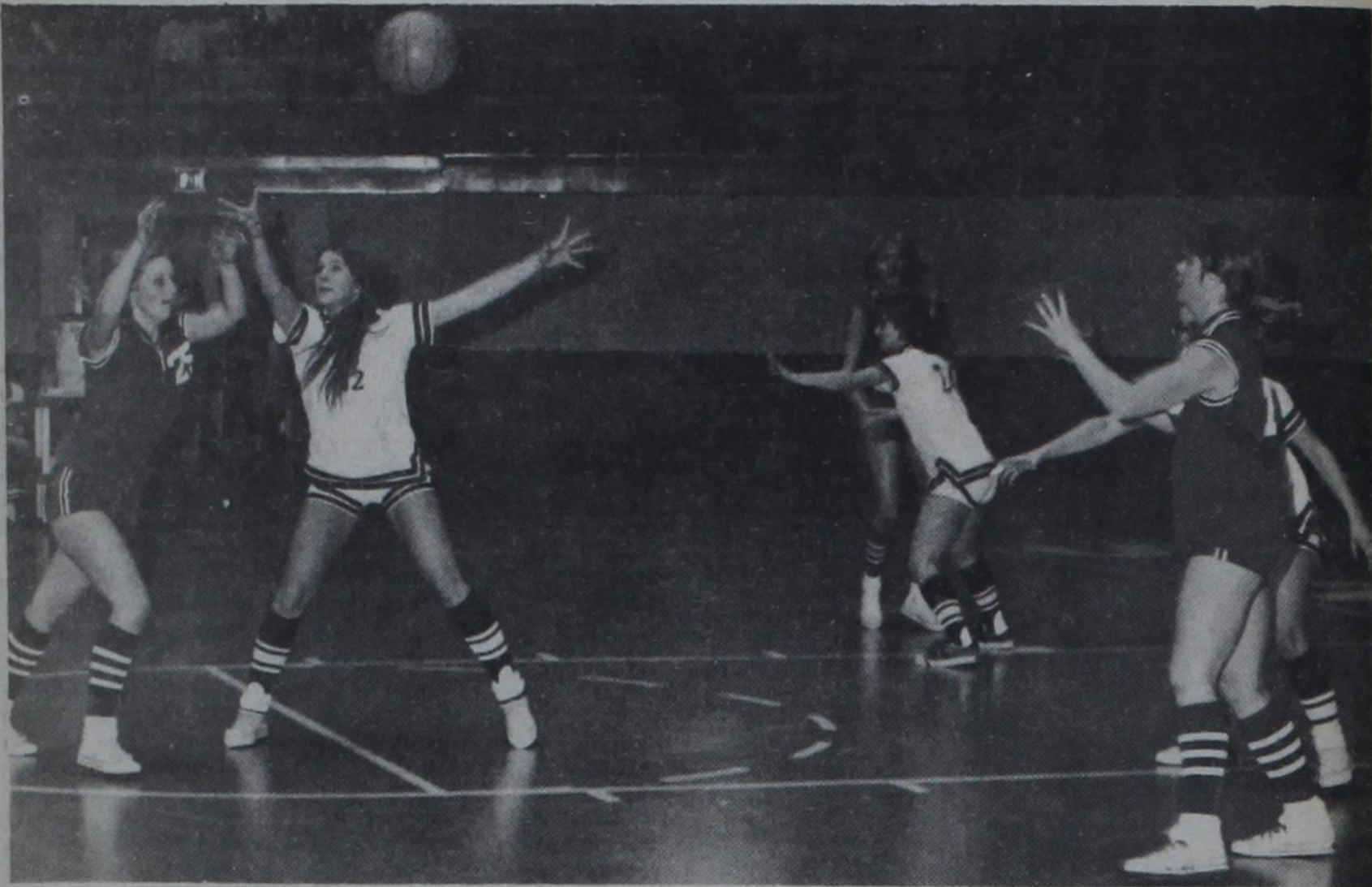
## BOBCAT DRIVE IN MENU

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Sausage	2.15	3.25	4.35
Pepperoni	2.15	3.25	4.35
Mushroom	2.15	3.25	4.35
Jalapino	2.15	3.25	4.35
Black Olives	2.15	3.25	4.35
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**NAZARETH'S GUARDS** set up a tight defense in an attempt to keep Garden City's talented forwards away from the basket in the first-round game of the regional tournament in Levelland Friday night. At left, the Swiftettes' Rosie Schulte attempts to deflect the pass of Garden City playmaker Denise Jansa. The

Swiftettes defeated the surprisingly strong Bearkats, 55-47, to advance to the semifinals against Anthony. Saturday night the Swiftettes won it all—the first regional basketball championship in Nazareth High School's history. (Photo by Shelly Cross)

## Committee's meeting set

The Castro County Program Building Committee will meet at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) in the assembly room of the courthouse, County Extension Agents Irene Keating and Charles Hotel have announced.

Subcommittees will report their plans for the coming year, and will review the past year's work.

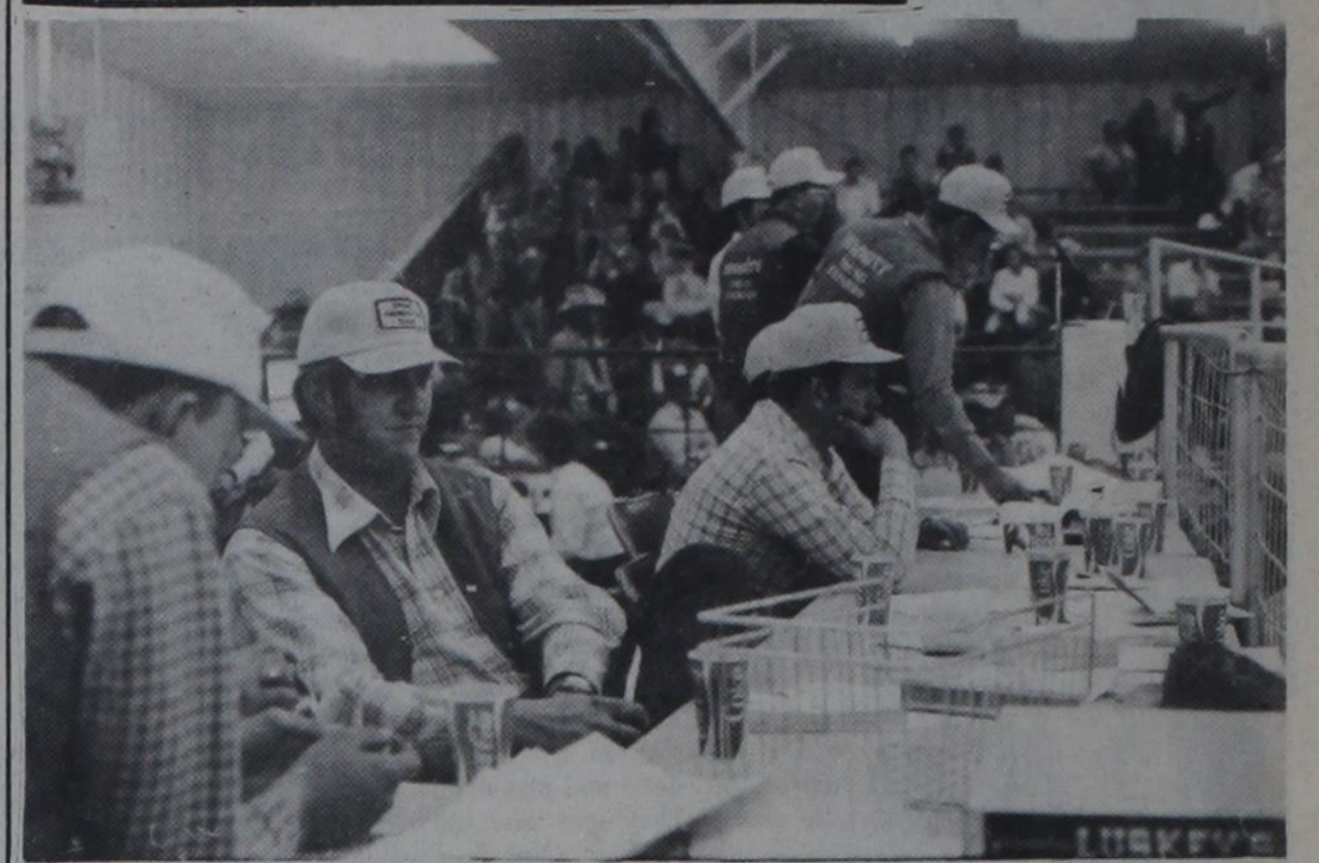
Planning will also begin on the long-range county program, which is to be revised early in 1977.

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 ance went into effect Feb. 13, the media could also use an increase in that percentage range to be used for investment purposes, or maybe a trip to Hawaii. The insurance companies are asking for another hike in rates to take effect by July 1. I can't believe our proposed Advertising Commission would have that much brass.

Everyone in Castro County will be pulling for the Nazareth Swiftettes as they compete in the girls state basketball tournament. The first game action can be heard live on TV channel 8, today at 8:30 a.m. KDHN will be broadcasting the game live.

## Backstage at the sale



**YOUNG FARMERS RECORD THE BIDS**  
 ... Sale went at a \$24,000-an-hour clip



**WIVES TOTAL BILLS ON PREMIUMS**  
 ... It required a lot of adding-machine paper

## More about

# Here are the Stock Show winners

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 was a black crossbreed. The Nazareth Buyers Club paid \$1 per pound for the Reserve Champion.

**THE GRAND** and Reserve Champion steers placed 1-2 in the Heavy Cross class, then went through the ranks to beat out the breed champs of all other classes.

Lana Tucker of the Hart FFA exhibited the Grand Champion barrow, a 245-lb. crossbreed. It brought \$6 per pound from Hart Oil Co. and Hart Aerial Sprayers for a total of \$1,470.

**TERRY HILL** made it a clean sweep for the Hart FFA in the barrow division when his 245-lb. Chester White earned the Reserve Champion banner. The barrow brought \$5.75 per pound from Hart Oil Co. and Hart Aerial Sprayers for a total of \$1,408.75.

Dimmitt FFA students swept top honors in the lamb division with Kimmie Hollums showing the Grand Champion and Larry Robb exhibiting the Reserve Champion.

Robb's lamb, a 112-lb. medium wool heavyweight, brought \$3 per pound from Estacado Industries' Lamb Feeding Division for a total of \$336.

**MISS HOLLUMS'** Grand Champion, a 97-lb. medium wool lightweight, brought \$3.75 per pound from George Sides for a total of \$363.75.

Then at the end of the sale, Sides took Miss Hollums' lamb "off the floor"—paying his full bid including floor price—and donated it to the Dimmitt FFA Chapter for re-auction. Two teams of buyers competed in the bidding, and on its second trip through the ring Miss Hollums' lamb brought a record \$25 per pound, netting the FFA chapter \$2,522.

Jack Howell, who has been donating his auctioneering services to the Junior Fat Stock Sale for 21 years, said the \$25 per pound was "by far" the highest bid he'd ever received for an animal.

Also donated back for resale were Cinde Sides' 105-lb. reserve breed champion lamb and a 250-lb. barrow exhibited by Thomas McGuire.

**MISS SIDES'** lamb was donated to the County 4-H Council by its original buyer, and the second time through the ring it sold for \$675. McGuire's barrow was donated to the Dimmitt Young Farmers—who conduct the annual stock show—and netted \$911.44 the second time through to help the Young Farmers with their expenses.

One bidder even bought a dead barrow. Ronnie Huseman's 248-pounder qualified for the sale and was due to be entered at Houston, but died Friday night. With the youth standing alone in the sale ring, the auctioneers got him \$2 per pound for his animal.

**HERE'S THE** list of winners in the annual Junior Fat Stock Show:

- Calves**  
**HEREFORD**  
 Light Weight: 1. Mark Welch; 2. David Anderson; 3. Randy Smithson; 4. Kelly Hill.  
 Heavy Weight: 1. Steve Anthony; 2. Rodney Hunter; 3. Scott Bagley; 4. Dwayne Acker.  
 Breed Champion: Steve Anthony.  
 Reserve Breed Champion: Mark Welch.  
**ANGUS**  
 Breed Champion: Mike An-

thony.  
 Reserve Breed Champion: Steve Anthony.  
 3. Gaines Howell; 4. Mark Summers.

**CROSSES & OTHER BREEDS**  
 Light Weight: 1. Jackie Anthony; 2. Greg Odom; 3. Scott Bagwell; 4. Kelly Nelson.

Medium Weight: 1. Susie Cluck; 2. Mike Anthony; 3. Carol Bagwell; 4. Rodney Hunter.

Heavy Weight: 1. Mark Welch; 2. Leona Kleman; 3. Jackie Anthony; 4. Leona Kleman.  
 Breed Champion: Mark Welch.

Reserve Breed Champion: Leona Kleman.

**GRAND CHAMPION:** Mark Welch, 1,198-lb. black crossbreed.

**RESERVE CHAMPION:** Leona Kleman, 1,193-lb. black crossbreed.

## Swine

**BERKSHIRE**  
 Breed Champion: Gary Jackson.

Reserve Breed Champion: George Hochstein.  
 3. Randy Heck.

**CHESTER**  
 Light: 1. Dean Hill; 2. Brad Hill; 3. Val Steffens; 4. Lynna McGuire.

Medium: 1. Floyd Birkenfeld; 2. Tammy Hill; 3. Tommy Kenworthy; 4. Gaines Howell.

Heavy: 1. Terry Hill; 2. Johnny Merritt; 3. Kent Hill; 4. Thompson Mayberry.  
 Breed Champion: Terry Hill.  
 Reserve Breed Champion: Johnny Merritt.

**DUROC**  
 Light: 1. Vic Hart; 2. Richard Steffens; 3. Thomas McGuire; 4. Bryan Irons.

Medium: 1. Wendy Bruegel; 2. Glen Black; 3. Mark Bennett; 4. Johnny Newsom.

Heavy: 1. Lana Tucker; 2. Kelly Jones; 3. Bryan Irons; 4. Matt Howell.  
 Breed Champion: Lana Tucker.

Reserve Breed Champion: Kelly Jones.

**HAMPSHIRE**  
 Light: 1. Tommy Kenworthy; 2. Alan Acker; 3. Gary Nutt; 4. Daniel Melvin Acker.

Medium: 1. Larry Robb; 2. Randy Smithson; 3. Coby Gilbreath; 4. Julie Hrabal.

Heavy: 1. Sheryl Schulte; 2. Gary Jackson; 3. Glen Black; 4. Dwayne Kleman.  
 Breed Champion: Sheryl Schulte.

Reserve Breed Champion: Gary Jackson.

## Two charged in burglary

Two Dimmitt men were arrested by police officers last Wednesday and charged with burglarizing the Bill Williams residence, 606 Oak St.  
**BOND WAS** set at \$2,500 each for Frank Ethington, 18, and Wesley Lee Comer, 22. Ethington posted bond and was released the same day. Comer was still in the county jail as of Tuesday afternoon.

Police said that Williams reported his home was burglarized of a Sony television set, ring, .38 pistol and movie camera, with a total value of \$1,377. They said all the merchandise except the camera has been recovered.

**POLAND**  
 Light: 1. Harold Acker; 2. Scott Armstrong; 3. Mark Huseman; 4. Alex Hochstein.

Medium: 1. Karen Huseman; 2. Janet Huseman; 3. Randy Huseman; 4. David Huseman.

Heavy: 1. Roger Huseman; 2. Randy Huseman; 3. Karen Huseman; 4. Paul Huseman.  
 Breed Champion: Roger Huseman.

Reserve Breed Champion: Karen Huseman.

**YORKSHIRE**  
 Light: 1. Dennis Thompson; 2. Val Steffens; 3. Matt Howell; 4. Joe Hochstein.

Heavy: 1. Sheryl Schulte; 2. Terry Hill; 3. Larry Robb; 4. Mike Odom.

Breed Champion: Sheryl Schulte.  
 Reserve Breed Champion: Terry Hill.

**CROSS**  
 Light: 1. Brad Hill; 2. Victor Steffens; 3. Robert Birkenfeld; 4. Tim Fellw.

Medium: 1. Lisa Nelson; 2. Floyd Birkenfeld; 3. Tammy Hill; 4. Marlin Marble.

Heavy: 1. Lana Tucker; 2. Ricky Rowland; 3. Larry Marble; 4. Barry George.  
 Breed Champion: Lana Tucker.

Reserve Breed Champion: Lisa Nelson.

**SPOTTED POLAND CHINA**  
 Breed Champion: Jesse Flores.

Reserve Breed Champion: Reent Upshaw.

3. Greg Clark; 4. Coby Gilbreath.

**GRAND CHAMPION:** Lana Tucker, 245-lb. cross.  
**RESERVE CHAMPION:** Terry Hill, 245-lb. Chester.

**Lambs**  
**FINE WOOL**

Heavy: 1. Quint Waggoner; 2. Shelly Kim Watts; 3. Todd Touchstone; 4. Tobin Touchstone.

Medium: 1. Laurey Franks; 2. Jeff Durbin; 3. Laurey Franks; 4. Jeffrey Watts.

Light: 1. Ricky Bagwell; 2. Kyle Bagwell; 3. Jeff Durbin; 4. Lori Barnes.  
 Breed Champion: Laurey Franks.

Reserve Breed Champion: Ricky Bagwell.

**CROSS FINE WOOL**  
 Light: 1. Carol Bagwell; 2. Lori Barnes; 3. Paul Parsons; 4. Adrian Stanton.

Medium: 1. Norman Acker; 2. Lester Aven; 3. Brad Barnes; 4. Randy Popejoy.

Heavy: 1. Clyde Birkenfeld; 2. Jeffrey Watts; 3. Cinde Sides; 4. Tommy Kenworthy.  
 Breed Champion: Norman Acker.

Reserve Breed Champion: Clyde Birkenfeld.

**MEDIUM WOOL**  
 Light: 1. Kimmie Hollums; 2. Clay Barnes; 3. Carol Bagwell; 4. Randy Smithson.

Medium: 1. Scott Armstrong; 2. Marlan Hart; 3. Marlan Hart; 4. Randy Smithson.

Heavy: 1. Larry Robb; 2. Kenny Brockman; 3. Matt Gilbreath; 4. Darrell Huseman.  
 Breed Champion: Kimmie Hollums.

Reserve Breed Champion: Larry Robb.

**SOUTHDOWN**  
 Breed Champion: Tamie Gilcrease.  
 Reserve Breed Champion: Dana McLain.  
 3. Adrian Stanton; 4. Jan Robb.

**OTHER BREEDS & CROSSES**  
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 Reserve Breed Champion: Cinde Sides. 3. Kimmie Hol-

lums; 4. Tobin Touchstone.

**GRAND CHAMPION:** Kimmie Hollums, 97-lb. medium wool lightweight.

**RESERVE CHAMPION:** Larry Robb, 112-lb. medium wool heavyweight.

## More about Nazareth, Neches

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NHS girls' coach after her college graduation, she inherited a squad of talented players who had advanced to the regional finals last year, and has developed them into one of the top four Class B teams in Texas. She'll undoubtedly be the youngest coach in the state tournament.

At a pep rally Tuesday afternoon, Miss Wilson was presented a big silver "Key to Austin" by Supt. Joe King, and in turn presented the district and regional championship trophies to the school.

"The girls have really worked hard—they've sacrificed to get where they are," she told the NHS student body.

To reach the state tournament, the Swiftettes had to defeat the defending regional champions, the Klondike Cougars of District 8-B, in the regional title game at Levelland Saturday night.

But it was a Klondike team that was believed to be stronger than last year's Cougars, who lost by a point to Neches in the 1975 state tournament.

The Swiftettes—who breezed through their district schedule and topped Three Way by a lopsided 71-43 score in the bi-district game—expected a tough time against Klondike in the regional tourney. But they didn't expect the baptism-by-fire that they underwent against Garden City in the first-round game of the Region I-B playoffs.

"We weren't expecting Garden City to be as tough as they were," Coach Wilson said. "They really gave us a game."

After downing Garden City and Anthony, the Swiftettes gained revenge for last year's loss to Klondike by downing the defending regional champions in a hard-fought contest.

"I was proud of the way our kids came through in the clutch," Coach Wilson commented. "It showed how hard they've worked this year. They had to overcome a lot of turnovers and come back, and they did it."

Starters who are carrying Nazareth's blue-and-gold colors into the state tournament are 5-10 senior forward Elaine Schulte [a consensus all-stater last year], 5-10 sophomore forward Cheryl Hartman, 5-5 junior forward Chelle Pohlmeier, 5-7 junior guard Rosie Schulte, 5-4 senior guard Vera Birkenfeld, and 5-4 junior guard Cindy Schacher.

Coach Wilson can also call on seven other players who have seen a lot of action this year—guard-forward Beverly Heck, forwards Karen Schulte, Glenda Gerber and Lynora Braddock, and guards Colleen Gerber, Carol Hochstein and Germaine Pohlmeier.

Schulte and Hartman have been the Swiftettes' "scoring twins" this year, with either of the 5-10 forwards capable of 30 points or more. Pohlmeier sets up the plays from out front and is a dangerous shooter also.

Defense is a long suit for the Swiftettes, who play it well on both ends of the court. They led off one of their playoff games by chalking up eight points before the other team's forwards ever got their hands on the ball.

Nazareth's guards aren't tall, but they're quick, well-disciplined and play a fast game while holding their fouls to a minimum.

With only two senior starters, the Swiftettes are invading Austin with high hopes not just for this year but for future years as well.

"Hopefully, we're going to build a tradition," Coach Wilson said at Tuesday's pep rally. "This isn't going to be the last time we go to state."

## FFA Week underway

The 70 members of Dimmitt High School's Future Farmers of America Chapter are joining this week in a national observance of FFA Week, stressing the slogan, "A Future for America."

The FFA is the national organization of, by, and for students enrolled in vocational agriculture under provisions of the National Vocational Education Act. It has more than 485,000 active members in 7838 chapters in the nation's schools.

Mark Welch is president of the DHS chapter, which has Larry Gray and Ed Standlee, vocational ag teachers, as its advisors.

Other officers are Steve Anthony, vice president; Greg Sides, secretary; Ricky Bagwell, treasurer; Matt Howell, reporter; and Scott Armstrong, sentinel.

Its members, students from 14 to 21 years of age, work for improved agriculture, better local communities, a more satisfying home life and responsible citizenship.

National FFA headquarters is located on land once farmed by George Washington. It houses the national staff which is responsible for program planning, also the Future Farmer Magazine and supply services.

## More about

### Victory over

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 achieve a meager one-point lead at the half, 31-30. Then they came out in the third quarter and outscored Garden City 14-6 on field goals.

IN THE final stanza, the Bearkats allowed the Swiftettes only three field goals but gave them seven chances at the charity line and saw them connect for four of the seven. The Bearkats managed to outscore Nazareth, 11-10, in the fourth quarter—but it wasn't enough.

Shooting 77 percent from the field, the Swiftettes had their scoring threat held down by 31 turnovers. Schulte led the scoring with 31 while Cheryl Hartman scored 18. Denise Jansen paced the Bearkats with 23.

THE SWIFTETTES dominated play in the semifinals with the 20-point victory over Anthony behind Hartman's 35-point scoring spree and Rosie Schulte's rebounding. Elaine Schulte added 19 more points.

Nazareth tallied on 65 percent of its field shots and 88 percent from the charity line as the guards pulled in 21 defensive rebounds. Eva Munoz scored 26 for Anthony.

Turnovers plagued the Swiftettes throughout the regional

## Bobcat trio given all-district spots

Three Dimmitt High School basketball players have been named to the all-district boys' team.

THEY ARE Jim Birdwell, 6-1 senior forward who was all-state last year; Danny Vaughan, 6-5 senior post forward; and Jerry Schaeffer, 6-1 junior guard.

Bobcat guard Johnny Hampton and forward Keith Crum, both juniors, received honorable mentions in the all-district selections.

Coaches did not announce an all-district first and second team this year. Instead they

picked 10 players on a point system.

MORTON'S District 3-AA champion Indians placed four on the all-district lineup. They are Mike Williams, 6-3 senior post forward; Kenneth Standmire, 5-11 senior guard; Troy Patton, 6-1 junior forward, and Loyd Joyce, 6-0 junior forward.

Selected from Friona were Mark Neill, 6-3 junior post forward, and David Barnett, 6-1 senior forward.

Lonnie Twitty of Littlefield, 5-7 senior guard, rounded out the 10-man all-district squad.

## Schools inviting public to visit

Pupils, teachers and school administrators in Dimmitt are inviting everybody in the school district to visit them next week during the annual observance of Texas Public Schools Week, March 1-5.

**OPEN HOUSE** will be held at



**OUT OF TOWN**

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Reese are the parents of a daughter born Feb. 19 in Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford. She weighed 7-pounds, 1-ounce, and has been named Kay Lynn. Kay Lynn has an older brother Casey, who is 2½ years old.

**Fire calls**

A fire at the dump grounds near the Dimmitt Airport at noon last Thursday was the second in that area this month.

At 1:50 a.m. Sunday Dimmitt firemen answered a call to the housing project east of the city, where a minor blaze was quickly extinguished.

A trash fire at 727 Pine at 2 p.m. Sunday resulted in no damage.

tournament with a total of 68, but the scoring of Schulte and Hartman helped to pull them through while the guards remained steady and stayed out of foul trouble.

Panhandle teams dominated the tournament and will represent the region in all four classes at the state tourney—Nazareth in Class B, Stratford in Class A, Phillips in AA and Canyon in AAA.

all the schools, parents are being urged to have lunch with their children in school cafeterias at 12:30 p.m. any day of the week, and invitations have been sent to service clubs of the community to hold their weekly lunches at school.

A special invitation has been sent to the Dimmitt Masonic Lodge, Supt. Charlie White said, since it was the efforts of Freemasonry in Texas which originated Texas Public Schools Week in 1950.

Masons continue to sponsor the week, which is traditionally proclaimed by the governor for the first full week in March.

**OPEN HOUSE** will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Dimmitt High School and Richardson Elementary School, and during the same hours next Thursday in Dimmitt Middle School.

DHS Principal D. W. Harkins emphasized that open house is not limited to parents of the students. Everyone in the community is invited to visit classrooms and departments Tuesday night, he said.

The other principals, Emmett Broderson of the Middle School and Elmer Berryhill of Richardson Elementary, echoed that invitation, announcing that the schoolrooms will be open, and teachers will be in the rooms to meet visitors and answer their questions.

**WORK** of the pupils will be on display throughout the week in all Dimmitt Public Schools.

"Public Schools Week originated so community residents might have the opportunity to see firsthand how their local school system operates," White said.

"We encourage useful evaluation and criticism, for we believe this will help secure civic and community support for better schools," White added.