

Guess who's playing at lunchtime today?

Guess what day and time they picked for Dimmitt's Bobbies and Nazareth's Swiftettes to play each other in the Queens Classic Tournament in Plainview?

Would you believe 12 o'clock high on Thanksgiving Day?

As a result of this scheduling, there'll be a lot of Castro County parents and fans eating a late Thanksgiving dinner today, or going out to the nearest diner for a turkey tray.

The Nazareth-Dimmitt match will be the third game of the big Queens Classic, following a high-school game at 8:30 and a college match at 10.

The Dimmitt-Nazareth pairing is likely to provide an exciting match. Coach Joe Lombard's Swiftettes are the defending Class B state champions, and have two starters back. Coach Jimmy

Hoyle's Bobbies have three starters back from the team that advanced to the Region I-AA finals last year.

Starting for the Swiftettes will be all-stater Doretta Ramaekers, Sharon Gerber, Michelle Acker, Roxanne Birkenfeld and Dianne Hochstein.

Dimmitt's starters will be Lori Dyer and Lynna McGuire at post forward, Vicki Cleveland and Janice Johnson at the guard posts, and Becky Andrews at roving forward.

The Swiftettes will be the home team in today's game, and will occupy the east bench in the Wayland College Sports Center. The Bobbies will wear their dark uniforms and work from the west bench.

Of the eight teams in the high school division, all can be considered powerhouses, and four are defending state champions.

Other first-round games today will feature Slaton (defending Class AA champ) vs. Lockney or Granbury at 8:30 a.m., Dallas South Oak Cliff (Class AAAA champion last year) vs. Dumas at 4 p.m., and Plainview (Class AAAA semi-finalist) vs. Hale Center (defending Class A champion) at 7:30.

The winner of today's Dimmitt-Nazareth game will meet the Plainview-Hale Center winner at 7:30 p.m. Friday. The losers of these two games will meet in the consolation bracket at 12 noon Friday.

Second-round winners in the championship bracket will meet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday for the high-school championship. Second-round losers in this bracket will play for third place at 4 p.m. Saturday.

In the consolation bracket, second-round losers will play at 8:30 a.m. for seventh and eighth place, while the second-round winners will meet in the consolation championship game at 12 noon Saturday.

Greeting operation is started

Operation Christmas Greeting has been launched again by Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary in an annual campaign to spread holiday cheer in the community and at the same time add to a fund for buying needed equipment for Plains Memorial Hospital.

For the first time, a table will be set up during the Auxiliary's Holiday Bazaar Dec. 7 to receive contributions for the greeting operation. Contributions may also be made at the First State Bank as well as to any Auxiliary member or at the hospital.

Most Dimmitt residents are familiar with the plan for conveying Christmas greetings to others in the community, by making a contribution.

Families or individuals are asked to give the amount they would spend for greeting cards and postage if they sent cards to local friends by mail. In turn, their names will be listed on a greeting published in The Castro County News Christmas edition, on a full page in color.

The deadline for listing names for this edition will be Dec. 14.

Weather

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	57	25
Friday	61	27
Saturday	66	27
Sunday	67	33
Monday	68	32
Tuesday	68	32
November Moisture	0.35	
1979 Moisture	18.81	

Pheasants abundant

A Castro County survey recorded a 320 percent increase in the number of pheasants over 1978, according to wildlife biologist David Dvorak of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Recent surveys completed by the TP&WD indicate a record 52 percent increase in overall pheasant population in the Texas Panhandle.

This is reportedly the largest increase in the pheasant population since Dvorak has

been taking census surveys in the Panhandle.

The highest count of pheasants was reported in Deaf Smith County, where over 10 birds per mile were recorded.

Pheasant hunters should have no trouble in finding birds when the season opens Dec. 8, Dvorak said. Pheasant season will continue until Jan. 6, 1980.

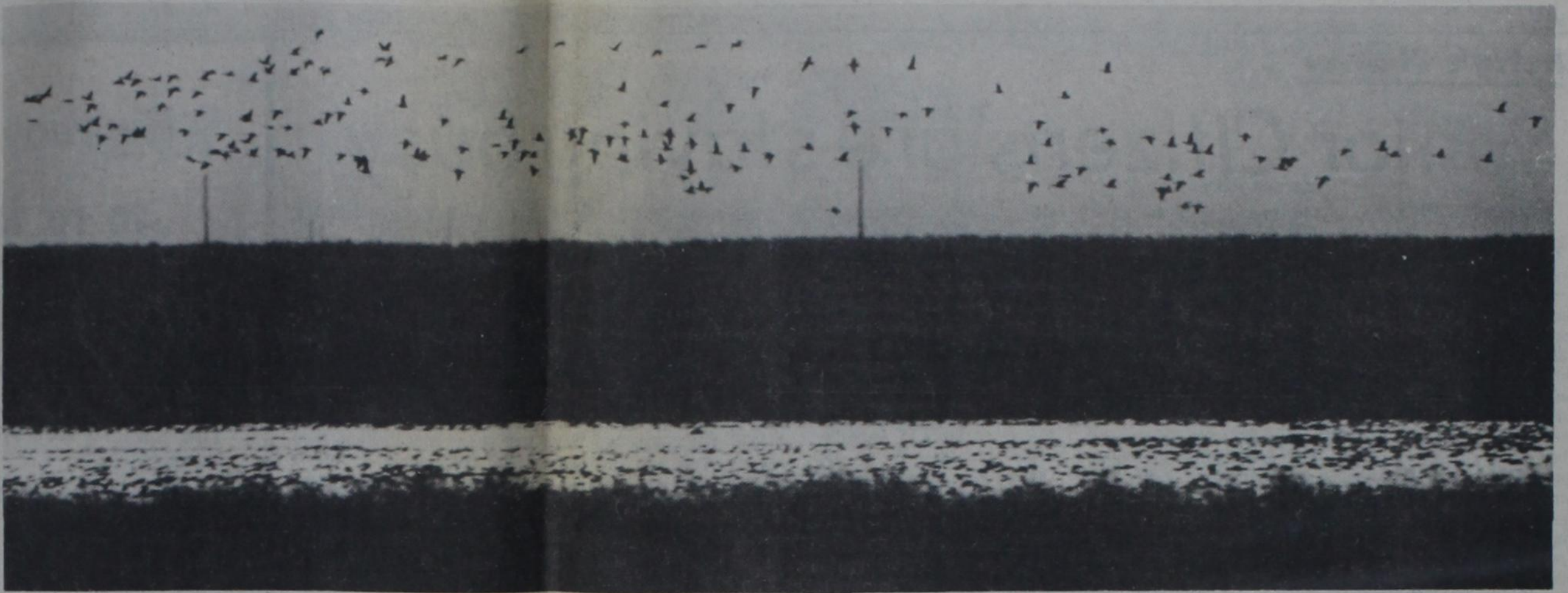
There is a daily bag limit of two cocks and a possession limit of four birds per hunter.

furnishing the venison, D. H. Shottenkirk is providing the elk meat, and members of the church are furnishing the rest of the meats, vegetables, salads and desserts.

All of the Indians are from Tinian, N.M., on the Navajo Reservation about 80 miles northwest of Albuquerque.

"People from our church have gone to Tinian for the past two years to teach Bible school and hold revival services," Rev. Travis said. "We also put a fence up for them year before last."

The church helps Tinian



Thanksgiving, 1979 ... Lesser Canada geese, harbingers of the season, circling lake at dusk

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OUR MAN IN CHAVANOD

Take a 17-year-old boy out of the Texas Panhandle and drop him into the French Alps for a year of school, and what happens? David Nelson, Dimmitt's American Field Service exchange student in France, shares his experiences in coping. Page 1-B.

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City accepts contract revisions



JIM HIGHTOWER, former editor of the Texas Observer, uses two popular breakfast cereals at the Castro County Farmers Union convention Saturday night to illustrate the food-processing industry's control over prices and profits in food. "What Total is, is Wheaties with vitamins sprayed on it," he

said. "But while the Wheaties sold for 69 cents the last time I looked, the same size box of Total sold for 99 cents. And the farmer gets less than four cents out of either box." In background are County FU President and Mrs. Doug Higgins.

Candidate says

'Farmers, consumers must challenge conglomerates'

A candidate for the Texas Railroad Commission told Farmers Union members Saturday night that farmers and consumers need to seek "political solutions" if they're to cope in the marketplace with "the incredible concentration of power" now held by multinational food-processing firms.

Jim Hightower, a "consumer's advocate" candidate for the Railroad Commission post now held by Jim Nugent, was the main speaker at the annual convention of the Castro County Farmers Union in the Nazareth American Legion Hall.

More than 100 FU members and guests heard the former editor of the Texas Observer speak on "Power, Politics and Public Policy," which he said "are really the same thing."

In a witty speech filled with figures which he reeled off from memory, Hightower said America's political system must address a "fundamental change in our economic system"—the growth of conglomerates, especially in the food industry.

"There are 32,000 food manufacturers and processors, but just 50 of these control 90% of the profits of the food industry," Hightower said. "These companies call themselves food-pro-

cessing conglomerates, and two of them aren't even American corporations—one is a British-Dutch corporation and the other is Swiss.

"This is not just a simple change in ownership," he said. "It's a fundamental change in our economic system. These are monopolies using their money to build empires on the blood, sweat, inventiveness, genius and enterprise of others. These monopolies haven't built a better mousetrap, or come up with a better product. They've simply taken over smaller companies."

He said the conglomerates [See CANDIDATE, Page 9]

Dimmitt's expanded board of aldermen held its first regular meeting Monday since the Nov. 6 election and heard a report from City Attorney Jack Edwards on negotiations on a new city-county dispatcher and jail contract.

According to a letter from County Attorney Jimmy Davis, the county does not object to the contract as proposed by the city, but wishes to add a few provisions.

Under the proposed contract, the county would provide radio dispatching service for the city from 5 p.m. until 8 a.m., instead of midnight to 8 a.m. as under the present contract, and the city would pay the salary of one night dispatcher. The city would continue to lodge city Class C misdemeanor prisoners in the county jail, but prisoners would be booked and locked up by a deputy sheriff, in compliance with new regulations by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards.

The county, Davis said, wants the contract to clearly spell out that responsibility for a prisoner passes to the sheriff's department as soon as the prisoner is booked in the county jail, and this responsibility remains until the case is disposed of.

For this reason, the county asks that the sheriff or a deputy accompany any prisoner to arraignment at the city hall. To minimize the time required for this duty, the county asks that the city judge arrange for all arraignments to be conducted at the same time during each working day.

Aldermen saw no objection to these additions and directed Edwards to meet with the county judge, county attorney, sheriff, city judge, mayor and chief of police to draw up an amended new contract, which, if approved by the city and county, would take effect Jan. 1.

Following annexation Nov. 5 of the "first" lot of what may become a new residential area—a lot belonging to Doug Proffitt at the northwest corner of Fifth and Halsell Streets—aldermen discussed the cost to the city of providing sewer and water service to

the area. According to City Manager Garnett Holland, McMorries & Associates, city engineers, have estimated that it will cost \$13,600 to provide sewer and water service to this area, which ultimately could serve 40 lots. At present, the city is charging \$30 per residence for

FU elects directors, delegates

Castro County Farmers Union members elected 16 county directors and five delegates to the forthcoming state convention at their annual meeting Saturday night.

Approximately 100 Farmers Union members and guests attended the county convention in the Nazareth American Legion Hall. They ate a dinner featuring Joe Drerup barbecue, heard consumers' advocate Jim Hightower, and adopted seven resolutions to propose to the Texas Farmers Union.

President Doug Higgins announced that the state convention will be Jan. 11-12 in Corpus Christi, and that the Castro County FU is entitled to five delegates.

Elected to represent the local FU at the state convention were Harold Bennett, Vic Nelson, Ted Robb, Ed Ramaekers and Floyd Schulte. Also, Higgins will be at the convention as chairman of the state resolutions and policy drafting committee.

Elected to one-year terms as directors were Higgins, John Gilbreath, Alphonse Kleman, Weldon Davis, Ted Robb and Charles Summers.

Elected to two-year terms were Howard Smithson, DeWayne Brown, David Smith, Vic Nelson and Ed Ramaekers.

Chosen for three-year terms were Jimmy Ray Davis, Joe Drerup, Harold Bennett, Larry Lee and Robert Huseman.

The board of directors will elect county officers at a later date, Higgins said.

a sewer hookup and \$125 for water.

It was suggested that the cost of installing sewer and water lines be divided among the lots as an adjusted hookup charge, and the city attorney was directed to draft an ordinance to be presented at the next meeting.

Randall Craig told the board that he expects FHA financing money to be available after the first of the year to build single-family homes on these lots "if we can keep the lot price within the FHA specifications."

The board approved an annexation request from Mrs. Grace Rogers for the next lot north of Proffitt's.

In other action, the board: —Voted to continue the present salary of the mayor at \$100 per month and aldermen at \$50 per month until May 1, when the new budget will be considered.

—Gave a vote of thanks to the 15 members of the Volunteer Fire Department and five merchants who put up the city's Christmas decorations.

—Approved a request from Police Chief Alan Newman to purchase two more used police cars from the Texas Dept. of Public Safety at a total cost of \$3,125. Newman reported that the three 1977 Plymouths previously purchased are now equipped with radios and lights, and are in service. The total cost for the five cars, completely equipped and painted to the city's specifications, will be \$500 under the \$14,000 budgeted for the purchase of two new police cars.

—Discussed purchase or lease-purchase of a copying machine for the police department and requested the city manager to investigate trade-in of the current copier in use at city hall for a machine which could be used by both the city office and police department.

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Spirit of 1621

Church will host Indians at Thanksgiving feast

The Lee Street Baptist Church will host 25 Navajo Indians on Thanksgiving Day with a meal that will be much like the original Thanksgiving feast—venison, elk, turkey, chicken, pork, beef and all the trimmings.

The dinner will be held in the church's fellowship hall today (Thursday), starting at 12 noon.

"It is a church-wide dinner," Rev. Ronnie Travis said. "Everybody in the church is invited."

Members are bringing covered dishes, Rev. Travis is

residents at Christmas time. Last year they carried toys for 100 children, plus stockings of candy, etc., for the children and other holiday items.

The local church also contributes toward the salary of the Baptist minister at the Tinian Baptist Mission, and in September carried 20,000 pounds of potatoes to the community.

The 25 persons coming here for Thanksgiving dinner constitute a majority of the congregation of the Tinian Baptist Mission. Attendance at

the mission's services averages about 40.

Gas for the Indians' trip is being furnished by the congregation of Lee Street Baptist Church. The Indians made the trip in a van and two cars.

They were scheduled to arrive here Wednesday night, to stay with different members of the congregation until their return trip Sunday.

"For many of the Indians, this will be their first time to go anywhere east of Albuquerque," Rev. Travis said. Lee Street Baptist Church

first got involved with the Tinian project during the summer of 1978. David McKenzie, area missionary in that region, is a friend of Rev. Travis and suggested the Tinian community for a mission project.

Rev. Travis had worked with McKenzie on another mission on the reservation for two years. McKenzie is a Navajo Indian also, and hopes to be here for the Thanksgiving celebration. Rev. McKenzie preached in a revival here last May.

Rev. Tom Guerito, pastor of the Tinian Baptist Mission, and his family were guests of the Lee Street Baptist Church for a week in September 1978 in a get-acquainted session. Rev. Guerito's father is a medicine man.

"Some of the older Navajos—three or four—do not speak any English," Rev. Travis said. "Most of the older people in the Tinian area just take care of their sheep and goats, and any other income they receive probably comes from

the government. One of the men is a custodian at a school. Another one is a carpenter and trains other Navajo men in carpentry work.

"The average income on the reservation is less than \$2,000 per family per year," Rev. Travis said.

Most of the school-age children in the Tinian community are bused 30 miles to Cuba, N.M., to school. Cuba is about 10 miles from the reservation.

After the big Thanksgiving dinner, "Most of us will go to different people's houses and

watch the Dallas Cowboys play. They are as interested in football as we are," Rev. Travis said.

Another meal is scheduled Friday night at the church, and services will be conducted that night also. Saturday night, another church-wide meal for the visitors is planned.

The guests will leave after Sunday morning's services and church-wide luncheon.

Before the Thanksgiving meal, special blessings will be asked in both English and Navajo.

Sheffy's Chatter

Senior Citizens are staying busy

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Christmas looking and eating out.

Probably 50 ladies went to the Book Club meeting Wednesday afternoon to hear Mrs. George Redinger review the book "Chesapeake" by James A. Michener. The book is historical in theme, covering a period of 400 years and about a family and descendants. The first man from England came with Capt. John Smith and settled on an island 2 1/2 miles long by 2 miles wide, built his house from trees, trapped animals for fur, had fish, berries and a garden. His father sent a beautiful lady from England to be his wife. The last story was about one of the family members and Watergate. Mrs. Redinger was a guest reviewer for Mary Jo Brown. Mrs. James Welch, the club president, welcomed the guests and Mrs. Ted Sheffy and Mrs. J. W. Hill served a fruit cake and coffee from a table covered with yellow linen and a wreath with little Pilgrims standing in it. This was the annual Silver Tea, the money used for different projects. Aural Davis says she was a school friend of Virginia, a sister of Mrs. Redinger, when they all lived in Olton.

Charlie and Edith Graef had friends and relatives in for Thanksgiving dinner. These folks were there, I heard, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Phillips, Steven and Derek of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Phillips and sons and Bobby Phillips of Amarillo, Jerry and Dena Phillips, Cody and Clint of Bethel, James and Reta Welch, Brenda and Mark Welch, Paul and Leisa Bubliss of Canyon, David and Carl Graef of Hale Center, Brent Graef home from college at Lamoni, Iowa, and Brent brought a friend Lars, who is a student at the college and his home is Denmark. He wanted to see Texas before going back to Denmark.

W. J. Hill of Amarillo and a friend Allen Hyde of Amarillo were Thanksgiving dinner guests of W.J.'s son, Dr. Hill and Sara. Allen is the son of Dr. Hyde of Amarillo. Other dinner guests were Dr. Easley and Pam Josselet, his secretary, and their families. It was a good turkey dinner.

Nova Watson has returned to her home in Pasadena, near Houston, after a few weeks visit with her sister Dena and Dutch LaRue.

At the Thanksgiving dinner at the Methodist Church I met Jackie Wheeler of Hart. Her husband is Rev. Lanny Wheeler. Hart had their Harvest Festival Wednesday night. It was "Worship in Music." Rev. Wesley Putnam of Hale Center was soloist. Jackie tells us to remember Hart will have the Christmas home tour and tea in December, I believe the second weekend.

Sara Hill says be sure to attend the dinner at the First Baptist Church Nov. 26 at 6:30. The guest speaker will be Judy Mamou, author of "The Other Woman," her life story. The dinner and speech is for women and teenage

girls of all denominations. You can call 647-3115 for tickets.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith, she is a niece of Mrs. J. G. Davis, came by for a visit from Massachusetts en route to Idaho, where they are moving. Snow and ice was on the roads so had to visit with Aural and Suzie in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McClenney had the family in for Thanksgiving dinner Sunday. Here for the visit and food were La Nell Beavers and son Hank, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClenney and family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Billy McClenney and family of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and family of Cotton Center. La Nell says her husband Alvin Beavers and Larry stayed in Woodward, Okla. to go deer hunting.

Nell Newton had a few friends in Saturday for games of 88 and planned their coming Christmas party. Dinner first at Colonial Inn Restaurant. These girls were there, Lena Crum, Rachele Cleaver, Susie Reeves, Alma Nelson.

Mrs. Ted Sheffy and her mother Rachel Graham went to Marlowe, Okla. to visit sister and aunt Henry McMurry.

Mrs. Bill Hill (or Bobbie Ruth) was hostess at a dinner Wednesday for niece Joyce Wooten and the kin, Mrs. Lorena Cates, Ruby Wooten, Myrtle Sheffy, Joyce Wooten, Tommie Bills, Mrs. R. V. Bills and several others whose names I didn't get.

Shirley Wise was hostess to her Thursday bridge club. She served dessert to Ina Cleavinger, Mildred Bradford, Jo Eddie Riley, Mona Merritt, Doris Lust, Polly Simpson, Ruth Jackson and Dorothy Gilbreath.

Ivor and Hazel Bagwell were hosts to the dinner and 42 club and guests one day recently. This was their annual Thanksgiving dinner. Guests were John and Dorothy Street, Morgan and Geneva Dennis, Buster and Mearle Morgan of Bovina, N. A. and Thelma Bryson, Noel and Oleta Gollehon, Elmer and Mauzee Youts, Gene and Connie Ivey, Jim and Ruth Hays.

Milton and Sandra Bagwell had the family out to the farm home for Sunday dinner, his parents Ivor and Hazel, her mom Clara Neumayer, Carol Bagwell from WTSU, Roger and Vinnie Edwards and children Gayla and Steve, Nelda Fallwell and Kristin and Colin from Amarillo. Seems Marion Fallwell went with friends to Kansas to hunt deer.

Ruth Ringo is recuperating from a very serious illness in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She had encephalitis, went into a coma, she is better now but is in intensive care, her daughter Debbie, or Mrs. Eddie Harris, tells me. Kenneth Ringo was school counselor here a few years ago and Ruth taught in grade school. They moved to Canyon from here. You may send

cards to Methodist Hospital or in care of Debbie.

A progressive dinner party was Saturday night for the adult class of the First Baptist Church. Thirty people went first to Bill and Cheryl Glidewells for appetizers, then on to Doug and Cheryl Pybus's for the main course, a stop for games and conversation, then on to the Ronnie Kenmores for cake and coffee.

Faun Welker went to Amarillo to have Thanksgiving dinner with her niece, Vivian Ballard, and family.

Dale and Cindy Wells went to Dallas and Mesquite this week for a visit with Cindy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hughes, on to Waco for Thanksgiving dinner with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Wells. As you know, Dale is minister at the Church of Christ here.

Vera Webb and her sister Juanita Blaine went to Seymour for the holiday with their sisters in the home of Plenna Hardin.

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Highway Department urged to review road conditions in county

The Castro County Farmers Union Board of Directors strongly urges that the personnel in charge of the upkeep of state Highways in Castro County, review the current status of state highways.

Presently, these state highways in Castro County are maintained to a condition that is hazardous to the present users of same highways. That is state highway 168 from Hart to north county line—Dangerous Shoulders, State Highway 86 from Dimmitt eastward to county line. State Highway 145, from county line to county line.

Castro County Farmers Union Doug Higgins, Pres.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Ronnie Travis, Pastor Phone 647-2300

Sunday— Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Services... 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 309 N.W. Fourth Donald Price, Pastor Phone 647-3403

Sunday— Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Sunday Night Service... 6 p.m. Wednesday Service... 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 5th and Halsell Dr Joseph Grey, Pastor Phone 647-2651

Sunday— Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m. Wednesday Service... 7:00 p.m.

LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA "Full Gospel" S.W. 5th, 807 B. Pastor Ruben Velasquez Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Night... 5:30 p.m. Wed. Night... 7:00 p.m.

LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St. Pastor, Gustavo Ornelas Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Sermon... 11:00 a.m. Lord's Supper and Feet Washing... 11:30 a.m. Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Services... 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive Roy E. Barringer, Minister Phone 647-5478

Sunday— Bible Study... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship and Lord's Supper... 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Study... 7:30 p.m.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH 412 North East Street

Sunday— Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Monday W.M.U... 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Brotherhood... 7:55 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Meeting... 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir... Friday

IGLESIA DE CRISTO E. Lee and S. E. Third Evangelista — Miguel Zuniga Sunday— Bible Study... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Classes for all... 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA 300 N. E. 7th Pastor Van E. Hughes Secretaria Sara Salinas Tesorero Gabriel Montiel Domingo: Estudios Biblicos... 10:00 a.m. El Sermon... 11:00 a.m. Miercoles: Instruccion Biblica... 8:00 p.m. BIENVENIDOS A TODOS!

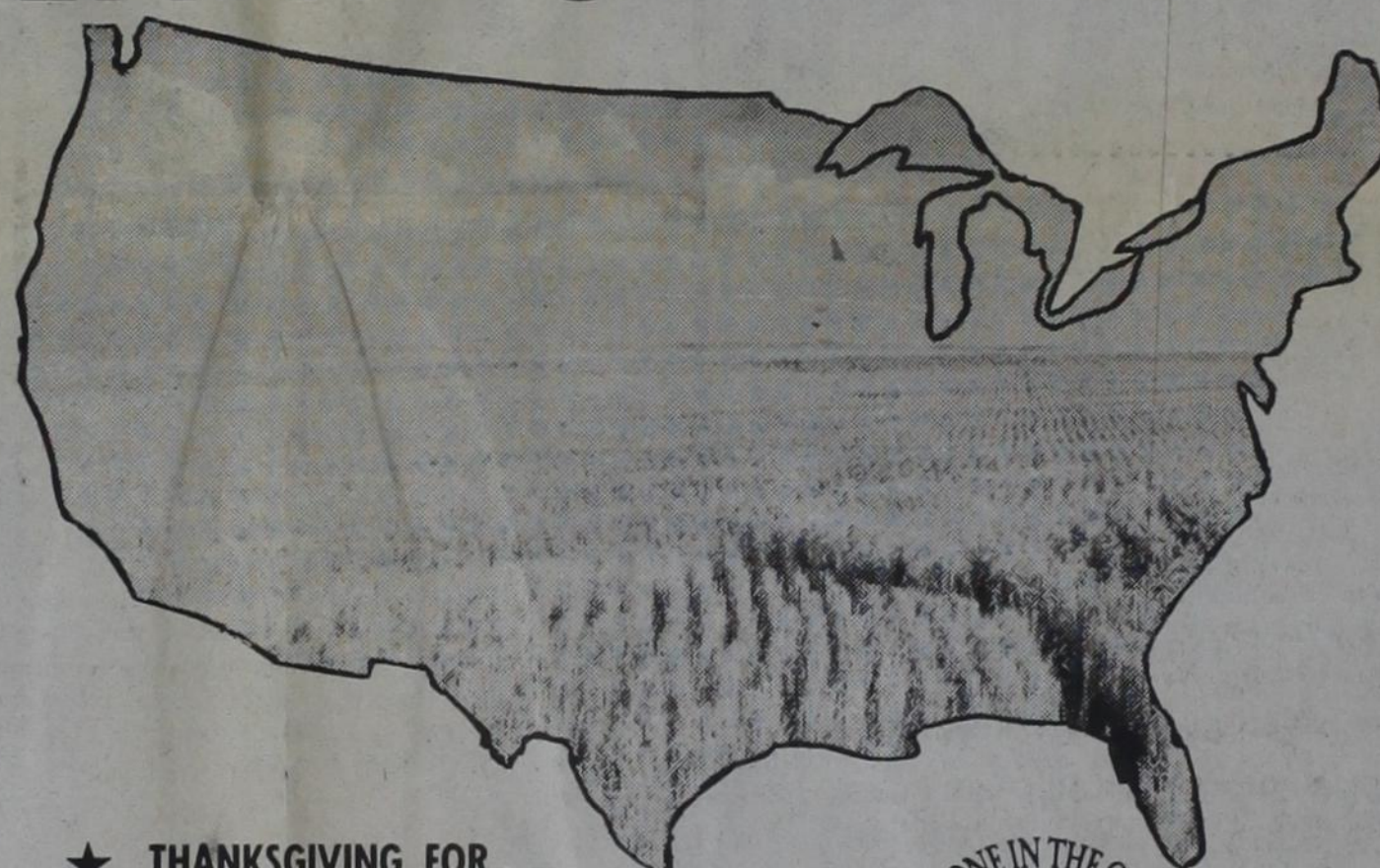
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Howard Quiett, Pastor 110 S. W. Third Phone 647-4106 or 647-4107 Sunday— Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 10:45 a.m. MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi... 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m. Wednesday— General Meeting WSCS... 9:30 a.m. Choir... 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1201 Western Circle Drive Rev. John Streef, Pastor Sunday— Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Meeting... 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal... 8:10 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Monte Wike, Pastor 302 S. E. 2nd Sunday— Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church... 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Service... 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 501 S.E. 3rd Pastor, Rev. Kenneth Carroll Sunday— Sunday School & Morning Worship... 10-11:30 a.m. Evening Service... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Service... 7:00 p.m.

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Pages could be filled with ways that God has blessed us, and we should be continually thankful for God's goodness. At this time, however, we should pause from our daily workday habits and in unison, give special thanks to God, that we still have freedom of worship.

Attend church this Thanksgiving weekend

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.

Coleman Adv. Serv.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor 1101 W. Halsell — Ph. 647-4219 Sunday— Mass in English... 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish... 10:30 a.m. Religion Classes... 9:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday & Saturday— Mass... 7:00 a.m. Holy Days— Mass in English... 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish... 8:00 p.m. Confessions— Friday... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Baptism by Appointment

CHURCH OF CHRIST S.W. 4th at Bedford Dale Wells, Minister

Sunday— Bible Study... 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Class for all... 7:30 p.m.

NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Alexander, Pastor Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Services... 7:30 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Raymond Jones, Pastor

Sunday— Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Service... 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Rev. Ed Manning, Minister Sunday— Church School... 10:00 a.m. Common Worship... 11:00 a.m.

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Highway Dept. asks bids on US 60 work

Bids are scheduled to be received during November by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation for the reconstruction of sections of US Highway 60 at Friona and Bovina in Parmer County, and for the resurfacing of US 60 in Parmer and Castro Counties. Lubbock District Engineer George C. Wall said the two reconstruction projects involve 0.9 mile of US 60 in Friona from SH 214 eastward, and 0.4 mile in Bovina from ...

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PACKAGE STORE PERMIT

The undersigned gives notice of application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas, for a Package Store Permit to be located at 630 North Broadway, Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, said business to be operated under the name of Fuentes Cut-Rate.

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Couple at home in Muleshoe after recent wedding



Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. White are at home at 324 W. Ave. F in Muleshoe after their recent marriage in First Baptist Church here and a trip to Austin, San Marcos and San Antonio.

Mrs. White is the former Pamela Jean Heard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. Heard. White is the son of Juanita White of Lubbock.

The bride's cousin, Rev. Larry Heard of Idalou, and Rev. Ray Cunningham of Fluvanna officiated for the marriage ceremony.

Autumn leaves and satin bows in orange and brown were set among green foliage on an arch centering the church altar. Tapers burned in spiral and branched candelabra on either side.

Pews down the center aisle were marked with bows and globes holding yellow candles. Clusters of autumn leaves and orange-toned bows accented the sides.

Anita Bagwell was the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Diane Dycus of Canyon and a niece of the groom, Annette Wells of Lubbock. Kenny Smith served as best man, with Melvin Rozzell of Vernon and Ken Starcher of Canyon as groomsmen.

The bride's brother Danny and Jon Wells of Lubbock, a nephew of the groom, lighted candles. Julie Atchley was the flower girl and Scott Atchley ring bearer.

Ushers were a brother of the bride, Leslie; the groom's nephew, Mark Wells of Dumfries, Va.; Bill Cunningham of Lubbock, Gary Smith of Canyon, Harry and Larry Fulton of Wildorado.

Wedding songs included "You Light Up My Life," "Twelfth of Never" and "Wedding Song" by Kimberly Peggram, accompanied by Shirley Peggram, who played organ selections.

The bride's gown of white organza was trimmed with pearl-scattered lace at the high V-neckline, on wide cuffs that caught sleeve gathers, and around the hemline above a pleated sheer ruffle. Bands of lace extended down the skirt front from the empire waistline.

The skirt spread into a slight train and a lace-bordered veil ended at the hemline. It was caught to a cap encrusted with pearls and the lower tier was appliqued with lace motifs. Her bouquet was a cascade of orange, yellow and gold silk roses with lilies-of-the-valley and babybreath dyed in the autumn colors, tied with matching ribbon.

Luck pieces included "something old," a gold band 62 years old, belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. C. F. McCormick, and "something new," diamond earrings, the groom's gift.

The matron of honor and one bridesmaid wore apricot floral print dresses with sheer capelets and sashes. The other bridesmaid and the flower girl were similarly dressed in yellow. Each attendant carried fresh flowers in a dark brown basket crocheted by Mrs. McCormick.



MRS. WALTER R. WHITE
... Formerly Pamela Jean Heard

At the reception in the church fellowship hall, the bride's cake was served by Patty McCaughy and the orange-tinted punch by Lenora Smith, both of Canyon. Orange ribbon was run through insertions which edged the floor-length white tablecloth and the centerpiece was a brass and crystal epergne filled with fall flowers.

The colonnade cake had a fountain of orange water between the layers, with four small cakes set around it. Tops of the layers were ornamented with flowers in the wedding colors.

Cheryle Cunningham of Lubbock and Rhenea Webb served chocolate-almond cake and coffee from the groom's table, where ironstone candlesticks based in smilax held brown candles. The brown cloth was covered with an eyelet overcloth.

Members of the reception houseparty were Billie Kirby, Bobbie Baldrige, Joy Baker,

Geneva DeLozier, Lucille Odom, Francis Smith, Sandra Bagwell, Dorothy Street and Maxine Tidwell.

The bride received her degree from West Texas State University after graduation from Dimmitt High School. Also a WTSU graduate, the groom is employed with the Farmers Home Administration at Muleshoe.



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NOVEMBER 22 — Melba Aldridge, Jerry Phillips, Amy Merritt, Charles Summers, Julius Birkenfeld, Rosemary Wilhelm, Wade Drerup, May Hochstein.

NOVEMBER 23 — Janice Bell, Gladiola Shipley, E. L. Spencer, Jamie Lynn Jones, George Schacher, Gertrude Acker.

NOVEMBER 24 — Leisa Dannevik, Leslie Heard, Keith Jones, Phoebe Claborn, Rafael Guajardo, Dwayne Kleman, Jeff Schmucker, Beth Hutton.

NOVEMBER 25 — Ross Armstrong, David Malone, Connie Brockman, Gary Huseman, Sister Adrian Wevers, Lester Backus, Rita Book, Marlo Hartman.

NOVEMBER 26 — Norman Hays, Jamie Reeve, Holly Wise, Kevin Smithson, Leonard Birkenfeld, Tony Gerber, Juanita Barker, Gloria Ann Steffens, Cindy Braddock.

NOVEMBER 27 — Barbara Moss, Monte Johnson, Martha Jo Hyman, Edna Rae Schilling, Lucille Drerup, Toy Wagner, Robert Birkenfeld, Nicole Kleman.

NOVEMBER 28 — Rickie Odom, Terry Widick, Stacie Jackson, James Parker, Christi Killough, Tommy Gerber, Florine Brockman, Francis Wilhelm.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gerber

Gerbers to celebrate golden anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gerber will be honored with a mass

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Gerber married Mary Schmucker Nov. 26, 1929 at Nazareth.

They have six sons, Francis and Vincent of Nazareth, Ed of Dumas, Jerome of Tatum, N.M., Norbert of Woodward, Okla, Dennis of Hereford; two daughters, Regina Hoelting of Nazareth and Dorothy McQuilliam of Hobbs, N.M.; 29 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.



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NOVEMBER 23 — David and Ann Hays, Noreen and Allan Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Huseman.

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This will include duplicate and contract players. Duplicate tickets are \$3 each and party bridge tickets are \$2.

Proceeds of this project are for a scholarship fund to a young woman graduating from Hereford or Canyon High Schools, or an enrollee at West Texas State University majoring in the field of business.

The featured door prize will be a \$75 meat pack from the Hereford Meat Market. Other prizes will be drawn intermittently.

Glass and Flowers topic of program

The Nazareth Art Club will hold its regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the basement of the Holy Family Catholic Church.

A demonstration will be given on cut glass by Francis Doyle and a demonstration on making flower arrangements will be given by Carolyn George, both of Tulia.

There will be a \$1 charge for all non-club members. The public is invited.

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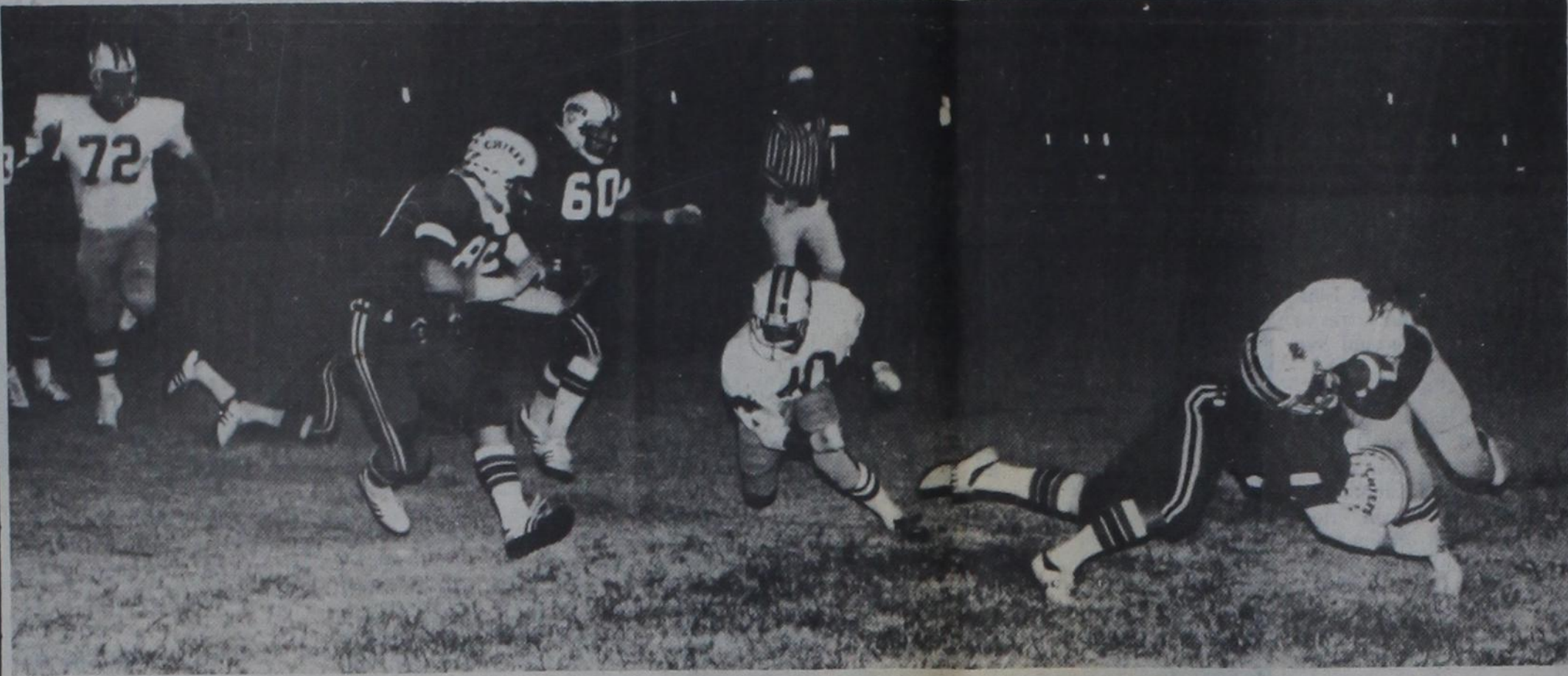
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POPPING PADS—Dimmitt runningback Jimmy Stewart (right) plows into a Friona tackler while teammate David Allison (40) prepares to lay the wood to another Chieftain defender in the Bobcats' first touchdown drive Friday night. —At left is tackle Gary Don Malone (72). This first-quarter play netted four yards to the Friona 16, and the Cats scored their first TD moments later. Stewart punched two touchdowns across as the Bobcats won, 28-2.

Killough named to ETP council

Sam Killough has been appointed to the regional advisory council for the Employment & Training Programs for the Texas Panhandle Balance of State Counties. His duties as a council member will be to help represent the people of Castro County in trying to determine the local employment needs.

These meetings will be held approximately five times during a fiscal year with representatives from each of the Balance of State counties. Killough met with the Council for the first time last Thursday. Items discussed were planning for Fiscal Year 81, and performance standards. There was also discussion on expanding current youth programs to involve more area youth.

The responsibility of the council is to make recommendations to the regional county judges within our Balance of State area.

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View from the Library



By **BRICK AUTRY** Librarian
This is entitled "The Care and Feeding of the Librarian." It is written by a knowledgeable authority on the subject—me.

The busy librarian works with the public. Working with the public is not what it's cracked up to be. Airlines make working with the public look easy, enjoyable and exotic. Actually it is not, and good library schools, knowing this, seldom, if ever, mention the subject. Working with books is actually easier because a book doesn't become angry, unreasonable or over-demanding.

Librarians also work quite a bit with red tape. The red tape is a necessary evil. Librarians get their money through red tape. Although there is no course on the subject in our colleges, the librarian must know about forms and the correct way to fill them out. Sometimes the most truthful information comes out looking bad on the form, so the librarian has to find a way to make the truth look good on the form. This takes lots of concentration, so during the first of the year when the librarian fills out a lot of forms the library staff goes out of its way to make the offices more quiet, less stressful and they heed close attention in case the librarian needs sympathetic attention. During this time also, the librarian watches his diet so as not to bother his nervous stomach and eats bran cereal for plenty of roughage.

Librarians need lots of roughage because when all the books come in for processing staff and librarian are usually held immobile by the mountains of new books. When librarians sit around the office, they really sit around. Thanks to better working conditions, the librarians and staff are allowed to move around for a short time during the day. The benefits of these reprieves are enhanced when the librarian is not allowed to plow himself with coffee.

There are some other useful tips, too, on the librarian's diet. They are:

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3. Eating carrots helps the eyes. Useful when reading small print.

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sage, sauerkraut, scalloped potatoes, hot buttered bread, apples.

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ONE LAST BIG ONE—Dimmitt senior Robin Ryan runs out the last big play of his schoolboy football career as he races downfield after intercepting a Friona pass with 18 seconds left in Friday night's District 3-AA game in Friona. Running

interference is Ben Holcomb. Ryan returned the interception to Friona's 20-yard line to seal Dimmitt's 28-2 victory in the final game. [Photo by Julie Maples]

PMHA buys equipment for hospital

Purchase of a medication cart and a video tape recorder for use in Plains Memorial Hospital was planned by the PMH Auxiliary at its November meeting last week at the hospital.

The medication cart with security drawers, and the tape recorder with playback unit to be used in place of film for the licensed Vocational Nursing class and nurses' in-service training will each cost \$1,200 to \$1,400.

Board members will decide after the first of the year on other items which the Auxiliary will purchase. Announcement was made that television sets have been bought by the Auxiliary and are now in use at the hospital.

The Auxiliary voted to have its history written for publication in the Castro County History which is now being compiled. Mrs. L. B. Bowden will write the Auxiliary history.

Other business included plans for two annual events of the holiday season which the Auxiliary sponsors, the Bazaar and Luncheon of Dec. 7 and the community project, Operation Christmas Greeting.

On a preceding program, Sharon Wells of the Muscular Dystrophy Association office at Amarillo spoke and showed slides.

District title won by Dimmitt Freshmen

District champs for freshman teams, the Dimmitt High Frosh finished an outstanding season with a 21-0 victory over Friona here last Thurs-

day. The same day the Dimmitt Junior Varsity was downing Friona JV 15-6.

Ron Rickenbrode fired five passes for 147 yards and two

touchdowns to spark the freshman team to its win. To add to the passing campaign, Fermin Gonzales caught four for 132 yards and Sid Sageser one for 15 yards.

It was Rickenbrode to Herman Gonzales for 28 yards in the first quarter that gave Dimmitt its first TD, but Rickenbrode missed to Jeff Watts for the extra points. Dimmitt threatened several times in the second frame but three fumbles cancelled the gains.

In the third quarter Richard Guzman carried the final yard of a Dimmitt drive but the PAT attempt failed. Then Rickenbrode chunked a long pass to F. Gonzales for a third TD and Johnny Gonzales passed to David Ogas for the final two points.

Notable defense plays included three recovered fumbles by Watts, Bill Groz and Shan Powell, Coach John Thomas said.

It was passes which made Dimmitt scores in the JV game also, Gabriel Montiel passed twice to Larry Espinoza on scoring plays, one in the last seconds of the

game. Elizar Garcia ran for the first PAT and Kim Lay kicked the second.

The previous week the Dimmitt JV lost to Muleshoe, 22-6. The Montiel-Espinoza aerial combo accounted for the Dimmitt score.

FFA quiz team places first in district

Julia Mann, Ray Owen and Steven Anderson, members of the Dimmitt High School FFA quiz team, placed first in the Plainview District Leadership Conference in Abernathy last Wednesday.

They placed fifth in area competition at Tulia Saturday.

The senior chapter conducting team placed sixth in district at Abernathy. Members of the team are Todd Hatla, Jerri Ka Clark, Ross Armstrong, Jay Nelson, Quint Waggoner, Phil King, Janet Sammann and Shane Smithson.

Club history is Kiwanis lunch program

A history of the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club, compiled by a committee of longtime members for publication in the Castro County History, was read at the Monday club lunch by Bob Murdock, president.

In brief form it lists community and youth service projects of the club in its 10 years of existence, when more than \$40,000 has been raised and spent by the club, and many hours given by members.

From the Dimmitt High School Key Club, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club, lunch guests were Kim Sides and Jeff Lindsey.

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	State & County	Local Maintenance	Designated Purpose Fund	Cafeteria Fund	Activity Fund	Interest & Bonded Debt Fund	Total	
FUND BALANCE, 9-1-78	\$ -0-	\$ 470,164	\$ 1,134	\$ 3,920	\$ 10,801	\$ 1,799	\$105,497	\$ 593,315
REVENUE								
Local and Intermediate Sources		1,261,482	12,450		95,112	46,358	248,667	1,664,069
State Sources	428,842	794,107	59,798	476,893	164,076			1,923,716
Nonrevenue					2,693			2,693
Interfund Transfer		428,842	72,850					501,692
Total Revenue	428,842	2,484,431	147,791	476,893	259,188	46,358	248,667	4,092,170
Total Revenue and Fund Balances	428,842	2,954,595	148,925	480,813	269,989	48,157	354,164	4,685,485
EXPENDITURES								
Instruction Service		1,502,849		334,698				1,837,547
Instructional Administration		42,654		6,674				49,328
Instructional Resources		54,088		5,539				59,627
School Administration		122,291						122,291
Guidance and Counseling		55,954		24,922				80,876
Health Services		14,482		25,509				39,991
Pupil Transportation			142,393					142,393
Co-curricular Activities		61,763				41,359		103,122
Food Services					260,811			260,811
General Administrative		122,900		16,553				139,453
Debt Service		257				216,857		217,114
Plant Services		367,804						367,804
Community Services				7,619				7,619
Interfund Transfer	428,842	72,850						501,692
Total Expenditures	428,842	2,417,892	142,393	421,514	260,811	41,359	216,857	3,929,668
FUND BALANCE, 8-31-79	\$ -0-	\$ 536,703	\$ 6,532	\$ 59,299	\$ 9,178	\$ 6,798	\$137,307	\$ 755,817

Bobcats play loose, have fun in final victory

By JIMMIE CHAPMAN

The best thing about the Dimmitt Bobcats' final football game Friday night was that they had fun. They played hard and loose, their passing attack worked well, and there was no doubt about the outcome.

They closed out the season with a convincing 28-2 win over Friona's Chieftains in a District 3-AA game played at Friona.

The Cats finished the season with a 3-7 record and had the privilege of winning their last Class AA game. Dimmitt will move into District 2-AAA next season.

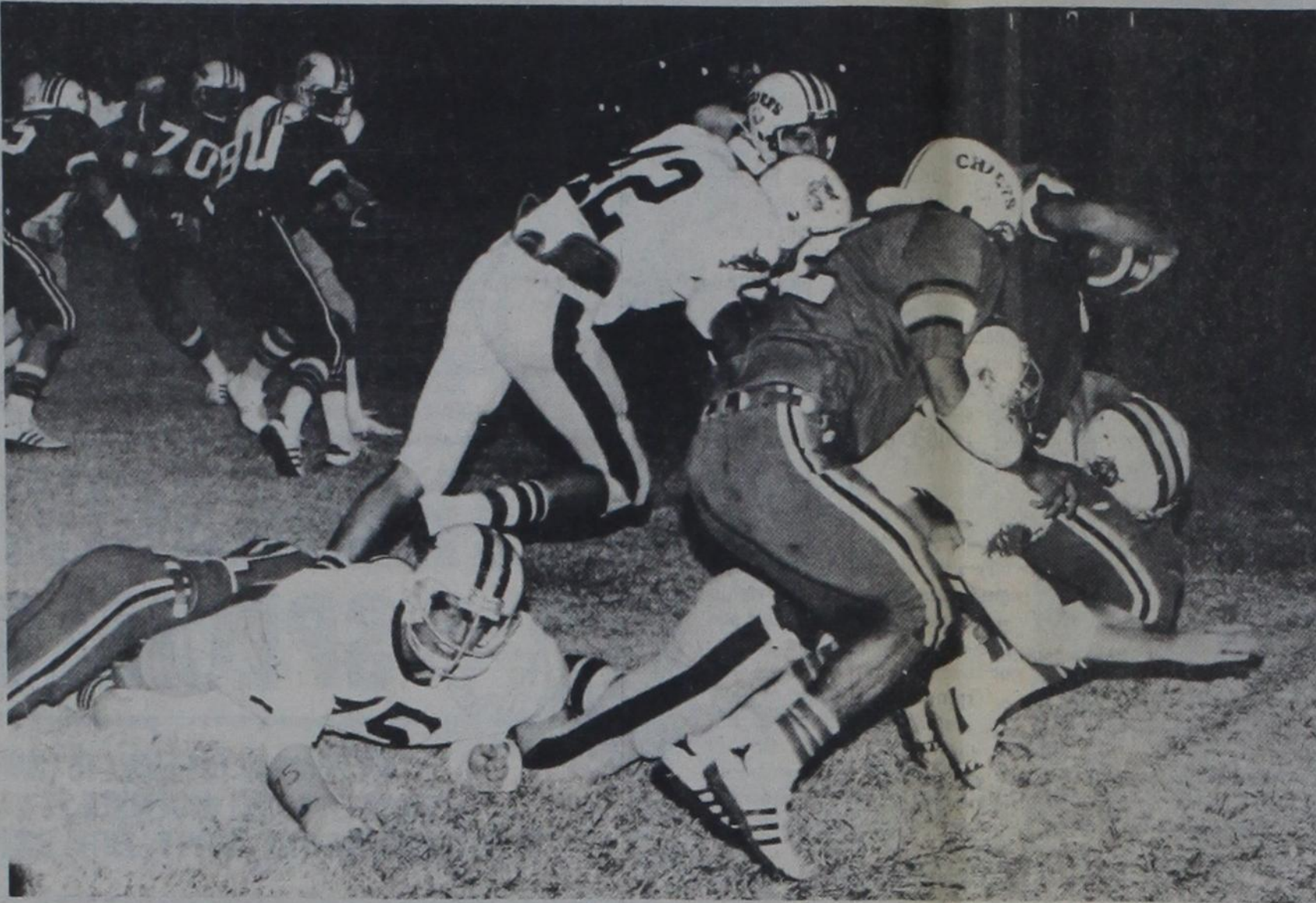
Dimmitt found itself in trouble on the opening kickoff as end Steve Stone tried to field the ball deep in Bobcat territory and was swarmed at the 1-yard line. On the second play from scrimmage, Jimmy Stewart was trapped in the end zone and Friona was ahead 2-0 with only 44 seconds gone.

But Friona returned the favor by fumbling the Dimmitt kickoff, and Robert Boozer recovered for the Bobcats at the Dimmitt 46.

After holding the Bobcats, the Chieftains again fumbled on the punt and Kelly Nelson recovered at the Friona 15 to set up the Bobcats' first score.

Dimmitt drew two penalties and ran four plays before Ryan hit Steve Stone at the 15-yard line with a pass, and the gutsy 127-pound senior end fought off would-be tacklers and went into the end zone for a touchdown. Stone then booted the extra point and, with 7:27 left in the first quarter, the Cats were on top, 7-2.

There was no more scoring in the opening quarter, al-



MOB SCENE—A Friona kickoff return ends as the Chieftain runner is mobbed and driven out of bounds by Dimmitt's Bobby Crozier, Phil King, Gus Ortiz [42] and Claude Schilling

[75] during the first quarter of Friday night's District 3-AA game at Friona. The play followed Dimmitt's first touchdown in the first quarter; the Bobcats went on to win, 28-2.

though the Cats uncorked a passing play that got them an apparent TD. It was called back to the Friona 39 because of a clipping penalty. Ryan had hit David Allison with a long pass and the 130-pound senior fought the last 20 yards into the end zone. But after the penalty, the Cats were held and the score remained 7-2 when the quarter ended.

On the Bobcats' second possession in the second quarter, they staged a 71-yard drive for their second score. Jimmy Stewart did most of the running, but it was a pass from Ryan to fullback John Laurent that carried for 20 yards to the 1-yard line that set up the score. Stewart banged it in from there. Stone's kick was no good, and Dimmitt led 13-2 midway in the second quarter.

The Bobcats got their third TD of the first half after they recovered a Chieftain fumble at the Friona 30. Ryan, with only 28 seconds left in the half, covered the 30 yards

with a pass to Allison in the end zone with 19 seconds left. Stone's kick this time was good and the halftime score was 20-2. The Chieftains did complete a pass for 15 yards before the clock ran out, their only completion of the game.

In the third quarter, penalties, fumbles and interceptions stopped any offense that either team could muster, until Dimmitt scored its final TD with 2:30 left in the third. The Cats started a 48-yard drive and after Stewart picked

up 10 yards on two carries, Ryan hit Stone with a pass that was good for 30 yards to the 8-yard line. Allison got four, Ryan picked up three and Stewart blasted into the end zone from the 1.

The try for the extra point

had a lot a excitement but not too much finesse. Stone was supposed to kick the extra point, but the holder, Ryan, missed the ball. However, he kept his head, picked up the ball and then hit Stone—the intended kicker—with a pass for two points to put the Cats ahead 28-2.

Dimmitt moved in for another scoring opportunity early in the final quarter, going to the 7-yard line before Dean Church intercepted Ryan's pass to kill the last drive of the night. Both teams played conservatively and used what few substitutes they had in the final game of the season. It was typical that on the last two plays of the game, Ryan intercepted a pass from Joe Malouf at midfield and ran it back to the Chieftain's 17, only to see Dimmitt get a 15-yard penalty for clipping.

The two teams finished with almost the same amount of penalties. Dimmitt drew nine flags for 85 yards while Friona had the same amount for 86 yards.

The difference in the game came on the Cats' recovery of four fumbles in the first half and Ryan's two interceptions for the night.

David Allison, who missed most of this season with injuries, was the standout play-

er for the Bobcats on offense, gaining 42 yards on only seven carries and catching two passes for 80 yards and a TD. Ryan had an outstanding night in the passing department, completing nine of 17 for 177 yards and only one interception. Steve Stone gathered in five passes for 77 yards, and all of them were in heavy traffic. He was also outstanding at fielding punts and getting good returns. Stewart gained 61 yards on 24 carries as he was the workhorse for the night.

The Bobcats carried 28 players on their roster this year, and only 12 of them will be returning next year. Gary Naylor and Randy Washington have been injured and did not suit up for the final game of the season.

Ryan, Allison, Ben Holcomb, Gary Malone, Elias Perez, Norris and Morris Cole and Robert Boozer all played well on defense for the Cats.

Standouts on offense were Allison (who had to leave the game four times with leg cramps), Stone and Robin Ryan.

The Bobcats finished the season with a record of 3-7, but of those seven teams that they lost to, two are in the playoffs and Tahoka was co-champion with Slaton in District 5-AA. Only two teams, Floydada and Muleshoe, ran up lopsided scores against them.

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In their first appearance ever in the Hereford tourney, the Bobcats will meet none other than the Lubbock Monterey Plainsmen, Class AAAA powerhouse, at 1:30 p.m. next Thursday.

Other quintets in the eight-team boys' division will be Pampa, Dunbar, Amarillo, Morton, Canyon and Hereford. Boys' matches will alternate with girls' games

throughout the three-day tourney.

Pampa and Dunbar will lead off the boys' division at 10:30 a.m. next Thursday, with the winner scheduled to meet the Dimmitt-Monterey winner Friday (Nov. 30) at 3 p.m. in the semifinals. Losers of these two first-round games will meet at 9 a.m. Friday in the consolation bracket.

In other first-round games next Thursday, Morton will face Amarillo at 4:30, while Canyon and Hereford will play at 7:30.

The schedule for Saturday (Dec. 1) calls for the seventh-

place game at 10:30 a.m., the consolation championship game at 1:30 p.m., the third-place bout at 5:30 p.m. and the title game at 8:30 p.m.

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GAME AT A GLANCE

Dimmitt	Friona
17	7
149	114
177	15
326	129
9/19	1/20
9/85	9/86
0	4
2	1
3/24	6/26

Score by Quarters:

Dimmitt	7	13	8	0-28
Friona	2	0	0	0-2

- Scoring Plays:
- F—Safety
 - D—Steve Stone, 25 yard pass from Robin Ryan (Stone kick)
 - D—Jimmy Stewart, 1 run (Kick failed)
 - D—David Allison, 30 pass from Ryan (Stone kick)
 - D—Stewart, 1 run (Ryan pass to Stone)

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Miss Hartman, a 6-1 post player, played in 39 games last year as a backup post player. She averaged 6.1 points per game for Texas and 3.8 rebounds per game her freshman year.

The former All-State team member from Nazareth High School earned a spot on the South's team at the National Sports Festival last summer. She connected on 50.8 percent of her field goal attempts last year and 63 percent of her free throws. Her high point game in college was a 20-



Cheryl Hartman

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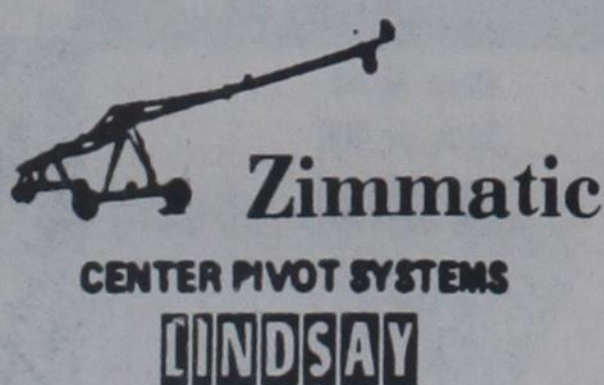
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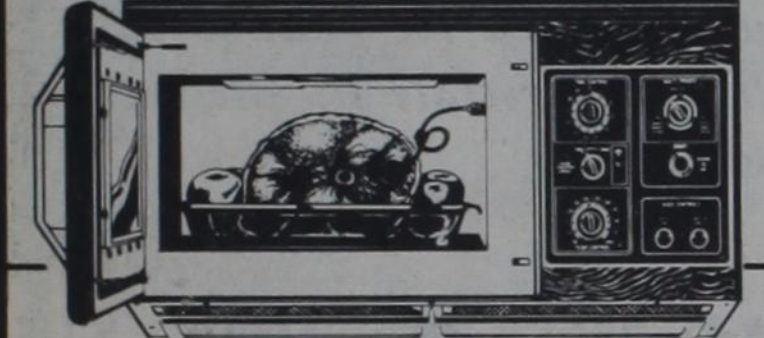
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Donation of all profits from food sales next Wednesday to the American Cancer Society has been volunteered by the Colonial Inn Restaurant, according to George Lamberth, president of the ACS Castro County Unit.

"Bobby and Earlene West have agreed to donate all their profits from breakfast, lunch and dinner that day to the Cancer Society," Lamberth said.

"In a way, they may be giving the gift of life to some of their customers. The funds will all be turned over to the American Cancer Society for research; none of the money will be kept for administrative expense."

Jerri Clark's ram national show champ

Jerri Ka Clark exhibited the champion Southdown ram in the National Junior Southdown Show at the North American Livestock Exposition recently held in Louisville, Ky.

She also had first and second place ram lamb, second and fourth place yearling ewe, sixth place ewe lamb, second and fifth place southdown wether and a seventh place Hampshire wether.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark and a member of Dimmitt High School FFA.

Tops party to include guests

Husbands and friends of members will be guests at the Dimmitt Tops Club Christmas party Dec. 10, it was decided at the club's weekly meeting in Rhoads Memorial Library Monday evening.

The party will be held in the library clubroom beginning at 7 p.m. Secret pals will be revealed. Members will have their usual weigh-in but there will be no business meeting that week.

At this week's meeting 18 members recorded a total weight loss of 12 pounds, 12 ounces.

Emily Clingingsmith was recognized as Kops of the Week, James Slough as Male Tops of the Week with a 2 pound, 8 ounce loss and Cindy Wells as Lady Tops of the Week with a loss of 1 pound, 4 ounces.

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"Think about it—who has made the money in food in the last 10 years?" he asked. "The farmers? The workers? No—the conglomerates. These corporations averaged a 12% return on their investment last year, while the farmers average less than 4%, and wages are down for food-industry workers."

"Food has gone up 125% in the last 10 years, and is second only to fuel in leading inflation, yet the farmers and workers are getting no more share than they did before," Hightower said.

He said the growth of conglomerates has created "a whole new power structure that poses some very serious problems which our political process hasn't addressed or dealt with."

He said Americans have the political structure available to inject fairness into the food production and distribution system, but that they haven't used their power.

"We could solve our problems, but we just don't pay attention or get interested," he said.

More consumer advocates are needed in state and federal governments to offset the power and influence that conglomerates now wield with Congress, state legislatures and agencies, Hightower said.

He charged that the Texas Legislature in its last session "looted and robbed the people of Texas—especially on interest rates allowed for mortgage, business and agricultural loans—" and said, "The people who did you the most damage weren't your urban legislators—it was your rural legislators, including Bill Clayton."

Hightower charged that the present state railroad commissioners received most of their campaign funds from the utilities they're supposed to regulate, and that this "cozy arrangement" is reflected in the commission's decisions and the consumers' utility bills.

"Look at your gas utility bill," he said. "Farmers had a 38% rate increase this past year, and you have no governmental buffer to protect you, although you should have."

"Utility bills have gone up 1,000% over the years, and the utilities in Texas have the best profit record of utilities in any state."

"The railroad commissioners, who have the power, the computers and the records to investigate the oil companies, wouldn't do it when gas prices went up 60%. Instead, they went to Washington to argue for deregulation of gas prices—which would cost the consumer even more."

He said the major oil corporations don't need the extra money for searching and drilling, as they've claimed, and that they aren't using their money for that purpose now.

"The Exxon Corporation has enough money to buy J. C. Penney, DuPont and Anheuser-Busch all at once, without even going to the bank to borrow the money," he said. "I wonder why, if they really want to drill more wells, they don't use the tremendous cash reserves they have on hand. Instead, they're buying up towns, newspapers and TV stations."

Hightower said voters "can regain the control of some of these things that affect our lives so vitally," and he thinks they'll move to do it in 1980.

He recalled the statement made by John Reagan, US senator who was called home by Gov. Jim Hogg to serve as the first chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission: "The issue here is whether the people of this state will be the masters of their own fate, or whether the monopolies will be the masters of the people."

"That's the same issue we face today," he said.

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Bobbies begin year by edging Canyon

Pulling out in the last quarter when they scored 11 points to their opponents' 7, Dimmitt High School Bobbies managed a 53-51 win over Canyon's Eaglettes at Canyon

Monday night. JV Bobbies had almost as tight a score with their 55-52 victory in the other contest of the evening, as DHS girls' teams opened their season on a winning note.

Canyon led the Bobbies from the beginning, with a 16-14 edge at the end of the first quarter increased to 36-29 at the half. Dimmitt cut the lead to 44-42 by the close of the third quarter and then pushed for the winning margin in final minutes.

Lori Dyer and Becky Andrews each hit for 12 points to lead scoring for Coach Jimmy Hoyle's Bobbies.

Dimmitt JV girls, as well as the Bobcat varsity and JV, were scheduled for Tuesday games against Lubbock Christian High School. The Bobbies will play in the Queens Classic at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview during the Thanksgiving weekend, then will meet Hereford here next Tuesday when the JV girls will also play.

Swifts hit Bovina with 66-48 win

The Nazareth Swifts came back in a decisive victory over Bovina Monday night after they had dropped their first game of the season to Adrian last Friday. Both games were played on the opponents' courts.

At Bovina Coach Bud Birks' Swifts held onto a comfortable lead throughout the game, finishing 66-48. The margin was 18-4 after a quarter and 28-14 at the half.

Bryan Huseman's 22 points were high for both teams and Gary Book added 13 to the total for the Swifts.

Next outing for the Nazareth boys will be next Tuesday, when they will be at home to Cotton Center. Then they will compete in the Kress tournament Nov. 29-Dec. 1.

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Work near complete on bazaar articles

The final workshop day for Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary members, to complete handmade articles that will be sold in their annual Holiday Bazaar Dec. 7, will be held Nov. 26 in the Senior Citizens Center.

The bazaar, featuring items for Christmas giving, and a noon luncheon will be held in the County Expo Building. Sales will begin at 10 a.m. and continue through the day.

Lunch will be served starting at 11:30 a.m. Arrangements are being made to assure plenty of food for the meal this year, and PMHA members have earned the reputation in past years of being excellent cooks and offering dishes to appeal to a gourmet.

Money raised in the bazaar and luncheon will be placed in the Auxiliary's available funds

this year. The public is invited to browse and shop in the morning or afternoon, and have lunch in the same building.

In an arrangement new this year, a table will be set up to accept donations for the annual Operation Christmas Greeting, also sponsored by PMHA.

Special sale items are on display now in downtown store windows, a needlepoint bell pull and bag at Tots and Teens Shop and a Christmas tree decorated in tiny handmade toys and ornaments at the Village Shop.



BAZAAR PREPARATIONS BEING MADE—The Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary is getting ready for its annual Christmas bazaar making items to be sold. Pictures with some of the sale items are, from left, Reta Welch, Betty Cartwright,

Bobbie Damron, Gloria Mason, Susie Bradford and Bea Hardy. The bazaar will take place Dec. 7 at the Castro County Expo Building.

'Pony Express' runs in Methodist Church

The First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt has the Pony Express working for it.

The church is using the famous Pony Express saddlebag relay system of more than a century ago to make sure all its members are contacted during its current stewardship drive. The campaign relies on teamwork from all church families.

Danny Rice heads the campaign as general manager. Under his guidance are five "station agents"—A'lan Bradley, Sue Booser, George Bagley, Gill Birdwell and Donald Wright. Each station agent supervises five "trail bosses."

Under the Pony Express plan, each church family becomes a route rider, relaying a stewardship saddlebag to one other family. When a member receives the saddlebag containing his or her stewardship packet, he fills out an "estimate of giving" card instead of making a pledge, then relays the saddlebag to the next member or family on that bag's route list.

Trail bosses are responsible for making sure the saddlebags keep moving from family to family at a fast pace on his or her 10-family route.

The unique drive started Nov. 11 with a trail boss breakfast, during which trail bosses were briefed and given their saddlebags. Reeford Burrows was the chief cook for the breakfast.

Riding side routes for the trail bosses are Ted Sheffy, who is coordinating the Sunday School campaign, and

Linda Langford, who is the drive's mail clerk.

Campaign leaders reported Sunday that the relay system was working so well that most of the saddlebags had already made their rounds and were back in the church office.

"When you receive the saddlebag containing your 'estimate of giving' card, fill in this card, seal it in an opaque envelope, insert the envelope in the saddlebag, and then hand-carry the bag to the next family on the route list attached to the bag strap," Rice explained to church members.

The unique relay system "allows you to make your decision about your financial support of the church in the privacy of your home, without another member of the church present to solicit your response," Rice added.

"The Pony Express theme was chosen because of the highly dedicated riders of the original Pony Express," Rev. Howard Quiett said. "In addition to their personal commitment, the secret of their success lay in their ability to work as a team—each rider dependent on the other to make the relay system work and speed the mail on to its next destination. Likewise, the success of our church depends on the dedication, commitment and teamwork of each of our members."

Trail bosses for Mrs. Booser are James Baker, Brock Merritt, Bill Snider, B. M. Nelson and Doris Lindsey. Mrs. Bradley's trail bosses are Graham and Karen Sheffy, John and Lisa Thomas, Ralph and Avis Smith, Myrtle Sheffy and Joe Bob and Diane Sanders.

Trail bosses for Birdwell are Gary Moore, Fred Bruegel Jr., Myrtle Lois Moran, Bill L'annevik and Carl Lee Kemp. Bagley's trail bosses are Sue Stahl, Nancy Fuller, Garland Coleman, Jim Naylor and Gary Langford. Serving as trail bosses under Wright are Frank Wise, Ina Cleavinger, Mildred Bradford, Charles Wales and P. O. Goodwin.

PEOPLE can be divided into three groups: those who make things happen, those who watch things happen, and those who wonder what happened.

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Dimmitt's, Nazareth's tax rebates show drop

City sales and use tax rebates for the month ending Oct. 25 are down from the same month last year for the city of Dimmitt, about the same for Nazareth, according to figures released by State Comptroller Bob Bullock.

Dimmitt received a rebate check for \$6,066.66 as compared with \$6,811.72 for the same period a year ago. This brings the city's total for the year to \$93,453.56. For the comparable period in 1978 the amount was \$103,577.84, a decline of 9 percent for 1979. Hart received \$1,293.20, up

slightly from the \$1,119.38 for the same period in 1978. For the year, Hart has received \$11,500.01 as compared with \$11,474.90 at the same time in 1978.

Nazareth received a check for \$914.09. For the same period last year no rebate was paid. The total receipts for the year in Nazareth are \$10,572.13, up 20 percent from the \$8,801.24 of this time in 1978.

Statewide, Bullock said tax rebates to Texas cities are 11 percent higher than payments during the same period in 1978.



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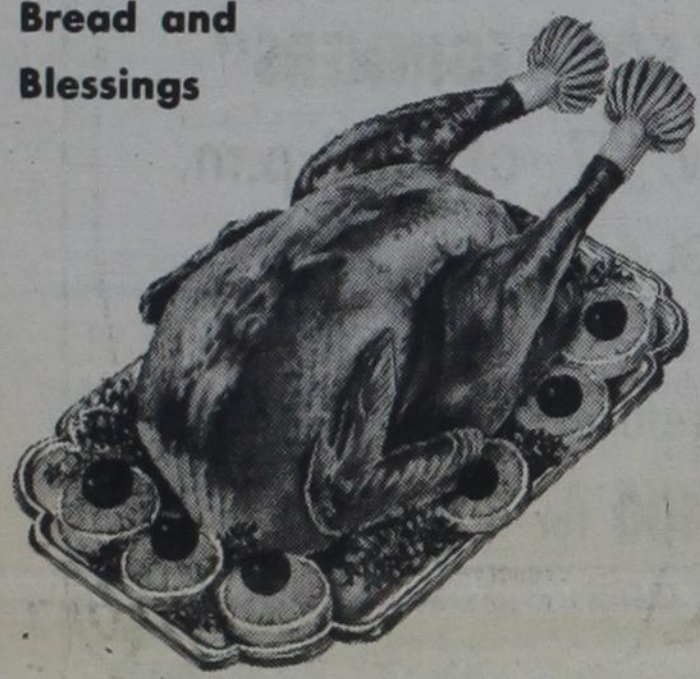
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On this Thanksgiving, let us all stop and give thanks for the blessings bestowed on us. For the special joys we know — family, friends, health, peace and prosperity. Here, we are especially thankful for the friendship you have shown us throughout the years. To all, a happy Thanksgiving.

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Chamber announces speaker for annual CofC banquet

Dr. Charles W. Jarvis, a humorous speaker from San Marcos, will be the featured speaker at the annual Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The banquet is set for Jan. 14 at the County Expo Building.

Dr. Jarvis is a faculty member of the University of Texas Dental School in San Antonio.

He speaks for professional groups as a delightful clinician on human relations, motivation, etc., Delores Golden, Chamber manager said. He is a graduate of the US Naval Academy and the University of Texas School of Dentistry.

His background includes Naval officer, Navy carrier pilot, dentist, teacher, seminarist and speaker.

Officers and directors for the 1980 year will be installed

at the banquet along with the traditional awards.

The awards to be given at the banquet are Citizen of the Year, Citizen through the Years and Teacher of the Year.

Forms for nominating residents are available at the Chamber office and the schools.

"We urge anyone who would like to nominate someone for these awards to fill out the form and submit it to the Chamber office by Jan. 1," Mrs. Golden said.

More about City accepts

[Continued from Page 1] within the city limits.

—Voted to pay \$200 for the purchase of a stove for the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.

—Decided to investigate the cost and feasibility of installing carpet on the north and west walls of the city offices for insulation and sound control.

Mrs. B. Easter services held

Funeral services for Mrs. Bill Easter, 77, were held Friday at Dennis Chapel with Rev. John Street officiating.

Mrs. Easter died Wednesday in Dallas. She was born Feb. 8, 1902 in Marlin.

She lived in Dimmitt many years before moving in 1941. Her husband, who preceded her in death, was a long-time area resident.

She is survived by three sons, Billy John of Irvine, Calif., Jimmie of Dallas and Bobbie of Albuquerque, N.M.; one daughter, Betty Naylor of Amarillo; 14 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. J. D. Houston of Marlin, and one brother, J. L. Elder of Houston.

Hart girls win season cage starts

Initial games of the Hart High School basketball season brought victories for both the A and B Longhornettes, who were hosts to girls from Olton Monday night.

The Longhorns will play their opening game next Tuesday at Sudan where both girls' teams will also be in action. Varsity boys and girls will be engaged in the Kress Tournament the weekend of Nov. 29.

Coach Sam Browning's varsity girls were 51-48 winners over Olton in a game that was hard-fought all the way.

The B team had an easier time in a 34-15 romp won by Coach Cathy Fisher's charges. Grace Bonsal topped the scoring with 14 and Robin Bowden was close behind with 12 points.

MEN do not stumble over mountain, but over molehills.

Final plans for the banquet will be made during the month of December.

Tickets for the annual banquet will be on sale soon, Mrs. Golden said.

VETERAN'S SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH
County Service Officer

Our office is open in the courthouse on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9 a.m. until noon and 2 to 4 p.m., plus other times by appointment.

I wish to make a correction to the story in last week's paper. The VFW and AM-VETS were hosts at the VFW Post after flag raising on Veterans day and the American Legion hosted one at the Colonial Inn. Both were well attended, with good fellowship. Let me thank the News for giving space to Veterans Services news. We are grateful.

May I remind all VA pensioners receiving their AIQ cards that we are here to help them properly fill them out and get them on the way before the deadline the last of December. Also we are ready to supply information and forms for any other VA benefits.

We are indebted to the various veterans organizations for making these government benefits possible. I urge your support for them.

Now, have a happy Thanksgiving. We'll be closed Thursday but open next week.

HOSPITAL NEWS

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Rebecca Garza
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Meta Stork
Denise Smith
Helen McLean
Janie Braddock
Anna B. Sharp

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

Angie Roblez
Don Price
Dorothy Martin
Marshall Young
H. W. Golden
Albert Schulte
Barbara Hudson
Fermin Gonzales
L. B. Bowden
Christella Sanchez
Don Salinas
Lupe Perez

Commercial art show planned

TSTI-Amarillo commercial art students will host their Starving Artists' Show Nov. 29, 30 and Dec. 1 at Sunset Center. The proceeds from this annual event will go to the participating artists.

Commercial art students will be available at the show to talk about the commercial art in advertising program at Texas State Technical Institute.

YOU never get a second chance to make a good first impression.

Swiftettes win two but lose one

In their fifth outing of the new season, Nazareth's Swiftettes defeated Plainview 47-31 in what Coach Joe Lombard called "by far our best game this year," a game that was a feature of the Wayland College Basketball Clinic Saturday night.

The Class B State Champion Swiftettes had defeated Adrian the previous night, but suffered a disappointing defeat at Bovina, 50-48, Monday night.

Swiftettes will play in the Queens Classic at Wayland this weekend and NHS girls and boys will host Cotton Center next Tuesday.

At Plainview, "our girls turned in one of the best defensive games that has been played since I've been here," Lombard said.

Balanced scoring characterized the Swiftettes' performance as Doretta Ramaekers and Sharon Gerber each sank 12 and Michelle Acker 10.

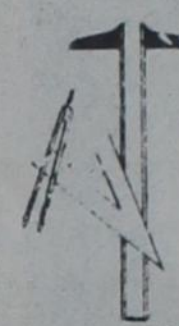
Dianne Hochstein was credited with playing a "super" defensive game, holding Plainview's high-scoring Gay

maekers hit for eight points. Nazareth held the lead through the first half, which ended 27-24, but fell behind a point to trail 38-37 at the end of the third, and was unable to recover.

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Smorgasbord planned by Hart seniors

The Senior Class of Hart High School will sponsor a smorgasbord dinner for pheasant hunters Dec. 8 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Hart school cafeteria.

Tickets are \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children pre-school through the sixth grade.

The public is invited.

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Colonial Inn Restaurant

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'Horns end season with 21-21 tie

By MONTY UPTON

Friday night turned out to be one of those affairs that's better than a loss but is a lot like kissing your sister as Hart tied Springlake-Earth, 21-21.

The part that was better than a loss was that it looked like the Wolverines were going to bury the Horns when they scored on their first two possessions to put Hart behind, 13-0.

The first score came on the sixth play of the game when Ronnie James took a pass from Jim Gonzales and went 72 yards for the score. Raymon Olvera's kick was good.

Forcing the Horns to punt, S-E only used three plays before James took a pitch from Gonzales and broke 63 yards for the second score. The kick failed.

But instead of giving up, Hart got down to business. Following the kickoff, the Horns used nine plays—including two 15-yarders by FB Lorenzo Valenzuela and a 40-yard keeper by QB Derek Rich—before Rich got the TD from the 10. The try for two points on a run was short.

Holding S-E on four plays—thanks to men like Scott Jones and Marlin Marble—and forcing the punt, Hart started its second drive from its own 20. With the help of Wolverine penalties, runs by Isaias Ponce and a 31-yard completion from Rich to Keith Newsom, Ponce got the score 13 plays later on a 3-yard run. He then added his own two points on a run.

Not through even though they led 14-13, the Horn defense finally stopped S-E on the Hart 22. Taking over on downs, Hart used the hard running of Ponce (who picked up 51 of the necessary yards on nine carries) and Rich, Newsom and Valenzuela be-

fore Rich got the TD on a QB sneak from the 1. Newsom then added the kick with two seconds left in the half to put the Horns up, 21-13.

The third period saw Hart drive to the S-E 4 before having a pass picked off in the end zone. Hart got the ball back two plays later when Ponce came up with the ball at the Wolverine 20. But the horns were unable to get closer than the 15, and gave

up the ball.

The Wolverines then drove to the Hart 43 before Newsom picked off a S-E pass. However, neither team moved successfully on their next series.

In the final stanza, the Wolverines seemed to find the needed spark as they started a drive on their own 18 following a Hart punt. After only nine plays, Kenny Wright got the final TD of the

evening on a five-yard scamper. Ronnie James then scrambled for the two points that knotted the game at 21 with 6:31 left.

Neither team generated enough offense to add any more points.

Hart's defensive effort was helped by pass interceptions by Daniel Guzman and Newsom. Time finally ran out with Hart on the S-E 47. Seeing action in their last

Longhorn game were seniors John Barretero, Daniel Higgins, Scott Jones, Marlin Marble, Keith Newsom, Lorenzo Valenzuela and Mark Werner.

Isaias Ponce, with 27 carries and 133 yards, led all rushers for the evening. Valenzuela had 43 yards rushing and an additional 28 yards on a screen pass in which he bulled his way over and through four or five would-be

tacklers.

Although the Horns finished a disappointing 3-6-1 for the year, they are probably the 3-6-1 team in the state. They finished only half a game ahead of last year's record, but their progress can be measured by the fact that they scored 71 more points than last year and held opponents to 144 fewer. That's progress that could lead to championship ball next year.



STEVE STONE gets an enthusiastic lift from teammate Jimmy Stewart [44] in the Friona end zone after catching a pass for a two-point conversion to give Dimmitt its final victory margin of 28-2 over the Chieftains Friday night. Stone teamed with quarterback Robin Ryan for 10 of the Bobcats' 28 points as he caught a pass and ran 20 extra yards for a touchdown, nabbed a two-point conversion pass and kicked two extra points.

Dimmitt 8th Graders sweep district 5-0

District winners with a perfect record for the season, Dimmitt Middle School's Eighth Grade disposed of their last foe, Friona, with an 8-0 win at Friona last Thursday, ending the year with five victories and not a loss in the district.

Dimmitt lost only one pre-season game and wound up with a total of seven wins. Coach Jerry Durham said this record is the best for a DMS team in the last nine years. Four of the district wins were on the opponent's home field.

"The team never let down all year. They set their goal to win district and wouldn't give up," Durham said.

Most of the game at Friona was played between the 30-yard lines, with Dimmitt fighting to keep their foes outside the 20 out of respect for Friona's stellar field goal kicker. The contest was scoreless until the last quarter.

With 1:36 left, a 30-yard drive was set up by a recovered punt fumble by Frank Garcia, that touched one of Fri-

ona's players. Hilbert Dominguez carried the ball over in a 16-yard run, and Tim Kenworthy passed to Scott Simpson for the PAT.

In the Seventh Grade game Dimmitt lost 18-6 with all the scoring done in the first half of play. Unable to score in the final half, Dimmitt put up a stiff fight to also hold Friona scoreless.

"I've never been prouder of a bunch of kids than I was of our team the second half of the Friona game," Dimmitt 7th grade coach Brett Pruitt said.

"The boys really showed their pride that half," he said. "Everyone played their hearts out, but Mike Love and Bobby Nino deserve special recognition for their fine performances."

Mike Love made Dimmitt's scoring play with a six yard sweep to the left.

NOTHING is quite so annoying as to have someone go right on talking when you're interrupting.

GAME AT A GLANCE

Hart	S-E
20 First Downs	14
230 Rushing Yardage	258
75 Passing Yardage	94
305 Total Offense	352
14/3 Passes Att/Comp	12/2
3 Interceptions by	1
0 Fumbles Lost	1
6-39.6 Punts-Avg.	3-37
6-30 Penalties-Yds.	8-70

Score by Quarters:

Hart	S-E
6 15 0 0-21	13 0 0 8-21

Hart JVs down S-E

Hart's Junior Varsity downed Springlake-Earth in a 16-14 contest last weekend, while the Hart Junior High teams were losing to S-E boys.

Coach David Turner's Seventh Grade from Hart were blanked 12-0, but still tied for second place in district. For the season, Hart won four, lost three and tied two games. Tommy Manchaca was cited as the outstanding defensive player in the Seventh Grade game.

Hart JV added 10 points in the final quarter to 6 from the opening frame for its victory. A touchdown with two extra points before the half, and another TD in the last quarter were scored by Springlake-Earth.

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AFS student in France describes 'culture shock'

David Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson, has now been in France three months as an American Field Service exchange student.

The 18-year-old Dimmitt youth is living with the Jackie Claude family in the rural community of Chavanod, which is located in the French Alps, north of Grenoble and just south of Lake Geneva, Switzerland. He attends Bertholet High School in nearby Annecy.

The family Claude (pronounced Clo-DEE) consists of the father, Jackie; the mother, Bernadette; three sons, Lionel, 19, Francis, 14, and Olivier, 6; a daughter, Annick, 18, who is an AFS exchange student in Indiana this year; and Mrs. Claude's mother. Lionel is employed in Annecy and Francis attends a private boarding school, so they are usually at home only on weekends.

Mr. Claude is employed by Metrix in Annecy. It's an international company that markets electronic products.

What is life in France like for the Texas Panhandle youth who could speak virtually no French when he arrived there?

This diary, made up of excerpts from Nelson's letters to his family, traces his AFS adventure from the time he left here in mid-August until his latest letter.

Aug. 17
Hi! I'm about 30,000 feet in the air with a weak stomach. I just left Dallas on my way to New York. I'm going to miss y'all! ... Thanks for letting me go. See ya in a year.

Aug. 22
I'm right outside of Paris in a little village (Semur), in a private school. I'm having a lot of trouble with my French. I'm in the beginners' class in the language course. I think I have culture shock.

We drove to the orientation site in the evening. It is a huge castle that was all lit up. It was like entering a fairy tale ...

My family called and said that they couldn't find a bed large enough for me ... Everybody plays guitar and it's very peaceful. The area is mountainous, has forests, rains a lot, is very old, and I think that I'm in heaven!

There's only one problem. Nobody told us about the toilets over here. They're just a hole in the floor. It's really strange ...

Aug. 28
I just arrived in Chavanod yesterday. It has been cold and wet ever since I arrived in France.

The house is very nice. Lionel (age 19) has a very good Sansui amplifier with an ex-



DAVID NELSON
... Our man in Chavanod

ternal turntable and huge speakers. Lionel and Francis (age 14) are on the Cote d'Azur (southern coastal resort) for their vacation until they run out of money. The life in France is very expensive.

I cannot communicate with my French mother at all. Yesterday she handed me a milk container, like the big ones we used to have. I thought that she was showing it to me, so I said that we have these in the States also. Then she started pulling on my arm, and from what I could get out of her words, she wanted me to go milk a cow. As it turned out, Jackie (his French father) and I were to go to the dairy to get some fresh milk. It was hilarious.

Jackie can speak English well. Olivier (age 6) is really a very nice little boy. He gave me his room to stay in for the year while he moved to Annick's room.

There is nothing to do here in Chavanod. There's not even a store. It's just houses spread far apart, as if I lived on a farm. There are many new things to get used to!

Mr. Claude has already told me that I can go to Italy sometime during the year to see Armando. He also said that I can go to Switzerland sometime.

The Alps are everything I expected them to be. They are really magnificent.

Sept. 3
The picture you find enclosed is a gift from M. Claude. It is a river scene in Paris, drawn by the wife of M. Bourgeois, an executive in the Metrix Company. The process for the engraving is the same as that for a printed circuit board.

M. Claude wishes to have his personal thanks extended

to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce for the commemorative coin set. He really appreciated it.

I'm doing fine now. Everybody tells me that my French is very good. I spent the day in Annecy riding mopedette (mopeds) with some nouveau (new) friends. We had a blast. There's a beach with many girls, a castle with a lot of history, and a town with a lot of tourists.

By the way, "O.K." means the same thing in France.

The life here is very expensive. For example, if you want to go to a discotheque here, you must pay 35 francs (\$8.50) for cover charge. No discotheques for me.

There are many manners and rules of conduct to be observed here in France. It really gets on my nerves, because I expected a kind of free life. It's more strict than ours.

Sept. 8
The school here decides what you will take and whether or not you can even enter their school. I need three or four legal pads, because the paper here is terribly expensive, and not of very good quality.

There are as many mopeds as there are cars in Annecy. The mopeds weave in and out of the cars and most of the time it's better to be on a moped than in a car. The transportation here was one of the most different things. The cars are much smaller, but the French people drive much faster. You can tell Bob and Earlene (West) that I haven't installed an ejector seat on my moped yet ...

Sept. 15
School started yesterday. It didn't really start; we just went to class for a couple of hours and the different teachers dropped in and gave us out schedules and told us what books we had to buy. I'm taking history-geography, mathematics, philosophy, French and English. I only go to school half a day on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and there is a two-hour lunch break every day. I've already made quite a few friends in school, but it's still difficult to talk with them as my French is very limited.

The weather is still warm enough to enjoy the beach, and I try to go there as often as possible. When I first arrived here, the Claudes drove me to the top of a huge mountain overlooking the lake, where hang-gliders started their descent. It was probably the biggest mountain I've ever been on, and these guys with the hang-gliders were just jumping off of it. It was so high that some of their descents lasted up to 1 1/2 hours. I think I'll try it at the end of

the year.

I found a store that sells novels written in English, and I've been doing a lot of reading. I've paid up to \$4 for a second-rate American paperback here. It's outrageous, but I guess it costs them a lot to import them.

I've been invited to participate in some rowing competition this Sunday with a local club. I'm also on Mr. Claude's company's volleyball team, and I am thinking about playing basketball in school. I've been doing some jogging lately, also. Jogging here is a lot harder because it's so mountainous.

Sept. 19
Bonjour! It's 11 at night here. I've just finished re-

reading the Castro County News. There is a filler item that says that the Icelandic language has not changed for 800 years. It's true—I have two friends from Iceland now, and they told me the same thing. They brag as much about Iceland ("Island" in Icelandic) as I do about Texas, so we get along just fine.

You wouldn't believe how much pride swells up in me now when I hear the word "Texas." My textbook for English "Les Etats Unis," is written in English and the author was married in Texas. I enjoy this book tremendously. I wish I could get with a group of Texans right now and dip some Skoal and cuss up a storm! I'm getting tired

of racking my brain just to talk.

The other day we went to visit some friends and stopped along the way to visit a picturesque old bridge. It was a very large bridge, and the chasm below was similar to that of the Rio Grande Gorge in New Mexico. Napoleon's men built the bridge. Anyway, while I was walking across it, I heard an elderly lady say, "My, how beautiful." Well, I immediately ran to her so that I could speak some English, but I started speaking in French by accident. As soon as I got that problem solved, I learned that she was from Canada. I talked with her for 20 minutes, and those 20 minutes left me smil-

ing like a fool for the rest of the day. It was great.

I've been in school now for half a week. It's not so bad, but it's very hard. I have a friend in school, Michel, who is like a crutch for me. He has nine years of English, and sometimes he speaks English while I speak French. It's very relaxing.

Tell Gary Don (Malone) that I said "Hi." I guess he's got it easy now that I'm gone, because he only has to carry half as much milk into our house. I miss everybody back at school. Tell Norris (Cole) and Robin (Ryan) "Hi" also. I'm keeping up with everybody through the newspaper and your letters. I'm sorry about their first football

game.

My money isn't going very far here. I'm trying my best to economize, but it's impossible in France. Everything here is very, very expensive. For example, a Coke costs six francs (\$1.50), a tasse de cafe (cup of coffee) five francs (\$1.25), etc.

School takes up all of my time every day now. Everybody in my class is very friendly and I feel welcome here.

I'm almost dead tired. It drains me to write in any language now, because I translate back and forth as I go. It's really confusing.

I've been talking with a girl in my class, Cascole. Her father is in Houston right [See AFS, Page 7B]

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Teresa's Topics

4-H winners share prize recipes

By TERESA L. CRISWELL
County Extension Agent

Saturday was an eventful day for those Castro County 4-H-ers who entered the annual 4-H Food Show. Forty-four 4-H boys and girls completed their projects and records and competed in the county show. Eight girls from Castro County will go on to compete in the District 4-H Food Show to be held at Texas Tech University Dec. 1.

Eligible for district in senior division are: Mary Jean Huseman, main dishes, with Kylene Behrends alternate; Tammy Behrends, bread and dessert, Christine Huseman alternate; Janet Huseman, side dishes; Edith Durbin, snack-beverage.

Juniors winning top honors are: Charlynn Hunter with Patsy Birkenfeld alternate, main dishes; Jan Nelson with Lisa Nelson alternate, side dishes; Sheryl Simpson with Laura Nelson alternate, bread-dessert; Jill Nelson with Kelly Brock alternate, snack-beverage.

The Food Show is divided into four classes: main dish, side dish, snack and beverage and bread and dessert. There are also two divisions—juniors, ages 9-13 and seniors, ages 14-19.

The 4-H-ers are judged on their knowledge of the four food groups, number of servings needed, nutrients in their dish, and why these nutrients are needed for good health. They are also judged on the appearance and taste of their dish plus a day's menu, including the proper serving needed, and their record books.

The 4-H-ers truly served prize winning dishes this year. The following recipes were prepared by Castro County 4-H-ers who will be representing the district in December.

Main Dish: Charlynn Hunter - Junior Division - Dimmitt
Chicken Special with Rice
2 fryer chickens, cut up
1 stick butter
2 cups instant rice
1 can (10 1/4 oz.) cream of

mushroom soup
1 can (10 oz.) cream of celery soup

1 can (10 1/4 oz) cream of chicken soup
salt & pepper to taste
Melt butter in 9x13 dish. Add 3 cans of soup. Do not add any water. Mix in rice. Arrange chicken on top, salt & pepper to taste. Bake 350° for 1 1/2 hrs. Serves 8.

Main dish - Mary Jean Huseman - Senior Division - Nazareth

Shrimp Creole on Rice
1/2 c. chopped onion
1 c. finely chopped celery
2 med. green peppers, finely chopped
2 cloves garlic, minced
1/4 c. butter or margarine
1 can (15 oz.) tomato sauce
1 c. water
2 tsp. minced parsley
1 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. cayenne pepper
2 bay leaves, crushed
14 to 16 oz. cleaned raw shrimp, fresh or frozen*
3 c. hot cooked rice

Cook and stir onion, celery, green pepper and garlic in butter in 3 quart saucepan about 5 minutes or until tender. Remove from heat; stir in tomato sauce, water, and seasonings. Simmer 10 minutes. Add additional water, if needed. Add shrimp. Heat mixture to boiling; cover and cook over medium heat 10 to 20 minutes, or until shrimp are pink and tender. Serve over hot cooked rice. Makes 6 servings, 1 cup each.

*Run frozen shrimp under cold water to remove ice glaze before adding shrimp to sauce.

Side Dish - Jan Nelson - Junior Division - Dimmitt

Cream Peach Double Decker
1 can (16 oz.) sliced peaches drained and diced
1 pkg. (6 oz.) orange flavored gelatin
2 cups boiling water
1 1/2 cups cold water
1 container (4 oz.) Cool-whip topping, thawed

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Stir in cold water and chill until thickened. Fold peaches into half the gelatin and spoon into a six-cup mold. Chill until set, but not

firm. Blend whipped topping into remaining gelatin and spoon over clear layer in mold. Chill until firm, about 4 hours. Unmold. Garnish with crisp salad greens, if desired. Makes five cups or 10 servings.

Janet Huseman - Senior Division - Nazareth
Pineapple Cream Cheese Salad

1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs
1/4 c. sugar
1/4 c. softened butter or margarine
1 envelope instant whipped topping mix
1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
1/4 c. sugar
1 can (20 oz.) sliced pineapple (syrup packed)
1 pkg. (3 oz.) strawberry gelatin
1 c. boiling water

Combine crumbs, 1/4 cup sugar, and the butter. Press into the bottom of a 9-inch plate. Bake at 375° for about 8 minutes. Cool.

Prepare whipped topping mix as directed on package. Blend cream cheese and 1/4 cup sugar together. Fold in prepared whipped topping. Spoon into crumb-lined pan, spreading evenly. Chill until set. Drain pineapple, measuring syrup. Add water to syrup to make 1 cup. Dissolve gelatin in boiling water; add measured liquid. Chill until thickened. Arrange pineapple slices on cream cheese mixture. Spoon on gelatin. Chill until firm, about 3 hours. For ease in cutting, dip pan briefly in hot water. Garnish with additional prepared whipped topping, if desired.

Bread and Desserts: Sheryl Simpson - Junior Division - Dimmitt

Pastry

1 c. flour
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 c. shortening
2 to 3 T. Cold water
Sift together flour and salt. Cut in shortening with pastry blender. Mixture will look like small peas. Sprinkle with 1 T. cold water, and mix lightly with a fork. Continue adding cold water gradually and mix-

ing quickly until dough holds together. Chill dough for 5 minutes. Place dough on lightly floured board and roll to desired thickness (1/8 inch) in a circle 1 inch larger than pie pan. Place circle of dough in pie pan, trim edge so there is 1/2 inch of dough beyond rim of pan and fold under and flute. Fill pastry with pie filling and bake.

Bread and Desserts: Tammy Behrends - Senior Division - Easter

Brandy Snaps

8 T. (1 stick) unsalted, softened butter
1/4 C. confectioners sugar
2 T. imported English syrup or 5 tsp. light corn syrup with 1 tsp. golden molasses
1/2 C. all-purpose flour
1/2 tsp. ground ginger
1 tsp. brandy extract
2 tsp. finely grated lemon peel

Filling:
8 oz. cream cheese
1 c. whipping cream
8 oz. sour cream
1/2 tsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. brandy extract
Preheat oven to 350°. Use a pastry brush to coat a large baking sheet with 1 tablespoon of softened butter and then coat the handle of a long wooden spoon with another tablespoon of butter. Set aside.

In a heavy 10 to 12 inch skillet, bring 4 tablespoons of butter, 1/4 cup of sugar and the syrup to a boil over moderate heat, stirring until the butter melts and the sugar dissolves. Remove the pan from the heat. With a large spoon gradually beat in the flour, ginger, extract and lemon peel. Continue to beat until smooth. Drop the batter by the teaspoonsfull on to the baking sheet, spacing the cookies about 4 inches apart. Bake in the middle of the oven for 8 to 10 minutes, or until the cookies have spread into 3 to 4 inch rounds and have turned a golden brown. Turn off the heat and open the oven door, but leave the cookies in the oven to keep warm. If the cookies cool too much they will harden and it

will be difficult to shape them.

Working quickly, remove one cookie at a time with a metal spatula and roll it into a tube around the butter-coated handle of the spoon. Slide the tube off the handle onto a cake rack and gently shape into a cone. Proceed in the same fashion with the other cookies. Use the remaining 2 tablespoons of butter to keep the spoon handle well coated as you proceed.

Just before serving, beat the cream cheese until smooth and gradually add confectioners sugar. Set aside. Beat the whipping cream in a chilled bowl until it thickens slightly. Add confectioners sugar and continue to beat until the cream forms stiff peaks on the beater when it is lifted out of the bowl. Gradually add confectioners sugar to the sour cream as you beat it. Gradually add the cream cheese and sour cream mixture to the whipped cream mixture and add the brandy extract and lemon juice until it is well blended. Use a rubber spatula and gently but thoroughly blend the mixtures. Fill a pastry bag with the brandied cream and pipe it into the brandied snaps. Serve at once. Makes approximately 15.

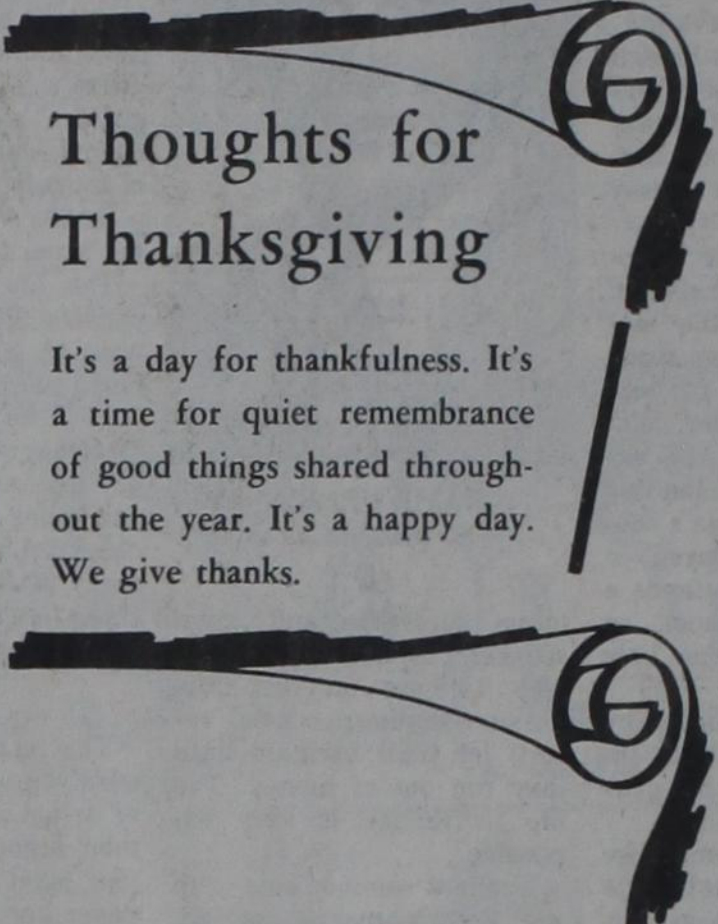
Snack and Beverage - Jill Nelson - Junior Division - Dimmitt

Raisin Bran Muffins

1 (15 oz.) box Raisin Bran cereal
5 c. flour
3 c. sugar
2 tsp. salt
4 eggs, beaten
1 quart buttermilk
1 c. corn oil
1 1/2 c. chopped pecans
5 tsp. soda

Combine the cereal, flour, sugar, soda and salt in a very large mixing bowl. Make a well in center of mixture. Add eggs, buttermilk and oil. Stir just enough to moisten dry ingredients. Fold in pecans. Cover and store in refrigerator until ready to bake. (Batter will keep in refrigerator as long as 6 weeks.) When ready to bake, spoon batter into

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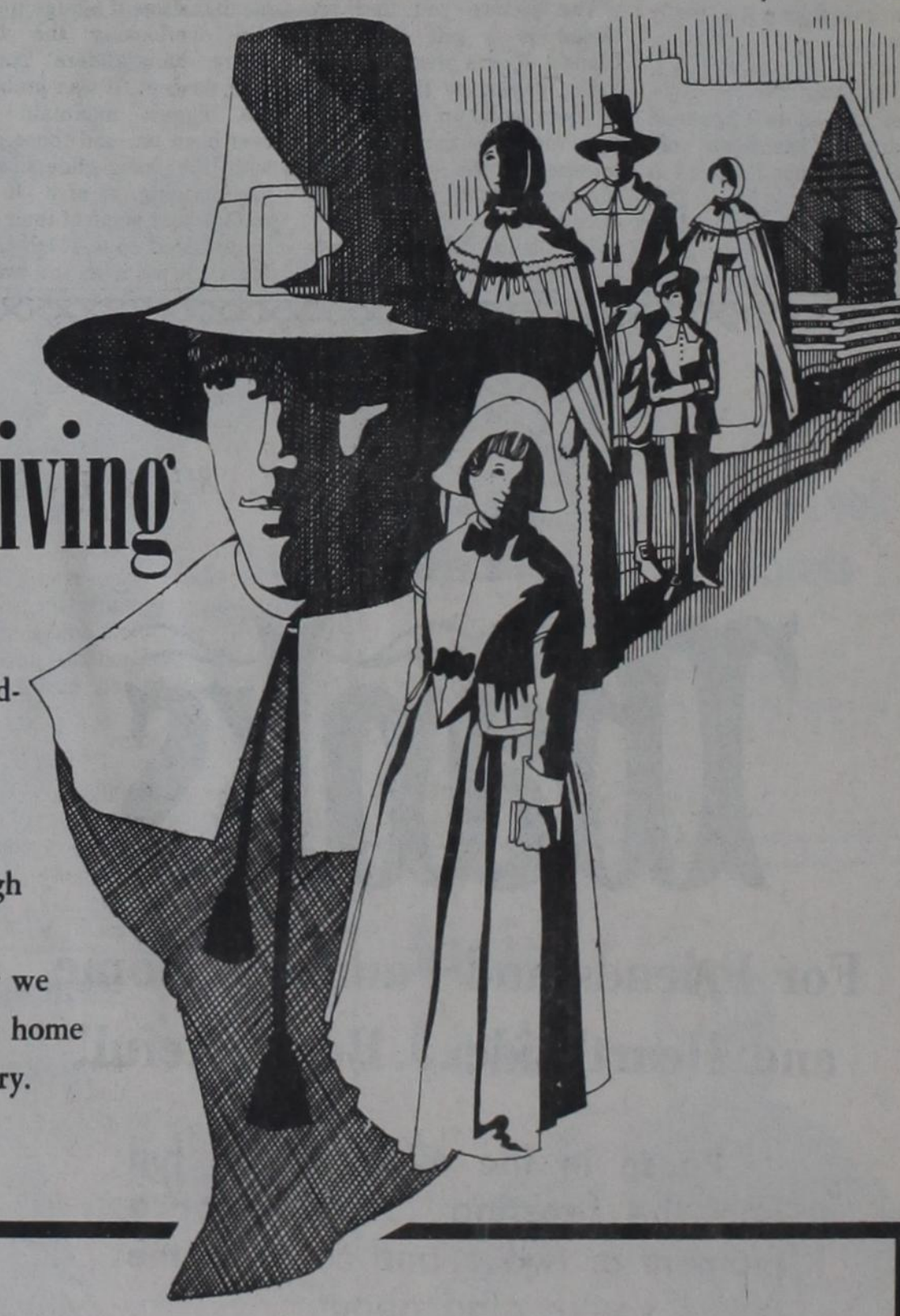


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SENIOR WINNERS in the County 4-H Food Show at the Senior Citizens Center Saturday were [from left] Edith Durbin of Nazareth, snacks and beverages; Tammy Behrends of Frio, breads and desserts; Mary Jean Huseman of Nazareth, main dishes; and Janet Huseman of Nazareth, side dishes. The county winners will compete in the District Food Show Dec. 1 at Lubbock.



JUNIOR WINNERS in the County 4-H Food Show Saturday all came from Sandra Nelson's Dimmitt 4-H Club food class, and insisted that their teacher get equal credit for their success. The junior winners, standing behind Mrs. Nelson, are [from left] Sheryl Simpson, breads and desserts; Charlynn Hunter, main

dishes; Jan Nelson, side dishes; and Jill Nelson, snacks and beverages. The food show was held in the Castro County Senior Citizens Center, and the senior citizens—along with judges, parents and 4-H leaders—got to sample a wide variety of tasty foods during the show.

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4-H winners ...

[Continued from Page 2B] greased muffin tins, filling 3/4 full. Bake at 400° for 12-15 minutes. Yield: 5 1/2 dozen.

Snack and Beverage - Edith Durbin - Senior - Nazareth

Marian's Punch

1 small pkg. Jello (any flavor)

2 cups sugar

4 cups boiling water

2 quarts ginger ale

1 46 oz. can pineapple juice

Freeze all ingredients except ginger ale. Take out two hours before serving. Pour ginger ale as it is put into the punch bowl. Add punch ring if desired. Makes approximately 60 servings.

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County FU resolutions deal with gasohol, taxes

The Castro County Farmers Union adopted seven resolutions at its annual convention Saturday night at the Nazareth American Legion Hall. Most of them dealt with gasohol production, the windfall profits tax, foreign ownership of land, and disaster-payment levels.

The proposals, presented by Resolutions Chairman Harold Bennett, will be forwarded to the Texas Farmers Union's policy drafting committee for consideration at the next state convention in January. Castro County FU President Doug Higgins is chairman of the state policy and resolutions committee.

Resolutions adopted Saturday night were:

1. "That the state sales tax be removed from gasohol sold in Texas."

2. "We encourage federal legislation granting tax deletions and credits on each gallon (of gasohol) produced and sold in Texas."

3. "To halt the ever-increasing encroachment by our multinational companies of our individual rights, be it resolved that any producer of gasohol in Texas who abides by state and federal guidelines be allowed total control of the marketing and use of his production."

4. "Since the obscene profits currently being made by our oil companies are being used to buy food companies, forests, land and media outlets rather than being used to explore for more oil, be it resolved that we support the windfall profits tax as offered by Congress and the President."

5. "Be it resolved that all foreign ownership of land and its production should be subject to all taxes and regulations that US citizens shall be subjected by law."

6. "That commodity disaster payment provisions be legislatively extended for the life of the current farm program through 1981, and that they be figured at 100% of each individual's proven yield (instead of at 60% as at present)."

7. "Since Title X, Subtitle A-3 of the state policy infringes on the rights of private property owners (by urging legislation prohibiting the purchase of land in Texas by foreigners), be it resolved that we recommend striking out said policy."



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But it was only the beginning.

In 1975, American farms produced \$17.4 billion in exports. And in '76 the total soared to \$22.8 billion, then reached \$24 billion in '77. And farm exports hit an astonishing \$27 billion in 1978. That year alone, agriculture contributed a \$13.4 billion trade surplus to help prop the battered and sagging U.S. dollar. It was crucial. The dollar bottomed and began to rise again.

After a performance like that, what do you do for an encore?

Here's what U.S. farmers did: During the marketing year just ending, they produced and sold overseas more than \$32 billion of grain and other commodities. That's an 18 percent gain in one year. And it came in the face of a strengthening dollar. When final figures are in, agriculture's net contribution toward lowering the U.S. trade deficit will likely rise to nearly \$16 billion during 1979.

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COUNTY RUNNERS-UP—Alternates to the District 4-H Food Show in Lubbock next month will be these six girls who were the runners-up in total points in their age groups and categories at the County 4-H Food Show

Saturday. Senior alternates at left are Christine Huseman and Kylen Behrends. Junior alternates are (left to right) Laura Nelson, Kelley Brock, Lisa Nelson and Patsy Birkenfeld.

Thanksgiving
A TIME
TO REFLECT

During this festive Thanksgiving holiday, let us remember to take time to bend our heads in prayer, to express our happiness and heartfelt gratitude for all of life's simple joys!



WESTERN AUTO

Marilyn Tate named agent in Floyd County

A new county Extension agent for home economics, Marilyn Tate, has been named for Floyd County, effective Jan. 1. She is formerly an Extension agent in Gray County. A native of Castro County, Mrs. Tate was graduated from Hereford High School. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in home economics education from Texas Tech University in 1975. While at Tech, she was on the Dean's honor roll every semester. Mrs. Tate served as assistant county agent and county agent in Gray County since August, 1975. She is a member of the Texas Association of Extension Home Economists and the Texas Home Economics Association.

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Rotary hears report on Presidential Classroom

D. W. Harkins, Dimmitt High School principal, spoke to Rotarians on the Presidential Classroom at their Friday noon meeting. Trent Armstrong, a junior at DHS, has been chosen for this year's representative for the Presidential Classroom. "All students come back from Washington, D.C. with a positive attitude," Harkins told Rotarians. Armstrong will leave for Washington in January and will stay for seven days. While in the nation's capital

he will attend seminars, visit Congress and be with the representative from this area. He will also learn about the responsibilities of different governmental groups and how the nation's problems can be legally solved, Harkins said. The Rotary Board of Directors will discuss financing of the Presidential Classroom at its next meeting, president George Lamberth said. Approximately \$600 is needed to send a student to Washington each year, Harkins said.

Nazareth

Thanksgiving visits made

By VIRGIE GERBER
Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pohlmeier are spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Frederick, Okla. with Ray and Rosella O'Hanlon and family. Mrs. Etta Mae Kleman and daughter Rhonda of Vian, Okla. spent the weekend here visiting with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schulte and the Harry Kleman family. Elmer Kleman of Coleman spent the weekend here with his family and with the Arthur Klemans of Tulia.

A number of fans enjoyed the basketball clinic at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview Saturday. Dora Albracht is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Chicago with her two daughters, Elaine and Dottie and their families. Mrs. Meta Stork is still in the Dimmitt hospital but should be home for Thanksgiving. Anna Birkenfeld, daughter

What's cooking at the school

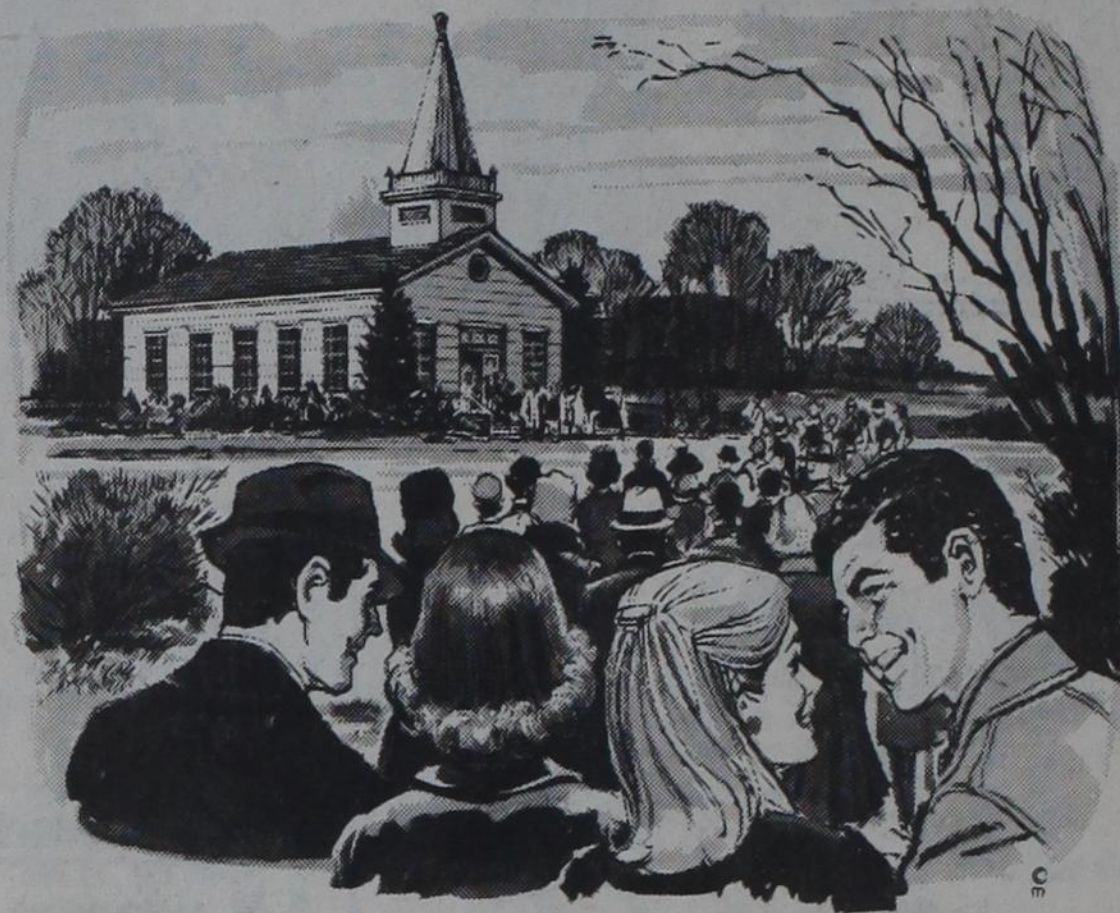
Here are the lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for the week of Nov. 26-30.
MONDAY — Stuffed weiners, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.
TUESDAY — Pinto beans, spinach, sliced carrots, peanut butter cake, corn bread, milk.
WEDNESDAY — Barbecue on a bun, buttered corn, French fries, fruit cobbler, milk.
THURSDAY — Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, broccoli, peanut butter cup, rolle, butter, milk.
FRIDAY — Fish with tartar sauce, mixed vegetables rice, fruit salad, rolls, butter, milk.

Jimmie Lindeman serving in Germany

Sergeant Jimmie A. Lindeman, son-in-law of Pattie Hughes of Dimmitt, has arrived for duty at Zweibrucken, West Germany. He is serving with a unit of the Air Force Communications Service. His wife, Pauletta, is the daughter of Mrs. Hughes.

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So Many Reasons for

Thanksgiving

Neighbors, friends, a bright future... there's so much to be proud of as citizens of this community. We are grateful to all our patrons and wish you a "rich-in-togetherness" holiday.



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Thanksgiving

... a Time for Togetherness, with Prayer and Gratitude

Family, neighbors, friends... everyone joins together in a community spirit of Thanksgiving as glad voices show gratitude through prayer. We share in this joy of Thanksgiving, with special thanks for the opportunity and obligation of serving our friends and neighbors, and working with them for the betterment of our community, that we may fully deserve the many blessings for which we are always grateful. To all, a happy Thanksgiving.



THANKSGIVING GREETINGS... to all

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Sunnyside

Miss Clark shows champion in Kentucky

By TEENY BOWDEN

Jerri Ka Clark showed the Champion Southdown Ram in the Junior Show at Louisville, Ky. last weekend. She also showed second and fourth with yearling ewes, and fifth and 16th with ewe lambs. She and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark, returned home Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mrs. Milburn Haydon, Mrs. Alton Loudder and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan hosted the children of the Satellite School to a chicken dinner at Ann's Steak House Wednesday. Others helped with the expenses.

L. E. Wilson of Ropesville, father of Hershel Wilson, suffered a heart attack at the airport in Lubbock Thursday. Four doctors responded and gave him CPR first aid. He was admitted to Methodist Hospital, where he remains in critical condition. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson have been with him much of the time since.

L. B. Bowden was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Thursday morning with a lung infection. He was dismissed Saturday morning. Mrs. Larry Sadler helped fix dinner Thursday for her mother, Mrs. Norma Conard. The dinner was to honor Arce Catano, a worker at the Satellite School who is moving away.

Kim Haydon played the leading role in the Springlake-Earth senior play presented Tuesday night. Michael Graham was also a member of the cast. Chris Elkins was the stage manager.

Jodie Riley was boy citizen of the week at Springlake-Earth last week.

Rev. Eddie Alexander, pastor of New Hope Baptist Church in Dimmitt, will be the guest speaker of the local church Sunday night at 7. Members of the church will also bring special music.

Baptist Women met for the general program Tuesday morning with Mrs. L. B. Bowden in charge.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones left after the services Sunday night for San Angelo and a few days deer hunting on the Jones Ranch there.

Kim Haydon was named Springlake-Earth FFA Sweetheart for the year. Jeannie Haydon has been elected secretary of the FFA for the 1980-81 year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler spent most of the week at Breckenridge Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton of San Angelo visited last Sunday through Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Waggoner, Laura, Su-

san and John, to help Susan celebrate her birthday.

burg, father of Mrs. Cecil Curtis of Sunnyside, passed away in Saint Mary's Hospital

in Lubbock Thursday night. Funeral services were held in Petersburg Saturday.

Thanksgiving
A DAY FOR GRATITUDE



...and **GIVE THANKS**

For Our Still Priceless Blessings and Freedoms

We are proud indeed to be a part of this thriving community . . . and to live among our wonderful friends and neighbors. So on Thanksgiving we pause with heartfelt thanks for our priceless blessings and the privilege of serving you.

We are thankful for the freedom to worship in the church of our choice and for the preservation of peace.



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History Book workshop set

A workshop will be held in Hart from 2-6 p.m. Nov. 29 at the Farmers State Bank to help people write their family stories for the Castro County History Book.

The workshop will be conducted by Helen Richardson and Teeny Bowden in the community room.

Judy Cotton of Lubbock, representative of the publishing firm, will also be present.

Persons may come for help at any time during the four-hour period.

"If you have submitted your story, encourage your friends to do so. If you have not, take advantage of this personal assistance," said Mrs. Bowden, the editor.

"We want all families in the county to be represented in the history book," she added.

Vaccination clinic slated at Hart

A free vaccination clinic will be held from 9 until 11 a.m. Nov. 28 at the Hart Elementary School.

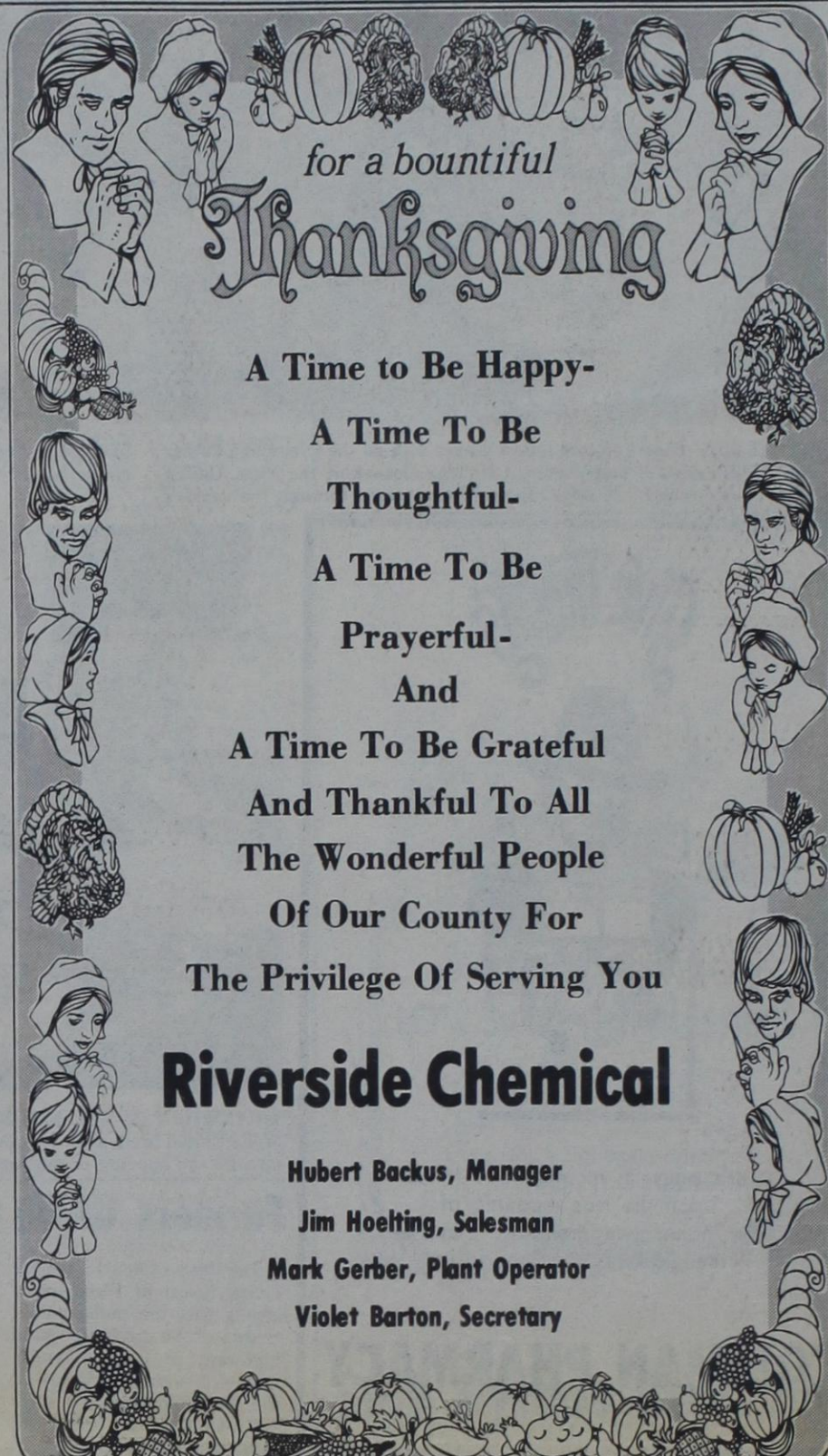

The clinic offers vaccines that give protection against the childhood diseases of polio, diphtheria, lockjaw, whooping cough, measles, rubella and mumps.

for a bountiful
Thanksgiving

A Time to Be Happy-
A Time To Be Thoughtful-
A Time To Be Prayerful-
And
A Time To Be Grateful
And Thankful To All
The Wonderful People
Of Our County For
The Privilege Of Serving You

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Mark Gerber, Plant Operator
Violet Barton, Secretary

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EASTER GRAIN, Inc.
Gene King, Manager

LET US GIVE THANKS

Let's Open Our Hearts...

...With love. Thanksgiving is a time of sharing and caring, feasting and celebrating. May you enjoy yours to the fullest! . . . Happy Thanksgiving all!

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HOLIDAY FEAST—Diners enjoy a turkey dinner with all the trimmings during the United Methodist Women's annual Holiday Bazaar at the First United Methodist Church last Wednesday. Hundreds streamed through the serving line and visited the women's gift display during the two-hour event. Proceeds of the bazaar will go to the UMW's church and mission projects.

Give Thanks



Let's pause a moment and reflect upon the true meaning of the Thanksgiving holiday . . . and all the gladness it brings to us.

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MEANWHILE, IN THE KITCHEN, members of the United Methodist Women work to keep up with the appetite of the crowd during the UMW Holiday Bazaar. Dishing up more food for the holiday feast are [from left] Katy Wright, Mary Lu Smithson and Sue Booser.

Farmers Union urges upkeep on highways

The Castro County Farmers Union Board of Directors is urging that the personnel in charge of the upkeep of state highways in Castro County review the current status of the state highways. Presently, the directors said, the state highways in the county are maintained in a

condition that is hazardous to the present users of the highways.

The highways the board is complaining about are state highway 168 from Hart to the north county line, state highway 86 from Dimmitt eastward to the county line and

state highway 145, from county line to county line.

GASOHOL is attracting more and more interest. Some 500 farmers were expected at a Midwest meeting on alcohol production, and 3,000 showed up.

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THANKSGIVING

A Day for Thoughtful Joy



A Wealth of Warm Wishes For You

We hope you and yours sample all the happy times and warm feelings that this Thanksgiving holiday brings. Enjoy it to the fullest!

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THANKSGIVING

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Happy Celebrating IF I MUST BE COOKED ...

We have so many blessings to give thanks for...our families...friends...health...happiness. Let's count our good fortunes on this happy holiday.

If I must be cooked, I want to make sure it is by a method befitting the dignity of a bird of my nobility—the electric way.

After all, we turkeys have pride. For instance, when I appear on the table, I want to be juicy and tender. I certainly do not want any relatives to say I was a dry and tough old bird.

Cooking the electric way will just about guarantee my prime condition. After all, the heat will be controlled and concentrated on me—not allowed to escape into the kitchen. But then again, considering the cleanliness and safety of an electric range, I guess anything looks and tastes better when cooked this modern way.

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Tulia, Texas

More about AFS student...

[Continued from Page 1B] now, and she's been to Texas a couple of times. I don't know if she speaks English very well, because I spoke with her in French. I've found another Texan! Or as close to one as I'm gonna find here.

Sept. 26 I got a haircut yesterday. It's pretty different. I'm losing weight fast—I figure I've lost about 15 pounds. I'm still thinking about growing a beard. I started twice, but after a few days I looked so bad that I went ahead and shaved.

It's already freezing here. The wind comes off of the snow in the Alps, and it's as strong a wind as ours.

They develop film very well here, and the color pictures are beautiful, but the processing costs 100 f.9 (\$24) per roll!

I went to the public library the other day. Here, you have to rent the books. I found a fantastic French course for Americans with cassettes and books. It's very complete, and I get to use it for three months.

A haircut here cost me 98f (\$23.50). I think I'll become a hippie!

School is finished for me after lunch on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. On Mondays and Thursdays, I finish at 4. I'm taking six hours per week of history, eight hours per week of philosophy, four hours per week of math, three hours per week of English, two hours per week of gym, and two hours per week of French. I guess the hours are easy, but the language is killing me.

The same movies and music are popular in France as in America. Almost every song I hear is in English, and the same thing I listened to on the radio in Dimmitt.

Despite myths, the water is good here. Also, the French people are NOT as many Americans seem to think. They are very cultured, stylish and intelligent. Intellectualism seems to be the "in" thing here. Some of the students in my English class write as well in English as some of the people in our high school.

Oct. 8

I go to school every day except Sunday. You might not think I'm taking many hours, but these courses are advanced and they move quickly! In three weeks I've already taken half a looseleaf notebook of notes for class, and I don't even catch half of what is said.

My history professor is a very political person. He is also strongly communistic and makes interesting remarks about America's involvement in World War II.

I gave a program about Texas in my English class and used some of the pictures you sent me. Everybody seemed to enjoy it, and I'm supposed to think up another one for tomorrow.

If it's possible, I'd like a subscription to the English-language foreign edition of Time, and thorough literature on World War I and World War II for history. (Thorough! They don't mess around here!), and anything else that you can think of to put in a Care package for a poor, cold overseas student.

le 10 Octobre, 1979

(Editor's Note: The following letter was written in French and translated for us by Susan Hanners.)

Here is a letter in French. Perhaps it isn't very correct, but the important thing is that it is in French.

I have a seven-day vacation at the beginning of November. Maybe I am going to Geneva or to Grenoble.

I have to work a lot for school now. The study is truly difficult. We talk in philosophy class of the unreality of the past and of the future today. The teacher told me, "There is no past or future because the past and future are in the present." We talk of the theories of Freud and St. Augustine and many others. I really have to pay attention and concentrate in all my classes.

Anney is very beautiful. Now it is a little bit cold and it's raining . . .

I know there are many errors in my writing. That's because I learned French orally, and not written.

Oct. 14

Give Mr. Harkins and Mr. Koeninger my deepest gratitude (for working out the

graduation schedule). I've already taken the SAT tests, so I can take the ACT tests on campus during orientation.

Tell Coach Cleveland that my new coach here has picked me for the basketball team. I'll start playing Wednesday. I'm also playing volleyball Monday evenings (they're good!) and rowing on Saturdays when the weather is good.

I got a letter from Armando the other day. My other letters had been going to another Armando Bellesia in Fabbriaco. He said he would come and visit me soon.

Today is Sunday, and this afternoon I'm going to Chambery for a regional AFS meeting. The returning French students will be there as well as the other AFS students for this year in my area. I know all of the AFS students in France (from the orientation week in Semur) and we all keep in contact. I will see everybody again on the 27th in a little town on the Cote d'Azur. I'm really looking forward to these meetings.

Oct. 15

It's Monday night after school now. I had a good time at the AFS meeting. I'm not the only one having problems adjusting, but one or two aren't even trying. One girl seems to expect this year to be a happy merry-go-round and was interested only in "enjoying herself," and one boy refuses to learn French—he doesn't like to be corrected all the time. I've a lot of work and adjusting to do, but that's what I expected.

I got the paper today (Oct. 11 issue). The Bobcats won! Gary Don played a good game. Ulla's picture as Flame Queen is on the front page, and Norris was chosen the "most western." I wish I were there. I think this year in France is pretty important, though, and if I were in Dimmitt I would probably take it for granted as another year of high school. You don't really appreciate something until you leave it!

Oct. 22

You're not going to believe this, but I found another Texan in Anney. He was born in Texas, and his father taught at A&M. He has lived in Anney for 15 years, and he has three sons and one

daughter. I learned all of this in one phone call. He is a very friendly person, and has promised to set up some things with local youth organizations for me. He knows the people in the local Rotary and Lions clubs, and I would like to exchange banners with them.

Life is all right here. I've taken up the guitar; it's a lot of fun. I'm also playing basketball with the school team now. Mama' is taking me to Anney to get some pictures made because Annick wants one. I'll send you one also. I forgot to tell you, but I'm bald! Not really, but there's a definite change.

Just finished writing a paper for philosophy on the subject, "Que pensez vous de l'expression, 'il faut laisser faire le temps?'" Also completed an exam in history. Didn't do too well on those, I'm afraid, but in English and math I got a 17 and 16 respectively. That's out of a possible 20, and is the highest in the class. Math isn't easy, but at least I understand it.

Spoken French is a lot easier for me now, and I can express myself fairly well. My written French is terrible.

Everything is very beautiful here and the trees are changing colors. I could swear that I'm in Colorado with a different language and architectural style—the scenery around here is not that different. I may change my mind once I go skiing in the Alps.

Nov. 4

Geneva, Switzerland I'm sitting here in a cafe in Geneva with my friend from Iceland. I've been here all morning. I think that I'm in love with this place. Everybody is friendly and helps us find places, and they actually smile! The bus to get around Geneva is free and the chocolate is fantastic! I'm going to the musee d'histoire naturel now.

Nov. 5

We're just finishing a week of vacation from school. Stefan from Iceland came up from Grenoble yesterday and we went to Geneva. I love Geneva. I think that I might want to live there someday. Everything is very modern. They have gigantic shopping centers. The people were very friendly, too. When we asked

somebody in the street for directions, they smiled, were very friendly, and spoke English almost perfectly. Even the people in the stores spoke English if you wanted them to.

I saw the place where the diplomats meet to work out treaties. They're working on the final negotiations of Salt II right now. I saw the museum of natural history. They have every kind of living thing in the world there. I took a lot of pictures; I hope they come out okay. I also saw the museum of clocks and watches. It was so fantastic that I can't even describe it.

I ate lunch at McDonald's. Had a Big Mac, large fries and a large Coke. Also saw a Wendy's Hot & Juicy Restaurant.

The bus to get around Geneva was free. That really surprised me. Went to see the jet d'eau (water fountain) in Lake Geneva, but it was turned off for the winter. I'm going to visit Geneva more often. It's only 30 km from Anancy. That's about the same distance as from Dimmitt to Hereford.

I had lunch with David Lush and his family. He's the American businessman in Anney that I told you about. The whole family is really nice. We had a good meal and then went to pick peaches at their vacation house on the mountain.

Mr. Lush's knowledge is endless. He told me minuscule details about beef breeding and pork breeding in West Texas that I had no idea of. His father was a professor at A&M, supervised the experimental station near Lubbock, and later joined the USDA.

Mr. Lush has a degree in mechanical engineering and law, and served in the Marines. He explained to me how American companies survey other countries to know exactly which products would be the best to market there. He told me how Kentucky Fried Chicken failed in West Germany because they served the beer in plastic cups. This guy is a goldmine of information and is really easy to get along with.

Francis and I have been talking about skiing. Francis just bought some new skis, and he's explained all of the parts of the ski and shoes, and the basic methods of ski-

ing. We have ski stations all around us. We might start skiing in two weeks if it snows. I will ski with Francis the first four times to kind of learn how, and in January I will start to ski with the school and with Metrix. It really sounds like fun! I just hope that I don't kill myself trying to learn in the Alps.

I don't think that it's any colder here so far than where we live, but they don't believe in heating their houses. They use radiators with hot water for heating. I guess that the house temperature here stays between 55 and 65 degrees.

It seems that I'm attending one of the best-dressed schools in France. All of the guys wear suit coats every day with really nice pants and colorful handkerchiefs and scarves. They wear the suit coat with the collar up and the scarf around the neck.

The girls all wear spike-heeled little boots and the guys like a kind of cowboy boot. The girls have huge, baggy, pleated jeans that taper down to a very small leg. They all dress to a "T" and look like something out of a fashion magazine, but they don't believe in washing themselves or their clothes too often.

The cuisine here is really great. They take a long time in preparing lunch and dinner. A lot of it is similar to ours. For example, they really like steak and French fries. (French fries in French is "frites," with the i pronounced ee).

The French eat potatoes in many different ways, most of them familiar ways like au gratin (with cheese), etc.

The only really strange dish I've come across is boudin. It is a sort of sausage. I was half way through with one when my "father" told me what it was. They take pig's blood when it is slaughtered and mix it with cream and different spices, then wrap it up to look like sausage. That really grossed me out.

The cheeses are really fantastic, and they have enough variety to make it possible to eat a different type of cheese every day of the year. We eat cheese with the hard bread after EVERY meal. I didn't like the hard bread at first, but now I find myself wondering what I'm going to do without it in the States.

The wine is very good, and they make many different kinds. If you eat a typical French meal, you will have an aperitif before, wine during, a digestif after, and then maybe some champagne. It's all very good, but I've had to just say no to alcohol, because it's too hard for me to speak French or do anything else after a meal like that. I only drink water now, with an occasional glass of wine with the cheese.

I can't really say anything about the moral code of France yet. I can give you a few interesting facts and some of my impressions, although they might not be correct since my French is so rudimentary and I haven't been here long enough yet to draw any conclusions.

The kids here don't seem to have close friends or a social life. You go to school, give each girl you know a kiss on each cheek, shake all the guys' hands, and then pretend that you don't know them. You might talk about the weather or something like that, but you don't go running around with anybody or do anything with them after school. Everybody goes home after school, studies the day's notes, does the assignments, eats, and then goes to bed.

The girls don't like to be seen with individual boys, because this has immoral implications. So the girls stay in one group and the boys stay in another. You never see boys and girls walking along [See AFS, Page 8B]

Let us Be Thankful



Thanksgiving...

LET'S SHARE OUR BLESSINGS

We'd like to express a special appreciation and thanks to all... our friends, neighbors, family... Happy Thanksgiving!

Stan Byrnes Ford, Inc.



LORD, behold our family here assembled. We thank Thee for this place in which we dwell; — for the love that unites us: — for the peace accorded us this day: — for the hope with which we expect the morrow; — for our friends in all parts of the earth, and . . . Let peace abound in our small company.

Robert Louis Stevenson

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Happy Thanksgiving



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FRIENDS AT THIS THANKSGIVING SEASON AND
JOIN WITH YOU IN BEING THANKFUL FOR
ANOTHER BOUNTIFUL HARVEST IN THE TRADI-
TION OF OUR FOUNDING FATHERS

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Here's Hart's school menu

Here are the menus for Hart schools for the week of Nov. 26-30.

MONDAY — Breakfast: Bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk. Lunch: Pizza, tossed salad, buttered corn, peach cobbler, milk.

TUESDAY — Breakfast: Waffles, butter, syrup, milk. Lunch: Pinto beans with ham, buttered spinach, corn bread, cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, applesauce, milk. Lunch: Braised beef tips, hot rolls, green beans, whipped potatoes, apple cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Breakfast: Cold cereal, bananas, milk. Lunch: Fried fish, tartar sauce, corn bread, cole slaw, baked beans, apricot cobbler, milk.

IF you tell a man there are 300 billion stars in the universe, he'll believe you. But if you tell him a bench has just been painted, he has to touch it to be sure.

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TOUCHDOWN!—With blockers and defenders stacked like cordwood, Dimmitt's Jimmy Stewart rams over the top for the Bobcats' final touchdown of the season Friday night at Friona. Providing the lead blocks for the two-yard TD plunge are John Laurent, David Allison and Elias Perez. In background is Bobcat center Kelly Nelson (50). This touchdown gave the Bobcats a 26-2 lead over the Chieftains with 2:30 remaining in the third period, and Steve Stone caught a two-point pass on the conversion play to make the Bobcats' final victory margin 28-2.



Hear Ye,
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God Speed

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More about AFS student...

[Continued from Page 7B] holding hands, as you do in the States.

Nudity is frequent in all forms of advertising and television movies. None of the women on the beach wear tops. You might think I'm going bananas, but I'm really just immune to it all now. Everything's very casual here, and treated like nothing.

I must say that I still don't know all the aspects of the moral code in France, and that there are many subtleties that I haven't the faintest idea of.

I am on the varsity basketball team. But the divisions here are made only by age, and not by playing ability. It's really a rough brand of basketball. The refs don't believe in calling fouls, and some of the guys come out of a game with football-type injuries.

A GOOD boss is someone who takes a little more than his share of the blame and a little less than his share of the credit.

Histories needed before deadline

Thanksgiving is one of those special days when families come together to celebrate another year filled with many blessings. The Castro County Historical Committee urges all county residents to make this Thanksgiving especially meaningful by sharing the County History Book project with visiting relatives and friends and getting them to submit their stories before the Dec. 20 deadline.

Each family unit who has ever lived or presently lives in Castro County is entitled to 500 words of free space and can submit up to two photos with no charge.

If each of the four children of one couple have their own family households and previously or presently live in Castro County, each is entitled to 500 words of free space as well as two photos. So, this family could submit five 500-word stories.

The stories, as well as memorials and tributes (\$150

for a full page, \$80 a half page and \$45 a fourth page), will be published in a hard-back book of several hundred pages in a limited edition, with a cover embossed with an emblem representing the county. Included will be not only family stories but also an account of the growth and development of the county and histories of the businesses and organizations.

Copies should be ordered by Dec. 20, since only the number ordered before publication will be printed. The books are \$35 each. Gift certificates are available.

More information and assistance in writing your family story is available by calling the project chairman, Mrs. L. B. Bowden, at 647-5703 or the County Museum, 647-2611.

NOTHING is easier than fault-finding; no talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character are required to set up in the grumbling business.

What's going on here?

- Today (Thursday)**
Thanksgiving
- Friday**
12 noon - Rotary Club, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
1:30 - 2:30 - Pre-school story hour, Library.
- Monday**
12 noon - Kiwanis Club, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
6:30 p.m. - Tops Club, Library.
- Tuesday**
12 noon - Ladies Golf Association, Country Club.
12 noon - Lions Club, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
7:30 p.m. - Odd Fellows, Lodge
8 p.m. - Dimmitt Promenaders, South Hills Manor.
- Thursday**
10-12 noon - Social Security Representative, Assembly Room, Courthouse.
7:30 p.m. - Firemen, Fire Station.
7:30 p.m. - Rebekahs, Rebekah Lodge.



For the great heritage that is ours in this nation . . . the fruits of labor . . . the prosperity we reap—give thanks.

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