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## Farmers facing lower corn yields and prices




## Drivers are reminded to observe bus signals <br> \section*{school bus mean, "Do not pass."}

Drivers who decide to pass any-
way are taking a big chance-a chance of injuring a school child who may be attempting to cross the
street-and a chance of drawing a street-and a chance of court costs.
fine of up to $\$ 1,000$ plus fine of up to $\$ 1,000$ plis court costs. stopped and has its "stop" signals activated is against the traffic laws the "stop" signals are not activated before passing a stopped school bus,
and then they should proceed only with extreme caution.
Drivers may not proceed around a
stopped bus until the bus turns off its signals and resumes motion or if the
bus driver signals other drivers to bus driver signals other drivers to
proceed, or if the stop signals are
1:1
By Don Nelson
I'm going to just turn the TV off.
It seems that there's nothing else on the tube lately, and I'm getting sick and tired of it.
Every Saturday, there it is on the
screen-my Texas Longhorns getting screen-my Te
waxed again.

Remember my recent tale about
covering a news story on my bicycle? I claimed that using a bike to cover a news story "is something they can't do at the Globe-News or the A-J""
The Amarillo Globe-News picked The Amarillo Globe-News pick
the item up for its regional page.
David Stevens, Globe-Ne regional editor, called last week in the course of the conversation he passed on a message:
"Jim Lexa told me to tell you that rode his bicycle from therts sta he News building to Dick Bivins Stadium once to cover a football game." There's always some guy just

## A bus's stop signals are the flash-

 A bus's stop signals are the flash-ing red lights along the top of the bus. bus driver should activate the 500 feet before thew lights at leas 500 feet before the bus stops. The fying that the flashing red lights are about to come on.
The yellow caution lights have to

Homecoming celebration underway this week at DHS

Dimmitt High School students are
in the Homecoming spirit this week
after enjoying three of five dress up after enjoying three of five dress up
days and the pinning ceremony during the first half of the week.
Now they're ready for the Homecoming pep rally
the Homecoming queen the Homecoming queen, the football
game with Brownfield and the
Homecoming dance.
Students planned a full slate of activities to celebrate Homecoming
week, including five "spirit" days, a
Junior Olympics, pinning ceremony, pep rally, fiesta supper and dance. This year's Honor Coming Home
Class will be the Dimmitt High School Class of 1978 . Beginning Monday, students started off the week with "Camoflage
Day.", Tuesday was "Punk Rocke Day," Wednesday was "Grease
Day," today (Thursday) will be "Pajama Day" and Friday will be "Dress-Up Day.
The school's
The school's annual pinning at 8:25 p.m. at Bobcat Stadium and during the ceremony the Flame King and Queen were crowned.
Candidates for Flame King and Candidates for Flame King and
Queen are seniors Jerry Thomas and Stephanie $\begin{array}{cc}\text { Hinojosa, } & \text { juniors } \\ \text { Frederick } & \text { Traylor and } \\ \text { Ironica }\end{array}$ Traylor, sophomores B.J. Hill and
Mary Bradley; and freshmen Jake Mary Bradley; and freshmen Jake
be activated by the drivers, but the
red flashing lights come on automatired flashing lights come on automati-
cally any time the bus door is opened, said E.L. Washington, transportation supervisor for the Dimmitt
Independent School District Independent School District.
Washington said that Washington said that the main
problems for the Dimmitt school buses are around the high school. He said that drivers seem impatient participate in various activities today
(Thursday), during a special Junior begin at $1: 45$ empis is slated to begin at 1:45 p.m. at the DHS
Gymnasium.

## JP announces

 office hours, gives statement Marshall Young has announced new office hours that will be in effect He said his office Concerning a recent story about
Young resigning his duties as municipal judge for the City of
Dimmitt, Young said, "I will not resign my Justice of the Peace post.
My time is up midnight Dec. 31." My time is up midnight Dec. 31 .
"I just want teveryone to know that
I am not quitting," Young said. "This I am not quitting," Young said. "This
office is still open and you can still
d do business." "I am in contact with my office daily and I know what goes on," he
said. Young had been fulfilling the
duties of municipal judge along with his duties as JP. He has resigned only
the rains that fell weren't enough to reported yields of 13,000 pounds. help many producers. "I think the extreme heat and dry Klmars exceptional "hins year," weather in late June and early July 10,000 pounds is good considering really hurt the corn and as a result the drought. The last two year's said. "Some farmers just couldn't keep up with the water.
"Hot, dry weather at the wrong time will reduce yields and that's what we've seen this year," said
Allen. "The later corn seems to be Allen. "The later corn seems to be
doing better than the early stuff, but dhat's not always true, either. The question is, did it pollinate after the hot weather or not?" Kleman estimates yields are off
about $10 \%$ to $15 \%$ this year

## "This is still going to be a tough

 year because of low yields and low prices," Kleman said. "Our price is about half of what it was last year Usually when we have the lowprices, yields are a little higher. This prices, yields are a little higher. Thi
year the yield and price are off at th same time.'
Allen said the price is beginning to trickle up-a cent or two in the pas couple of days-but the price is still Tuesday's price for corn was $\$ 3.90$ a hundredweight.
" $\$ 3.90$ is a depressed price, but it's the highest price in the nation," Allen said. "Farmers here are receiving more for their corn than their

\section*{Sheriff speaks out on county jail needs <br> uals who will be

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 slowe to the Dimmitt LiensClue Castro the Castro County Jail. He said that a
new jail facility is needed bady, and he doesn't see any way of getting one without going through a bond issue. Fitzgearld said he is not trying to
"second guess" the Castr Cons "second guess" the Castro County Commissioners' Court and added that
he does not envy them their job and
$\qquad$ the problems they face.
"I would much rather face 'the bad
guys' than do their (the commissionguys' than do their (the com.
ers') work," Fitzgearld said.
He said that if something is not
done on the jail situation, the jail
could conceivably be shut do could conce ivably be shut down.
He told the Lions that the last in-
spection of the jail by the Jail Comspection of the jail by the Jail Com-
mission revealed three main areas of
violations: overcrowding, under violations: overcrowding, under
staffed, and heating and air condistaffed, and heating and air condi-
tioning. tioning.
He said the heating and air conditioning has been corrected, and noted
that a start will be made on the
that a start will be made on the
under-staffing when five new jailers
under-staffing when five new jailers
are added in the new fiscal year,
are added in the new fiscal year,
which begins Oct. 1. Fitzgearld said the jail currently
has 33 inmates and only 18 beds. The county has to "farm out" a por-
tion of their inmate population to jails in surrounding countios that have space available. Six have been
sent to Hereford and five sent to Hereford and five to
Muleshoe. He figures the average cost at $\$ 29.81$ per day per inmate.
(Muleshoe (Muleshoe charges $\$ 20$ per inmate
and Hereford asks $\$ 38$.) and Hereford asks $\$ 38$.)
For those 11 inmates, that's a cost of $\$ 328$ per day to the
county $\$ 9,840$ per month and
$\$ 119,720$ ars $\$ 19,720$ for a year. Of course, few
inmates stay in custody for as much inmates stay in custody for as much
as a year, but the jail population has
remained fairly constant, and appears remained fairly co
to be increasing. "Crime is always increasing," Fitzgearld said. "There is never a signifi-
cant decline in crime."
be harder to find. "We are the lowest paying County Sheriff's Office in the Texas PanhanBriscoe County, and I think they only have a Sheriff.
He said the jailer positions are budgeted with a starting salary of $\$ 14,748$ a year, plus benefits and uniform allowance
Jailers are requi hours of training. Fitzgearld said it has been difficul for the county to hold onto jailers once they get their training, because better pay level.
If a bond issue is attempted, Fitzgearld said it will cost upwards of $\$ 2$ million to build an adequate facility. He said a 48 -bed facility built remillion. Fitzgearld said that if the jail is
shut down by the jail commission due to violations, it would cos $\$ 359,061.45$ per year to house an
average of 33 inmates, provided that average of 33 inmates, provided that
enough room could be found for all enough room could be found
of them in neighboring jails. "There is no way we could pay that bill," he said. ew law enforcement center with space available for both county and city officers and the jail facility. He aid it would be an advantage to
include additional beds that could be contracted out with the US Marshal's service or the Immigration and Naturalization Service, providing some income for the county. Fitzgearld said that even though budget for hiring five new jailers, he budget for hiring five new jailers, he
does not know if he will be able to
find that many. He said he knows of

## Weather <br> Sunday .... Monday.. Tuesday ... <br> September Moisture <br> September Moistur 1998 Moisture... Temperatures and mo

 Fitzgearld said that he advised the ommissioners to appoint citizens to committee to study the jail probon to the public, wo the informatio nderstanding of the ping for aced by the county. He suggeste at the commissioners each appoin Fitzgearld said the precincts. had authorized expenditur $\$ 30,000$ for construction of a six the second floor of the jail in the day second floor of the jail in thedaom" area. He said he canno project. Contractors who work commission standards and rules for construction and materials. Fitz
gearld said contractors have told him gearld said contractors have told him
the project is too small" for them to oother with. One reason the county needs add he jail is constructed since it wo-level facility, a jailer has to on the second floor 24 hours a day as
long as there are 10 or more inmates housed there. Also, a jailer is needed on the first floor
If the facility was all on one leve wer jailers would be needed. Fitzearld said.


Nazareth will ursisic crote, 4 ,45,2069
 Family Church A large number of high school and
junior high. students attended as well as several young adults and others. Following the service a scavenge hunt was organized with six groups. They were given an hour time limit chicken leg bone to a 1957 penny. They were also given clues to help find an answer. Those clues were A cylindrical object that releases
blue medium used to communicat blue medium used to communicate
2. This foul item might tickle you 3 This works well for getting liquid out hate these. The answer to the clues will be given next week.
hunt group went winning scavenger hunt group went to leaders Ashley
Kleman and Nikki Wethington and team members Clay Hoelting, Jessica Kern, Vanessa Wilhelm, Shawna Gerber, Kade Wilcox, Karen
Birkenfeld, Lindsey K. Gerber and Brooke Moyers. Matt Olvera was the
lucky winner of "silly string" for lucky winner of "silly string" for
having the smelliest socks After the hunt, all
submarine sandwiches and ice cream at the CCD Building.

Keith and Virgie Gerber and
Donna Charanza enjoyed severa Donna Charanza enjoyed several
days at the home of Harold Gerber at get on the lake one day, so they drove to San Angelo.
They have a beautiful river walk and if you go far enough, you'll find a sunken garden with a number of
different colors of cannas and other different
flowers.
They returned to Lake Ivie by way of Lowake's Steak House. They
finally got on the lake and caught
some fish, but they weren't quite long enough for keepers.
Harold of course had
Harold of course had
freezer for a fish fry.
Odessa to visit with Gene and Susic
Gerber. They had a great time
teaching them and friends Patsy and
Harpo Patton a new game, "Farkle," that they learned at Harol
had a very good vacation.

Tulia to hold
'Classic' events All 1950s enthusiasts and folks
seeking family fun should plan seeking family fun should plan to
head to Tulia this weekend for the Chamber of Commerce's second annual Classic Weekend. During the event, Tulia celebrates
the 1950s with a variety of events. Several local civic organizations,
churches and local merchants will provide a variety of events including a 1950s Fashion Fads dress-up
contest Friday for all schools and contest Friday
On Saturday, Downtown on the
Square festivities begin Square festivities begin at 9 a.m.
with a Classic Car Show sponsored by the Tulia Lions Club and a Model
Car Show sponsored by the Tulia Car Show sponsored by the Tulia Also planned are a radio remote
control airplane show, sponsored by control airplane show, sponsored by
Flatliners of Kress; the Pink Poodle Flatliners of Kress; the Pink Poodle
Diner, sponsored by the Swisher Diner, sponsore Citizens; a tortilla
County Senior loss, sponsored
Tortillas a and the movie "Grease,"
which will be shown at the Royal which will be shown at the Royal
Theater for $\$ 1$ per person, or $50 ¢$ if you're dressed in 1950 s fashions.
At 2 p.m. Saturday there will be Danny and Sandy, Look-A-Like Contest from Grease
Other events will include a bicycle
safety demionstration by the Tulia Sarety demonstration by the
Police Department, game bo
local merchants and
local merchants and more.
The 19th annual arts and crafis The 19th annual arts and crafts fair
sponsored by the Women's Division
of the Chamber of Commerce will be held and the fair will feature a wide variety of items with spaces still
available around the square available around the square. Those
interested in renting a booth should interested in renting a booth should
call Cindy Hurt at (806) $995-4151$. A 50 s live music concert, magic
show and sock hop at the Dallas Street Gym will be held Saturday at


BEST OF SHOW in the Motorcycle Division of the $\quad$ bock in June and second place two weeks ago in
DATA Club Car Show here Saturday was this 1990 DATA Club Car Show here Saturday was this 1990 Honda Gold Wing owned by Randall Small of Dimmitt. The baby-blue motorcycle, which has been
Street Rod is 'People's Choice'

A brunch was then enjoyed at the home of Dustin's grandparents, Kern and Hochstein family members attending.

## Prayers are asked for Rosemary Wilhelm, Marvin Jones, Robert

 Wilhelm, Marvin Jones, RobertBirkenfeld, Patricia Acker and Birkenfeld, P
Allene Burton.

## Sales tax rebates are down

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1997 payment of $\$ 12,547.96$. The
one half of a percent rate collecte one half of a percent rate collected
by the county has raised $\$ 94,399.32$
this year, compared with $\$ 99,821.74$ this year, compared with $\$ 99,821.74$
a year ago. Dimmitt, which collects $1.5 \%$ sale
tax, earned a rebate tax, earned a rebate check of
$\$ 26,361.27$ this month, but that is $\$ 2.66 \%$ lower than the September
1997 payment of $\$ 27,082.25$. So far this year, Dimmitt has received
$\$ 217,247.20$. That's $2.07 \%$ more than the 1997 total of $\$ 212,823.38$ The city of Hart The city of Hart received a rebate
totaling $\$ 1,511.56$ from its $1 \%$ sale tax. That's down from the 1997 pay-
ment of $\$ 1,616.26$ issued last September. This month's rebate brings Hart's yearly total to $\$ 12,286.98$
down $13.53 \%$ from $\$ 14,209.81$. Nazareth's rebate for September dropped $23.7 \%$ from the paymen
issued a year ago. This year's payment on the $1.5 \%$ sales tax rate was
$\$ 797.12$, compared with $\$ 1,044.85$ earned a year ago. For the year, Naz-
areth has received areth has received rebates totaling
$\$ 9,938.63$, up $3.35 \%$ from $\$ 9,615.84$ 2 $=$ reported to the state comptroller in
August by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

Correction

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 Anmen Campbell. Campbell was not actingJP, but acting city judge and performed the arraignment as a magistrate. She had been authorized by he whenever Municipal Judge
judge
Marshall Young Marshall Young was unavailable The News Tegrets the error

## Five Hart students selected for TIP

Hart Independent School District
recently announced that five seventh graders from Hart have qualified for the Duke University Talent Identifi-
cation Program. cation Program.
Those who qualified are Jordy Rowland, Aarica M. Ortiz, Angelica
Mata, Maegan Farris, and Trent
Barnes. Barnes.
Only students scoring in the top
$3 \%$ $3 \%$ on standardized tests may partici-
pate. These students had to score over 98 on the verbal section and/or 90 on the math portion of the sixth
grade TAAS test, according to grade TAAS test, according to
Cheryl Upshaw, counselor for the

Hart Junior and Senior High schools. Those who qualify for the Duke program are allowed to take a col-
lege preparatory exam and qualify for additional honors based on their

DHS Class of ' 78 schedules social The Dimmitt High School Class of after the Dimmitt-Brownfield footThe event will be held at Country Club of Dimmitt and all class mem-
bers and friends are invited to attend.



I just need one thing when I'm looking


Book Fair volunteers are needed
Dimmitt Middle School will have its annual Scholastic Book Fair the Librarian Ruth Cochran said Librarian Ruth Cochran said
volunteers are needed to help with the book fair. If you could help at any time during this week or at
Parent Night on Oct. 26, please Parent Night on Oct. 26, please
contact Cochran at $647-3108$ or at contact Cochran at 647-3
her home at $647-4609$. "Your help is needed to make this
opportunity available for the opportunity available for the
Scholarship meeting set
be applying for scholarships over the be applying for scholarships over the
next four years should plan to attend a scholarship planning meeting on
Tuesday at 7 p.m. Tuesday at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
The meeting w
The meeting will be held in the "We will begin helping you plan how to apply for and get scholarships," said Marilyn Neal, Castro
County Extension Agent. "By beginCounty Extension Agent. "By begin-
ning now you will have a head start on getting financial help for your


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Odoms celebrate 60th wedding anniversary

| M.B. and Lucille Odom celebrated their 60 th wedding anniversary Wednesday with family members. <br> M.B. married the former Lucille Thompson on Sept. 23, 1938, on a farm near Chickasha, Okla. They moved to Dimmitt in 1941, where M.B. was engaged in farming until his retirement in 1985. Lucille was a cafeteria worker in the Dimmitt | school system for 20 years. <br> Children of the couple and their spouses are Bruce and Helen Odom of Lyman, Wyo., Kenneth and Judy Odom of El Paso, Sharon and Lynn Cox of Lazbuddie, Larry and Sandy Odom of San Angelo, and Mike and Cindy Odom of Dimmitt. <br> The couple have 12 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. |
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| The $\qquad$ <br> BORDE <br> Resta <br> 119 SE Second St., <br> Monday-Friday <br> Sunday 10:30-3 <br> Steaks • Mexican Food <br> DAILY LUNC <br> All Steak Dinners <br> Banquet Room | R LINE <br> urant <br> Dimmitt • 647-0678 <br> 10:30-2 and 5-9 <br> losed Saturdays) <br> - Barbecue • Salad Bar <br> H SPECIALS <br> $\$ 1$ Off, 5-7 p.m. <br> ith Seating for 50 |

## Brutons make home in Flagg

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Dan Bruton
are home in Flagg after enjoying a
wedding trip to Criple Creek Colo are home in Flagg after enjoying a
wedding trip to Cripple Creek, Colo. The couple exchanged wedding
vows in a double-ring ceremony on vows in a double-ring ceremony on
Aug. 1 at First Baptist Church in Aug. 1 at First Baptist Church in
Quitaque with Ed Norris of Silverton Quitaque with Ed Norris of Siverion
officiating. officiating.
The bride
Shahnice Pigg, daughter of Clayton and Donna Pigg of Quitaque.
The front of the church was decorated with candelabra accented with greenery and tulle and baskets of
tiger lilies, greenery and roses. Pews tiger lilies, greenery and roses. Pews
were marked with greenery and
Larue Garvin, organist, performed he couple's musical selections in cluding Canon in $D$ and The Wedding March. Soloists Lori Tubbs and Kate Skutsead sang valentine.
Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a sleeveless corset top
dress designed with a full tulle skirt. She wore a pillbox hat-like fingertip
veil. She carried a bouquet of gardenias, "Something new" was her wedding dress. For "something old and borrowed," the bride wore her grand-
mother's pinkie ring. "Something mother's pinkie ring. "Something
blue" was her garter. blue" was her garter.
Maid of honor was Mandy Pigg of Quitaque, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids included Heather Blount of Lubbock, Tracy Guest and Joni Hancock of Turkey and Julie Ross of Quitaque, friends of the bride; and Rhiana McNamara of Lubbock,
cousin of the bride. ousin of the bride

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SIDNEY JOINER


MIKE ELLISON

## May We Introduce

The Hospital District has two new department heads whom we want to introduce to
you
Sidney Joiner started her new job as the manager ot the D.ME.E.Store his week.
The store is located in the east end of the Medical Center of Dimmitt building on West Jones street.
Equipment,"," and thands fors "Durable Medical Equipment", and that's just what the store
sells. rents and servicest such thinss as sells, rents and services-such things as
wheelchairs, hospital beds, canes, lift thairs, wheerchairs, hospital beds, canes, litt chairs,
crutches, commode chairs, bathroom saifety crutches, commode chairs, bathrom satety
products, oxygen bottles and carts, and other types of specialized equipment for personal and home use.
Before the store opened, local people had te depend on out-of-town suppliers for this type of equipment.
small and just starting, but we want to continue with the foundation that has been laid. I hope to meet more people and to make more people aware of our services.
Sidney is the wife (since May 1) of Cory Joiner, a Dimmitt native who is an accoun-
tant with the firm of Doug Proffitt, C.P.A. She grew up on a farm near Wilderado and attended Vega schools. She earned a BA degree in criminal justice from WTA\&M in 1993. For the last two years, she has been work-


The girls' father is de-

## ceased

Mike Ellison is the new director of Emergency Medical services.
He came back home to toke the job here He previousty worked as a filight paramedic
in Amarillo and a shift supervisor for the EMS in A marillo and a shifts supervisor for the EMS in Dumas. Mike is based in Plains Memorial Hospital, and heads a department that includes 11
paramedics and 11 emergency medical tech
pericins
Mike himself is both an EMT and a paramedic, and soon will also be a Registered Nurse. He is scheduled to complete his R.N. training in December through the Amarill
College program. College program. The son of Zane and Carol Ellison, Mike He attended WTA\&M and Amarillo College receiving an associate degree in emergency medicine from AC in 1996. Mike's wife, Brandy, was raised in Ama-
rillo. Mike and Brandy have a 5 -year-old son rillo. Mike
His family is a major reason why Mike chose to return to Dimmitt. "I like the situation here," he said. "It's a little slower pace than I was used to, but I get
a lot more family time now." Please make an effort to meet Sidney and Mike and to welcome them to our commu-
nity.

## Castro County Hospital District

Plains Memorial Hospital • Medical Center of Dimmitt Home Health Agency • Hospice Care • Welch Home Place D.M.E. Services • Thirft Store

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MR. AND MRS. KEVIN DAN BRUTON
.. She's the former Krisse Shahnice Pigg Tech University and he holds a de

## Book's 'Green Chili Enchilada' dish judged best in beef event

## five judges and it earned her a $\$ 75$

 beef gift certificate recently. Book entered her recipe in the Ground Beef Cooking Contest, held Sept. 12 in conjunction with theHarvest Days celebration Harvest Days celebration. earned the right to represent Castro County and enter her dish in the TriState Fair Ground Beef Recipe Contest in Amarillo this week. Beef production is the top income
producer in Castro County. We producer in Castro County. W all the people involved in the beef
industry," said Marilyn Neal, Castro
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Absence diminishes commonplace passions and increase great ones, as the wind extinguishes candles and
kindles fire.
-Due de la Rochefoucauld

| County Extension Agent for Family | by Rafter 3 Feedyard A 2 Cattl |
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|  | Feeding, Seven $X$ Feedyard and |
|  | Terry Hill. Educational materials |
|  | were provided by the Texas Beef |
| Mattie | Council. |
| weet and Sour Sauce" were judged |  |
| and she received a | S |
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| Carla Schilling cleaned up with |  |
| rd place with her "Ground Beef Wild Rice Casserole". |  |
| Other participants and the dishes |  |
| ey entered were Mary Edna |  |
| Hendrix, "Mexican Casserole;" | The District II 4-H Fashion Follies |
| erne Jones, "Enchilada Casserole" | will be held Sunday |
| Bertha Klein, "Soft Tacos"; Janet | Plains Fair. |
| cDaniel, "Green Chili"; | If you plan to enter something yo |
| iling, "Grandma's Goulas | ye constructed with |
| ay Stevens, "Green Chill St | year, you must enter it in the Castron |
| Lequetta West, "Spanish Goop | County Fair. |
| Aditional \$25 gift | After the |
|  | Exte |
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| Cow Patty Bin | for inclusion in the South Plains F |

## We'll honor Gracie Marsh Wednesday.



Gracie is retiring after more than 22 years' service with our bank and our customers.
In her honor, we will host an all-day retirement reception Friday, serving punch and cookies from 9 a m. to 3 p.m. in the bank lobby.

Please come join us in wishing Gracie a happy retirement.

## FIRST

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## Petty and Lathem exchange vows in formal, double ring ceremony

Carol Ann Petty became the bride
of Doug Lathem when the two of Doug Lathem when the two
exchanged vows Sept. 12 in a formal,
Dimmitt.
The Rev. Howard Rhodes
officiated at the nuptial service, officiated at the nuptial service,
which was held at First Baptist which was held
Church in Dimmitt.
Church in Dimmitt. The bride is the daughter of Doris
Swinburn of Dimmitt and Arlie Petty of Bovina. Parents of the groom are Chester and Diana Lathem of Scotsdale, Ariz.
The front of the church was including red roses, white flowers including red roses, white gladiolus,
purple iris, yellow poms, white lilies, purple white, yellow and pink
and alstromeria arranged in a crystal vase flanked by a pair of brass candelabra with white tulle, greenery and babies' breath. The unity candle stand held three white candles
accented with white tulle and fresh accented with white tulle and fresh
flowers. The pews were marked with white tulle bows with streamers to the floor.
Soloist Susan Coleman sang The Wedding Song, and she was accompanied by organist Rhonda
Wise. The Lord's Prayer was sung Wise. The Lora s Prayer was sung candle.
The bride, given in marriage by
her father, wore a gown of white Italian satin and Venice lace. The sleeveless bodice featured a Sabrina neckline trimmed with a band of
dainty, narrow satin. The empire dainty, narrow satin. The empire
waist echoed a double band of satin. The princess A-line skirt was trimmed with a banding and was highlighted with lace appliques. The cut-out back accented a Venice lace overlay. The dramatic split train was
adorned with lace medallions and satin banding.
She wore a veil of French illusion finished with an edge of satin ribbon. The bride carried a nosegay of red roses with English ivy intertwined. Her grandmother's handkerchief was attached to the bouquet
sister of the bride. Honorary matron of honor was Kristi Sadler, sister of the bride
Best man was Russell Lathem of Scottsdale, Ariz., brother of the
Eroom. groom. Prairie, and Derrick Zett of Plano. Flower girl was Sarah Malone of Garland, cousin of the bride. Honorary flower girl was Makenzie Sadler of Grand Praire, niece of the


Ring bearer was Darrin Parker of After the wedding, a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Swinburn.
The evening included a dance in the back yard with music pr
by the Three Quarters Band.
The back yard was decorated with white lights, torches and tables covered with white cloths. Hurricane globes with white pillar candles accented with bright fall colors of red, purple and yellow flowers,
greenery and white tulle, served as


The Britit lon, so far, born outside the British Isles to serve as prime minister of Great Britain was An

selling candy bars over the next month in an effort to raise money fo construction of thei
Center. Money raised will go toward the 4 H's matching fund to be used for the center.
"We'll have a big push on the candy sales during National $4-\mathrm{H}$ Earl Behrends, one of the adult lead ers working with youngsters on the project.
The candy will sell for $\$ 1$ a bar, and Behrends says the bars are jumbo-sized.
For more information contact the Extension office at 647-4115 The secret of boring people lies in
telling them everything. -Voltaire



Michael Rasor, a third grader, pins a "Snip" Beanie Baby fitting Michael with a boy's Homecoming armband arrangement. Laura and Michael are the children of George and Linda Rasor.

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## Late-season insects pose threat to area cotton, this year and next



First United Bank to honor Gracie Marsh Wednesday
will hold an all-day reception next dministrative assistant who is reti-
ing after more than 22 years' service The reception, with cookies and punch, will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
in the bank lobby. Bank Vice-President Mike Bain arged all bank customers and friends with her. ince April 5, 1976, starting as a ookkeeper "over at the old bank, he First State Bank, at West Bedford nd Southeast Second bank," she said. "It has been a new
'Ag in the Class' reaches grade school students in Castro County

Classroom" program has proven tarted by Texas Farm Bureau in enefiting from the program. hairman of the Castro County Far Bureau's "Agriculture in the Classroom" Committee. Other The program is being presented to II elementary students at Hart Elementary School and to Janice Stanton's third-grade class at Dimmitt. more than 1,400 Texas teachers who use Farm Bureau's
resource guides and videos "What's esource guides and videos "What's


"Our concern is that they will
fatten up on remaining squares and
soft bolls and have a better chance of soft bolls and have a better chance of
successfully overwintering. If that successfully overwintering. If that
scenario pans out, it could set the
stage for a large weevil infestation scenario pans out, it could set the
stage for a large weevil infestation
next year." next year."
Growers, entomologists and crop
consultants were surprised earlier in consultants were surprised earlier in
the growing season to see boll the growing season to see bol
weevils virtually disappear following robust emergence from their
 emergence produced higher numbers
of weevils than last year but overall of weevils than last year, but overall
numbers didn't reach population numbers didn't reach population
predictions made from last year's late-season trap counts, winter
supply (squares and small bolls) is imperative. Without their food supply, the insects cannot store enough fat to live through the winter. "If growers find weevil activity in
their fields as crop termination their fields as crop termination
approaches, they should add a pint of methyl parathion (4E) or Guthion (2L) to the defoliant or desiccant. This will reduce the number of lateseason weevils that might
successfully survive the winter," successfully $\begin{aligned} & \text { survive the winter," } \\ & \text { Leser said. "Growers shouldn't }\end{aligned}$ underestimate the importance of lateseason weevils."
The number of weevils capable of diapause (suspended growth) increases from about $10 \%$ in early September to about $60 \%$ by the
middle of October. If a cold winter follows, only about $1 \%$ of those that enter overwintering sites in September will sur But the survival rate increases to
ellow employees
Mrs. Marsh was raised in a large family in Harlingen. And, although
she has lived in Dimmitt 26 years, she longs for her parents, four sisters and seven brothers, all of whom still live in Harlingen.
That's why she and her husband Calvin, plan to move to Harlingen "I don't know what I'll do, exactly," she said. "I'll just try to help Calvin, I imagine. He's going to do She custom tractor work." about leaving Dimmitt after 26 years "I wish I could take the bank with me," she said.
later a well-fed, diapausing weevil Growers should monitor their crop enters its overwintering site, the higher its chances of surviving the winter and infesting next year's
squaring cotton, Leser said. squaring cotton, Leser said.
A late-season buildup of aphids A late-season buildup of aphid "Aphids excrete a sticky substance
called honeydew which can contaminate the lint in open bolls and reduce lint quality," Leser said.
"Once lint is contaminated the Once lint is contaminated, the only sprinkler-applied irrigation water to wash the honeydew off.
"Late-season aphid infestations
won't reduce yields, but honeydew
contamination (sticky cotton) can
osely for aphids and take any steps necessary to avoid harvesting sticky stickiness, but ait won't remove the aphids that cause the stickiness." Growers should consider a control treatment for aphids if they find 15 or more aphids on the fifh mainstem leaf from the terminal.
Producers can find information on how to use late-season pest
treatments in conjunction with harvest-aid chemicals in the 1998 high Plains Cotton Harvest-Aid Guide, available at County Extension offices, and on the Internet at
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Minding Your Own Business The Power of Positioning for Profit


By DON TAYLOR Invert one of this series, I identified positioning as can't get anywhere else. In part two last week, I detailed four rock-solid positions for small businesses. This week ate profit.
More rock solid positions The People Power Position. When Sam Walton

By JOHNNA PATTERSON
County Extension Agent-IPM Area sorghum fields look good non-existent in many fields, yet som fields in Lamb County were sprayed last week. Some headworm and fall armyworm feeding has been reported.
Corn Corn harvest is about halfway through. Yields have been reported from to low as 10,500 pounds. Most yields are averaging between 5,000 to 8,000 averaging
pounds.
rapidly continues to mature rapidly. Bolls are popping like
popcorn. Scouting was aimed mainly popcorn. Scouting was aimed mainly
towards aphids and weevils, but

## Happenings in agriculture

restricted to foliage, blooms, bracts and some pecking on small bolls. These are taking a lot of foliage, but
the cost versus returns has brought the cost versus returns has brout
about only a few applications. about only a few applications.
The threshold level is 80,0 worms per acre and also depends on the maturity of the crop. Watch your ate cotton closely.
Boll weevil feeding and egg laying punctures were as high as $60 \%$ last with as many as eight to a bloom. Several fields were obviously reated. Fields with both high numbers of bollworms and weevils were treated for both pests.
TAEX boll weevil TAEX boll weevil grid traps report one weevil was caught in Castro
County last week in Trap \#16 north of Dimmitt and one in Trap \#5 north of Hart.
Lamb County grid traps caught weevils at 12 different sites, mostly
located in the southern half of the county stretching from the Hale County border to the Bailey County
border.
This we
This week, traps caught 13 weevils in Castro Co County.
to high depending on the field.
Some fields had as many as 80 to 100 per leaf, but the average was 30 to 40 per leaf. These higher count
fields did not flare after the boll worm applications.
Producers should watch fields
closely to avoid a sticky cotton

## 'Bullies' win team rodeo competition at Harvest Days



Business workshop set Tuesday

## ness or would like some helpful in-

 formation about making your existshould plan to attend a special business workshop in Dimmitt Tuesday. Conducted by David Terry of theSmall Business Center at West Texas A\&M University, the workshop will be held at the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce Office. Seating is limited, so those planning to attend should reserve a seat by calling the Chamber at 647-2524.
Among the topics Terry will dis-
cuss are business planning licenses cuss are business planning, icenses,
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## Pet show

 winners are named
## Some of the best dogs, cats, chick-

 ens, rabbits and turtles in CastroCounty were paraded before before County were paraded before before
Dr. W.J. Hill, local veterinarian, at the Havest Days Pet Show on Sept. and prize.
The show was sponsored by Merrick Pet Foods of Hereford,
Dimmitt Veterinary Clinic and the Dimmitt Veterinary Clinic and the
Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce. All entrants received samples of Beef ' $n$ Mor Dog Food and snacks
provided by Merrick Pet Foods. Large bags of food were given to winners.
Several breeds of dogs were enSeveral breeds of dogs were en-
tered in the show his year and those
receiving first-place ribbons and other awards for their animals were Holly Gilliam, first-place labrador;; Megan Pigg, first-place blue heeler puppy; Tyler and Makenzie Cornett, first-place schnauzer; Haley
Lunsford, "Best Hair Day;" Carly
Gilbreath, Oldest Dog; Keila Schilling, Most Obedient Dog; Shelby ling, Most Obedient Dog; Shelby
Schilling, first-place border collie; breck Rushing, Oldest Golden Re-
triever; Emily Rushing, Best Female Border Conif, Amalda Davidson, Most Beautifur Female Chihuahua; Dog (Corn Dog); Kristen Rodriguez,
Most Handsomie Dog; Ron Mann, irst-place German shepherd;' Rye Patton, first-place sheltie; Molly and
Wendy Bradford, Best Dressed Dog; Suzan Sanders, Loudest Pet; Suzanne Norman, Best Family of Collies Chris Bridenbaugh, Best Dressed
Sheltie; and Kristen McClure, Best Sheltie; and Kristen McClure, Best Hawaiian Dog.
Other first-place winners were Cailee Gilbreath, first-place calico cat; Melissa Watts, first-place chickens; Melissa Hufhines, Whitest Cat Jessie Castillo, Most Unusual Feet on a Cat; Megan Wilkerson, Best Dressed Cat; David Underwood,
Most Unusual Pet; Dennis Underwood, Best Litter of Rabbits; and Holly Lane, Best Litter of Kittens.



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DO NOT drive into or near a leak area or vapor cloud. If your automobile stalls, DO NOT attempt to restart it. Instead, ABANDON the vehicle and leave to a safe upwind location. CONTACT the local emergency response agency for assistance.
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## Chieftains turn back Cats again, 14-0

By DON NELSON
The Bobcats got inside Friona's 12-yard line four times Friday night only to be turned away every time as
the Chieftains knocked Dimmitt from he Chieftains knocked Dimmitt from fought game at Friona. It was by far the toughest defense the Bobcats have encountered, and was the first shutout of a Br Dollar-coached Dimmitt team. "We knew they would be really pected that kind of game"
The only good news that Dimmitt fans could salvage from the loss was that it didn't count in district standings. The two schools, which had been district stablemates for mot
than 40 years, aren't anymore. than 40 years, aren't anymore. Last year it was just devastating
when we lost to Friona (in district play)," Coach Dollar said. "This time we lost, and we didn't like it, but we know we can fix it before we start
district play. Our kids are pretty ma-
With the victory, the playoff-savvy Chieftains extended their string of back to 1996. It was Friona's fifth straight win over Dimmitt.
A shanked Friona punt in the firs

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more-finally shanked one that cov ered only 13 yards before it saile From there, Friona used just seven plays to cover the distance for the final TD.
It appeared that the Bobcats had
the Chieftains in the Chieftains in check on the second play of the fourth quarter, when th
Tribe faced fourth-and-two. But Tribe faced fourth-and-two. But Dan-
iel staggered his snap count and drew a Dimmitt lineman offside to give the Chieftains a first down at the Dimmitt
30 .
Four plays later, Kendrick went over right tackle on a trap play and
raced seven yards into the end zone with 9:51 remaining in the game. The Bobcats came oh-so-close to scoring just six plays after Friona's
kickoff, on fourth-and-eight from the kickoff, on fou
Chieftain 38.
Chieftain 38.
Wide receiver Wide receiver Daniel Flores-who
caught the only two passes that Dimmitt completed all night-headed wide right on a reverse option. Mean-
while, tight end Shane Furr sneaked while, tight end Shane Furr sneaked
into the end zone and was all alone. into the end zone and was all alone.
But Flores' long sprint-out pass But Flores' long sprint-out pass
sailed too high, and Friona took over. sailed too high, and Friona took over

The Chieftains ripped for three first downs in a row with runs of 10,28
and 17 yards, and it took a goal-line stand by the Bobcats to keep them from scoring again.
On fourth-and-goal from the 4, Daniel kept on a rollout right but Dimmitt's Zack Morgan nailed him
for a six-yard loss to end the threat

## "Our problem was that we had th

 ball inside their 20 all those times and didn't score," Coach Dollar said. "That was the story of the game there, and we didn't.Game at a Glance

## Dimmitt Friona

## JV Cats scalp

Chieftains, 22-0

B.J. Hise completed quarter to ran in the two-point conversion to down passes in the second quarter to

spark the Cats up, 14-0 at the break. shutout of Friona last Thursday at to its total in the third when Clint
Dimmitt Dimmitt. After a scoreless first quarter, the Swain broke free for a 30 -yard run. After a scoreless first quarter, the Hill picked up the extra two for the
Bobcats got on track in the second, final $22-0$ win. Bing two big pass plays to take the
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usin a super job by the team lead at intermission. The first points came from a 50 - teams," said Dimmitt Coaches Gus yard touchdown pass from Hill to Ortiz and Vincent Fitzgearld.
Daniel Proffitt. The two-point Danie Proffitt. The two-point Coaches said the offensive line,
conversion didn't materialize, but the receivers, quarterback $\begin{array}{ll}\text { conversion did t materiaize, but the } & \text { receivers, quarterback and running } \\ \text { Bobcats were on the board, } 6-0 \text {. } & \text { backs all deserved praise on offense }\end{array}$ Later in the stanza Dimmitt scored while the defensive line did the job again, this time on a 40 -yard pass on the other side of the ball, record-
from Hill to Wes Harkins. Hill then

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#### Abstract

aver the third when Friona's Jeff Rando fumbled a Buckley punt and Justin plays later on a keeper, but the appar- ent score was nullified by a procedure penalty. Starting over at the 12 , the Bobcats tried to uncork their passing game, but after a pass intended for Daniel Flores fell incomplete, the charging Friona defense chased Bucklcy down for no gain on third down, then for no gain on third down, the sacked him for a 19 -yard loss back the 31 to end the threat. Chieftains cold, then the Bobcats got still another golden chance when a still another golden chance high snap sent the ball sailing over punter Trent Cook's head and him at the Friona 6. But the Friona defense held the Bobcats to four yards in four plays, stopping Buckley at the 2 -yard line stopping Buckle on fourth down.

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BROWNF.ELD CUBS
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He was the game's leading ground-gainer with 122 yards on 23 carries
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ranks area teams. Home teams are listed ranks area teams.
in capital letters.
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## Brockman

 earns awardMitchell Brockman of Nazareth National Award Winner in English. Brockman, who attends Nazareth High School, was nominated for the award by Brenda Schulte, a teacher at the school.
will appear s picture and biography will appear in the USAA official
yearbook, which is published naionally. Brockman is the son of Ralph and Sharon Brockman of Nazareth. His grandparents are Katie Brockman
and William C. and Catherine and William C. and Catherine
Hochstein, all of Nazareth.

## HOMECOMING! I BACK THE BOBCATS

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## Schedule \& Scores

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Bobcats 21, Lamesa 17
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By JESSICA KERN
Mistakes for Nazareth and break for Farwell madee the difference Fri-
day as the Swifts lost their first game day as the Swifts lost their first game
of the season, $8-7$, in a heartbreaker at Farwell.
Farwell's score came in the fourth quarter after an uncontrollable snap
on a Nazareth punt turned the ball over to the Steers at the Swift 8 -yard line. Farwell capitalized three plays later with a 5 -yard touchdown run. Then, on the two-point conversion, the ball barely broke the plane of the
goal line to give the Steers a onepoint edge and the win. point edge and the win.
"We shot ourselves in the foot too many times," said Nazareth Coach
Rick Price. "They finally cashed in on one of our mistakes." high punt sap to in the thanothe high punt snap late in the third quar-
ter which put Farwell in scoring position on Nazareth's 12 -yard line. The Swifts, however, stopped that drive Another mishap occurred with four minutes left in the fourth quarter
Nazareth was moving the ball toward Nazareth was moving the ball toward
the end zone with hopes of a gamethe end zone with hopes of a game-
winning score when a fumble handed the ball over to the steers on the Swifts' 45 -yard line. The Steers then
ran out the clock.
Game statistics tell a different story than the final score. Nazareth gained more yards, recorded more overall "We just let them hang around and didn't put them away w
should have," Price said Nauld have," Price said.
Nazareth gained 215 yards to
Farwell's 182. The Swifts earned 15 Farwell's 182 . The Swifts earned 15 first downs while Farwell only had nine. The Steers racked up 40 yards worth of penalties. Nazareth had only
12 . "This will be a good learning expe-
rience for them," Price said. "Hopefully, we've learned that to achieve the goals we've set for ourselves, we need to be a lot less mistake prone."
The Swifts received the ball on
their own 14 -yard line to start out the first drive of the game.
Junior tailback Cameron McLain
led the drive with a 30 -yard led the drive with a 30 -yard run and a 5 -yard run three plays later. Senior
fullback Matthew Kern followed McLack Mitthew Kern followed 16 yards on three carries. The Swifts made it to the Steer's 35-yard line before being forced to
turn over the ball after a failed third-

The Steers took over at their own
35. Senior fullback Michael 35. Senior fullback Michael Ancira
led the drive with a 30 -yard run to
put Farwell at the put Farwell at the Swift 35 . Senior
Tobe Diaz also gained 11 yards Tobe Diaz also gained 11 yards on three plays to put the Steers in scor-
ing position inside the 16 -yard line. ing position inside the 16 -yard line.
Nazareth senior Matt Olvera foiled those Steer pans when he tipped down a pass on fourth-and-three.
Nazareth took Nazareth took over on Farwell's 16.
During the next drive, sophomer During the next drive, sophomore
fullback Matty McLain had six yards fullback Matty McLain had six yards
on two carries, Cameron McLain had on two carries, Cameron McLain had
12 yards on four carries and Kern had 11 yards on one tote. Olvera picked up 15 yards on a pass from senior quarterback Mitchell Brockman and the Swifts were driving with the ball at the Farwell 41. Nazareth
elected to go for the first down on a elected to go for the first down on a
fourth-and-three situation, but failed to gain the required yardage and Farwell took over as the quarter ended.
Farwell Farwell started out the next drive on Nazareth's 37. After a five-yard Ketcherside put in a 15 -yard run to give the Steers a first down. After
that Farwell could find no room and


NAZARETH'S KY WILCOX (30) finds a lot of Nazareth, 8-7. The Swifts took a 7-0 lead in the running room and picks up 30 yards after fielding a Nazareth, $8-7$. The Swifts took a 7 , 1 lead in the kickoff from Farwell with 6:01 left in Friday night's held onto that lead until the waning minutes of the game at Farwell. The Steers had just scored and game. Farwell's fourth-quarter score was enough to


FIRST DOWN!-Nazareth runningback Matthew Friday night's game at Farwell. The Swifts gained Kern (36) explodes through the Farwell defense and more yards and first downs, but Farwell came out on drags a couple of Ster defenders on his way to an 11more yards and first downs, but Farwell came out on
top, 8-7. Photo by Joyce Nelson
pu
Nanted the ball to the Swifts. Nazareth started out on their own yly scoring to begin their first and gained 15 yards on four carries while brother Matty added 33 on two. After
the Swifts had penetrated inside the Steer's 11, Brockman broke through the line for a touchdown. Matty McLain connected on the point-after,
giving the Swifts a $7-0$ lead with giving the Swifts a 7-0 lead with
4:45 left in the first half. 4:45 left in the first half. Nazareh managed to hold the
Steers to only eight yards on their next drive and Farwell was forced to punt from its own 36 .
Nazareth drove inside the Steer's
2-yard line on their 2-yard line on their next 10 -play
drive, gaining 15 yards on a Steer drive, gaining 15 yards on a Steer
pass interference penalty on the first play of the drive.
Brockman then threw a 32 -yard pass for Olvera and completed an-
other to Ky Wilcox for a 31-yard other to Ky Wilcox for a 31 -yard
gain. gain.
But Nazareth failed to get into the end zone as time expired in the first
half. Farwell took the opening kickoff and started work from its own 39 in the second half. The Steers drove 12
yards in six plays but fumbled the ball on the Swifts' 49 -yard line. Kern
recovered the loose ball, giving Nazareth possession at the Steer
Nazareth gained just seve over the next four plays before givgg the ball back to the steers.
Ancira led the Steers' nine-p


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Roland of Dimmitt $79-76-155$ and Roland of Dimmitt $79-76-155$; and 3. A. Shottenkirk and Harold Hyman Pohlmeier earns A\&M scholarship Amy Pohlmeier, daughter of J.C.
and Jocelyn Pohlmeier of Nazareth, has received a Terry Foundation Scholarship from Texas A\&M Scholarship
University.
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Pohlmeier, a 1998 graduate of
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Janice Shelton

## Aven breaks arm as Horns win, 35-12

Jared Aven only needed two strong
legs and a little bit of speed to de legs and a little bit of speed to destroy the Bovina defense Friday, and
that's all he had when he scored his third rushing touchdown in the fourth quarter to give Hart its $35-12$ victory. That's because he broke his arm in the third quarter.
Hart Coach Bryan Welps said Aven apparently broke his arm in the
third quarter when he hit it on anthird quarter when he hit it on an Aven said his arm hurt, but he continued to play the rest of the game, scoring his final touchdown in the fourth quarter.
"Jared had a heck of a game, then he broke his arm in the third quarter.
He still played the whole game, though," Welps said.
Aven was responsible for the bulk of the Longhorn offense, scoring on runs of 1,61 and 15 , and completing an 18 -yard touchdown pass to Chris George. He rushed for 124 yards on attack attack. he Longhorn offense, Welps said Aven scored the game's first touchdown, then Bovina pulled within a porter quarter bere the Longhorns turned up the heat, then cruised to a 35-12 victory. The win kept Hart's unblemished record in tact while Bovina fell to 0 3 on the season.

## Game at a Glance

 Hart Longhorns 35, Bovina 12First Downs
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## Key finishes

 14th in meetHart's Valerie Key earned a medal
with a 14th place finish in the Abernathy Cross Country Meet Saturday. Key was the lone Lady Horn runner to finish among the top 50 in the
Other runners and their respective times and finishes are Raquel Garcia, 51st, 12:50; Vanessa Carrasco, 53rd, 12:52; Nicki Burress, 63rd, 13:03; Christy Guzman, 70th, 13:06; Ysa Rodriguez, 81st, 13:21; and Veronica Gonzales, 86th, $13: 28$, In the varsity boys' race, Hart's
Isaias Garcia was 26 th in 17:09. Also competing were Franky Chaparro, 18:56; and Jose Avila, 19:18.
The Lady Horns' junior varsity team fared well, placing several run Leading the J Cisneros, who finished fourth with a time of 12:45. Cynthia Gonzales was 12th in 13:18 and Rosanna Waddell placed 17th in 13:26. All earned Other JV runners were Becky Guzman, 22nd, 13:35; Denise Mouales,
rand Montemayor, 55th, 14:24; and Sonia Gonzales, 65 th, 14:29. Several junior high girls competed
in the meet, too. Kelli George earned in the meet, too. Kelli George earne
12:23.
Other junior high runners were Amanda Carrasco, 14:32; Christin Chaparro, 14:33; Diana Busto 14:47; and Mariza Mendoza, 14:54.

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Kick was good for 14.6 Hart lead kick was good fora 14.6 Hart lead d
Before time expired in the half the Betiore time expiried in the haft hhe
Longhorns would strike again, this time through hte air.
George's 18 -yard douchdown cacth thrown by Aven and Anzaldua's
Bovina would pull within nine points of Hart early in the third quarler thanks to a Hart turnover. Lucas Ramos picked a Longhorn fumble at the Hart 21 and raced for the goal line to make it $21-12$. The
attempted pass for two fell incomplete again.
Hart wasn't to be denied in the third quarter, either.
Keith Finch scored from five yards out, then Anzaldua made it four-in-arow through the uprights for a $28-12$
Hart lead. Hart lead.
The Longhorns would cap off scoring in the fourth quarter on a 15 yard run by Aven. Anzaldua kept up his perfect kicks in the game, splitting the uprights for extra point five
and the $35-12$ lead.


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(6) turns the MAN Keith Finch (6) turns the corner and outruns a couple of Bovina defenders for a good gain Friday night. Har 35-12. Finch in the showdown, touchdown run in the third

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 he last count of yen on hard times two games last season. For rebuilding blocks, they have only nine lettermen back from last year, including two offensive and three defensive starters.In their first three outings, the Cubs In their first three outings, the Cubs
of District 3-3A have lost to Kermit of District 3-3A have lost to Kermit
$20-2$, to Friona 49-3, and to Mule-20-2, to Fri
shoe 51-0.
"They're
Coach Bruce Dollar acknowledged. Quarterbacked by little-bitty Roy Altamirano (5-7, 140), the Cubs operate mainly out of the I formation. However, "They run every forma-
tion there is," Coach Dollar said. tion there is," Coach Dollar said.
"They haven't had a lot of success with any of them. I think they're searchin
work."
On defense, the Cubs have been
running a 50 alignent running a 50 alignment and giving up
an average of 10 points per quarter an average of 10 points per quarter.
Amid all the mums and HomeAmid all the mums and Home-
coming excitement, the Bobcats will concent
game.
game. "We're not going to worry about
Brownfield's situation"" Brownfield's situation," Coach Dollar said. "We're going to fix what
we've made mistakes on, and get we've made mistakes on, and get
ready for district. We want to be mature when we play River Road (in two weeks)."
Kickoff time will be 8 o'clock. The Homecoming Queen and he court will be presented at halftime,
and after the game the featured Clas and after the game the featured Class
of 1978 will host a social at the Country Club for exes and friends while students attend the Homecom ing Dance at the Expo Building

## Hart at Olton

Several stiff challenges await the
Hart Longhorns this week as they travel to Olton.
The Longhorns and Mustangs are big rivals and anytime the teams excitement and this year should be a classic matchup because both teams are undefeated with 3-0 marks. But Hart suffered a big blow Fri-
day when starting day when starting quarterback Jared Aven broke his arm against Bovina
He won't play Friday.
receiver to quarterback for this
week's game.
"I think Chris will be good step-
ping in for Jared. We'll just try and ping in for Jared. We'll just try and
do the same as we've done in the
past, using our big backs a bunch and do Hs, using our big backs a bunch and
trying trying to control the ball and keep it
out of their hands," said Hart Coach Bryan Welps.
"Olton's a big, physical team with
a lot of a lot of speed. This is going to be
big test for us. We've got to sto them from getting big plays on u and we've got to control the ball." Welps said Olton lines up in the and runs their big, quick fullback David Wilb
sive line.
sive line.
Wilborn gained 62 yards on nin
carries for Olton in carries for Olton in a a $35-6$ win ove
Crosbyton Friday night, but he was


Stangs. Chris Almanza (6-0, 180)
caught one touchdown pass from caught one touchdown pass from
Adam Moore ( $5-10,150$ ) and Ruben Alvarado ( $5-10,170$ ) rushed for 116 yards and scored three rushing
touchdowns.
touchdowns.
Those backs hit holes opened by a Troup of experienced, big lineme like Eward Sandoval (5-11, 240), Joe Gutierrez (5-10, 195), Juan Luis Martinez ( $5-10,235$ ) and Juan Carlos
Martinez (5-11, 200). Martinez (5-11, 200).
On defense, Olton runs a $5-2$, rely ing heavily on its big linemen and linebackers to curtail opposing of-
"Their front seven are really Anchoring said.
Anchoring the defensive line are 2, 240) and Jimenez while lineback ers are Gutierrez and Richie

Nazareth at Whiteface
reth suffered a heartbreakin game Friday night and the Swifts hope to get back on the winning rack this week when they travel to
Whiteface. Kickoff
matchup will be at $7: 30$ p.m. Whiteface is $2-1$ on the seaso and is currently riding a two-game winning streak after beating Bovina and Morton. Whiteface opened the
season with a $44-0$ loss to Happy before beating Bovina, 12-6, and Morton, 26-0
ut in a ret a new coach and he's ense using a single back and som weird sets," said Nazareth Coach gun with no backs, too
"I feel like their running game carier than their passing game, Price said. "They'll throw it about 25 imes a game. They'll get you wor ried about covering the pass, then
they'll use their two backs who are quick and shifty."
The backfield features Serapio Arguijo (5-8, 147) and Peter Franco
Directing the Antelope offense is
5, 210-lb Dustin Davidson, who'
Here's how our opponents fared azareth opponents fared in the the hird week of the prep football seaon. Each school's opponent is listed

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Hart opponents
 APPY (2-1) bean Claude, 27-12 LAKE-EARTH $(1-2)$ beat SMYER $(0-3)$,
VEGA $(1-2)$ lost 10 MORTON (0-3) lost Sto Whickeface, 26-1
the heart and soul of the team.
Against Morton Friday, Davidson Against Morton Friday, Davidson from 3,11 and 8 yards, and he passed for 55 yards.
Davidson's not picky about his argets, either-Price said he'll
spread his passes around between four or five different receivers. Price said Davidson tends to "look around a lot, looking for an open guy" when he drops back to pass, being sacked several times Protecting several times. offensive front that is about the same size as Valley's averaging over 200 pounds.
"They've got one guy who's over
300 pounds and about four others 300 pounds and about four others
that are 220 or bigger," Price said Among those linemen are Nick Demel ( $6-3,300$ ), Cole Mulloy ( $6-3$, 242), Matt Ellison ( $6-5,280$ ) Tanner Davidson (6-1, 193), Cory Carter (6-
4 , 192) and Roderick White (6-3, 215). with an eight-man front that's big. Price said the Antelopes' defense is good, but he feels like the Swifts have an advantage with their speed on offense.
quickness I think Whiteface lacks ing to try and use that to our advantage," Price said.
Davidson and Mitch Willis line up at the linebacker spots while several of the big offe
way action.

Dimmitt Freshmen blank Friona, 28-0
The Dimmitt Freshmen turned in the ball last Thursday and that resulted in a big 28-0 win.
It was the first win of the season
for the Freshman Cats, and they made sure it was a good one. They impoved to $1-2$ with the win.
"We finally put together a complete game," said Dimmitt Coaches
Cory Lynch and Monty Gothard. "Our kids are really starting to im-
Dimmitt got on the board early when Jake Laurent scored on a five-
yard run. The run failed, but Dimmitt yard run. The run failed, but Dimmitt
total in the second stanza when
Philip Lumbrera found Johnathan Philip Lumbrera found Johnathan
Jimenez on a 20 -yard reverse pass play. The two-point run was stopped short, leaving Dimmitt in control, 12 -
Neither team scored in the third, but Dimmitt poured it on in the points.
The Lumbrera to Jimenez play worked so well in the second quarter Dimmitt coaches called it again and
the result was the same-another six points for the Cats. Laurent picked up the two point conversion to make Later in the quarter Jace Weaver recovered a Friona fumble and re-
turned it 25 yards for the touchdown. Kody Laurent gained the two-point conversion to give Dimmitt its final victory margin, $28-0$. "Philip Lumbrera hit Johnathan Jimenez on several great pass plays
and Jake Laurent looked good at and Jake Laurent looked good at
running back," coaches said. "Defensive ends Jace Weaver, Jason Harris, Zack McClure and Benny Pompa really contained the Friona

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## Martinez wins

 race in Tulianez set the pace in Saturday's threehe was never threatened. of 17:45, 15 seconds faster than the His finish, along with a 14 th-plac finish by Jacob Larra and a 20ththe Bobcats into a tie for secon among the teams. Dimmitt's sixth thnner's finish was used to determin to settle for third overall with 93
"Israel controlled the race from the beginning," said Dimmitt Coach
Chris Edwards He took the lead and ever looked back. He beat a lot good Class AAAA and Class AAAAA kids."
Larra finished the race in 19:28 while Saenz posted a time of $19: 36$ Other Bobcats running were Ricky
Jimenez, Ivan Flores and Randy Jimene
Porter.

The Bobbies finished second in the girls' division, tallying 74 tean oints. Amarillo High won the race Leading the Bobbies were Cheri
Norman and Veronica Gonzales who finished sixth and seventh, re-


Norman posted a time of 12:31 Carol Summers also earned a To finish, crossing the line $17{ }^{\text {th }}$ with Rounding out the Bobbies' tean were Kelsey Welch, Stephanie
Flores, Crystal Garcia and Taryn

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Homecoming
The Homecoming pep rally will be eld Friday at 3 p.m. at the DHS the homecoming queen will be crowned and the Class of 1978 will be recognized.
Homecoming Queen candidates this year are Lindsey Welch,
Daphanie Rivera and Shawna Daphanie Rivera and Shawna
Kenworthy. Members of the
 Sharla Kenworthy, sophomore Kylie Webb and junior Julie Merritt. Brownfield, prior to the DimmittDimmitt FHA will sponsor a Fiest supper from 5 to 7 pm at the DHS afeteria. Cost for the meal is $\$ 5$ for adults and $\$ 3$ for children 12 and After the game, the DHS Junio Class will sponso Dance at the Expo Building dance will last until 12:30 a.m.

September 24, 1998

## Police Calls

William Hochstein of Nazareth
old deputies last Thursday that
told deputies last Thursday that
someone had taken tires and wheels off of seven cotton trailers southeas

## A break-in at Country Arms Apartments in Dimmitt was reported

 Saturday afternoon. Betty Vasquez,manager of the complex, said that an apartment had been vandalized, with damage to the carpet, living room
walls, a medicine cabinet mirror, and a widow screen. Maria Ramirez, a
resident of the complex, reported the theft of a cassette recorder, a lamp and a small book shelf.
Monday, Tommy Hall told deputies that someone turned off the elec-
tricity to a meat counter and an ice machine was unplugged at the Lowe's Pay N Save in Hart Damage to food items was estimated at $\$ 118.93$.
Ralph Reyna of Hart told deputies that someone threw a rock at a 1994 Ford pickup, breaking out a window
Deputies said that it is believed that a rock was thrown at the vehicle while the complainant was driving
by a residence on Avenue A in Hart by a residence on Avenue A in Hart.
A 39 -year-old Amarillo man was A 39 -year-old Amarillo man was
jailed Sept. 16 on charges of DWI, jailed Sept. 16 on charges offense, no driver's license, and
A Dimmitt man, 29, was jailed
Saturday for DWI, second offense. A suspect was stopped last Thursday on FM 194 for driving while
license suspended.

- Traffic warrants from Hate County for no driver's license resulted in the man Monday.
Violation of parole stemming from charges of forgery resulted in the jailing of a 47-year-old Dimmitt Two men from Mexico, ages 23 and 24, were detained for
Border Patrol early Sunday.

A two-vehicle accident Saturday at Memorial Hospital with possible


#### Abstract

 assaultfamily violence. Monday, he was jailed again on a warrant charging him with aggravated kidnaping. Elmer Schulte told deputies Mon- day that a driver of a semi-truck belonging to Nazareth Trucking failed to report to his assigned desti- nation in Amarillo and is overdue. Schulte said the driver has not contacted the owner to tell him the be driving the truck from Capulin continuing. Frank Mendoza of Dimmitt told police Sept. 15 that someone took a 1990 GMC pickup from his business t 201 S . Broadway. The vehicle, valued at $\$ 10,000$, has been located. was driving a 1995 Chery pickup north on US 585 sabout miles south of Dimmitt. Trinidad Martinez Zamora Jr., 28, of Littlefield was heading the same direction in a 1995 Chevy Suburban. The DPS report Chevy Suburban. The DPS report said Wall stated that he fell asleep and ran into the back of the Suburban. The Suburban came to rest on the shoulder of the road, while the the shoulder of the road, while the pickup ended up in a field. Zamora the hospital. Wall was not injured He was ticketed for failure to control speed.  ported to the DPS Sept. 15 at 11:30


## Lions set Pancake Supper



From 5 to 7.30 that evening, Lions will cook and serve pancakes, bacon, sausage and drinks in the Dimmitt High School cafeteria.

Tickets are $\$ 4$ for adults and $\$ 2$ for children under 12. Tickets may be urchased in advance from any Lions Club member, or at the door the nigh

## * POWER PONTS FOOTBALL CONTEST *

## Cerestar has another'n

nance department. They're seldom whe
For the second week in a row, that department produced the loLast week it was Dan Goldsmith who won the local pot. This week it was his co-worker, contest veteran Milas Cline Jr., who
racked up a near-perfect 134 points to earn the $\$ 20$ weekly prize racked up a near-perfect 134 points to earn the $\$ 20$ weekly prize
This was Cline's first win this year, but he has been a constent winner in previous seasons.
"We're a bunch of pretty smart people out here," Cline admitted,
winner in previous seasor but we don't get together on this contest. Actually, we have quite a competition going out here. Dan won't be happy at all that I beat him this week.
Cline's only miss was on the Pittsburgh-Miami game, which the Dolphins won.
"Pittsburgh
"Pittsburgh did it to me this time," he said. "They were supposed Show up and play, but they didn't
back-up quarterback, and the New York Giants-whose offense was last seen on milk cartons-couldn't score enough points between them to get into double figures, Tray Edge of Midland was thinking
For a period and a half, it seemed headed for a $0-0$ tie, but then For a period and a half, it seemed headed for a $0-0$ tie, but then
Neon Deon Sanders woke up the house with his spectacular puntNeon Deon Sanders woke up the house with his spectacular punt-
return touchdown, and the rout was on. Dallas didn't look back unil it had prevailed, 3
That total of 38 points took on special meaning in Week 3 of the Texas POWER POINTS Football Contest in which nearly a dozen perfect scores were recorded around the state. One of them belonged
Edge, who then edged out the field with his Tiebreaker 1 guess to Edge, who then edged out the field with his
that 39 points would be scored in that game.
As the state's grand prize winner Edge takes
cash prize of $\$ 1,000$. This week's POWER POINTS Footbal Contest is on Page 8 .
enter, just make your picks according to the rules, clip out the form and turn it in at the News office, 108 W. Bedford St., before 2 p.m. Friday. Good luck!


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house. $\$ 40,000$.
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| dates for public office, subject to the |
| November general election. |


| DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY |
| :---: |
| For CountyDistrict Clerk: |
| Joyce Thomas (I) |

 NOTICE OF ANNEXATION HEARINGS For County Treasur
Janice Shelton (I)
For Justice of the Pe ana Young
For Precinct 4 Commissioner:

## For County Judge: Irene Miller (I)

For 64th District Judge:
For 242nd District Judge
Bill LaFont
For State Senator, District 30:

## REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

For 64th District Court Judge
For 242nd District Court Judge:
For Precinct 2 Commissioner:
Clyde Harold Damron
For Precinct 4 Commissioner
Dan Schmucker
For County Judge
For County Treasurer:


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Appreciation barbecue set for Pete Laney
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## What's Cooking

In the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth Schools


## Obituaries

## Hazel Bagwell

 Services for Hazel Bagwell, 86, ofDimmitt, were held Friday afternoon Dimmitt, were held Friday afternoon
at First Baptist Church in Dimmitt with the Rev. Howard Rhodes, pas tor officiating.
Burial follo rial Gardens under the direction of Foskey-Lilley-McGill Funeral Home of Dimmitt. Mrs. Bagwell died at 8:30 a.m. last Wednesday, Sept. 16, at Dimmitt. Sohe was born April 13, 1912, in Bagwell on Nov. 19, 1933, in Hereford.
Mrs. Bagwell had lived in the
Dimmitt area since Dimmitt area since 1933, moving here from Hereford. She was a
member of the Bethel Home member of the Bethel Home
Demonstration Club and Dimmit Dinner Club. She was a very active member of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt. She was a Junior Schools Sunday School Teacher for many years.
Survi Survivors include her husband;
daughter, Nelda Jean Fallwell Richardson; a son, Milton Bagwell of Dimmitt; a sister, Nell Bencoe of Albuquerque, N.M.:; eigh grandchildren;
grandchildren.
to First Baptist Church, 1201 West ern Circle Drive, Dimmitt 79027; or the Alzheimers Panhandle Chapter, 2200 West Seventh Street, Amarillo 79106.

## Roy Day

Roy Day, 98, of Lubbock, fathe of LaRue Hasley of Dimmitt, died
Sept. 14 at St. Mary Hospita in Sept. 14 at St. Mary Hospital in Lub
bock.
Services were held last Thursday,
Sept. 17, at First United Methodist Church in Sudan with Randy Jordon officiating, assisted by the Rev. Lyndal Fletcher, pastor Burial followed in Sudan Ceme-
tery under the direction tery under the direction of Hammons Mr. Day was born Feb. 24, 1900 in Oklahoma. He married Mattie Belle Waldrop on April 9, 1921, in Lubbock County. They moved to Sudan in 1940, where they operated
a farm an ranch. He was an honorary volunteer fireman in Sudan.
wifie on Aprili 22. 1.899 . Survivors include four daughters, oy Zamora of Sudan, Larue Hasley bock and JoGail Frances of Carbon nine grandchildren; 25 great-grand children; and six great-great-grand hildren. to the family requests memorials be teer Fire Dept.

## Nadine Gooch

Funeral services for Nadine
Gooch, 84, of Plainview, were held Tuesday morning in Lemons Funeral Home Memorial Chapel Plainview with Mike Thibodeaux Fort Worth officiating.
Burial was in Parklawn Memorial Gardens of Plainview
Mrs. Gooch died Sept. 18 in Heriage Nursing Home in Plainview.
She was born Sept. 21, 1903, Cooke County, where she attended married Ester Elwin Gooch on Dec 31, 1921, in Cooke County. He died March 29, 1978. In 1944 she moved lo Bovina and Parmer County. In 1946, she moved to Dimmitt, and in
1979 she moved to Plainview She 1979 she moved to Plainview. She was a member of
Church in Burns City.
She is survived by two sons, J.W Gooch of Lubbock and Blake Gooch of Plainview; five grandchildren; and 0 great-grandchildren.

## James Herriage

Graveside services for Jame Herriage, 72, of Earth, were held Tuesday morning at Earth Memorial Earth officiating.
Burial was in Earth Memorial Cemetery under direction of Ellis Funeral Homes. Mr. Herriage died Sept. 19
Muleshoe Area Medical Center. Muleshoe Area Medical Center.
He was born Jan. 10, 1926, in Bonham. He married Bertie Trash on May 19, 1951, in Clovis, N.M. Mr. Herriage moved to Earth in 1952 from Littlefield. He wad a vete
World War II and a farmer World War II and a farmer. James Lee Herriage of Earth; five James Lee Herriage of Earth; five
daughters, Carla Scott of Overland,

Rodriguez of Amarillo, Kelli Hill of Gilbert, Ariz., and Michelle Miller of Gummelt of Amarillo and Judy Davis of McPherson, Kan.; and seven grandchildren.
The family suggests memorials to Earth Memorial Cemetery, Earth

## Duckwall-ALCO

 reports second quarter earningsDuckwall-ALCO Stores, Inc (NASDAQ-DUCK) has announced record results for the 1999 fiscal second quarter

ended Aug. 2.
Second quarter highlights include $\$$ Diluted earnings per share of quarter of earnings growth.
Gross margin reaches $33.9 \%$, up from $33.1 \%$ a year ago. rease by $12 \%$

Net sales for the 1999 fiscal second quarter ended Aug. 2 were $\$ 90.4$
million, a $12 \%$ increase from $\$ 80.5$ million during the second quarter of fiscal 1998. Net earnings grew $4 \%$ to
$\$ 1.6$ million or $\$ 31$ diluted earning $\$ 1.6$ million or $\$ .31$ diluted earnings
per share, from $\$ 1.5$ million or $\$ .30$ per share, from $\$ 1.5$ milli
per share a year earlier.
Net sales for the six months ended
Aug. 2 increased $14 \%$ to $\$ 171.4$ Aug. 2 increased $14 \%$ to $\$ 171.4$ million, up from $\$ 149.7$ million last
year. Net earnings for the period rose year. Net earnings for the period rose
$9 \%$ to $\$ 2.6$ million, or $\$ .50$ diluted $9 \%$ to $\$ 2.6$ million, or $\$ .50$ diluted
earnings per share, from $\$ 2.4$ milearnings per share, from $\$ 2.4$ mil-
lion, or $\$ .46$ per share, in the prior year.
"We believe a severe drought in "We believe a severe drought in
he South Central United States and he South Central United States and depressed commodity prices which
represent unique and continuing economic challenges in our rural markets, negatively impacted the company's operations during the second quarter," said Glen L. Shank,
president and chief executive officer president and chief executive officer. Despite our performance coming in
below planned levels, we nevertheless achieved our 22nd consecutive quarter of year-to-year earnings


LANEY TRIBUTE-Harold Bob Bennett (center) of ciation gift from the dinner's planners while Lane $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Hart was the master of ceremonies Saturday night at } & \begin{array}{l}\text { tries on a new hat. Theme of the dinner was "Hats On } \\ \text { to Pete Laney," and David Schaeffer of Dimmitt }\end{array} \text { three-county tribute to House Speaker Pete Laney }\end{array}$ (right) at the Senior Citizens Center in Tulia. Here, a testimonial on behalf of Castro County residents. Bennett helps Laney's wife, Nelda, open an appreThe dinner drew a large crowd from Castro, Swishe and Briscoe Counties. Photo by Don Nelson

## More about

## School bus signals.

when they have to wait for the sco of buses that load up students for the bide home. It isn't a problem at the ide home. It isn t a problem at the
elementary and middle schools because the buses load in a non-traffic cause th
area.
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Washington said ta school the buses have, to stop in the roadway and that drivers coming roadway and that drivers coming
from either direction are obligated to wait until the flashing lights go off. He said he has asked the bus driv-
He uns to also make an effort ers to also make an effort to not hold up traffic unnecessarily, but added that they sometimes forget. He said it
would be permissible for a driver to stop their vehicle and ask a bus driver why the lights are flashing if no students are loading or unloading.
Washington said he has advised vehicle drivers "just don't go that
way (around the front of the high school) if you are in a hurry."
"People are in a hurry and don want to stop, but they need r minded," Washington said. pendent School District Supt., said that Nazareth bus drivers have reported several incidents of stoppe ported several incidents of stopped
buses being passed by vehicles out
ings, but did the school buildreported last year out incidents ways. He said that bus drivers have ways. He said that bus drivers have
been able to get license plate num bers and the police chief would deliver a warning.
If anyone sees a driver who passes a bus illegally, they can report the vehicle's license tag number and the
name of the driver to the Dept. of name of the driver to the Dept. of issued calling that person to appear before the Justice of the Peace to hear their side of the story and to be apprised of any charge against them
Then a determination would be made by the JP, according to DPS Troope Ron Mann.

## A stroke can be a mindblowing thing $\xlongequal{\text { Reduce suir }}$

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