

# Crowd attends hearing

A crowd of approximately 75 interested persons attended the Dimmitt City Commission's paving assessment hearing held Monday night at City Hall.

**THE MAJORITY** of those attending were small property owners — those who live on their property, and they gave their approval to the program and expressed their desire for the paving to begin.

A small number of undeveloped property owners expressed their doubts that the paving would sufficiently enhance the value of their property to justify the costs.

The hearing went smoothly

as property holders from areas included in the proposed 27 units of paving were called on for testimony. City commissioners listened to all the pros and cons for almost four hours before passing the ordinance, closing the hearing and naming the units to be paved.

Prior to closing the hearing, the commission heard testimony from Kenneth W. Larson, city planning consultant on the probability of paving enhancing the value of the property involved sufficient to justify the cost.

**PROPOSED** paving units include:

Unit 1 - West 10 from the spl of Halsell to the spl of Allen.

Unit 2 - West 10 from the spl of Allen to the spl of Dulin.

Unit 3 - West 10 from the spl of Dulin to the spl of Andrews.

Unit 4 - Allen from the wpl of West 10 to a point 210 feet west of the wpl of West 10.

Unit 5 - Allen from the epl West 10 to wpl West 9.

Unit 6 - Allen epl West 9 to wpl West 8.

Unit 7 - Andrews wpl West 10 west 210 feet.

UNIT 8 - Dulin wpl West 10 to a point 210 feet west of wpl of West 10.

Unit 9 - Dulin epl West 10 to wpl West 9.

Unit 10 - Dulin wpl West 8 west to existing paving.

Unit 11 - West 10 spl Andrews to spl Etter.

Unit 12 - West 10 spl Etter to npl Bedford.

Unit 13 - Halsell epl East 5 to epl East 6.

UNIT 14 - East 5 spl Halsell to spl Dulin.

Unit 15 - East 5 spl Dulin to spl Andrews.

Unit 16 - East 5 spl Andrews to spl Etter.

Unit 17 - East 5 spl Etter to npl Bedford.

Unit 18 - Belsher wpl East 3 west 170 feet.

Unit 19 - Stinson wpl East 2 to epl South Broadway.

Unit 20 - Stinson epl East 2 to wpl East 3.

Unit 21 - Lee epl East 2 to wpl East 3.

UNIT 22 - West 2 npl Cleveland to spl Grant.

Unit 23 - West 2 spl Grant to spl Lee.

Unit 24 - West 2 npl Lee to spl Stinson.

Unit 25 - West 2 spl Belsher to npl Stinson.

Unit 26 - Stinson epl Front to wpl West 6.

Unit 27 - Locust epl West 2 to wpl Broadway (Highway 385).

## LL tryouts are scheduled

Little League tryouts will be held Saturday and Monday at Dimmitt's Little League baseball park.

**BOYS AGES 8-12** interested in playing Little League baseball this season should sign up for the tryouts. Boys must fill out an application card and attend at least one tryout session if:

You have never played Little League baseball in Dimmitt.

You played on a minor league team last year.

You played on a Little League team, but for any reason you did not finish the season on that team.

All registration cards must be turned in by 6 p.m. Friday and birth certificates must be presented at the time cards are turned in or at tryouts. Cards may be turned in to Therman Oldham or Bill Behrends.

Saturday's tryouts will be held at 1:30 p.m. and tryouts Monday will be held after school.

Eight and nine year olds will try out for minor league only. Tryouts will be held April 27 at 1:30 p.m. at the Little League park.

## Last rites held for Mrs. Froehner

Funeral services for Mrs. Lydia Louise Froehner, mother of Nolan W. Froehner of Dimmitt, were held Thursday in the Aldersgate Methodist Church in San Antonio.

**REV. HAROLD** Zirkel and Rev. Gus Schulze officiated, assisted by Bishop O. Eugene Slater, former bishop of the Northwest Texas Conference.

Futher services were held Thursday in Monthalia Methodist Church in Monthalia. Rev. David Crabtree officiated, with a eulogy delivered by her son, Dr. Calvin Froehner.

Mrs. Froehner, 86, died last Tuesday in Kerrville. She had been a resident of Kerrville for the past six years and was a former resident of San Antonio. A member of the Aldersgate Methodist Church in San Antonio, she was the wife of the former pastor.

Other survivors include her husband, Rev. Walter L. Froehner; two sons, Dr. Calvin W. Froehner, pastor of Alamo Heights Methodist Church in San Antonio and Reuben B. Froehner of Flatonia; a sister, Mrs. Emma Klein of New Braunfels; and four grandchildren.

**BURIAL WAS** in Monthalia Methodist Cemetery.

## Come on--get mad! Then do something!

Have you ever tried to use a public restroom, only to find it had been put out of working order by vandals?

**HAVE YOU** ever gone to a park or recreation area with a smile on your face, only to be greeted by garbage on the ground and obscene scrawlings on the buildings?

And didn't it make you mad?

So what are you going to do about it? And where are you going to start?

**THE DIMMITT** Garden Club women are mad, too, about the senseless littering, defacing and destruction of public facilities that were put there for the public to enjoy.

And they're doing something about it with a "community awareness program, in cooperation with the City of Dimmitt, to show us just how much the litterbugs and vandals are costing us in the enjoyment of our city.

For instance, have you been to the city park recently? The Garden Club women have — and they found why fewer and fewer people are using it.

**THE PARK** was originally designed to be an enjoyable facility for the entire family, with tennis and basketball courts, baseball diamond, croquet courts, playground for the kids, and a flower garden and hundreds of trees and shrubs.

But what has happened to this beautiful plan?

The public ramada-restroom building was defaced by graffiti.

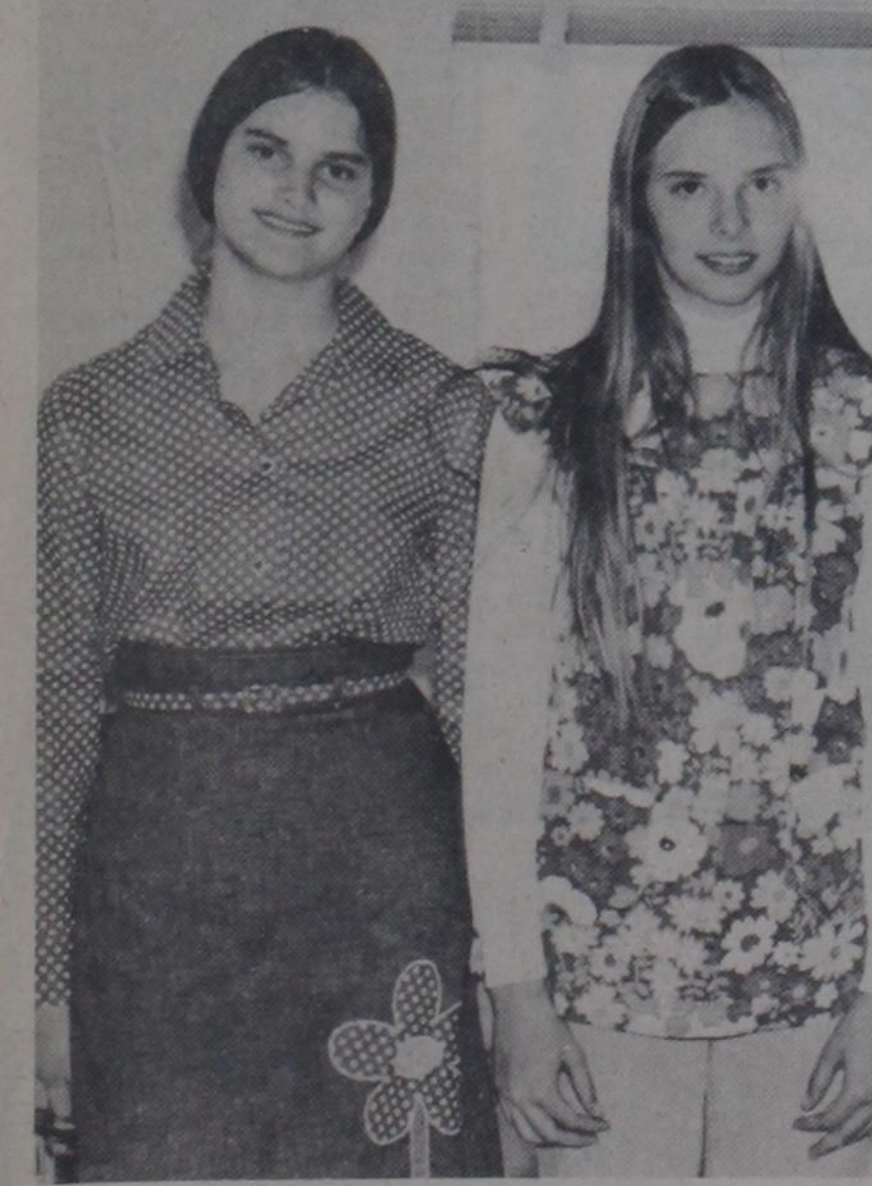
Several years ago the Bluebirds remedied the problem by painting pretty murals on all the outside walls.

**BUT NOW** the building is covered with more obscenities and graffiti.

City employees, on their own time, repair and maintain the children's playground equipment. But the very next day after making the repairs, they find the swing seats cut and the wooden seats torn off.

The city tries to keep the restrooms at the park clean and working, but vandals destroy these efforts. Even the door locks have been torn off and the door knobs removed.

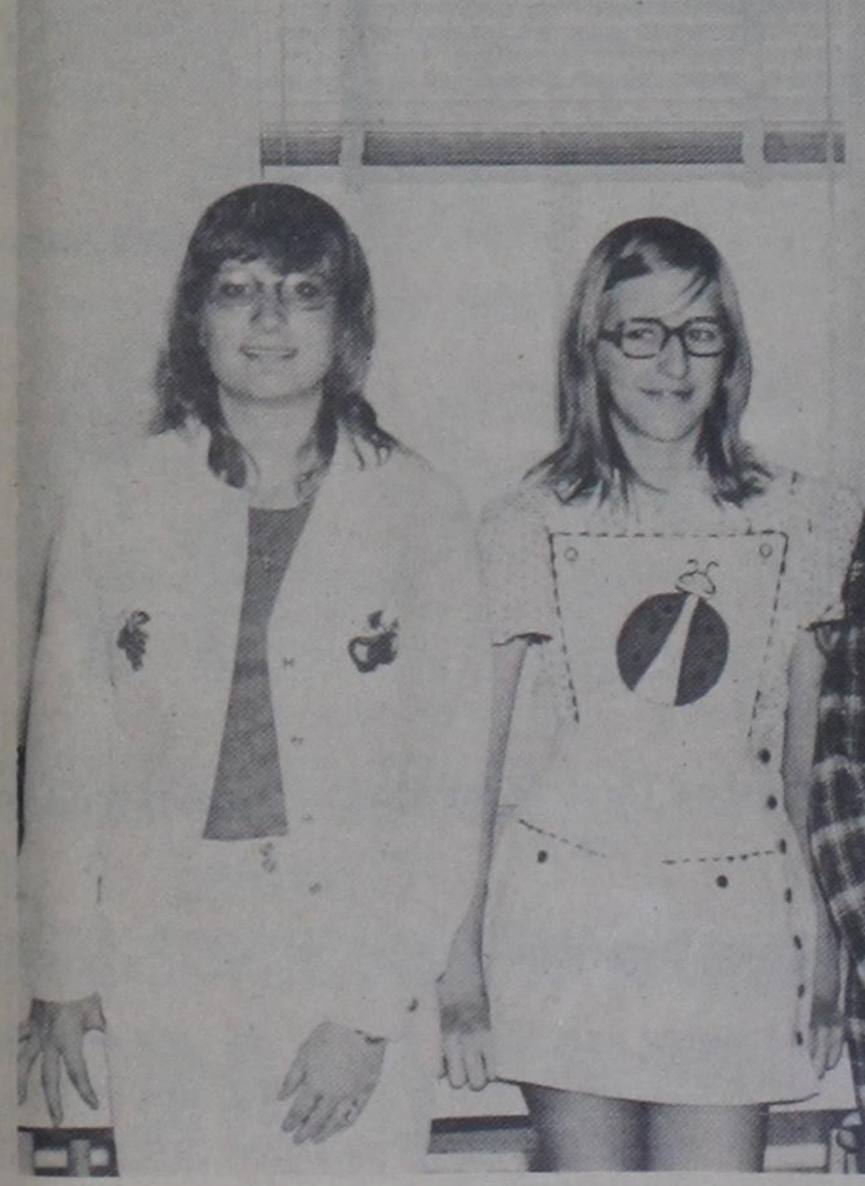
**MORE PEOPLE** could enjoy using the tennis court in the park if they didn't have to sweep off the broken [See COME ON, Page 13]



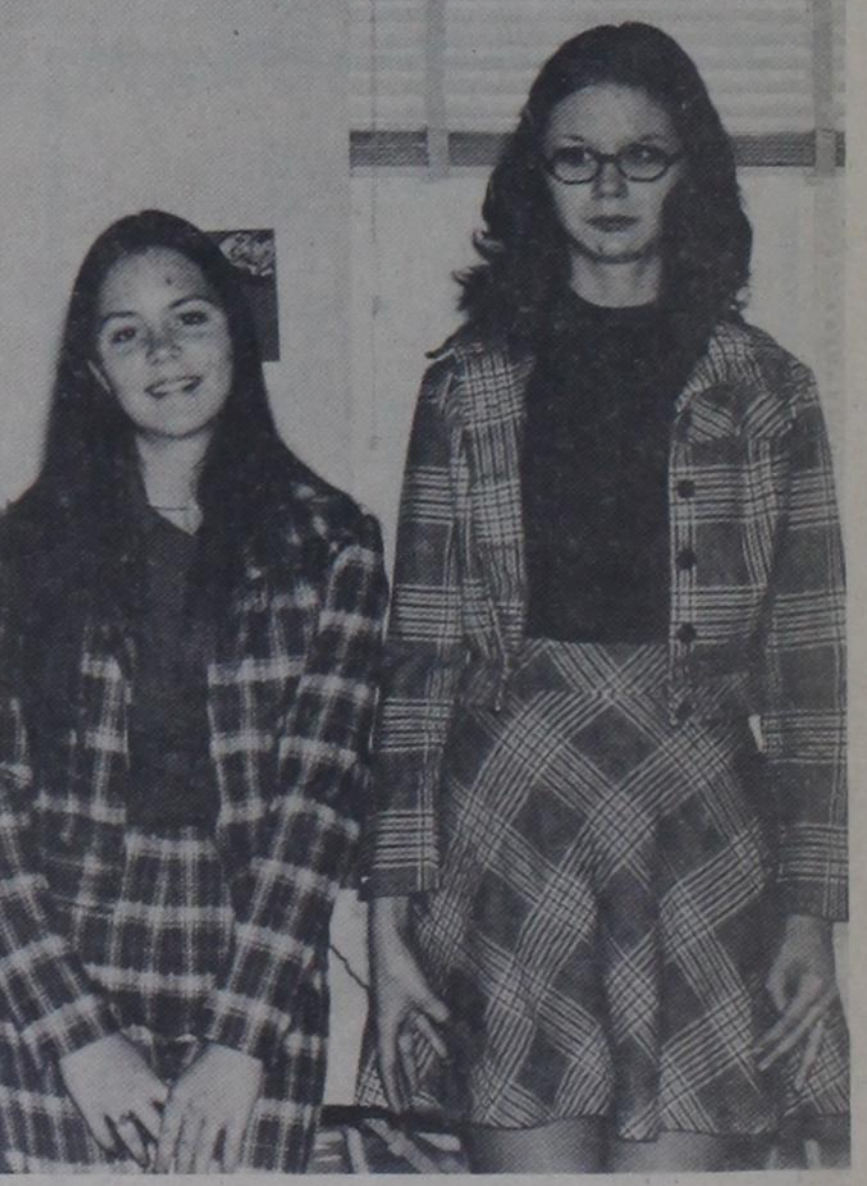
**JUNIOR WINNERS** in the 4-H Food Show held Saturday in the Courthouse community room were, from left, Heidi Bruegel, desserts, A'lann Truelock, main dishes, Shelley Watts,



beverages and Darendia Young, salads. The girls will compete in the District 4-H Food Show in Amarillo Saturday.



**WINNERS** in the senior division of Saturday's 4-H Food Show were, from left, Kelly Bagley, side dishes, Cinde Sides, desserts, Leisa Graef, beverages and Sandy Heck, main dishes.



Miss Heck was also a winner in last year's competition. The senior division winners will compete Saturday in Amarillo.

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## Elections slated Saturday

County residents will cast ballots Saturday in school district, hospital district and city elections.

**BALLOTING** at Hart will be done at City Hall and elections in Nazareth will be held at the community hall.

Dimmitt voters will cast ballots in the city election at City Hall and all other ballots at Dimmitt Junior High School.

Incumbents Donald J. Wright and Robert McLean are unopposed in their bid for another term on the Plains Memorial Hospital board. Ballots will be available at Dimmitt Junior High School, Hart City Hall and Nazareth Community Hall.

On the ballot for three positions in the Dimmitt School Board election are incumbent Charles Nutt, Carl King, Donald Wright and Fred Bruegel Jr.

**DUB HOLLEY** and Cleve McLain are candidates for the two trustee positions in the Hart School Board election and Weldon Jones is a write-in candidate and incumbents Ed Ramaekers and James Wilhelm are unopposed in their bids for re-election to the Nazareth board.

In Dimmitt's city election, Garnett F. Holland and J. R. Brown are the only candidates for posts on the city commission.

At Nazareth, Urban Ball and Harry Kleman are candidates for mayor. Joe Lange is a write-in candidate for commissioner. Place 1.

County residents will have from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. to cast their votes in the elections.



**CHARRED RUINS** — This bulldozer and pickup were burned in a fire at the J&J Feedlot northeast of Hart Saturday afternoon. According to Frank Barnes, Hart fire chief, the fire was apparently started by some smoldering burrs at the site. R. J. Murray, co-owner of the feedlot, was taken to Plains Memorial Hospital Saturday for treatment due to smoke inhalation. A large quantity of hay, the pickup and bulldozer were lost in the weekend blaze and damages are estimated to exceed \$10,000. Units of the Hart, Dimmitt and Nazareth volunteer fire departments responded to the fire. The feedlot was the scene of another large fire only about a month previous to Saturday's blaze.

## Streaking students suspended

The national campus had streaked into Dimmitt Friday afternoon, and resulted in three youths being suspended from school for six days.

**THE THREE** boys reportedly shucked most of their clothing while on a cross-country run during the final period of school Friday, and streaked across US 86 near the Country Club, en route to the high school stadium. A witness to the incident reported it to school officials.

Monday, Supt. Charlie White and DHS Principal D. W. Harkins placed the three high school juniors on six-day suspension.

As a result of their suspension, the three youths are missing their six-week exams this week and will receive zeros on their tests.

**THE TIMING** of their suspension is unfortunate for them because of the six-week tests, but they picked their own time for streaking," White said.

## Bond election set Tuesday

Dimmitt School District voters will go to the polls for a third time Tuesday in an attempt to decide the fate of a bond issue concerning improvements to Dimmitt High School athletic facilities.

**PROPOSED** improvements in the \$275,000 bond issue include construction of a 3500-seat football stadium on Western Circle Drive with lighting, a field-house, concession stand and paved parking lot in addition to an all-weather track.

The proposal has been defeated in two previous elections held in December and January.

Voting will begin at 8 a.m. Tuesday and continue through 7 p.m. at the Dimmitt Junior High School auditorium.

Noel Gollehon will serve as presiding judge and Garnett Holland will be alternate presiding judge.

**ABSENTEE** voting in the election will continue through Monday. Absentee ballots may be cast from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the school tax office.

Robert Ryan is serving as absentee voting clerk.

## ACS Crusade work kicks off locally

Members of the Castro County unit of the American Cancer Society and volunteer workers are kicking off the county's Cancer Crusade for 1974 this week.

**MRS. L. C. McLain** of Hart is the county's Crusade chairman this year. Tom Landry, coach of the Dallas Cowboys is the state Crusade chairman.

"The local Cancer Crusade will be conducted throughout April with the dual purpose of placing informative literature in each household in the county, and collecting 36 cents per capita in funds. Through Crusade work, we hope to help wipe out cancer in our lifetime," said Mrs. McLain.

The Castro County unit has reached its annual goal each year since it was organized, and hopes to do so again this year according to Mrs. McLain.

Anyone who can volunteer time in the drive is urged to contact Mrs. McLain at Hart, Mrs. Claud Forson in Dimmitt or Mrs. Harry Kleman at Nazareth.

## Cemetery group slates workday

A workday will be held Saturday at the Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

**ALL MEMBERS** and stockholders are urged to bring tools to help give the cemetery a facelift.

## All-Sports Banquet is set for Tuesday

Dimmitt High School's All-Sports Athletic Banquet will be held Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the North Elementary Cafeteria.

**JESSIE POWELL**, linebacker for the world champion Miami Dolphins, will be the featured speaker. Powell, a native of Spur, has played in three Super Bowl games. During the off-season he ranches near Tulia.

A new feature at this year's banquet will be the awarding of letters and jackets in all sports.

Deane Wright will present football and boys' track awards; Kenneth Cleveland will present boys' basketball and golf letters; Bob Askey girls' basketball and tennis and Travis Sursa, girls' track.

Most Valuable Players will be named in football, basketball and track. The MVP award winners are determined by a vote of the athletes themselves.

**BASKETBALL** and football queens will also be announced and crowned.

Underwood's will cater the barbecue dinner and the banquet is open to the public.

Tickets will be available at the door at \$3 each.

## Scout Council drive underway

The annual Boy Scout Fund Drive started Monday with a kickoff breakfast at the Colonial Inn, and will end Friday.

**THE DRIVE** is a "Sustaining Membership Enrollment" for the South Plains Council. Boy Scouts of America. Teams of local men are soliciting financial support through bank drafts, cash or regular billing. Any person or business giving \$100 or more will become a member of the South Plains Council's "Century Club," and will receive a certificate showing Century Club membership.

Bill Behrends, chairman of the Dimmitt Troop Committee, is serving as general chairman of the current drive, with captains directing five-man teams and majors supervising groups of teams.

Majors are Fred Bruegel Jr., Dan Nelson and Gene King.

**CAPTAINS** include Robert Benton, Don Reeve, Rex Sheffy, Julian Falcon, Bob Caddell, Larry Morris, Avery Thrasher, John Wait, Stanley Byrnes, Verle West, Charles McLain, Darrell Barber and Gene Johnson.

The team that finishes all its calls by today (Thursday) with the most donations and pledges will be treated to a steak dinner for team members and their [See SCOUT, Page 13]

## '74 Roundup idea session on tap Monday

The first planning session for the 1974 Castro County Roundup is scheduled for Monday night.

**THE MEETING** will begin at 8 p.m. in the courthouse assembly room.

Serving as chairman of the county's traditional August celebration this year is Avery Thrasher of Dimmitt, new president of the Castro County Activities Committee, which coordinates the Roundup.

Other officers of the committee are Darrell McLain of Hart and Jerome Brockman of Nazareth, vice-presidents, and Mrs. Bill Behrends of Dimmitt, secretary-treasurer.

Thrasher urged all organizations, clubs and communities in the county to send representatives to Monday night's meeting. Preliminary ideas for this year's celebration will be discussed.

## Warm and windy

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

Thursday	82	41
Friday	77	40
Saturday	80	43
Sunday	86	45
Monday	83	35
Tuesday	72	44
Wednesday	74	41
April Moisture	0	
1974 Moisture	1.57	

**CHARLES WILKERSON**  
US Weather Observer

## Auxiliary banquet set for Saturday

The annual Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and Candy-stripers Banquet will be held Saturday at the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

**TICKETS** for the dinner are \$3.50 and will be available at the door.

Candy-stripers and auxiliary members are requested to wear their uniforms.

Sheffy's chatter

Mrs. Love host open house activities on Pine Sunday

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Several new houses have been built on Pine Street - the Polson's, DiCuffa's and many more. Sunday Myrrah Kate Love was hostess at open house to warm the new place at 715 Pine. Her hostesses, Mrs. Burl Bradford, Mrs. Fred Bruegel, Mrs. Brad Fuller, Mrs. Allan Webb and Mrs. Garnett Holland, were all dressed up in long skirts greeting friends coming by. Yes, they were pretty too. They were serving home baked butter cake and punch from a pretty table. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown were helping mother show the house. A niece and husband Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Vickers and son from Plains were here. He is football coach and she is librarian there. A money tree was the gift.

MRS. FANNIE Malone of Odessa has been visiting her friend Millicent Davis for the past two weeks. Sunday Mrs. Ola Murphy was hostess at dinner at the Colonial Inn Restaurant for Mrs. Malone, Millicent, Mrs. Hazel Waggoner, Hattie Webb and Annie Gregory.

Mrs. Lela Cobb of Plainview has been here visiting her daughter Para and Glen Renter. Para says thanks go to Frances Duke for the pie, and thanks to all the Dimmitt folks who have been so good and kind while both were ill. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Werland of Amarillo spent Saturday with their niece Helen and Andy Behrends at the farm west of Flag.

Charles and Margie Tolleson went to Wichita Falls last weekend to help move their daughter and family the David Trents, who did live in Amarillo. That was a nice warm day to move. One day 85 degrees, next 40.

BETTY KUEHLER and son Mark are here for a visit with her parents Rev. and Mrs. Lenol Hester. The Kuehlers will be moving to Houston next week.

Jodie Riley, son of the Ray Joe Rileys, spent his vacation last week with his grandparents the Ira Scotts who have a real cow ranch 11 miles west of Hereford. He helped mend fence and feed cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Froehner attended the funeral ser-

vice for his mother Thursday at Monhalia. Mrs. Froehner had been ill for a long time. She and Rev. Froehner have lived in Kerrville for several years. He was a Methodist minister before retirement.

Mrs. Walter Kennedy of Waco has been here this week for a visit with her sister Mrs. Inez Lee, who is the mother of Charlene Howell and Carolyn Moke. Mrs. Lee lives next door to Faye Holland on Bedford Street. She has lived here for about a year, goes to church with the Baptists.

JOE AND Vicki Bennett of Silvertown were weekend guests of her parents Mertón and Marzell Powell. The Bennetts have lived in Fort Worth for a year or two. Joe is with the National Guard. The Joe Tiffins, former Dimmitt people, live at Silvertown now. He is with the cotton gin.

Danny and Nancy Whatley have moved back home from 29 Palms, Calif. where Danny was with the US Marines there and other places. They are visiting Nancy's mother Alva Tisdale and his folks at Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nino, Reuben, Joe, Bonnie, Marlene and Gilbert are home from a trip south. They picked up daughter Virginia, a nurse at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She took her RN test at Austin. They visited a grandmother at Lockhart, saw the sights in San Antonio and the capitol in Austin.

J. W. Scruggs and son Kenneth of Oklahoma City were guests of J. W.'s sister Lottie and Ray Bearden last week. Ray is doing just fine now from his recent heart pitti-pat.

Don Nelson and Dale Maxwell took Dale's boat and headed out for the lake near Spur Friday to do some fishing or maybe to get away from the everlasting work.

MRS. CLARENCE Bearden was hostess to her bridge playing friends Thursday afternoon. She served a pretty and good salad plate with angel food cake to Ceal Carlile, Josie Bradford, Anita Morris, Ruth Coleman, Gladys Cleavinger, Cletha George, Myrtle Sheffy and Maggie Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Maynard and son Wyette went to Memphis Saturday to attend the funeral of her aunt Mrs. Jerry Foster and they also visited Walter's parents Mr. and Mrs. John W. Smith. The Smith's were in Dimmitt last week visiting Walter and Wade and son. All attended church with the Baptists.

Prentice and Marilyn Thomas and son Shawn spent the weekend in Odessa visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas. Prentice is a chemist at Western Ammonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Hernandez and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alemanas attended the funeral of a relative Mr. Almanza at Rotan last week.

WE TALKED with Tom Miller Saturday while having lunch downtown. Tom farms northwest of town, is there six days a week, one day in Amarillo where he and wife Audrey live. Tom says they had a delightful trip to Rome a while back with the Taylor Evans Seed people. This was a tour of the city and other areas in Italy. Tom says he ran into a college friend Grey Frederickson, formerly of Oklahoma City, now Hollywood. This man was assistant

producer of "The Godfather" and is now working on the sequel to that show. Tom says they didn't do anything other than see that part of Europe and talk to friends.

Claribel Adams and son Eddie and Cindy went to Midland last weekend to visit another son and brother Johnny and Connie and their little girl Johanna.

I helped with the telephone church census. Very nice talking to people about their religious affiliations. Do cooperate with the other census takers.

Glen Renter, Bill Voyles and Bill Moyer found a lake (he says a private lake) that is stocked with cat fish. They fished for hours Saturday and didn't catch many, but I heard of a bunch who went some place and caught 40 pounds of fish, but they will not say where. They said one was two feet long.

Kristi and Steve Edwards and Amie of Lubbock and Ray and Allan Bradley were Sunday guests of parents Allan and Peggy Webb.

BAILEY Eddleman of Quitaque has moved to South Hills Manor and his sisters and kin came in Sunday to visit him. They are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Eddleman and Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Eddleman and son Martie of Silvertown, Era and Wayne Heckerson, Neva and Claude Hickey.

Mrs. Minnie McLain of Dallas is here for a visit with her sister Myrtle Williams. The other kin in Amarillo plan to be

here this weekend to visit with both ladies.

This is Twirp Week at Dimmitt High School. Seems the girls must ask for dates, pay for the Coke and ice cream and selling tickets to things. Oh yes, I hear the girls make candy and bake cookies for the guys, furnish the car and all those nice things we usually expect the boys to do.

Fred and Georgia Wall were hosts at a family dinner Sunday, her mother Buna Shruen, a sister Lola Standefer, her son Tom of Clovis, a son Dana and Lee Wall and baby from northeast of town.

DONDRA AND Deirdra Stafford of Lewisville flew up to Lubbock Sunday where the grandparents Rex and Dorothy Sheffy met them. The little girls will visit them and great aunt Mary Hestand for two weeks while their dad Tommy has surgery on the arm that was hurt in the car wreck last winter.

Jerry and Suzie Marvin Hanners and little Jennifer went to Lubbock, took a plane headed for Abilene but had to go to Dallas then back to Abilene to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griffin and 15-day old Benjamin. She says the airport at Dallas is a wonderful experience. Only lost two times. Coming home from Lubbock the gas tank was low, no one would sell to them but a good Mr. Davis at Springlake gave them three gallons to get in. Thanks go to him.

Terry and Gay Powell and new girl baby of Levelland were weekend guests of their parents Maurice and Johnny Powell and Shorty Oldham, so Saturday Gay and little Ali Leigh were the honorees at a baby shower in the home of Mrs. Dan (Hazel) Nelson. 40 friends came by to meet the little one, bringing gifts. Other hostesses were Earlene Myatt, Dorothy Nutt and Mary Lois Summers.

Ted and Dorothy Sheffy and Ginia went to Tulsa Sunday for the christening service for their grandson Richard Shey Wallace and were dinner guests of Beth and Rick.

Mark and Sarita Cleavinger of Dallas have a new baby girl, came last week. Her name is Kippy Shawn. Grandma Marge Cleavinger flew down Tuesday to stay a few days and granddad M. E. is going this weekend. Seems the other grands, Charlie and Monte White, have gone to see the new one already.

WHILE JERRY and Suzie Marvin (KDHN) were in Abilene they took Jennifer to the zoo. They say it is one of the best. Abilene is a growing city with three church colleges, a nice ranch country also.

Jane Blackburn was hostess Tuesday with a luncheon and bridge later. I hear she had good hot home made rolls with all that good food. Her guests were Stephanie Love, Deanne Clark, Sandra Potts, Nancy Ross, Jan Baca, Carlie Warren, Martie Benton and Sandra Clark.

Jack Cowser came home Monday from Lubbock where he had successful surgery. Maybe he can get to the garden work now.

Dr. Bill Murphy is in Philadelphia, Pa. this week doing some intensive studying on his specialty in medicine. Those gentlemen doctors must keep learning.

JIMMY AND Nancy Ross and girls spent the weekend at their cabin in Palo Duro, that one is located on the creek just east of Buffalo Stadium north of Canyon. The girls can fish and swim when it is warm.

Earl Brock went to Corpus Christi to be with his brother Don who is very ill. Mable is in Lubbock visiting other relatives.

MRS. EARL Lust was hostess Thursday for "handwork day", a project of members of the Bethel Home Demonstration Club. They meet once a month for a covered dish lunch and each member brings her handwork - knitting, crocheting, embroidery or sewing. The

members and their guests who came were Mrs. J. C. Williams and her sister Winnie McLain of Dallas, Mrs. Carl Lee and sister-in-law Mrs. Kennedy of Waco, Mrs. Jim Bagwell and her guest Mrs. Floyd Stanford, Mrs. Birdie Neill, Mrs. Don Moke and little son, Mrs. Leland Smith, Mrs. Leona Stiles, Mrs. Vern Lust, Mrs. Elbert Smith and daughter Denise, Mrs. Jack Howell, Mrs. Thompson and the hostess.

Mrs. Dan Heard, Pam, Leslie and Danny spent Friday in

AMARILLO seeing doctors. Danny fell two weeks ago in the gym and broke his jaw and it has been wired together since, but the doctor removed part of the wiring so he could begin to eat. Danny spent three days in

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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.

MISION BUATISTA JOE BAILE 300 N.E. 7th Tesorero Gabriel Montiel Secretaria Sara Salinas CULTOS DOMINGO PARA Y VISITANTES Escuela Dominical 10:00 a.m. La Predicacion 11:00 a.m. Estudios Biblicos 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH 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.

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

Sunday— Bible School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Study 8:45 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Mack Turner, 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 Night— Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Jim Burk, Pastor N.W. 5th at Helsell 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— Mid-Week Services 7:30 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.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside) Third and Halsell Streets Cecil H. Shelton, Minister Ph. Home 647-5284—Study 647-5501 Sunday— Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Ladies Class 2:00 p.m. Mid-Week Service 8:00 p.m.

GOING UP... A building is being erected. It is made of strong materials, steel and concrete. The foundation is firm and deep. The edifice is built to endure. We need to build our homes to endure. They need a strong foundation. They need to be built on the rock of Christ. Psalm 127:1 reads, 'Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it.' Attend church regularly that your house may be instructed in the ways of the Lord. 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. Ser.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside) Charles Harris, Pastor Phone 647-5355 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 7:30 p.m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH C. Lennel Hester, Pastor 110 S.W. 3rd - Phone 647-4886 Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 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.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Robert Alexander 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

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HELPING OUT at Plains Memorial Hospital are these two Dimmitt High School HECE students. Shown preparing a bed in the intensive care unit of the hospital are Karen Seely, left, and Zenitha Ann Mayberry. Both girls work two or three times a week at the hospital. The work at the hospital encourages the girls to further their training and plan a career in health. Miss Seely is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Seely and Miss Mayberry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mayberry.

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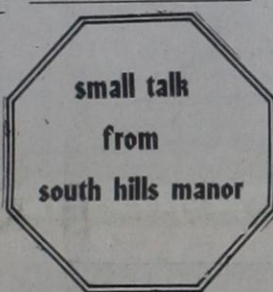
Amarillo in the hospital and got home in time for big brother Leslie to spend three days here in the hospital. All are out and back in school once again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Heard, Mr. and Mrs. Bay Baldrige and Rev. and Mrs. John Street attended a Wycliff Bible Translators banquet in Amarillo last Thursday night. They had a very interesting program on the work that these folks do all over the United States working with peoples of every language and helping them to have a Bible in their native tongue.

Dan and Oma Dee Heard attended a banquet get together Saturday night in Amarillo at the Villa Inn. This was with the group that went together on the Hawaiian tour. After a lovely meal much visiting and picture showing. Each person brought their slides and movies and they enjoyed seeing all the pictures that were taken. They plan to get together again in August at Dalhart when their Hawaiian tour guide will be there as a guest of the group for the XIT rodeo. Another get together is planned for September.

Faye Kenmore's guests Saturday were Dorothy Bostick and Neemie Cummins of

Brownwood and Mrs. A. R. Bostick of Olton. Beral Hance spent the weekend in Lubbock with her son Kent and family.



By CATHRINE EASTER

Rev. Bedford Smith of the First Christian Church brought the devotional here on Sunday morning. Mrs. Smith at the piano, Mr. Dunn violin, Mrs. Paul Fry soloist. Rev. Smith's theme "Precious Promises", a splendid message.

Ladies from Bedford Street Church of Christ gave the March birthday party on Tuesday evening. Those having birthdays were Sonny Lemmons, Alva Umberson, Mary Durstin, Luda Lindsey and Cathrine Easter. We knew that we had better put on our prettiest bib and tucker for the custom is that beside the party of refreshments they bring along the Polaroid. The five take this method of saying "Thank you."

PACK 246 Hart Cub Scouts under the watchful eye of their Den Mother Mrs. Leonard Griswold paid us a call on Saturday afternoon. They were in new Scout uniforms, almost uniform in size too. They cheered us all but especially did they cheer the hearts of the residents of their home town when they come with smiles and remembrances. Scoutmasters Messrs. Charles Martinez and Abel Reyna flew them over. Thank you for coming and come back.

Among the visitors here on Sunday were people from Hereford, Hart, Amarillo, Silverton, Happy, Seminole and Floydada.

THE "multiple wardrobe look" is strong fashion-wise and economy-wise. A consumer can switch separate and coordinated garments for variety — at less cost than purchasing individual outfits, points out Mrs. Becky Culp, clothing specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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**3—FOR SALE, MISC.**

WELDING SUPPLIES — Oxygen acetylene welding rod-goggles. Dimmitt Consumers. 3-28-tfc

FOR SALE: 1973 Trailer House, 3 bedrooms, pay equity and take up payments. Also a 140' by 172' lot east of town. Call 647-5318. 3-21-tfc

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FOR SALE: 1972 16 foot Newman boat, tri-hull, with 1974 115 hp. Johnson motor and Dilly walkaround trailer. \$2875. See Keith Seamands at TV Cable office or call 647-2364. 3-26-2tc

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**6—AUTOMOTIVE**

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FOR SALE: 1967 4-door Chevrolet, power and air, very good tires, auxiliary transmission. Call 647-3257. 6-25-tfc

FOR SALE: 1972 Honda 250, dirt bike, Call 647-5489 after 5 p.m. 6-25-tfc

FOR SALE — 1969 model Dodge tandem truck, with hoist, good condition. Ruben Lopez. Phone 647-4395. 6-26-3tp

1970 WRECKED FORD for sale. Come by Patsy's Factory Outlet in the afternoon. 6-26-1tc

INSPECTED USED TIRES: Guaranteed 12 months, \$5 up. Firestone, Hereford. 6-14-tfc

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**8—SERVICES**

SINGER SALES & SERVICE: Call 364-4051 or go by Patsy's Factory Outlet, 105 N. Bdwy., Dimmitt. 8-7-tfc

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FURNITURE REPAIR — As we can't go places guess we'll continue our repair work. We fix just about any furniture in need of repair, recliners, divans — any furniture. Call E. E. Huggins, 647-2229, 1 mile east of Dimmitt on Highway 86. 8-16-tfc

FOR SOFT WATER Service, Call 364-3280, Hereford, Texas. 8-28-tfc

WANTED: Custom fertilizing, Plowing, spraying and flat-breaking. Call Gene Heath, 647-5548. 8-8-52tp

DEAD STOCK removal, 7-day week service. Please call soon as possible. Hereford Bi-Products, Phone 364-0951. 8-27-tfc

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**9—HELP WANTED**

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HELP WANTED: Ward clerk. Apply in person 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Plains Memorial Hospital. 9-25-tfc

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**10—WANTED, MISC.**

WANTED: Good used furniture. Pat's Electric. 647-4421, 214 E. Bedford. 10-43-tfc

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**11—LIVESTOCK, PETS**

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**12—NOTICES**

NOTICE  
Bobby Mayhew will not be responsible for any debts but his own. 12-26-tfc

WE NOW have a supply of INK-NIX, a ballpoint pen ink remover. Only 98 cents. Castro County News. 3-28-tfc

**14—CARD OF THANKS**

CARD OF THANKS  
I would like to thank everyone for their cards, visits and prayers during my illness.  
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Klemm  
14-26-1tp

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The News has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following persons for the offices indicated, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

For County & District Clerk: Zonell Maples (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: Florene Leinen (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Pre. 2: Clayton (Charley) Graef Clyde Harold Damron Edd Wilson Jr.

For Commissioner, Pre. 4: Al Maurer (Re-election) Jerry Wilhelm Carl D. Klemm

For County Judge: Weldon Skinner Art Schreck Weldon Bradley Maurice Campbell

For Justice of Peace, Pre. 3: Marshall Young Mary Jo Smith (Re-election)

For House of Representatives 74th District: Harvey Floyd

(Political Advertisement Paid for By the Candidates)

NATIONWIDE, milk production during February showed a three percent decline.



**BLAZING HOUSE** — Members of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Department got in some practice Saturday afternoon when they burned a vacant house in southeast Dimmitt in order to gain experience in using the new county firetruck. The structure was donated for the

purpose. Each fireman took a turn on the hose in order to get the "feel" of the new equipment. The firemen got in almost an hour of practice before allowing the structure to burn down.

**Sunnyside news**

**Sadlers attend seminar**

By TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dawson and family attended the funeral services for his mother Mrs. R. B. Dawson Sr. in Tulia Friday. She was 72. Mrs. Dawson died unexpectedly of a heart attack in her home east of Tulia Wednesday.

The Day Bible Study Group met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. L. B. Bowden, group leader, in charge.

Mrs. Cecil Curtis visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens in Petersburg Friday and Saturday. She spent four days with them last week.

MRS. WASHINGTON gave the annual report for Dimmitt Head Start beginning her comments with, "I am very well qualified to give this report because I have had seven children in the Dimmitt Head Start program. Dimmitt was one of the very first places to begin the program nine years ago. I can truthfully say that the Head Start program in Dimmitt has given my children a head start in school."

MR. AND MRS. Gale Sadler flew to McAllen Monday to attend the seminar of the American Federation of Cooperatives. They returned home Friday. Cindy and Susan stayed with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

MATT GILBREATH and the Dimmitt All-Star Little Driveller team played in the tournament at Littlefield Thursday through Saturday. They lost the game with Levelland Thursday night, won over Idalou Saturday morning and lost to Farwell Saturday afternoon.

THE CHURCH went over the March Home Mission offering goal for the Annie Armstrong offering. The goal was \$550 and \$844 was received.

Regular community meeting will be held Friday night at 8:00 p.m. in the community building. Bring cookies.

Chet Henderson of Colorado Springs, Colo. spent Wednesday through Friday with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrook while he was on his spring vacation.

A large group from the community attended the James Robison Rally in Dimmitt Monday night. Bill Morgan, Larry Starnes and Hershel Wilson helped out with the ushering.

MR. AND MRS. Roy Phelan visited in Tulia Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris. They visited again Friday night with them in Swisher County Hospital in Tulia where Mrs. Morris was a patient.

Mrs. Noah Spencer received a call from her son Jerry Shive in Irving Thursday to let her know he had a new son. Both mother and baby were fine. They have three little girls.

SANDRA DUKE went to San Antonio Thursday with Jan Noble and David Armstrong of Dimmitt to make inquiries about San Marcos University and Trinity College. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson were in El Paso over the weekend for a lay witness mission in the First Baptist Church there. Debbie and Daneen stayed with their grandfather Grady Epperson in Ropesville to help him while Mrs. Epperson is in the hospital for tests.

MR. AND MRS. Roy Phelan attended the 50th anniversary celebration honoring Rev. and Mrs. Curtis Butler of Las Vegas. N.M. in the home of their daughter in Plainview Sunday afternoon.

James Powell and children of Dimmitt had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler

MR. AND MRS. John Gilbreath and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended a called meeting of Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary at the hospital Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd Ivey visited in Amarillo Wednesday with her sister Mr. and Mrs. Shum Barnard.

Mrs. Verdis Plott of San Angelo, cousin of Lloyd Blanton, arrived Tuesday to help out while Mrs. Blanton recuperates from surgery. Mrs. Marvin Comardelle returned to her home and family in Louisiana Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Phelan conducted the prayer group for Baptist Women Wednesday night as well as the council meeting in the absence of Mrs. Hershel Wilson who was ill.

LEE BROWN, Lonnie Wilson and Lyle Shive have been elected by the Baptist Men to lead the younger R.A.'s. They met with them Wednesday afternoon for the first time.

Rev. Mack Turner taught another chapter of the book, "The Mission Task of the Church" during the prayer meeting service.

Alton Loudder was honored with a birthday dinner in his home Sunday by his family.

MR. AND MRS. W. E. Loudder was dismissed from Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Monday.

L. B. Bowden killed a small rattlesnake, two rattlers and a button Monday as he was taking an insulated box off a hydrant at the front of the house so he went looking for one Saturday in the pasture and killed a large three foot rattler with seven rattlers and a button.

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Representatives from nine schools gave reports highlighting accomplishments of the individual schools during the year.

**TPCAC hears report on Head Start work**

Book review is set for Wednesday

The Dimmitt Book Club will meet Wednesday in the Rhoads Memorial Library for a business meeting and book review.

THE REGULAR business meeting will begin at 3:30 p.m. and at 4 o'clock Reta Welch will review the book, "Where the Red Fern Grows" by Wilson Rawls. The book is the story of a boy and his dog and pictures the trials and excitement of growing up in eastern Oklahoma.

All interested persons are invited to attend the review.

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**Letter to the Editor**

**Red Cross gets a bad rap here**

Dear Editor:  
As we began our Salvation Army Drive in Dimmitt Tuesday morning of last week, several workers expressed praise of the Salvation Army in strong criticism of the American National Red Cross. I feel certain the Salvation Army drive would be successful without criticism of another service organization.

**THE STORY** of the five-cent cup of coffee and doughnut sold to military men (and now at disasters) has now risen to \$1.00 (inflation, no doubt... and why buy it?), and the facts behind that sale with the British Red Cross are totally unknown to the average storyteller.

The investigation into "selling" of Red Cross ditty bags, etc. donated by the American public after WWI has not been publicized as to its findings in any dimension comparable to the "sell" side.

\$15,000-plus was spent in Sunnyside after its tornado by the American Red Cross, and only some \$15 or so has ever been collected for the Red Cross here since... while a committee of area residents made the decisions as to how Red Cross funds would be spent in Sunnyside at the time of the tornado. Red Cross does not rebuild or replace as was to those who have insurance, etc.

**EMERGENCY** communication for families of military personnel are at Red Cross expense in Castro County, though there are no funds in Castro County for this.

First aid, water safety, and hospital volunteer training are provided by the American Red Cross — though not through Castro County cooperation.

Years of "growing" rumor and misinformation about Red Cross will no doubt not be erased in Dimmitt during my lifetime, but shall we at least not assist at our Salvation Army Fund Drive kickoff?

Yours for a better Dimmitt,  
DEANNE CLARK

[Editor's Note: Although the conversation at the Salvation Army kickoff breakfast was a round-table affair, we don't recall the Red Cross being mentioned specifically. However, many of us do draw comparisons between the two organizations when we probably shouldn't, since their structures are different and very few of their service programs overlap. And many of us haven't heard the Red Cross's side of these tales, e.g., that the sale of coffee, doughnuts, cigarettes, etc., to American soldiers in Europe came on orders from Gen. Eisenhower and not through any Red Cross decision; that the national Red Cross Chairman's salary is paid by an endowment and not through donated funds; etc. You're right — these stories have hurt the Red Cross here. While the Salvation Army and several other service organizations are well received, the Red Cross has to scrounge for funds to pay for the emergency services it provides in Castro County. We know that the Salvation Army's officials discourage comparison with, or criticism of, any other service organization.]

**LAST YEAR** saw the sharpest drop in per capita food consumption in 15 years. A gain in crop-related foods — largely fruits and processed vegetables — partially offset the decline in consumption of livestock products. Meat and eggs had sharp reductions, while poultry and fish underwent smaller declines, notes Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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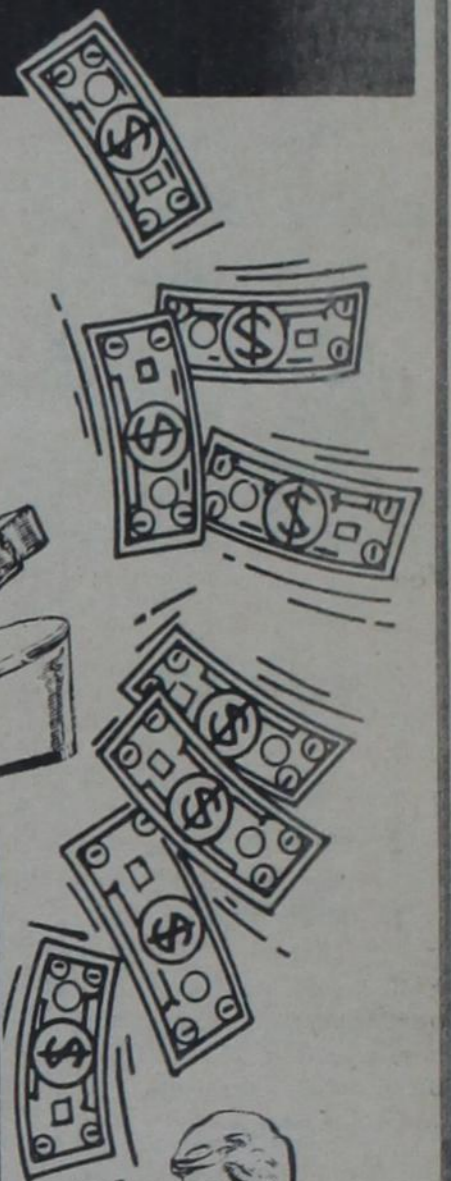


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Perrin attends Houston meeting

John A. "Dick" Perrin of Dimmitt has just returned from

Houston where he represented the Federal Land Bank Association of Dimmitt at the annual Stockholders' Meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston.

STOCKHOLDERS and guests heard President George W. Cunningham present his annual report to the stockholders in which he reported that in 1973, the 254 million dollars in loans closed was the most credit ever extended to Texas farmers and ranchers in a single year in the Bank's 57-year history.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long-term loans on farm and ranch property throughout Texas and is currently servicing over 35,000 loans for more than 867 million dollars.

The Federal Land Bank Association of Dimmitt makes and services loans in this area. Members of the Board of Directors are Ed Drerup, Jack Summers, Irvin Ott, Wade Mills and George Sides.

Others attending the meeting from this area were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens and Mrs. John A. Perrin.



BOB WESTON

Weston named D&D manager

Bob Weston, a commercial pilot for 25 years, is the new manager of D&D Aerial Spray, Inc., of Dimmitt. Weston comes to Dimmitt from Odessa, where he has been a Lear Jet pilot for Occidental Petroleum for the past five years.

HE AND his wife, Dorothy — who is licensed in real estate sales — are currently shopping for a house in Dimmitt. The Westons have two children — Barry, 25, who has just completed a tour of duty with the Navy, and Mrs. Jana Vaughn of Odessa.

Weston holds an Airline Transport Rating (ATR), the highest in commercial aviation, and is also type-rated in the Lear 23 and 24 jets.

He has 12 years' crop-dusting experience, having worked with American Dusting Co. in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. He also has flown for Central Airlines, a commercial "feeder line" out of Abilene.

A NATIVE of San Angelo, Weston served in the Navy Air Corps during World War II as an air crewman in the South Pacific, and worked with blimps during his last six months in military service.

According to Mrs. Aural Davis, owner of D&D Aerial Spray, Inc., Weston will direct all spraying operations for the firm, which has two planes based at Dimmitt Airport. "I'm looking forward to meeting the people of Dimmitt and working with the farmers here," Weston said.

RED MEAT production in Texas increased four percent compared to a year ago.



On Wall Street By Bob Hill Lentz, Newton & Co.

Much has been said about the President and his tax returns. Representative Charles Vanik of Ohio, a member of the House Ways and Means Committee, predicts that tax revenues may be cut as much as 10% this year because taxpayers will revolt and there will be widespread cheating on tax returns, all as a result of the deductions taken by the President on his tax returns.

GRUMBING about taxes is an American tradition but cheating on tax returns isn't. Internal Revenue Commissioner Donald Alexander says he hasn't seen evidence of more cheating than usual this year. He says there always has been a minority, a very small minority, of people who don't meet their tax obligations. But the

Commissioner noted that more people are itemizing their deductions this year.

President Nixon paid about \$6,000 in taxes on total income of nearly \$800,000 for the years 1970, 1971 and 1972. He claimed a \$476,000 deduction for donating his Pre-Presidential papers to the National Archives. He also took deductions for operating expenses of the West-ern White House at San Clemente and he did not pay capital gains taxes on the sale of part of his San Clemente property.

The point to remember here is that whatever deductions were taken by President Nixon, he had the benefit of advice and counsel from experts, a tax attorney and an accountant, just as thousands of Americans get the advice and assistance of professional income tax advisors, bookkeepers, accountants, and tax attorneys. Stewart Mott, heir to a General Motors fortune, is proud of the fact that, with an annual income ranging between \$950,000 and \$1.5 million over the last three years, he wound up paying no federal taxes for 1971 and 1972 and will have only a small tax bill, if any, for 1973.

If the IRS disallows a particular deduction, an amended return is filed and the additional tax plus interest penalties is paid.

SOME accountants are saying that the IRS is tougher in its audits this year. The IRS wants every taxpayer to take every deduction he or she is entitled to take. But don't make the mistake of cheating. In the first place any reputable income tax advisor or accountant wouldn't knowingly sign a tax return which was falsified. Secondly, the IRS computers are geared to "flag" any unusual deductions so that an examiner can take a closer look at a tax return that has disproportionate deductions. That may be when you will be asked to drop by the local IRS office with your records to prove your deductions.

Briscoe to speak at FIC Bank meet

Officers and directors of Plainview Production Credit association will hear Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe keynote the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston's annual meeting April 5 in San Antonio.

PCA MANAGER James A. Rogers of Plainview said area participants include board members, Loyd Widener, Lockney, president; Billy W. Carthel, Friona, vice president; A. W. Anthony, Friona; H. L. Porter Jr., Petersburg; and Ray Robertson, Dimmitt. Widener serves as Plainview PCA's official delegate.

PCA officers attending include Rogers; Billy D. Black, assistant secretary-treasurer; and Jimmy C. Holt, assistant to the manager, all of Plainview. Briscoe highlights a Friday morning session which also features the Houston bank's annual report by its president, W. H. Calkins. More than 500 participants are expected for the three-day session which is designed to bring together 32 Production Credit Associations and 7 agricultural credit corporations.

Rogers said the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, source of funds for these agricultural lending institutions, last year loaned more than \$1.6 billion to Texas farmers and ranchers through its credit sources.

Horse Club members see judging clinic

The Dimmitt 4-H Horse Club met March 18 and March 25 to practice horse judging according to Heidi Bruegel, reporter. MEMBERS also attended a horse judging clinic March 27 and 28 in Amarillo.

Those attending the clinic were Scott Bagley, Adrian Stanton, Robert Moore, Kelly Nelson, Matt Howell and Kyle Bagwell. Also, Carol Bagwell, Diane Hodnett, Penny Hodnett, Kim Weatherford, Jan Weatherford, Lisa Simpson, Ka Ka Bruegel, Wendy Bruegel and Gay Barnes.

CAR POOL riders may not be covered by the driver's private car insurance if the car pool is operated for profit. If you pay a fee instead of sharing the driving, pay only your fair share of car operation and maintenance costs — or make sure the driver has coverage for a commercially operated vehicle, advises Janice K. Garrett, home management specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Texas fertilizer use shoots up 67 per cent

Texas farmers applied more fertilizer to their cropland last fall than usual. Recent figures show that fertilizer use increased a whopping 67 percent during the last half of 1973 compared to the same period in 1972.

"THE TREND definitely points to more fall fertilization," says Dr. Charles Welch, soil chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, who heads up the Extension Soil Testing Laboratory at Texas A&M University. "Of course, the energy crisis which has curtailed fertilizer production, uncertainty about prices and other factors had a hand in persuading farmers to put down their fertilizer early."

According to Welch, suppliers normally build up an inventory of fertilizer during the fall and winter months. "But that's not the case this year. There has been little building of inventories over the past few months, so spring fertilizer supplies will definitely be tight."

Bigness continues in cattle feeding

The trend toward bigness in the cattle feeding industry continued in Texas during 1973, reports Dr. Ed Uvacek, livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"CATTLE feeding has become even more concentrated in the larger feedlots lately. Of the 1,533 feeders in the state last year, only 233 had a one-time capacity of 1,000 head or more, and these accounted for 98 percent of all the cattle fed in Texas," the specialist points out.

According to Uvacek, only those feedlots with one-time capacities of 8,000 to 16,000 head and those that could handle more than 32,000 head increased in numbers from a year ago. Six feedlots were added to the first group while seven joined the ranks of the 32,000 head or better group.

"The super-large feedlots, those with a capacity of 16,000 head or more, totaled 66 in 1973 and accounted for 76 percent of all the cattle fed in the state.

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**NEW CARPET** — Members of the Hart High School Future Teachers Association are shown with the new carpet they helped secure for the early childhood reading room at Hart. The carpet squares were donated by Doc Cross Carpets at Plainview. FTA members pictured left to right kneeling are

Cindy Hill, Sharla Carson, Kathy Cheves, Carla Rambo, Becky Miller, Arlene Aven and Donna Welty. Standing from left are Mrs. Janine Johnson, Jimmy Kennedy, Brent Lemons, Danny Booe, Mrs. J'Lyn Ryan, Rhonda Rowland, Terry Beavers and Joyce Welty.

**Home and hobby**

**Food show winners set to go to Amarillo**

By IRENE KEATING

This is a busy time for our county 4-H'ers. The annual Food Show-Bake Show was held last Saturday and the Methods Demonstrations Tuesday at Easter and this Saturday we have 4-H'ers at District Food Show.

**BAKE SHOW** winner was Carol Hochstein with Patti Hochstein second and Deannea

Merritt third. Carol will compete at the district contest during the Tri-State Fair in September. Others in the bake show who had their banana nut bread and whole wheat rolls judged were: Leona Kleman, Michelle Acker, Mary Jeanne and Dianne Hochstein all of Nazareth; Ramonda and Darena Young, Shelly Frye, Kylee and Tammy Behrends, Laura Downing and Patricia Salazar, all of Happy Helpers. Bethel's entries were Heidi Bruegel, Cinde Sides, Muffy and A'Lann Truelock and Beth Benton. Working Girls was Sandy Heck. From Dimmitt was Kim Watts and Summerfield had Renee and LeAnn Dobbs, Bruce and Beverly Edwards. Judges for this event were the student teachers in home economics, Kathy King and Dixie Martin. Food Show winners competing in Amarillo in the Senior division are Cinde Sides,

bread and desserts; Sandy Heck, main dish; Kelly Bagley, side dishes and Leisa Graef, snacks and beverages. Other seniors entered are Sandra Tischler and Beverly Edwards. Junior snacks and beverages winner is Kim Watts. Others in this category were Renee Dobbs and Shelly Frye. A'Lann Truelock won junior main dishes. Other entries were Pat Salazar, Dianne Hochstein and Laura Downing. Side dishes junior winner is Darena Young. Others are Kylee Behrends, Muffy Truelock, Beth Benton and Tammy Behrends.

The largest division, breads and desserts was won by Heidi Bruegel. Other contestants were Ramonda Young, Michelle Acker, Raynell Fagan, LeAnn Dobbs, Deannea Merritt, Bruce Edwards and Mae Felder.

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**RONDA JACKSON**  
Miss Jackson, Furr set June 21 vows

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ronda Marie to John Gene Furr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Furr of Wolforth.

**MISS JACKSON** is a junior at Dimmitt High School and Furr is a 1973 graduate of Dimmitt High School. He is employed at Western Ammonia. The couple will exchange vows June 21.

THIS year, 4,000 children in the US under four-years-old will be killed by accidents in their homes. One child in every three will be injured seriously enough to require medical attention, according to Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

**Shower honors Mrs. Campbell**

Mrs. Ken Campbell was honored recently with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Cecil Crum.

**MRS. CRUM** presented the guests to the honoree and Mrs. Maurice Campbell.

Punch, coffee and cookies were served from a table covered with an ecru lace tablecloth with arrangements of pink snapdragons and spring flowers.

Assisting Mrs. Crum with hostess duties were Mrs. Melvin Summers, Mrs. David Hays, Mrs. Jackie Clark, Mrs. M. F. McRee and Mrs. Don Moke.

**Shower fetes Miss Gilreath**

Miss Donna Gilreath, bride-elect of Joe K. LaRue, was honored with a tea and shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Buster Tidwell.

**MRS. TIDWELL** presented the guests to Miss Gilreath and her mother, Mrs. Don Gilreath, and the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Dutch LaRue.

Judy Gilreath was at the guest book. Jan Giles and Ronda Tidwell served lemon fruit punch and coconut fruit roll cake from a table covered with lace-trimmed yellow linen, a tall candelabra with yellow candles and arrangements of small daisies.

Some 21 ladies helped with hostess duties. Out of town guests included Mrs. I. D. Onstead of Littlefield, Mrs. Matt Patterson of Earth, Mrs. R. L. Richards of Plainview, Mrs. Cecil Boediker of Lockney, Mrs. C. J. Tiller and Mrs. O.



**DIANA ADAMS**

**Couple plans August wedding**

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Diana, to William F. Laubach, son of Mrs. Lillian Laubach of Chicago, Ill and William Laubach of Hoffman Estates, Ill.

**MISS ADAMS** is a senior home economics education major at Texas Tech University.

Laubach is a sergeant in the Air Force and is stationed at Reese Air Force Base at Lubbock.

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**MARILYN McLEROY**

**July 12 vows are planned by couple**

Mr. and Mrs. Edd C. McLeroy of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marilyn Suzann, to Roy Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stone of Ralls.

**MISS McLEROY** is a senior clothing and textiles home economics education major at Texas Tech University and is a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron honorary professional Home Economics fraternity.

Stone is a 1968 graduate of Ralls High School and attended South Plains College. He is cur-

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## Five NHS FHA students to attend state meet in Dallas April 25

Five Nazareth High School FHA members will attend the state FHA meeting in Dallas April 25 and 26 where they will be recognized for their state level of accomplishment in the Encounter program.

THIS AREA will send 34 girls to the meeting. The Area I FHA consists of 131 chapters.

All five of the NHS girls making the trip are juniors. Those attending will be Rose Braddock, Patti Hochstein, Kimberly Wilhelm, Mary Beth Ramaekers and Carol Drerup. Nazareth FHA advisor Mrs. Shirley Shrum will accompany the girls on the trip.

Miss Braddock is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Braddock and serves as Nazareth FHA historian. She is a member of the CYO, secretary-treasurer of the Pep Club and a second year letterman on the district champion basketball team.

Miss Hochstein is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hochstein and is Nazareth FHA

treasurer. She is president of the area CYC, 4-H vice president, cheerleader and third year letterman on the basketball team.

THE DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilhelm, Miss Wilhelm is Nazareth FHA secretary. She is CYO treasurer, Student Council vice president, a member of the Blue and Gold Spread staff, and is a member of the Pep Club and CYO choir. She is also basketball manager.

Miss Ramaekers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ramaekers and is first vice president of the FHA. She is also Student Council secretary, Swift Band vice president and twirler, CYO choir and Activity member and junior class favorite.

Miss Drerup is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drerup and is Nazareth FHA president. She is a member of the CYO Nazareth Art Club and Pep Club and serves as treasurer of the Castro County Candystrip-

Miss Drerup is also editor of the 1974 Swift yearbook and was recently named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.



MARY BETH RAMAEKERS



ROSE BRADDOCK

## NHS netters tie for honors at Amarillo

Nazareth High School netters tied for first place honors with Denver City in Division II tennis competition in the Amarillo Relays Saturday.

THE GIRLS' doubles team of Patti Hochstein and Delphine Wethington downed the Morton team in the semi finals before defeating Floydada in the finals. The Morton team had won 40 straight matches and four tourneys prior to falling to the Swiftettes.

Other Nazareth players winning two matches each were Rachel Pohlmeier and Rosemary Schulte in doubles and Alice Hochstein in singles.

Harold Gerber won one match in the boys' division.

Nazareth accumulated 22 points for the tie with Denver City. Some 27. AA, A and B schools competed in Division II.

"WHEN A class B school knocks off AA schools, that's quite a compliment for the kids," said Joe King, NHS

tennis coach. "This is the first time Nazareth has ever shared a win in the Amarillo Relays," he added.

According to King, the NHS netters will continue playing practice matches in preparation for the regional meet to be held in Lubbock April 19 and 20.

### ON THE GO

George and Irene Blanton are home from a trip to South Texas. They stopped in McAllen to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis. While in the valley they picked grapefruit, oranges and lemons from the trees. They bought onions. They crossed the river into Mexico at Eagle Pass. George reports the bluebonnets and Indian paint brush in full bloom, and it rained and rained. They went on to Brownsville, up to Dallas where they went to the big Farmers Market, on to Bryan to visit his sisters Billie and Audrey and families, then across to Richardson to see his daughter Georgene and to Denton to see LaNelle who teaches voice at the university, then home again.

NATIONWIDE, a decrease of two percent in broiler placements was noted in 1973 compared to 1972. The average price nationwide was 23.9 cents per pound.

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### Nazareth News

## Maurers attend Austin convention

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

The weather here has been so very dry yet and lots and lots of wind almost every day. No sign of rain at all so far. Maybe the month of April will bring us a change. We hope so anyway.

MR. AND MRS. Al Maurer went to Austin for a Constitutional Convention in the House of Representatives. They left Monday and came back Thursday.

Mrs. Gregory Schacher took her parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ragland to Mangum, Okla. over the weekend for a visit with relatives and friends.

Sunday afternoon our parish had a Day of Recollection and the Rev. Father Stortz of Happy was the speaker.

FHA week started off Sunday morning with services at the morning Mass and with the teachers and members attending the Mass.

MR. AND MRS. Jerry Leinen and son visited with Lucy Leinen Friday night.

Cornelia Annen returned home Saturday after visiting a couple of weeks in Nebraska with relatives.

Sister Benedict left Friday for Fort Smith, Ark. and spent a couple of days there on business.

A number of young people from Nazareth went to Amarillo Sunday to see the Deep Purple concert.

KIM KING, Patti Hochstein and Della Wethington won regional in tennis at Amarillo Saturday.

Nellie Wilhelm sponsored a bridal shower for Mary Louise Schulte at her home Sunday afternoon. Many nice gifts were received.

Rosanna Birkenfeld spent the weekend with Ann Birkenfeld while grandmother was gone. Rose Birkenfeld and Rita Kern

went to the Tops Club Convention in Corpus Christi over the weekend. They reported a very good time while there.

Saturday night the fire departments of Nazareth, Hart and Dimmitt were called out to the R. J. Murray farm northeast of Hart for a rather serious fire. They lost a feed stack, bulldozer and a pickup.

Thursday night was Fun Night at school. Different sorts of games were played. It was sponsored by the school.

MISS DONNA Gerber, her adopted baby boy, also sister Patricia are visiting their folks here for a couple of weeks. They live in Florida. Ricky Gerber was also home for a few days.

Agnes Brockman spent several days in Muleshoe at the Phil Brockman home staying with their children while they attended a meeting and awards banquet at Edinburg sponsored

by Tide Products, Inc.

A group of young folks went to West Texas State University for the cheerleading workshop Saturday.

The Tops Club of Nazareth held their meeting Saturday evening, and there were no gainers for two weeks. Patricia Kern was queen for the week. Week before last Marion Ehly was the queen of the week. Anyone wanting to join and interested in taking off pounds

sensibly can come to the basement of the church on Saturday evenings at 6:30. Later on a film will be shown on Tops at the cafeterium. Anyone is welcome to come and see it.

**A Question**  
"If you don't know cancer's Warning Signals, how do you know you haven't got one?" asks the American Cancer Society. Ask the ACS for a leaflet to learn those signals—it may save your life.

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Director, Dr. George S. Kadera, rates the past twelve months of operation at the McKinney Center as a period of great success. During this period of time, the Women's Job Corps Training Center, which is located in McKinney, reached the placement figure of

5,000 which represented the Center's total placement effort since 1967.

SINCE THE Center's last Annual Report in March of 1973, a total of 924 Corpswomen have been trained and placed into a productive cycle of the economy by the Center's Placement Department and the Employment Security Offices throughout Texas, the Southwest and the nation.

McKinney Job Corps Center officials have worked closely with business and industry to insure that the training programs offered at the Center are relative to the employment needs of the business and industrial community. During the past year's operation, thirty-seven percent of all Center placements were made in Dallas. Placement representatives at the McKinney Center point out Dallas has always maintained one of the lowest employment rates in the nation and therefore provides a great many employment opportunities for McKinney Corpswomen. The other factor responsible for the placement success in the Dallas labor market is the joint working relationship that has been developed between industry and the McKinney Center.

Miss Katherine Prince, Coordinator of Placement, and Mrs. Patsy Morris, Placement Assistant at the McKinney Center visit with representatives of industry in Dallas on a daily basis for the purpose of securing the current employment needs of industry and setting up employment interviews for Center graduates.

McKinney Center officials point out that a young woman from Dimmitt training at the McKinney Center can be assured of a good job upon completion of the program due to the fact that the Center provides twenty-seven different marketable job training programs.

TEXAS Employment commission representatives located at the Labor Camp, Building 14, Dimmitt, stated that any young women aged 16-21 interested in joining the Job Corps or securing more information on the Job Corps should contact their nearest T.E.C. office.

## New right-turn law poses new problems

The new right-turn-on-red law in Texas may be great for saving time and even for cutting gasoline consumption, but the Texas Society for the Prevention of Blindness warns that it poses serious problems for Texans with peripheral vision problems.

DRIVERS NOW need to be especially alert at intersections for pedestrians who might be in the crosswalk or for fast-moving automobiles speeding up to "beat the light". If any driver is limited in ability to see to either side, then the risk is aggravated.

TSPB has no exact statistics on the number of licensed Texas drivers with side vision



DIMMITT MAYOR Elmer Youts signs a proclamation declaring the month of April as Cancer Control Month in Dimmitt. Looking on are Mrs. Harry Kleman of Nazareth, chairman of the county unit of the American Cancer Society, Christine Braddock, also of Nazareth, service chairman, and

Mrs. Claud Forson of Dimmitt, public education chairman. The Cancer Crusade will be conducted throughout April with the dual purpose of placing informative literature in each county household and collecting 36 cents per capita in funds.

## VIEW FROM THE LIBRARY

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX

Phoebe Strother, Jackie Armstrong, High School Librarian, and I went to the Texas Library Association 61st annual conference in San Antonio last week. Bill Myers, formerly of Dimmitt, who now lives in San Antonio, and his family took us for a boat ride on the river and then to a restaurant to eat Mexican food on Tuesday night.

On Wednesday we attended seminars and looked at the exhibits and on Wednesday night we attended the General Session I for the presentation of awards with Mrs. William Klingensmith of Amarillo receiving the Library Trustee of the Year award. Dr. Frank Ryan, Director of Information Systems, US House of Representatives, was the guest speaker and his subject was "A Challenge for Information Science: the United States Congress."

Thursday we attended the Young Adult Roundtable with Lon Tinkle, who is a critic and

problems, but says it is well over 100,000.

Older drivers particularly are prone to glaucoma and other diseases that cause a narrowed field of vision (TSPB conducts glaucoma screening drives throughout the state).

The Texas Society for the Prevention of Blindness maintains that no one with peripheral sight loss — drivers with so-called "tunnel" vision — should be allowed to drive, because the risk is too great, and urges drivers who have any personal doubt about their side vision capabilities to seek an examination by an eye doctor.

For all drivers, TSPB says, even those with excellent eyesight, the right-turn-on-red rule means visual alertness is more important on the highway today than ever before.

is associated with the Dallas Morning News, who spoke on "Confessions of a Book Critic". Mr. Tinkle said literature creates a magic and preserves the printing of the language. His conclusion was that artists through their words wake emotion and feeling, and even in this multi-media-conscious age, the written word will long be with us.

FRIDAY morning we attended the Public Library Division with Alice Guen, the Amarillo Public Librarian, presiding over the business meeting. The

General Session II was held Friday afternoon with Richard O'Keeffe, president of the association, presiding. Dr. Donald Hendricks, Director, Library of the University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas, was the guest speaker.

Friday at noon we attended the authors' luncheon with Jean George as the guest speaker. Mrs. George is the author of several books including "My Side of the Mountain" and "Julie of the Wolves". Each book has won the John Newberry Award.

The Merienda on Friday night was the highlight of all the social events. They served Mexican food with delicious

fresh fruit and pick up foods. All week we had seen the pinata in the likeness of "Marian the Librarian" so this was broken, spilling candy everywhere, ending the 61st conference of the Texas Library Association.

A YOUNG person needs to size up potential housing in terms of the way he'll eat, sleep, work and entertain. Also, he'll want ample parking space, secure door locks and window fasteners, a place for garbage and someone to call if the bathroom plumbing springs a leak, says Patricia A. Bradshaw, housing and home furnishings specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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# Mrs. Bradley named director of nurses

Allan Bradley, R.N., is the new director of nurses at Plains Memorial Hospital.

HER appointment became effective Sunday, according to Hospital Administrator Verle West.

Mrs. Bradley succeeds Pat Barber, R.N., who has served as director of nurses at Plains Memorial for the past 1 1/2 years. Mrs. Barber, who lives in Hereford, will become assistant director of nurses at Deaf Smith County Hospital effective April 15.

Mrs. Bradley, 23, was born and raised in Dimmitt. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Webb and the wife of Ray Bradley, who farms at Flagg. She graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1968, and received her bachelor of science degree in nursing in 1972 from the Harris College of Nursing at Texas Christian University.

WHILE WORKING toward her degree in nursing, Mrs. Bradley also attended West Texas State University, Texas Tech and Tarrant County Junior College. As a student nurse in Fort Worth, she worked during the summers on the medical floor of Harris Hospital, which is affiliated with TCU. Her grades as a student nurse earned her membership in Sigma Theta Tau, national scholastic society for nurses.

She also earned membership status in the American Red Cross while a nursing student. She was on the volunteer nursing staff for Explo '72 in Dallas, and also taught a Red Cross course for expectant parents.

She joined the staff of Plains Memorial on Jan. 15, 1973, as a charge nurse — returning to the hospital where she had worked as a nurse's aide during her senior year in high school. She is one of eight registered nurses on the local hospital's staff.

AS A Dimmitt High School student, Mrs. Bradley was an all-district and all-South Plains basketball forward, and played on the Bobbies team that advanced to the regional finals in 1968, her senior year. She also played in the Texas Panhandle girls' all-star game that year.

She is still active in athletics. She is a member of the ABI women's volleyball team which won the championship of the Booster Club Tournament and the runner-up cup in the recent Lions Club Tournament. She was named the Most Valuable Woman Player in the Booster Club event.



MRS. A'LLAN BRADLEY

She and her husband, Ray, have a son, Matthew, 3 1/2. They are members of the First United Methodist Church.

"MRS. BRADLEY is stepping in as director of nurses at a very unique time," West said, "because our nursing under Mrs. Barber's direction has been very good, and the transition to a new director of nurses is going very smoothly."

He added, "We regret losing Mrs. Barber, who has done an outstanding job as the director of nurses for the past 1 1/2 years. But we can sympathize with her problem — she lives

in Hereford, her children attend school there, and she has been commuting to Dimmitt for two years. The position she has accepted in Hereford is a good opportunity for her."

Mrs. Bradley may be one of the youngest directors of nursing in the state. However, West said, "Her training has been in this direction, and she has progressed very rapidly in her professional development. She has graduated in the top of her classes everywhere she has been, and we feel she is years ahead in her professional development, and she has the respect and admiration of the other nurses she works with."

The Couples Bridge Club met Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown acting as hosts.

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Hrabal with 5690. Third was Jim Hrabal with 5610 and Bobbie Damron with 4290.

The Friday Novice Bridge Club did not meet.

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**Hospital Notes**

**Castro County Country Club**

**Top Club holds meeting Monday**

The SOS Tops Club met Monday to discuss plans for the officer installation meeting to be held April 8 in the home of Mrs. Agnes Brockman in Nazareth.

A FILM, "See you Lighter" will be shown at the installation meeting.

Members discussed some of the highlights of the state convention held in Corpus Christi. Jean Petty was named queen with a weight loss of 2 1/4 pounds.

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**Rites conducted for Charles Hill**

Funeral services were held March 21 in the Blackburn-Shaw chapel in Amarillo for Charles J. Hill, 93, father of Mrs. Bud Griffin, former Dimmitt resident.

MR. HILL, a retired rancher, was a longtime resident of Amarillo and Aspermont. He had been a resident of the Palo Duro Convalescent Home in Claude for the past two years.

Survivors other than Mrs. Griffin include a son, Ralph, of Amarillo; seven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors.

THE FAMILY can represent a learning process — by taking in and sending out knowledge. Then, children become not only a goal of our socializing influence, but part of an adult's growing and learning process, says Jane Fleischer, family life education specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



CONSTRUCTION ON TEXAS' new \$1.375 million 4-H Center is getting underway on a scenic 78-acre site overlooking Lake Brownwood. Present at the groundbreaking ceremony at the lake site was this delegation from Extension Service District I. Pictured left to right are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ingram of Dimmitt,

Mrs. Sue Farris, District Extension Agent for District I, headquartered in Amarillo; Georgenia Brown of Dumas, vice chairman of the District I 4-H Council; and Leslie Garnett of Amarillo, public relations chairman for the District Council. Construction on the center is expected to require about a year.

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**WTSU now sporting new look**

For an institution approaching its 75th anniversary, West Texas State University looks mighty new these days.

THE NEW masonry and spirit invigorating the campus at Canyon belie the age of the oldest state-assisted institution of higher learning in the West Texas region.

Just this spring, WTSU opened a \$3 million library, capable of housing a million volumes, and a three-story University Science Center, constructed at the same cost.

The buildings, which provide much needed enlargements of

the university's science and library facilities, also symbolize the progressive attitude that WTSU supporters feel has emerged more strongly than ever in the past year.

Two important events in 1973 ushered in the new spirit at WTSU. The school marked its 10th year with university status, and Dr. Lloyd Watkins arrived to take over the reins as university president.

Almost as soon as he arrived on campus, the new president began stirring up a new excitement among all segments of the University and its supporters.

The new enthusiasm has already begun to show itself in a number of areas such as the concept that the University is operating to serve students. That concept is manifested in a broad range of practical applications, from simplified registration procedures that have shortened those traditional lines at the start of each semester to a faculty-student ratio of 1-20, which means that no WTSU student ever becomes just a numbered seat in an auditorium.

West Texas State's six schools — the School of Agriculture, the College of Arts and Sciences, the School of Business, the College of Education, the School of Fine Arts and the Graduate School — offer a total of 16 different bachelor's and master's degrees with over a hundred majors and areas of emphasis.

EXPANSIONS of the curriculum in recent years have taken diverse forms. Five new degree programs and courses in social work and criminal justice administration have appeared, Latin has reappeared, and horsemanship is now offered for either physical education or agriculture credit. WTSU students, within the past year, have found themselves engaged in projects ranging from digging for archeological material threatened by a new dam to mapping Mars from photos

gathered by the Mariner spacecraft.

The hub of the cultural and social scene at WTSU is the Activities Center, a complex of bowling alleys, pool tables, handball and paddleball courts, a weight training room, four basketball courts, an Olympic-size swimming pool, and rooms for reading, music and films.

Students arriving at WTSU now can take advantage of a remarkable growth program of the past five years, which added eight new buildings and a 2,400 acre ranch to the university's facilities.

The unique spirit of WTSU is also captured in its efforts to help students with the financial aspects of attending college. In addition to the conventional loan, scholarship and student employment programs, WTSU has the special Opportunity Plan, Inc., a non-profit organization which offers individualized financial assistance and counseling along with part-time job opportunities.



**VFW NEWS**

By GERALD BROADSTREET

Greetings Comrades,

I'm sure all of you received the post card in the mail from Commander Charles Wilkerson telling about the election of post officers April 1. Well, due to publication dates it will be next week before I can give you the results of the election.

SEEMS LIKE this has been one of the shortest years we've had in the VFW. It's probably because I have been so busy with the post and district activities. Next thing you know it will be time for our State Convention at El Paso June 21-23.

That reminds me, the date for our next District Convention has been set for the weekend of May 18-19 at Post 7528 in Paducah. A Department Representative has not been assigned as yet but I will inform you of all the program data as soon as

**Nazareth netters take honors at Plainview**

Nazareth netters went away with the lion's share of honors in the District 4-B tennis tournament held at Plainview last Wednesday.

NAZARETH amassed a total of 60 points followed by Cotton Center with 30 and Three Way with 10.

In the senior division Kim King took first in girls' singles while Alice Hochstein took second.

Patti Hochstein and Delphine Wethington teamed up to win first in girls' doubles while Rosemary Schulte and Rachelle Pohlmeier took second.

Danny Gerber won second in boys' singles.

IN THE junior high division, Gail Kleman won first in girls' singles and Alex Hochstein and Timmy Wilhelm won first in boys' doubles.

Winners in the grade school division included Cheryl Hart-

man, first in girls' singles and Karen Schulte and Karleen Kleman, first in girls' doubles. Jimmy Hochstein won first in boys' singles and Manuel Trevino took second.

MILK production per cow on a nationwide basis stabilized during February. Production per cow was 776 pounds; this is the same as a year ago.

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**CHAMPION LINKSTERS** — These Dimmitt High School golfers captured the District 3-AA golf championship recently, with a four-round total of 1359. Pictured from left are George Copeland, Kyle Broderson, David Kaplan, Brad Glenn, John

Cook, Kelly Moore and coach Kenneth Cleveland. The Cat linksters will compete in the regional meet at Andrews April 18 and 19.

### DJHS tracksters take win at district meet

Dimmitt Junior High School 7th grade tracksters captured the district championship while the 8th graders placed third at the district track meet held at Olton Saturday.

The 7th graders posted a total of 177 points to take the championship.

The 440 and 880 relay teams made up of Larry Bossett, Eloy Gonzales, Eddie Cheshier and Alajandro Navarro took first place in both events.

Larry Bossett was first in the 100 yard dash and Rolando Tre-

vino was first in the 880. Chris Fry captured first in the 1320 yard run and Eddie Cheshier was first in the 440.

Larry Bossett won the high jump and shot put competition and Gary Bruegel captured the discus championship.

Randy Roberts was second in the 60 yard high hurdles and Eloy Gonzales won the 50 yard dash. Second place in the pole vault went to Randy Roberts and Eddie Cheshier was second in the discus.

Phillip Robison was third in the 60 yard high hurdles and Johnny Merritt was third in the 100 yard low hurdles. Third place in the long jump and shot put went to Al Navarro.

**JIMMY ESQUEDA** took fourth place in the 880 and Eddie Cheshier and Phillip Robison won fourth in the long jump and pole vault respectively.

Fifth place in the 50 yard dash went to Johnny Merritt while Richard Espinosa was fifth in the high jump. David Montiel won fifth in the pole vault and Randy Lunsford was sixth in the 1320 yard run.

In the 8th grade division, Dimmitt accumulated a total of 112 points to take third place. The 440 and 880 yard relay teams both took wins in their events. Team members include Eddie Chavers, David Espinosa, Tommy Kenworthy and Thompson Mayberry.

**TOMMY** Kenworthy won first in the 100 yard low hurdles and in the high jump Eddie Chavers was first, David Espinosa was third and Thompson Mayberry was fourth.

Florentino Quinonez captured second in the 1320 yard run and Eddie Chavers was third in the 50 yard dash. Thompson Mayberry was third in the 100 yard dash.

In the long jump Eddie Chavers was third and Thompson Mayberry placed fifth and Florentino Quinonez was fifth in the shot put.

**DANNY SALINAS** was sixth in the 880 yard run and David Espinos was fourth in the 60 yard high hurdles.

In the pole vault, Tommy Kenworthy was fourth, Lane Loudd was fifth and Matt Howell was sixth.

### Nazareth takes 5th at Hereford meet

Nazareth High School's cinderwomen placed fifth in the Hereford Relays Saturday. The Swiftettes compiled a total of 38 points in the meet.

**BEVERLY HECK** finished third in the 440 yard dash with a time of 63.7 and was sixth in the long jump with a distance of 15 feet, 9 1/2 inches.

Elaine Schulte tied for second place in the high jump, clearing 4 feet 10 inches.

The mile relay team made up of Agnes Acker, Shirley Maur, Beverly Heck and Su Blair took fourth.

Nazareth's 880 relay team made up of Agnes Acker, Vera Birkenfeld, Jolene Pohlmeier and Ka Blair finished fifth with a time of 1:56.

**CINDY** Schacher, Beverly Heck, Ka Blair and Vera Birkenfeld teamed up to take fifth in the 440 relay with a time of 53.4.

### Cat linksters win district

Dimmitt High School's Bobcat linksters captured their first District 3-AA golf championship recently with a four round total of 1359. The Bobcats squeezed past the Olton team which posted a total of 1360.

**JOHN COOK** led the charge for Dimmitt in the final round with an 84, followed by Kelly Moore with an 85. Keith Crum fired a 90 and Kyle Broderson carded a 94. David Kaplan came in with a total of 101 while George Copeland finished with a 94 and Brad Glenn finished with a 99.

Kelly Moore was the second medalist in the district with an overall total of 336.

The Bobcats will compete in the regional golf meet at Andrews April 18 and 19.

### 5 Cats qualify for regional contest

Five Dimmitt High School cindermen will advance to the regional track meet to be held April 19 and 20 in Odessa following competition in the District 3-AA track meet at Olton Saturday.

**THE DIMMITT** team finished third in the Saturday meet with a total of 96 points. Friona was first in the competition and Littlefield was second.

Kenny Smith qualified for the regional meet in the high hurdles and Robert Mayberry qualified in the 100, 220, broad jump and sprint relay.

Ronnie Lawson qualified in the sprint relays along with Gene Veals and Cliff Parker qualified in the sprint relay and 440.

**Summertime Warning** In the good old summertime, the American Cancer Society has an old refrain—use common sense in the sun—beware of over-exposure. That's the best way to prevent skin cancer.

**IN TEXAS**, milk production during February dropped four percent below a year ago, and seven percent under a month ago.

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**RUBY HUBBARD**  
**Mrs. Hubbard is named for honor**

Mrs. Rubye Hubbard, a nurse employed by American Manufacturing Co. of Texas at Fort Worth, has been selected for the "1973-74 Who's Who in Texas."

**THE DAUGHTER** of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Annen of Nazareth, Mrs. Hubbard is a graduate of Nazareth High School and St. Paul's School of Nursing in Dallas.

Mrs. Hubbard received a plaque in recognition of the honor.

### Fire prevention program slated

The Castro County Farm Bureau will sponsor fire prevention demonstrations at Dimmitt and Nazareth high schools and at the Dimmitt Fire Station April 11.

**BEN BULLARD** will present the program at 10:40 a.m. at Dimmitt High School and at 1 p.m. at Nazareth High School.

The program will be presented to Dimmitt volunteer firemen and their wives at 8 p.m. The program will include demonstrations with fuel vapors explosion chambers and a miniature electrically wired house.

### Dr. Kit to perform here Monday night

Dimmitt's Key Club will host Dr. Kit, Master Hypnotist of international fame, in a program scheduled for Monday night in the Dimmitt High School auditorium. Showtime will be at 8 o'clock.

**DURING THE** local show Dr. Kit will demonstrate mass hypnosis. He has actually hypnotized 20 to 25 local volunteers from his audiences at one time.

Advance tickets for the show are \$1 for adults, students and children and are available from Key Club members.

Tickets at the door will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students and children.

### What's cooking at the schools

**HERE ARE** the school lunch menus for the Dimmitt Schools for April 8-12.

**Monday** — Chili mac, corn, cabbage salad, fruit, rolls, butter and milk.

**Tuesday** — Hamburgers, pork and beans, lettuce, onions and pickles, banana cake and milk.

**Wednesday** — Pinto beans, sauerkraut and weiners, pickled beets, jello with pineapple, cornbread and milk.

**Thursday** — Baked ham, creamed potatoes, green beans, white cake with coconut icing, bread and milk.

**Friday** — Sandwich tray, potato chips, lettuce and pickles, ice cream bar and milk.



**LITTLE DRIBBLERS** Minor League All Star team members from Dimmitt pictured kneeling from left include Bobby Campbell, Jay Nelson, Kevin Cleveland, Greg Cluck and alternates Ezekiel Garcia and Ricky Gonzales. Standing from

left are Kyle Weatherford, Ronnie Autry, Phil King, Bryan Gregory and Gilbert Esqueda. Coaches are Edward Nino and Florencio Acevedo.

### Sides, McLain high scorers in soil event

Greg Sides of the Dimmitt FFA and James McLain of the Hart FFA were the high individual scorers Tuesday in the Running Water Soil Conservation District's annual land judging contest for high school youths.

**SIDES** compiled 236 points of a possible 280 while leading his team to a second place finish in the contest. McLain was the second high individual scorer with 211 points, and his team finished third.

Dalhart captured the first-place trophy in the five-team event, while two teams from Slaton finished fourth and fifth. Each team consisted of four youths, with the top three individual scores tallied for the team score.

The contest was held on the Robert Hawkins farm west of Hart Tuesday afternoon, and the youths saw more soil than they wanted to as they got caught in the "duster" that blew in from the west at mid-afternoon.

**CONTESTANTS** judged land at four sites on the Hawkins farm, classifying it according to texture, permeability, slope, depth, erosion and surface runoff, then prescribed the treatments needed to bring the land to optimum productivity.

David Springer, district conservationist, presented team trophies and individual medals to the high scorers.

Larry Starnes and Herb Bruns of the Running Water District office headed the team of official judges, with County Agent Charles Hottel, Robert Hawkins and Jim Swink serving as site judges. County commissioner Ed Bennett provided the earth-moving equipment that was needed for the contest.

### Free shot clinic scheduled today

A free immunization clinic is scheduled for today (Thursday) at 403 N.W. 3rd in Dimmitt.

**IMMUNIZATIONS** for polio, diphtheria, whooping cough, lockjaw, measles and rubella will be administered.

Children to be involved in preschool registration should complete or be completing immunizations and must present immunizations at preschool registration time to their school.

Children in day care centers are also required to be immunized.

### Little Dribblers to play at Bovina

Dimmitt's Major League Little Dribblers will travel to Bovina today to take part in the Little Dribblers District Meet.

**THE DIMMITT** team's first action will come at 2:15 today (Thursday) when it takes on Springlake-Earth. If the Dimmitt lads win they will play again Friday at 8 a.m., and if they lose their initial game they will play at 9:15 a.m. Friday.

In the event that the Dimmitt boys win their first two games they will not play again until Saturday.

At the Littlefield Invitational Tournament last weekend the Major League Little Dribblers lost in first round action to

### More about Scout Council . . .

[Continued from Page 1] wives tonight at K-Bob's Steak House in Hereford. Two Dimmitt businesses will pick up the tab for the meal.

Dave Parkhill of Lubbock, South Plains Council executive, and Larry Hufford, new district Scout executive from Plainview, met with majors and team captains last Thursday noon in Ann's Steak House to organize the drive.

**PARKHILL** said that the goal for the 20-county South Plains Council area is \$212,000 this year, and that United Fund drives in larger cities already have raised almost half of this amount.

Funds raised here will be deposited in the local bank, to be withdrawn by the council as needed, Parkhill explained. The funds are administered by a Council Committee of volunteer directors, made up of institutional (paek-troop) representatives and members at large. Reeford Burrous is the institutional representative for Dimmitt, while Bob McLean and Danny Lewis serve as members at large on the Council Committee.

This committee sets policies and goals, and hires executives and other workers. Parkhill explained. The council funds are used to maintain Scout camps, keep up communications among troops and Cub packs in the council, pay for badges, pins and other advancement awards for boys, finance adult training programs, Scoutaramas, etc., through the 20-county area.

**COUNCIL** funds raised in the drive do not go directly to local troops, Parkhill said, because Boy Scouts earn their own money for individual and troop equipment as part of their Scout training.

### More about Come on . . .

[Continued from Page 1] bottles, and if holes were not gouged out in the wire enclosure.

The basketball goals are long since gone — torn down. The volleyball court is unused, because the net and net-poles suffered the same fate.

The Garden Club is asking the obvious question: Why spend our tax money to repair the park when the job has to be done over the very next day? Why keep it maintained when vandals destroy the efforts of the maintenance men?

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O. C. FRY

### Horse judging team is picked Monday

Members of the Dimmitt 4-H Horse Club judging team were selected Monday. Judging team members will take part in the district judging contest scheduled for Saturday in the Bill Cody Arena in Amarillo.

**JUNIOR JUDGING** team members selected include Scott Bagley, Carol Bagwell, Debbie Dennis and Robert Moore. Senior judging team members include Jan Weatherford, Lisa Simpson and Tom Dixon.

**MILK** production in Texas during February totaled 244,000 pounds.

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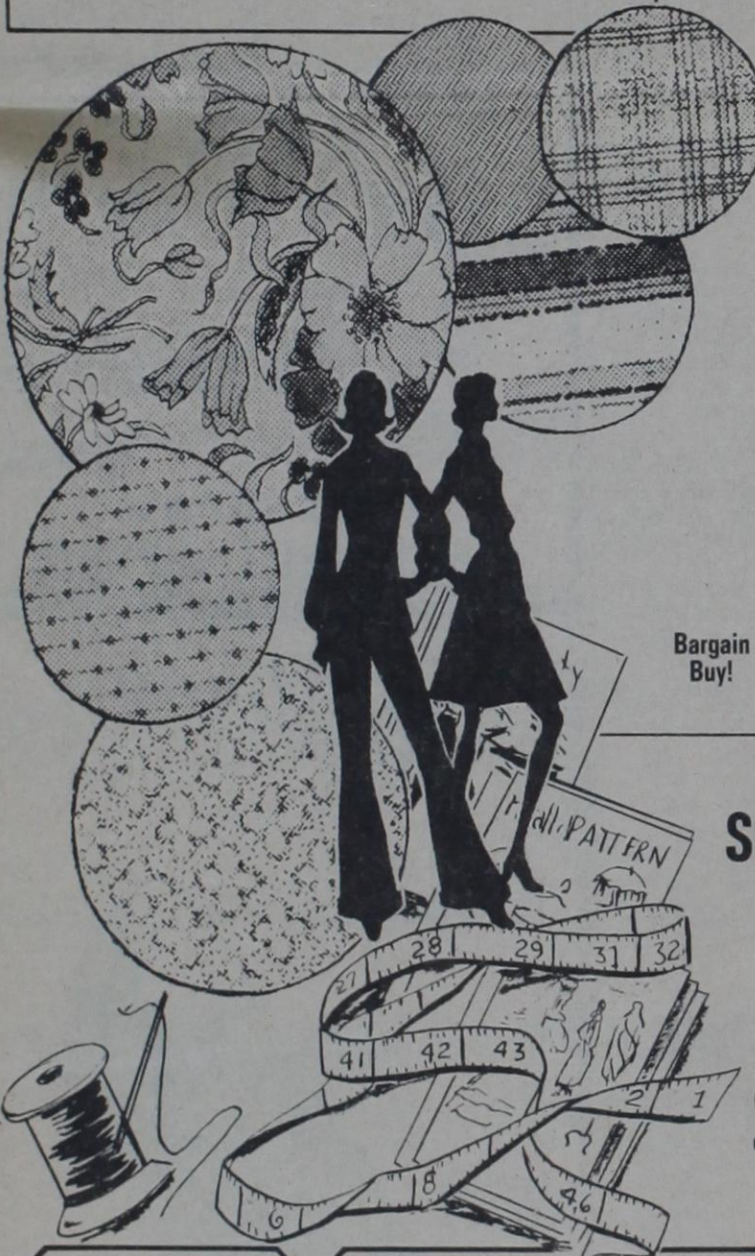
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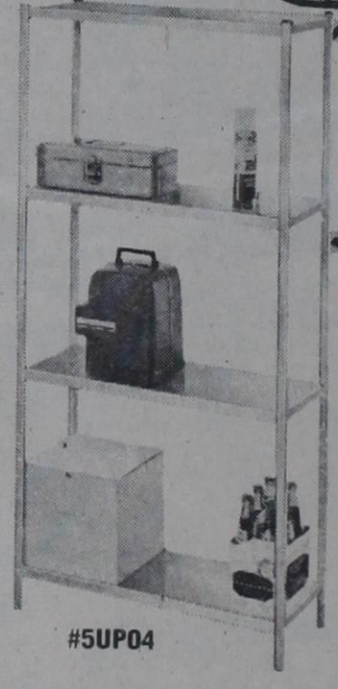
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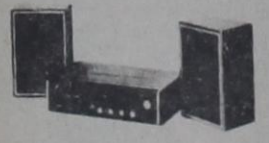


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