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Phillips, **Boulter** victorious

Castro County Democrats gave Mel Phillips a margin of more than 3-1 over H. Bryan Poff Jr. in Tuesday's runoff for their party's nomination for state senator.

In an extremely light turnout, Phillips received 178 votes to Poff's 58. Throughout the 31st Senatorial District, Phillips led the runoff race 65% to 35%. He will face Republican Teel Bivins in the November general election.

In the Republican Party primary runoff, Castro County voters gave Congressman Beau Boulter an overwhelming 152-4 nod over Wes Gilbreath for the nomination for US senator. Boulter also carried the race statewide, and will face Sen. Lloyd Bentsen in the general election.

Local Republicans also followed



TOP CONSERVATION HONOREES ... Rancher Leonard Wilhelm and Homemaker Lois Wales.

Wilhelm, Wales

Hart cheerleader killed in accident

Shandi Ann McLain, 17-year-old Hart High School cheerleader, was killed Saturday night when the pickup in which she was a passenger overturned 2-1/4 times on a county dirt road 3.3 miles southwest of Dimmitt.

Charges filed

The pickup's driver, Jeremy Warren, 18, of Dimmitt, received minor head injuries, scratches and abrasions in the accident, according to State Trooper Ron Morgan, who investigated.

The Dept. of Public Safety filed a charge of involuntary manslaughter against Warren Monday. District Attorney Jimmy Davis said the charge - a third-degree felony will probably be considered by the 64th District Court Grand Jury at its next session May 10. Meanwhile, Justice of the Peace Marshall Young has placed Warren under \$7,500 bond. Morgan said that Warren - a Dimmitt High School senior and all-regional basketball player-was driving east on the dirt road about 10:50 p.m. when the 1982 Chevrolet pickup ran into a bar ditch on the right side, then returned to the roadway and rolled 2-1/4 times. Miss McLain was partially ejected from the pickup cab during the second rollover, Morgan said. Neither of the youths were wearing seatbelts, Morgan added.



have walked away" from the accident, Morgan said. "There was plenty of 'room to live' in the pickup cab. That's not to say they wouldn't have been injured."

Miss McLain, daughter of Allen McLain, had been a Hart High School cheerleader three years and had just been elected for a fourth year. She also was a junior class officer and a member of HHS's tennis, track, basketball and volleyball teams.

Funeral services for Miss Mc-Lain were held Tuesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Hart.

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the statewide trends in their party's two other runoff races, favoring Ed Emmett over P. S. (Sam) Ervin by a 108-31 margin in the railroad commissioner's race, and Nathan Hecht over Ronald S. Block by 108-29 in the race for justice of the State Supreme Court, Place 2. Emmett and Hecht also led statewide in the two races.

are SCS honorees

Leonard Wilhelm and Lois Wales were the top honorees at the annual Running Water soil and Water Conservation District's awards banquet Saturday night.

Wilhelm was named the Conservation Rancher of the Year and Wales was honred as Conservation

All OM teams place in state competition

"Going up against stiff competi- tor. tion that was very polished" didn't seem to bother the six Odyssey of be proud of what the kids are doing the Minds teams from Dimmitt in such a challenging program-Saturday—they all placed anyway.

Dimmitt teams, competing against larger schools, earned two said. second-place finishes, three thirdplace finishes and a fifth - place Showtime, Division III both fifinish. Only the first-place team in each division's category-five in Division II and four in Division III -will go to the world competition Flight, Division III and Atlantis, in Maryland this year.

"Dimmitt was the only school was fifth. there that had every team place. We're proud of that because we were competing mostly against Class 5A schools," said Vicki Richards, Middle School OM Cordina-

"I feel that Dimmitt has a right to and the program is getting more challenging every year," Richards

Showtime, Division II and nished second atstate.

Third place teams were Straddle Structure, Division II, Gift of Division III. Division II Atlantis

Straddle Structure was awarded the Ranatra Fusca Award for creativity of solutions in spontaneous problem-solving. Kris Keith was (Continued on Page 10)



Homemaker of the Year.

Both county honorees were also regional winners-Wilhelm is the Regional Conservation Rancher and Wales is the runner-up Homemaker.

Also honored at the banquet were poster and essay winners.

Jared Birkenfeld finished first in the county, Brittany Sheffy was second and Kimberlea Grossman was third.

Two of the essays submitted to regional placed.

Johnny Rutkowski, who was third in the county, finished second at regional. Susan Waggoner, second in the county, earned a third place award at regional. Lorelea Acker won the county contest.

All regional winners will be honored at the regional banquet May 6 in Canyon.

For the past 40 years Wilhelm has applied conservation practices to his land and that is why he was selected as the Rancher of the Year.

He has been a strong supporter of the District's programs as well as an avid "missionary" in encouraging his neighboring farmers and ranchers to work with SCS to plan and carry out conservation practices on their land. The Wilhelm ranch includes 10 sections of land. In 1976, he formed a partnership with his children, Dean Wilhelm, Julius Birkenfeld and Joyce Ringwald. Wilhelm's current conservation plan includes three water wells, one acre of 127 trees for livestock windbreaks, one water storage facility and he has constructed four strand barbed wire fencing for a total length of 10,-916.6 feet.

He has placed 300 acres into the CRP program, seeded 450 acres in grass and has sprayed 730 acres with chemical to assist in weed control. Wilhelm farms about 1,800 acres of cropland in which he rotates wheat, milo and corn with cotton.

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Young pronounced Miss McLain dead at the scene. Her body was Shandi McLain

taken to Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home in Dimmitt by the citycounty ambulance service. Warren was treated and released at Plains Memorial Hospital.

The pickup was towed to Don's Wrecker Service & Body Shop in Dimmitt.

Morgan said witnesses told him the two teenagers were en route back to town from a rural gathering spot known as "The Forest," where students had gathered as part of the DHS seniors' traditional "cup night."

"If they had been wearing their seatbelts, they both probably would

Scholarship fund started

A scholarship fund has been started in memory of Shandi Mc-Lain at the Hale County State Bank in Hart and the First State Bank of Dimmitt.

Miss McLain, 17, was killed in a pickup rollover Saturday night southwest of Dimmitt.

Anyone wishing to contribute a memorial gift to the scholarship fund may do so at either of the local banks. Checks should be made out to the Shandi McLain Memorial Scholarship Fund.

POW's coming back

45 years ago they were captured and were held prisoner in Castro and Deaf Smith Counties.

Today, the former Italian Prisoners of War from World War II are making plans to come back to visit their old camp, and the people they met and worked for in the 1940's.

About 50 of the original POW's will be visiting in the United States and the old Hereford Prisoner of War Camp, located northwest of Dimmitt. The POW's main contacts in

planning the visit are Gen. Franco Di Bello, former commander of Italy's NATO forces and Armando Boscolo.

Dimmitt's Chamber of Com-

The visitors will stop in Umbartheir old camp.

commission's Annual Preservation Conference in Brownsville.

Construction on the original POW camp, which was the largest there also." of 21 POW camps in the state, during WW II began in July, 1942. The first POW's arrived in April, 1943. The majority of the prisoners were incarcerated at the camp for about three years. "The original camp was protected by a barbed wire fence designed with nine strings of wire, six inches local opposition headed off the apart, a 110 hot wire fence and a guard armed with a machine gun," move. said Rosemary Wilhelm of the Castro County Historical Commission. Wilhelm said the Historical

Commission will cut 18 inch pieces of the wire fence, tie a yellow ribbon around each piece, and will present it, to the prisoner's as a souvenir.

The commission is also trying to put together a scrapbook to present to the visitors.

"We want anything anybody has that has something to do with the POWs," said Heller. "We want correspondence of any kind people in the county might have had with the prisoner's. We are really looking for pictures and stories about the prisoners when they were here. We don't have much time to put the scrapbook together, so we need to receive items as soon as possible.

Anyone who has something they want to include in the scrapbook should take the items to Clara Vick at Cowsert Abstract & Title Company in Dimmitt, or mail it to Teeny Bowden, HCR 1, Box 50, Dimmitt, Texas 79027.

County calls meeting to fight RR closure

County commissioners learned Monday that Burlington Northern apparently is trying again to close the railway spur line from Plainview through Hart to Dimmitt.

A public meeting has been called for next Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the courthouse basement to discuss the situation.

"Hale County called me, and they want a meeting," County Judge Polly Simpson said. "We need all our county commissioners, growers, business people and other interested parties there. I understand Burlington will have people

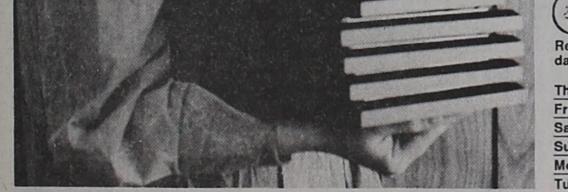
gency telephone service.

The 911 project is being pushed by the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, which is attempting to get approval of the plan from all cities and counties in its service area.

911 is a dedicated nationwide phone number to use for contacting emergency services such as police, fire departments, emergency ambulance service and lifesaving services. Combined with sophisticated computer networking and coordination of emergency services, the "hotline" program has been credited with saving thousands of lives. The 911 service is now available mainly in metropolitan areas. Under the PRPC proposal, the cost of establishing the 911 service through the region's telephone systems would be paid via a 2% surcharge on long-distance calls, with a continuing fee of 50 cents per month per customer line, Judge Simpson said.

merce Excutive Director Delores Heller said a tentative schedule has been planned for the Italians visit, but nothing is finalized yet. ger and Hereford before visiting

In preparation for the Italians' visit, the Castro County Historical Commission is restoring the old POW Chapel, a project that has won a distinguished "Award of Merit" from the Texas Historical Commission. Representatives from the county commission will receive the award April 23 at the state



NINE OF 'EM-Anne Acker wonders where the News staff will hang the nine new award plaques they won at the Panhandle Press Association Convention Saturday. Three first places, a second and four thirds led to the local newspaper capturing the General Excellence first-place award for the third year in a row.

Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours. Lo 31 Pr. HI 72 Thursday

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The spur line, once considered one of the richest stretches of track in the original Fort Worth & Denver Railway system because of its huge shipments of grain toward state terminals and the Houston export docks, almost was shut down years ago after Burlington Northern took over the system, but

The commissioners adopted a resolution approving a "911" emer-

However, she added that adoption of the resolution meant only that the county officially favors the (Continued on Page 16)

On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Cora West and Windy Blue went Is there something missing? to Clarendon Friday with Cyndy Reynolds to attend a program of Who can tell us where to turn? church music.

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Cyndy and her mother, Dee Wil- Help Us through the Strife. liams, played for the art club. Dee played the pipe organ and Cyndy played the piano in a big beautiful Methodist Church. Art clubs from Amarillo, Plainview and other towns were there.

Songs performed in the church musical were Arioso, Ave Maria, Easter Fantasy, Fragment from an Etude, In Praise of God, Grace Greater Than Our Sin, Angus Dei, and There is More to Life.

An excerpt of There is More to Life, written by Ralph Carmichael, follows:

Lance and Terri Loudder, Lacy,

Jake and Katy moved from Sunny-

side to Flagg this week. They spent

their first night in their new home

Saturday. Lance will still farm in

the community. Roxie Loudder en-

tertained the children Saturday and

took Lacy to a birthday party in

Dimmitt.

Sunnyside

Is there more to life? Help Us! Help Us! Can We find the Answers? Can we really know? Does the Bible show the way For us, for us here below?

The fellowship after was nice and many knew Cyndy because she lived in Clarendon for the first twelve years of her life.

Plainview, attended a funeral for G.T. Simmons, a long-time friend in Olustee, Olka., recently. They spent the night with their sisters, Kathrine Hensley and Daisy Wallen. Helen Richardson spent Easter weekend near Dallas with family and friends. The group met at Cedar Creck Lake in a home belonging to Ka and L.L. Cotter, Helen's niece and husband.

The beautiful lake was inviting to water skillers and boat riders. Helen especially enjoyed her first visit to the gigantic "First Monday Flea Market," at Canton.

Louise Kemp spent Easter in Atlanta, Ga., with her daughter, Cora West and Alene Griffin of Ginger Ward and Jinsie. An 84year-old lady who has toured Europe many times is a concert teachcr in the choir for the five- and sixyear olds in the Methodist Private School where Jinsie is a student.

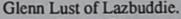
This little choir performed on Easter Sunday along with the adult choir. Louise was really impressed with the results of this lady's directing. Also, while Louise was in Atlanta, Ginger's friends helped her celebrate her birthday. Louise reported the Dogwood was in bloom as well as many other flowers. It was a very beautiful sight.

The Sweet Adelines and two barber shop quartets will be performing at the Dimmitt High School Auditorium on April 30 at 7:30 p.m. This program is sponsored by the ROW and the proceeds will help send a student to Girls' State. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for students.

The Tulia Literary Arts Study Club met in the home of Lucille Brasher in Tulia Thursday afternoon with 22 members and three guests present. Mary Parks of Plainview was the guest reviewer of the book It's My Turn by Ruth Graham, for my sister, Lynna Cloer. Mrs. Weldon Butler of Lubbock and I enjoyd the afternoon. Mary, Jean, and I have many friends in that club so we enjoyed seeing them again. Lucille served a delicious Jello salad and a choco-

Bill Neely of Amarillo, author of the book Quannah Parker, met with the museum board members and the historical commission Tuesday night at the museum. Those present were Clara Vick, Madge Robb, Helen Richardson, Mary Woodburn, Mary Edna Hendrix, Dale Winders, Ted Sheffy, Lon Woodburn, George Bagwell, Judge Jack and Murna Miller.

Out - of - town visitors at the museum last week were Lloyd and



The Gospel Singers sang for the residents of Canterbury Villa Saturday night during the supper hour. Christina Salinas amazed the group by joining in the singing and doing a great job. She also sang a special Jesus Loves Me. Others in the group were Ed and Betty Freeman, Virgil and Geneva Justice, Gene and Connie Ivey, Alvin and Frances Frazier, Oleta Sanders, Ara Morrison, Irene Carpenter, Gladys Benson, Johnnie Davis and Mary Edna Hendrix. They all went to

Maria's to eat later. Jo Prather from Naples, Italy and Beth McLendon and Chase of Dallas came to Dimmitt to be with their mother, Kate Beecher, when their father, Edgar Beecher was in the hospital.

Mauzee Youts took Geneva Dennis to El Sombrero on Saturday to celebrate her belated birthday. Others enjoying the food and fun were Connie Ivey, Irene Carpenter, Ruth Hays and Mary Edna Hendrix. While Mauzee was out of town, a few friends took Geneva out to eat on her birthday.

Dennie Stokes of Pasadena, Calif. is here in Dimmitt visiting his mother, Ioma Stokes.

Beth Hodges of Panhandle was in Dimmitt Sunday to visit with her mother, Beral Hance. They had lunch at K-Bob's with C.A. and

NEW

BOOKKEEPING SERVICE

Oleada Hance and Martha Isaacs. Beth and Jack Hodges are going to Dallas this weekend to visit their daughter, Keri and Mike Ferguson and a grandson, Tyler.





Life is easier to play when you take US regular Sunday breaks.



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Sharon Cox had arthroscopy surgery on her left knee in Lubbock March 31. She will be on crutches for six to eight weeks and will be

undergoing therapy at home. Nancy Jurado took Toots Holbrooks to Amarillo Friday to see the eye doctor.

The Waggoner family celebrated Euless' 76th birthday a little early last weekend. They met Dr. Robbie and Evelyn Lindsey at their home in Plainview last Saturday. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt, and they all went out to eat. They came back and enjoyed the birthday party. On Sunday morning they all went to church with Euless and Hazel in Dimmitt and ate dinner at K-Bob's after church. They visited in the afternoon. Those present for the occassion were Dr. Harold and Andrea Waggoner and Daila of Roswell, N.M.; Larry and Alice Gamblin and Cammye of Sulphur Springs; Frances and Jesse Pharis; Randy and Karen Pharis, Russell, Kimmy, Kayla Pharis and Andy Hancock, and Colby and Brien of Abilene; Dr. Robbie and Evelyn Lindsey, Mark and Angelia of Plainview; Alan and Delores Jackson and Blake and Ben of Roswell; Winston and Judy Waggoner, Quint and Patti Waggoner, Lauren and Tyler, Holly and Molligay of Abilene; Edd and Sandra Waggoner, Susan and John of Sunnyside. Only Cammy's husband,

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support each other.

TRADE AT HOME!

Greg Gamblin and wife, and Laura weren't there.

Floid Ivey was featured in the local paper and in the Amarillo paper as the oldest producing farmer in the region. Congratulations!

Coby and Connie Gilbreath of Dimmitt and Matt Gilbreath enjoyed Easter dinner with Dorothy Gilbreath on Easter Sunday.

Teeny Bowden and Larry Sadler attended the Castro County Historical Commission meeting in Dimmitt Thursday afternoon. Larry went to the POW Chapel with Eddie Guffee and Eddie Jr., to make plans for the concrete work. Johnnie B. and Shorty Lilley attended the funeral of her nephew in Lubbock Friday. She also has a brother-in-law in Abernathy who is very ill, but has not been hospitalized.

Carrie Sadler came in from

mitt had dinner with them Sunday.

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

the funeral of his cousin in Lubbock Thursday. Last Sunday they and Justin and Tracy were with Clyde's parents, and other family members for the day.

Judy Damrom went on the bus with Justin and the other kids to the science fair at Wayland. Three of the younger group won ribbons.

Friday.

of Dimmitt visited with Ezell and Verba Saturday night.

Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler returned home Saturday night from an extended vacation at Port Isabel on the Gulf Coast. They didn't have very favorable weather

late pound cake.

Haley Fletcher brought the special music for the Sunday night services.

Clyde and Judy Damron attended

A trace of rain was received

Randy Powell and Dusty Smith

Phoenix, Ariz. to visit with the family over the weekend. She visited with Ezell and Verba Friday night. She, Verba, Ezell, Larry and Sharon, Stacy Norman, and Jeremy and Laura Hurtado and Matt took supper to Tex and Norma Conard's in Dimmitt Saturday night to help them celebrate their 47th wedding anniversary.

Rev. David and Debra Fletcher, Hadley, Haley and Harmony attended the gospel music with Ezell and Verba Sadler at Clovis Tuesday night. J.B. Henslee of Hale Center went with the Sadlers to the blue grass music program in Farwell Thursday night.

Edd and Sandra Waggoner, laura, Susan and John left Thursday morning for Houston for the children to participate in the state Odyssey of the Mind competition. Susan's team placed second, Laura's team placed third and John's team placed fifth. They were very busy, but they got in a day of sightseeing.

Molligay Waggoner and three friends from ACU, Carrie, Debbie and Johna spent the weekend with Winston and Judy Waggoner. Quint and Patty Waggoner, Lauren and Tyler and Paul Dannevik of Dim-

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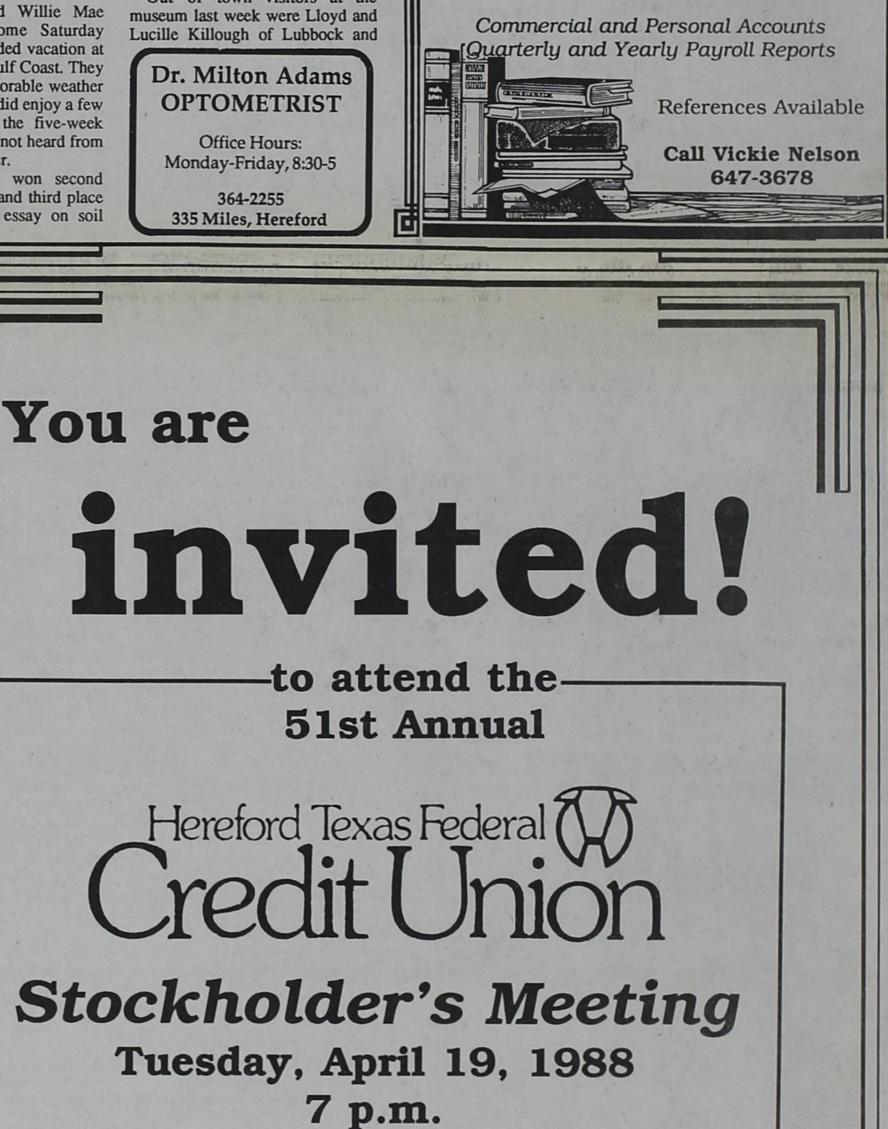
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for fishing, but they did enjoy a few pretty days during the five-week vacation. They have not heard from Gale and Verna either.

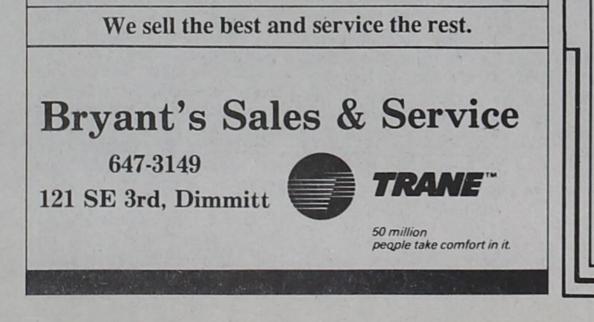
Susan Waggoner won second place in the county and third place in region with her essay on soil conservation.



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1987 Progress Report



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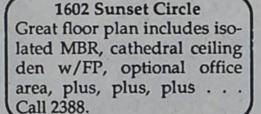


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15-LEGAL NOTICES

AVISO DE ELECCION DE REGENTES

A los votantes registrados del Dimmitt Texas:

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7 a.m. hasta las 7 p.m. el 7 de May de 1988, para votar en la Eleccion para elegir el numero de regentes.

Direccion(es) de las casillas electorales, City Hall, 201 E. Jones, Dimmitt, Texas 79027.

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en entre las 8 de la manana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el y terminado el 3 de Mayo, 1988.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a: Jo Hamilton, Secretario de la votacion en ausencia, 201 E. Jones, Dimmit, TX 79027.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para en fin de las horas de negocio el 29 de abril, 1988.

Emitada este dia 6 de febrero, 1988. -s-GLENN ODOM Glenn Odom Oficial que Preside 15-30-1tc

LEGAL NOTICE

The zoning commission of the City of Dimmitt, Texas will meet at the City Hall at 7:30 p.m., May 2, 1988. The zoning commission will consider zoning the following described property as a multi-family dwelling district at such meeting. All interested are invited to attend to register your comments with the commission. The property to be considered for zoning purposes is as follows:

A 3.825-acre tract of land out of the southwest part of a 20.517-acre track out of the south part of Survey 22, Block M, Castro County, Texas, being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

COMMENCING at a 1/2" iron rod found in the East line of a dedicated county road for the Northwest corner of a 20.517-acre tract described in a deed recorded in Volume 184, Page 385, Deed Records from whence the southwest corner of Survey 22, Block M, bears North 88 deg. 45 min. 23 sec. West 30 fcet and south 01 deg. 14 min. 37 sec. West 1532.32 feet;

THENCE South 01 deg. 14 min. 37 sec. West along the East line of said dedicated county road, 495.52 feet to a point in the North line of a Right-of-Way Easement recorded in Volume 129, Page 427, and also being the NORTHWEST and actual BE-

15-LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE

Aviso de Eleccion de Oficiales de la Ciudad Ciudad de Dimmitt

Se da aviso que el dia 7 de Mayo de 1988, se llevara a cabo una eleccion para elej oficiales de la ciudad. Se elijiran los siguientes oficiales: tres consejales. La eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares: Precincto No. 1, en las camaras del edificio de consejales.

Las casillas electorales estaran abiertas desde las 7 a.m. hasta las 7 p.m.

Votacion en ausencia sera en el edificio de la oficina administrativa de City Hall, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar seguira abierto por lo menos 8 horas cada dia de votacion en ausencia, que no sea sabado, domingo o dia de fiesta, empezando el dia 20 y continuando hasta el dia 4. Dicho lugar de votacion estara abierto entre las 8 de la manana hasta las 5 de la tarde.

Emitada este dia 14 de abril, 1988. -s-WAYNE COLLINS Wayne Collins

Mayor, City of Dimmitt 15-30-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

Castro County Commissioners' Court, Precinct 1, will open bids at 10 a.m., April 25, 1988, for the cash out-right purchase of two (2) all-wheel drive motorgraders meeting the following minimum specifications: *Operating weight of 32,500 lbs.

*Diesel engine, 6 cylinder, turbocharged with 150 net flywheel horsepower or better.

*Enclosed cab with factory heater, factory air conditioner, front and rear wipers, tinted glass, deluxe cloth seat with armrests, front and rear work lights, ether starting aid.

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*All other items which are considered standard equipment.

Bidders may bid, if available, one new and one slightly used all-wheel drive motorgrader. All bids will be considered. Castro County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.

Dimmitt Middle School students Individual Dimmitt winners and captured five First Division ribbons

placers were: FOURTH GRADE

First Division: Steve Steffey, Joel Townsend.

Second Division: Justin Damron, Jimmy Bryan, Kara Josselet, Brittany Sheffy. Third Division: Tucker Schumacher,

Wesley Ralston, Will Sanders. **FIFTH GRADE** First Division: Eric Mays, Tiffany Smith,

Terri Beth Teaschner. Third Division: Amy Boothe, Jill Gfeller,

Jeremy Harper, Carrie Sheffy, Monica De



Tiffany Smith and Julie Atchley, all of whom won first-division awards or special awards. Not pictured is Joel Townsend, first-division winner in fourth grade competition.

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Second Division: Kim Gabel, Garland

Third Division: Max Moore, Shannon

Powell, Jennifer Hucks, Amanda Odom,

SEVENTH GRADE

Second Division: Michelle Schumacher,

Third Division: Holly Edwards, Brady

EIGHTH GRADE

Second Division: Robert Langford, Kris-

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Middle School students win regional science fair awards

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of City Officers' Election, The City of Dimmitt

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 7th day of May, 1988, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: three Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city: In Election Precinct No. One, at the Aldermen's Chambers Building.

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day, be open from 7 o'clock a.m. to 7 o'clock p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at the City Hall Administrative Office Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official state holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day, preceeding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m.

Dated this, the 14th day of April, 1988. -s-WAYNE COLLINS

> Wayne Collins Mayor, City of Dimmitt 15-30-2tc

Mrs. M.L. Simpson Jr. County Judge, Castro County, Texas

15-30-2tc

-s-MRS. M.L. SIMPSON JR.

Enriquez gets medal

Spec. 4 Ricky J. Enriquez, son of Rafael and Rafaela Enriquez of Dimmitt, has been decorated with the Army achievement medal in Italy.

The achievement medal is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage or other accomplishments.

Enriquez is a cannon crewman with the 319th field artillery regiment.

He is a 1985 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

NISD is taking transfers

The Nazareth Independent School District is accepting applications for transfer students now.

Applications can be picked up at the superintendent's office at Nazareth High School from 8:15 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

Deadline for applications is May

sion and also an honorable mention in the elementary division.

and three special awards at the

32nd South Plains Regional

Thirty-one DMS students partici-

pated in the regional science fair,

which was held at Wayland Baptist

Seventh grader Julie Atchley

won a US Marine Corps Certificate

of Achievement in Science; seventh

grader Shad McDaniel received a

third place medal for overall

projects in the junior high physical

science division; and fifth grader

Eric Mays received a first place

medal for best overall exhibit in the

elementary biological science divi-

University.

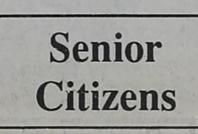
Science Fair Friday in Plainview.

TOP WINNERS from Dimmitt Middle School in

the South Plains Regional Science Fair at Plain-

view Friday were (from left) Terri Beth Teas-

chner, Steve Steffey, Eric Mays, Shad McDaniel,



The Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., including the Domino Center.

Crafts, quilting and table games are daily activities. A nutritious meal is served daily from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bridge will be played today (Thursday) and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge will be played Monday night at 7:30.

There will be a noontime Bible study Monday.

The monthly supper night will be Tuesday, at 6:30 p.m., All those with April birthdays will be honored.

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MONDAY-Meat loaf, macaroni and cheese, beets, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

TUESDAY - Barbecued beef tips, potato salad, green beans, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

WEDNESDAY - Ham, brown beans, spinach, cornbread, salad, dessert, tea and coffee.

THURSDAY-Turkey and dressing, potatoes and gravy, English peas, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

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For Your Summer Wedding There's a myriad of possibilities for today's bride and groom

Over the years many things about weddings have changed, but one thing remains constant: The joy and excitement that two people feel on their wedding day.

This is probably the only thing typical about each and every wedding. No one wedding is alike, and certainly no one marriage is alike. This is probably the most important rule to remember when planning your wedding day and your life together!

Being as organized as possible, and being willing to compromise, are also invaluable rules to remember. With so many people, including your spouse-to-be, offering their opinion about what should be done on your wedding day, keeping a cool head and being open to different suggestions can really ease the tension that is bound to develop at this time.

Many couples feel that they are doing a tant key to enjoying your day. balancing act between family and friends during the months that precede the wed- plete with formal sit-down dinners, wedding. To avoid feeling this way, do every- ding gowns with trains, tuxedos with thing possible to organize your thoughts tails, and 10-attendant wedding parties. and prioritize the things that need to be However, small, intimate weddings are done

Making lists is a good way to begin. Even if you make dozens of lists and never look at them again, you are at least the same from year to year: "A white organizing thoughts in your own mind.

Share responsibilities

Delegate tasks to willing friends and family members. Don't be afraid to ask those closest to you to help with the writing of invitations, or the organization of the seating plan; these are timeconsuming jobs, you need all the help you can get! Also, it's a nice way to get people who care about you involved with appear in white are most likely to wear the wedding.

the right schedule.

Planning a wedding, however, is not just work and organization, it's fun, and you should try to enjoy at least some of the planning even if between frequent its own appeal and charm, so that choospanic attacks.

event which reflects both your, and your finances and what makes you happiest. spouse-to-be's, personal style. Being

Traditional weddings are back, comalso on the rise.

Bridal fashion may seem pretty much dress is a white dress." But if you look closely the changes become apparent, having to do not only with matters of sleeve length and neckline, but with formality versus informality.

The late '60s and early '70s, for example, were a time of extreme informality in wedding clothes - "homespun" and "peasant" looks were popular.

This season's bridesmaids who don't peach or yellow tones. Last year's front-Set realistic deadlines. Having a game runners, lavender and dusty rose, are plan, complete with start and finish dates also still being chosen. A brand-new, unthat are attainable, will help to get you on usual shade for bridesmaids: Navy blue, brightened with white and a gay touch like a pink ribbon.

> Each particular style of wedding has ing the best one for you and your spouse-

It's the perfect opportunity to plan an to-be depends entirely on personal tastes. If a small, private wedding is not your comfortable with the type of wedding ideal, and the thought of a show-stopping ceremony, reception, style of dress and extravaganza makes you break out in attendants that you choose is an impor- hives, why not consider a wedding held in any number of historical homes, large brownstones, lofts, updated warehouses or boats that are available for rent.

Many of these spaces are available only to people within traveling distance of a large metropolitan city but, more and more, historical homes, museums and art galleries everywhere are being made available to the public for parties, receptions and business events.

Investigate fees

A fee is usually charged but, in many cases, it may be less than what a commercial establishment might charge. The monies collected are generally put towards the general upkeep of the home or museum

Many places supply a caterer, however you should be prepared to supply your own caterer if necessary.

Establishments that have never been open to the public should not be ruled out. Many such places have just never thought of the possibility of renting, yet might be perfectly willing to do so if approached.

The options available to couples today are varied. From different wedding ceremonies and receptions, to styles of living, division of household chores, childrearing practices and career choices, today's young couples are making more decisions than ever before, about the directions their lives will take.

The other women in the wedding the mothers - are seeing their choice in dresses expand this season as never before. The key word for this category of fashion is "younger." "Today's mother is more active and in better physical shape than her predecessors," says Ms. Diorio. She's likely to wear a fashionable dressy dress rather than one that's stamped "mother of the bride."

Finally, what is the groom wearing? As with his bride, his outfit is a combination of tradition and individuality. The formal all-black or all-white tuxedo continues to be most men's first choice: It's become WHITE IS LEADING THE BRIDAL PROCESSION for spring/summer almost a uniform for formal weddings.



The best-seller style in bridal gowns Fashion Editor of Bride's Magazine:

Bridal fashion trends

now is the ultra-romantic ballgown with its billowy skirt, narrow waist, pouf sleeves and flowing train. The ballgown came in a few seasons ago, picked up steam when Princess Diana wore it, and still shows every sign of remaining the look. All the major manufacturers make it, in fabrics ranging from pure satin to polytaffeta and polyorganza.

As popular as the ballgown is, however, it's not a bride's only choice. Unlike in past eras, a distinguishing feature of bridal fashion today is that there is no one fashion. Says Marianne Diorio,

'There's a real push toward individuality in bridals and there's a manufacturer to suit every woman's wedding style." In the same pages that show the ballgown, Bride's features a type of dress that's its opposite: A slim, dropped-waist style that Ms. Diorio calls the "Chariots of Fire" look. These dresses have little adornment (though some have touches of lace and beadwork), but depend on clean lines and good fabrics for their richness.

White rather than ivory is traditional for warm-weather weddings, but this year sees the preference for white go one

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in accessories. One groom might wear an ash rose cummerbund and tie. Another might show some flair in his choice of boutonniere. Instead of the usual white carnation, he'll wear one of the flowers that appears in the bride's bouquet anything from a rose to an alstroemeria lily.

But the personal touch is showing up

Pointers on how to cater the reception

Although big weddings are back in fashion, small nuptial celebrations are the choice of many of today's brides.

A wedding of 35 guests or less has a number of advantages, not the least of which is the ability to cater the affair yourself, or with minimal help In the the June/July issue of Chocolatier

magazine, caterer Rick Rodgers provided tips on how to cater a wedding reception. Some of Rodgers' advice includes:

· Use as many rooms in your home as possible. Don't squeeze tables, a bar and buffet into the living and dining rooms alone, or instant gridlock can occur.

· By serving foods chilled, or at room temperature, you will eliminate the need for chafing dishes and last-minute cook-

· Set up the buffet as close to the kitchen as possible.

· Resist a friend's offer to help in the kitchen on the day of the wedding. Employ some professional help to serve at the party and let friends prepare dishes before the day of the affair.

· To cater your own reception and to bake your own wedding cake, however, is a tall order. Professional bakers and caterers are skilled in the elaborate techniques necessary to make your cake look like a dream come true.

If you're not a professional baker, ask a friend who is a professional baker to make your cake.

Father of the bride As they stroll proudly down the aisle his mind races to earlier years,

When she used to skin her knees and he wipes away the tears.

Where did those tender days go, is she ready for a new stage of life?

And what about that cavalier young man, is he ready for a wife?

This time he'll give her up for good, not just a Saturday night. .

He hopes that all her needs are met and that this bond of love is right.

There's so much that she'll have to learn when the ups and downs get rough.

Like patience and forgiveness and he hopes she'll have enough.

They're almost at the end of the aisle. it went by much to fast.

He needed hours more than this to fondly remember the past.

She's letting go of his arm now an the feeling tugs at his heart.

But he knows that even a husband's love will never replace his part.

He's done his best to let her grow and played the role of guide.

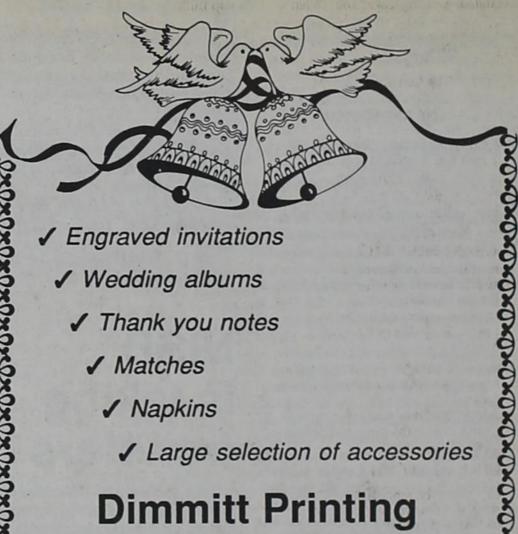
She'll be his daughter forever so today she can be the bride.



Try tossing birdseed instead

Birdseed is the ecologically safest stuff to toss at the bride and groom, says a Connecticut lawmaker who has introduced a bill banning instant rice weddings, reports International Wildlife magazine.

Innocuous as it seems, instant rice kills birds that eat it by absorbing moisture, causing severe bloating, says Mae Schmidle, the legislator introducing the birdseed bill. She does not advocate policing weddings, but simply wants wellwishers to convert to birdseed



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. Here Are Helpful Tips

Talking to your florist A practical guide to wedding flowers

Toasts to happiness and health, mar- more men are breaking the tradition riage and prosperity and love - this is the language of the wedding celebration. Your wedding flowers will augment these hearty toasts by setting the mood you want for the price you can afford if you learn yet another tongue: The language of the florist.

This means describing your forthcoming wedding in as much detail as possible in order for the florist to arrange roses, daisies, orchids, stephanotis, chrysanthemums or other flowers that reflect your tastes.

As the lights dim and guests start to dance, they'll whirl past the radiant colors, catch a whiff of floral perfume. and feel - perhaps just for a fleeting moment - transported to a heavenly fantasy land. But this is in the future. For now, to make this dream come true, you must make an appointment to talk to a florist. A good florist recognizes that each wedding is born from the feelings of the bride and groom-to-be and is willing to discusstheir plans and whims.

The first question you're likely to be asked is: What colors are the bride's and bridesmaids' gowns? Be equipped to answer with swatches of the materials. If you rely on mere descriptions ("Well ... my gown is sort of pinkish-yellowishbeige-ish"), the florist might arrange a bridal bouquet of salmon-colored carnations to match a gown that's really coral. Disastrous.

Seeing the color and texture of the fabric, the florist can design the most complementary bouquets, corsages and headpieces. A bright, intricate bouquet of delicate flowers is a beautiful focal point for a simple chiffon gown. But a ruffled, puckered, frilly gown and a highly tex-tured bouquet will fight non-stop for the limelight. And the last thing that belongs at any wedding is a battle.

Centuries ago in England, a typical groom, kept waiting several hours while his bride was corseted and fussed over, would know she had finally arrived at the church when her maid of honor gave him a flower from the bridal bouquet to wear in his lapel.

Though modern grooms don't wait

of pompon or carnation boutonnieres and wearing freesia, roses, asters - any flower their brides carry.

The next question is: What sort of mood do you want to set? A formal, traditional atmosphere is enhanced by tall and imposing gladiolus, large potted plants, deep red roses next to crispy white baby's breath and exotic flowers such as orchids with intricately curled

petals. By contrast, sprays of daisies, carnations and pert bachelor buttons create an atmosphere that's casual and playful.

Before you can discuss table decorations for the reception hall and flowers for the church, the florist will want to visit these places with you to get a feel for their design. It's best if you can supply the florist with floor plans.

Finally, state clearly and directly what you plan to spend, and the florist will determine what can be done for the price. There is no average price for wedding flowers because there is no average wedding

Total cost will depend on the kinds of flowers, number of bouquets, their size and their style. Traditional round clutches cost less than intricate cascades or bouquets with built-in corsages.

The heights of the bride and bridesmaids are other determining factors. Tall women need large bouquets, whereas women with small builds can get away with smaller, less expensive clutches.

Potted plants and flower arrangements used to decorate the church and reception area will enhance the festive atmosphere and also will increase your flower tab. You can reduce this cost by ordering small arrangements, instead of lavish, grandiose ones, and setting them on pedestals. Many churches and reception halls can provide them.

Shop around before choosing a florist. Get more than one estimate of price. Talk to newly wedded friends about their florists. You might profit from their experiences. But don't shop for too long. Many florists request that orders for large weddings be placed one to three

Wherever you go, flowers in season will be the best bargain because florists are well stocked with them and can easily order more. Seasonal flowers for late summer and fall, for instance, include a

varied and colorful assortment of asters, mums, gladiolus, carnations, baby's breath, lilies, roses and stephanotis. What's in season in New York is in season in Chicago, Arizona, California and stead. across the country.

sonal flowers. Time was when flowers the many types of "friendshifts" that ocwere selected which bespoke fertility. cur when you marry. Chinese and Mexican languages of flowers, for example, had it that orange • The neglected friend: With two career blossoms, because of their profusion on schedules to juggle and limited time to the fruit-bearing tree, symbolized fertil- spend together, most newlyweds find it ity. They were used in all wedding bou- difficult to justify going out with single quets in the hope that the couple would friends alone. Even staunch allies may be blessed with many children. This tra- feel deserted or relegated to the sidedition later made its way to the United lines States where orange blossoms were replaced by white stephanotis as the regen- ries, the single person often takes stock erative flower.

still shared here today, and couples might moving on," says Cynthia Mitchell, want to select flowers that impart special Ph.D., a clinical psychologist in Camwedding wishes. The carnation, for ex- bridge, Mass. ample, bespeaks fidelity; lily of the valley symbolizes happiness; good health is em-bodied in the hopeful, spring-flowering iris; narcissus represents prosperity; and the rose is the traditional flower of love. Another way to narrow down the vast choice is to select flowers of the month

of the wedding or the months of the couples' birthdays.

August's flower is gladiolus, September's aster, the flower for October is the marigold, chrysanthemums for November and narcissus for December. For January, there's the carnation, February the violet, March daffodils, sweet pea for April, lily of the valley for May, June those feelings can help keep them to a roses and delphinium for July. Choosing minimum. Hauling out your gifts may flowers this way, you might have to have them tinted to match your color scheme.

Whatever flowers you select, whatever they symbolize, if you can talk florists' talk, they will embody the essence of festivity, happiness, sheer beauty and everyhat makes a wedding

How to weather 'friendships' after wedding

You may be doing something unforgiv-able in the eyes of your single friends: Getting married. By being sensitive to those close to you who may be envious or fearful of losing you, you can dispel guilt feelings for your own happiness and work to strengthen your friendships, in-

Here are some suggestions from Bride's By no means are you restricted to sea- Magazine about how you can stabilize

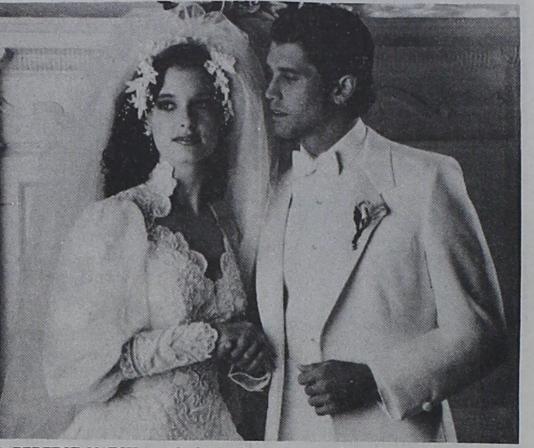
"If two friends are single and one marof her situation and feels left behind, A dialect of the language of flowers is even though she's happy her friend is

> What's important to the continuity of the friendship is for both of you to explain the pulls that you are experiencing. Even a 10-minute phone call or short note can appease hurt feelings. Then, when your newlywed life is settled, be sure she or he knows how much the patience was appreciated.

> · The jealous friend: The "man shortage" has created its share of acute spinsterphobia among single women. Your plans may make your single friends feel jealous, even hostile, from the moment you announce your engagement.

have brought shouts of glee at your 14th birthday party, but your friends might now interpret a display of wedding gifts as showiness or bragging.

Instead of dwelling on "your glorious future with the man of your dreams," focus on your friends' ideas, new job or mutual hobbies. Renew the interests that brought you together as friends in the first place.



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Here's the perfect cake for an at-home wedding

The low key wedding, the one without the fanfare, curlicues and cupids, gets an understated wedding cake, too. What's more, it's a cake that can easily be made by the bride or a group of the bride's or groom's relatives.

The first step

Using your own favorite pound cake recipe or four one-pound packages of pound cake mix, make one each: 10inch, 7-inch and 6-inch rounds. Cool in pans for 10 minutes. Remove from pans and cool thoroughly on wire rack.

Prepare chocolate and cranberry fillings:

CRANBERRY FILLING

- 4 tablespoons cornstarch 1/3 cup Cointreau or other orange
- flavored liqueur
- 2 cans (16 ounces each) Ocean Spray Whole Berry Cranberry Sauce

Dissolve cornstarch in liqueur until smooth, combine with whole berry cranberry sauce.

Cook over medium heat, stirring frequently until sauce thickens and clears,

about 5 minutes. Cool. CHOCOLATE FILLING

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened 4 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled
- 1 package (1 pound) confectioners'

sugar, sifted 2 egg yolks 1/4 cup milk

Combine butter or margarine, melted chocolate and half the sugar.

Add yolks, remaining sugar and enough milk to make filling smooth and of good spreading consistency.

Make two batches of a meringue buttercream frosting found in your favorite cookbook

To assemble:

Cut each cake layer horizontally into thirds. Place bottom layer of large cake layer on a 10" cardboard round support; spreading with chocolate filling, top with second layer, spread with cranberry filling, top with final layer; repeat with 7" and 6" rounds. Chill in freezer.

Use one recipe of buttercream to frost totally sides and tops of each cake, with a thin coating to seal in crumbs. Chill in freezer.

To finish cake: Frost each tier with buttercream, smoothing sides and tops with a metal spatula.

Assemble tiers on plate with large tier on bottom, 7-inch in middle, and small one atop for bride and groom to save for their first anniversary.

Using a pastry bag, with small shell tube or star, pipe frosting between layers and fill openings.

Chill in freezer until ready to serve. If desired, top cake with heart-shaped cookies bearing names of the bride and groom

'Engaging' questions: How to cope

The simple announcement "I'm getting married" guarantees you'll be in the spotlight for months ahead. This "instant celebrity" often invites endless personal questions from family, friends...even strangers. "Where did you meet?" "How did he propose?" Some may be fun to answer, others can be irritating.

An article in a recent issue of Bride's common questions this way:

 "Why do you want to get married?" lifestyle, and of couples who live together without marrying, a person who of your parents who's no longer alive. takes the traditional route may be asked to "justify" that decision.

If you can answer this question - and if you want to - you might explain that you're serious about your religion, or that you believe marriage is the strongest statement of commitment two people can make. But sometimes the best answer is much simpler: "It just feels right to me."

 "Why did you decide to marry him?" - Questions about your choice of partner can be upsetting, particularly if these doubts come from people you love and respect. Usually the best answer is, "When you get to know Bob better, I'm sure you'll see why."

What if the question causes you to have doubts yourself? Does this mean that you are making a mistake? Remember that marriage is a very big step; even people who are very much in love worry.

"When are you going to have a baby?" - This is a touchy question, but it can be helpful to distinguish someone who is merely prying from someone who is genuinely interested in passing along valuable advice. In the first case, a non-

answer, such as "Why do you ask?" might stop the questioning short.

In the second case, if the question comes from an older sister, for example, what at first seems intrusive could actually get you to explore an issue you hadn't thought about before.

• "Will you be quitting your job?" — Many people still assume that a bride will automatically give up her place in the work force for a place at home. "No, of course not!" is a good reply, whether the questioner is a friend, relative, stranger... or your boss. In the latter case, you might underscore your answer by being particularly dedicated at work.

If you do decide to stop working, or if you'll be moving to another town after the wedding, be honest. Give your employer plenty of notice and leave on a good note.

• "Will you share the housework?" -

• The valuable new friend: In time, the protective shell that newlywed couples usually build around each other falls away, and they become more objective about marriage, and their spouse.

The husband and wife realize that they can't fulfill each other's every need, so they begin to seek out other people to enjoy interests and hobbies that their spouse doesn't share - a passion for ballet, or a penchant for flea markets. Your outings can enrich your marriage, and you'll return home full of energy, enthu-

siasm and new experiences to relate. • The venerable old friend: Reviving an magazine suggests dealing with some old friendship can also fill a need for continuity in your life. Friends often share a history that predates the couple's - With today's acceptance of the single relationship: Good times you had in the "old neighborhood," or memories of one

> Reminiscing over old photographs and stories with your husband won't be quite the same, because he wasn't there. Your friend was.

 The "nothing in common" denominator: It's important to understand that, while friendships are valuable, drifting apart is also a part of life's process. Interests and needs are constantly being honed, and turning points such as marriage lead you to pay more attention to relationships that enrich you.

If, despite differences in your lives, you still want to hold onto a good friend, make a concentrated effort to appreciate each other's life choices, needs and interests

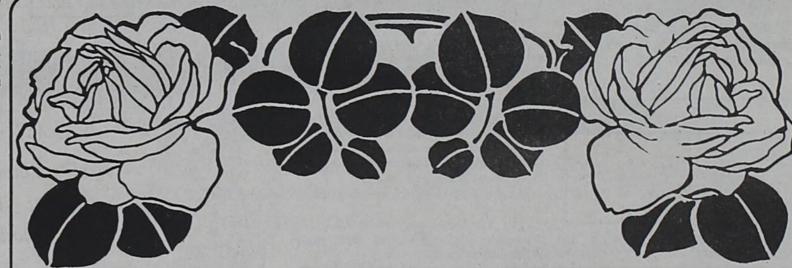
It doesn't hurt to admit that, while you love your spouse, you envy your friends' plans to tour Japan, begin a new career in a distant city, devote time to a political group. Chances are, they crave a part of your world as well, and you can reinforce satisfaction with your choices by admitting that each lifestyle is appealing.

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Friends who ask this may be wondering how they would handle the situation if they were to marry. Just say, "We plan to be equals."

 "How much will your wedding cost?" or "Who's paying for the wedding?" -The first question is tactless ... and very common. You could wave it aside with something like, "Never mind. Just come and enjoy yourself."

The second question could be answered honestly: "Bill's parents and mine are splitting the bill." Or with a joke: "We're accepting contributions of \$100 or more from all those kind enough to inquire!" Or, as with any one of these "engaging" questions, by simply not answering at all!

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Priscilla Garcia

Garcia named all-American

Priscilla Garcia, daughter of Paul and Ortensia Garcia of Dimmitt, has been named a scholastic all-American by the National Secondary Education Council.

Garcia, who attends Dimmitt High School, was nominated for the award by John Thomas, counselor at the school.

Garcia will appear in the Schotory, published nationally.

The NSEC has established the Scholastic All - American Scholar Awards Program in order to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. Those selected must earn a 3.3 or better grade point average.

Beth Sams is honored

Beth Sams has been named a Scholastic All - American by the National Secondary Council.

Sams, the daughter of Liz Sams of Dimmitt and Rodney Sams of Earth, attends Dimmitt High School and was nominated for the award by school counselor, John Thomas.

Sams will appear in the Scholastic All-American Scholar Directory, which is published nationally.

Scholars qualifying for the honor must earn a 3.3 or better grade point average.

Sams is the granddaughter of Mary Johnson of Memphis, A.C. Sams of Lubbock and Ellen Lenoir of Orange, Calif.

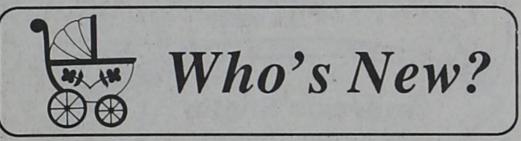


MARTHA JO HYMAN lends a shoulder so Mayor Wayne Collins can sign a proclamation denoting April 16-22 as Parkinson's Disease Week in Dimmitt.

Hospital News

Patients in the Hospital:Francisco Ojeda, Gladys Deen, Susie Martinez, Buford Owen, Evan Shelby Wise.

Patients Dismissed: Rosendo lastic All-American Scholar Direc- Ramos, Juan Oltivero, A'llan Bradley, Sabas Coronado, Modesta Sandoval, W.E. Beecher, Helen Barton, Marcelina Acevedo, Philda Dudgeon, Robin Wise, Fred Kuntz, Lupe Ramos, Chris Fuentes, Jeremy Warren, Jessie Ramos, Maria Vasquez, Jose Villalba, Marlene Bennett, Ester Galloup, Lupe Arce, J.D. Ramos, J. Paul Waggoner.



Parkinson's Disease: searching for answers

Parkinson's Disease is.

And if you have it, you may not know it. And neither may your doctor-even after a second, third our fourth examination.

And it can drive you batty until you find out for sure what's causing those strange, scary things to be happening to your body.

That's how it was with Martha Jo Hyman of Dimmitt.

"People know nothing about Parkinson's Disease, and I didn't either until I was diagnosed," she said. "Most people know at least something about multiple sclerosis, but 10 times as many people have Parkinson's."

"PD" is a chronic disease that allects the involuntary nervous system-the "automatic" nerves that control your muscles without commands from the brain. The malady brings about a general deterioration of the nerve-to-muscle relationship, which in turn leads to constant tremors in the muscles-the kind of tremors you've probably had in an arm, hand or leg sometimes when you've over-exerted.

You probably don't know what they've been conducting extensive research into the environment I grew up in-where I was raised, what kind of crops were grown there, what kinds of processing plants I've lived around, and so forth. They're looking for any little thing that might give them a clue as to the cause."

> Across the nation, others are doing what they can to help spotlight the disease and stimulate more public understanding and more support for the research programs. The two main national spokesmen are Congressman Morris K. "Mo" Udall of Arizona, who has PD, and television personality Ralph Edwards, whose wife has it.

In proclaiming April 16-22 as

Registration due Apr. 25 for 'Safe Home' program

Registration deadline for the "Home, Safe Home" program to be held in Dimmitt Saturday, April 30, is April 25.

The program, sponsored by the County Extension Office and the Extension Home Economic Committee, will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Expo Building.

The purpose of the program is to assist children in the areas of safety on their own. Topics include instruction in first-aid, fires, weather, answering the telephone and door when alone, handling strangers, snacking and kitchen safety and other activities.

The areas of concern were established through surveys done in the kindergarten through sixth grades in Dimmitt. The "Home, Safe Home" program is for all youth, kindergarten through the sixth grade, especially "latch-key kids." Latch-key is a term that defines children who are regularly left during some part of a day to supervice themselves. Latch - key refers to children who are regularly left unattended. This includes both children left alone and those left in the care of an under-aged sibling.

If you would like to enroll your child in the program, contact the Extension office at 647-4115. Leave your child's name and phone number. Registration fee is \$1 per person.



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Kyle and Robin Wise of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby boy, Evan Shelby Wise, born last Thursday at 12:29 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. He weighed 5 lbs., 6 1/2 oz and was 18 1/2 inches long. Paternal grandparents are Frank and Shirley Wise of Dimmitt. Maternl grandparent is Julie Dexter of Lubbock. His great-grandparents are R.C. and Betty Culpepper of Sweeny and Ruth Coleman of Dimmitt.

It's a girl for Francisco and Linda Lopez of Dimmitt. Sarah Eloisa Lopez was born April 1 at 7:35 a.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 lb., 12 oz. and was 20 inches long. She has two older brothers, four-year-old Ray Francisco and three-yearold Raymond Jesus. Paternal grandparents are Walter and Eloisa Leal of Dimmitt. Maternal grandparents are Anbering and Francisca Lopez of Mexico City, Mexico. Julian and Rosa Rodriguez of Dimmitt are the baby's great-grandparents.

Nora Catano of Dimmitt is the mother of a baby boy, Omar Troy Catano, born March 25 at 8:15 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. He weighed 8 lbs., and was 22

Happy Anniversary

[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers and the Nazareth Swift Band.]

APRIL 14-Freddie and Jo Hamilton, Jim and Evelyn Ball. APRIL 17 - Dan and Oma Dee Heard, Bernie and DeAnn Tackitt.

APRIL 19-Quint and Patti Waggoner, Bernie and Lou Wethington.

APRIL 20-Gordon and Terry Wilhelm, Paul and Edith Huseman, Gene and Jackie Dobmeier, Anthony and Kathy Kirby.



The chameleon's tongue is as long as its body

inches long. Maternal grandparents are Consuclo and Refugio Catano of Dimmitt.

Noc and Marisella Lara of Bovina are the parents of a baby boy, Noe Lara Jr., born at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt March 28 at 11 p.m. He weighed 7 lbs. Paternal grandparents are Adelia and Raymundo Estraca of Bovina. Maternal grandparents arc Rosendo and Ortencia Lara of Bovina. Great-grandparents are Margarita and Moises Rodriguez of Dimmitt.

It's a boy for Roy and Philda Dudgeon of Dimmitt. He was born Tuesday at 3:37 a.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. He weighed in at 8 lb., 1 1/2 oz. and was 20 inches long. Winona Dudgeon of Sudan is his paternal grandmother. Dan and Nell Sloan of Munday are his maternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Glea Conatser, Francies Blair and Hattie Dudgeon.

OUT-OF-TOWN

It's a girl! Amber Elaine Perez entered the world March 31 at 11:18 a.m. at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, much to the delight of her parents, Daniel and Susan Perez. Amberweighed 7 lbs., 11 oz., and was 20 1/2 inches long. She has an older sister, 3 1/2-year-old Elisa. Her grandparents are Santos and David Perez of Dimmitt and Betty and Earl Parish of Austin.

Jay Don and Ronda Lynn Reeve of Friona are the proud parents of a baby girl, Macy Diane, born March 27 at Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford. Macy weighed in at 7 lbs. and was 21 inches long. She has two older sisters, Brittany and Ashley. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Reeve of Friona. Great-grandparents are R.L. Flemings of Lubbock, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. A.R. Noonan of Albuquerque, N.M.

Presbyterian Happenings

Women of Palo Duro Presbytery will meet Saturday at 10 a.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Abilene.

There is a Sunday church school class for everyone Sunday at 10 a.m. The adult Bible class meets at the home of Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church. "Witnesses" is the subject of Pastor Ed-

ward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m. Morning prayers will be said Wednesday at 6:30 a.m.

"The Transfiguration," Mark 9:2-13, is the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Researchers are still looking for the cause, or causes.

Mrs. Hyman was diagnosed as having PD in April 1986.

"I think I had had it for several years, but developed the tremors about eight months before I was diagnosed," she said. "I could give you a whole list of doctors (eight, in fact) who couldn't diagnose it before a neurologist in Dallas finally did."

PD strikes one in 100 people, and most victims are over 40 years of age. But it can also strike someone as young as 18, she explained.

Curiously, the prevalence rate in West Texas is 10 times the national average. That's one of the reasons why Mrs. Hyman is allowing the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center to use her as a research subject.

"I'm one of their guinea pigs," she said with a grin. "They do blood work on me regularly, and

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Parkinson's Disease Week in Dimmitt, Mayor Collins noted, "By focusing the attention of the citizens of Dimmitt on this chronic disease condition which affects the lives of so many, we hope to promote quality research in the ongoing efforts to find the cause and cure for this disease and encourage services to help meet the day-to-day needs of Parkinsonians and their family members."

Meanwhile, Mrs. Hyman copes -as a wife, mother and business woman.

"The tremors can be controlled by medication, but it gets worse with stress, fatigue or anxiety," she said.

"You learn to compensate for it. When you're really shaking, it gets in the way of living, though."

One of the main challenges to the PD victim is to conquer the self-consciousness that might come with the onset of the involuntary tremors.

"One of my friends 'went into the closet' with it, but couldn't live that way and eventually came back out," Mrs. Hyman said. "I didn't know how to go into the closet. I just try to live with it and make the best of each day."

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when they exchange marriage vows

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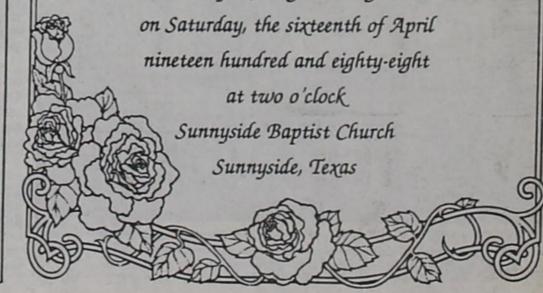
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BRANDI BYRD, daughter of Jackie and Colleen Byrd, placed fourth in Tri-State 4A Contest in Lubbock on March 13. Byrd, granddaughter of Christeen Taack of Dimmitt and niece of Don and Carolyn Moke of Dimmitt, also placed second in the 3C Contest held in January at Hobbs, N.M. and placed first in the 3B Contest at Brownfield in December. She will compete at the world games in Lubbock the week of May 17 through 21.

What's Cooking

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for the week of April 18 through April 22:

DIMMITT

THURSDAY - Hot dogs, chili and cheese, tater tots, dill spears, fruit cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY-Barbecued chicken, com on the cob, Ranch Style Beans, Jello with fruit and milk.

MONDAY-Fish crispies, creamed potatoes, mixed vegetables, rolls, butter, fruit and milk.

TUESDAY - Beef tacos with cheese, whole kernel corn, shredded lettuce, orange cake and milk.

WEDNESDAY-Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, ice cream and milk.

THURSDAY-Roast turkey with gravy, buttered rice, green beans, rolls, butter, apple sticks and milk.

FRIDAY - Sandwiches, potato chips, lettuce and pickles, apples and milk.

HART

THURSDAY - Pinto beans with ham, mex-combread, French fries, coleslaw, apple cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY-Fried chicken, creamed gravy, June peas, whipped potatoes, hot rolls, peanut butter cake and milk.

MONDAY-Barbecue on a bun, pinto bcans, potato salad, apple cobbler and milk. TUESDAY - Beef stew, combread,

tossed salad, peaches, cake and milk. WEDNESDAY — Sloppy Joes, Ranch

Style Beans, French fries, brownies and milk.

TIIURSDAY - Steak fingers, whipped potatoes, June peas, applesauce and milk. FRIDAY - Turkey casserole, green beans, buttered corn, rolls, chocolate cake and milk.

NAZARETH

THURSDAY-Barbecued beef, coleslaw, mixed vegetables, brownies and milk. FRIDAY-Ham, fried okra, Ranch Style

Bcans, combread, apple cobbler and milk. MONDAY-Chicken pie, mixed vegeta-

bles, applesauce, hot buttered bread, peanut butter cups and milk. TUESDAY-Chili dogs, coleslaw, pork

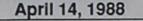
and beans, pears and milk. WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, French

fries, lettuce, onions, pickes, pineapple upside down cake and milk.

THURSDAY-Nachos, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad, hot buttered bread, grapes and milk.

FRIDAY-Hot turkey sandwiches, cauliflour, fruit salad and milk







AND AWAY SHE GOES!-Students from Happy Hearts Dayschool in Dimmitt look high in the sky as balloons they released Monday morning floated off to far-away lands. The balloon launch was held in conjunction with the Week of the Young Child, April 10 through 16. Happy Hearts is a member of the Panhandle Association for the Education of young Children.



There were at least 52 musicians in the family of famous composer Johann Sebastian Bach.

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Ministerial Alliance

Edward D. Freeman will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in their Bible study Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church.

Wildlife program is planned

A wildlife management program will be held April 22 at 12 noon in the courthouse assembly room.

Sponsored by the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce and the Castro County Extension Service, the meeting is open to the public. All farmers and other interested persons are urged attend. Lunch will be provided.

Dr. Loren M. Smith, head of the Range and Wildlife Management Department at Texas Tech University will talk on pheasant habitat and management, quail management and the role of playa lakes in wildlife management.

Other topics at the meeting will be landowner leasing responsibilities.

Blood drive to be Monday

The Student Council from Dimmitt High School are sponsoring a blood drive Monday from 2:30 to 7 p.m. at the high school auditorium in Dimmitt.

Coffee Memorial Center in Amarillo will be conducting the drive.

The record for Dimmitt donations is 64 pints, and the Student Council has set their goal for this drive at 70 pints.

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Members will discuss rule changes for the annual Castro County Stock Show.



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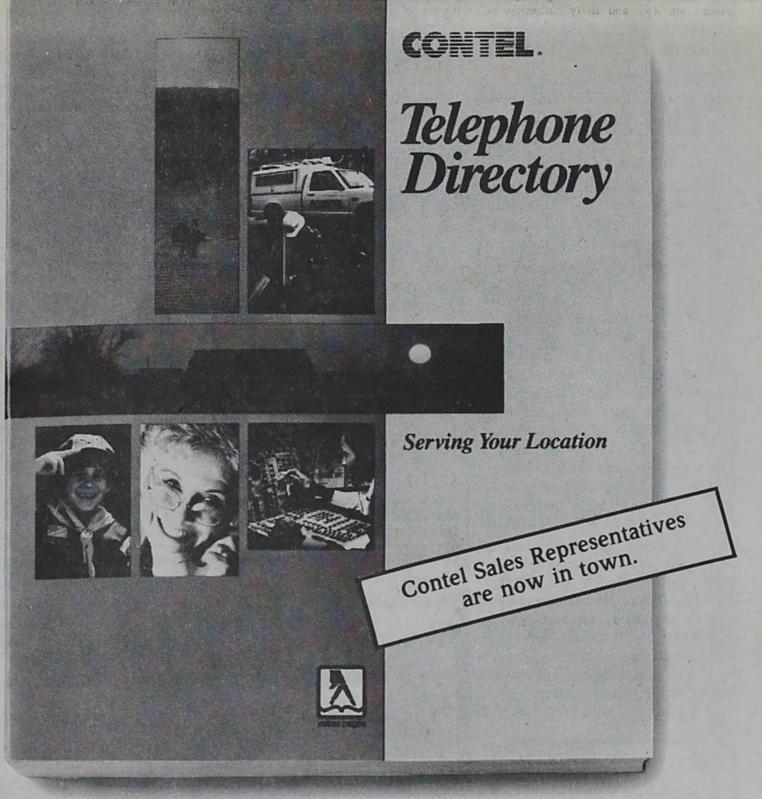


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Sports **DHS tennis team** places 3rd in district

Romaldo Sandoval and Jerry McMillon of Dimmitt High School qualified for the regional tennis tourney by placing second in boys' doubles at the District 2-AAA tournament Friday in Lubbock.

The regional tourney will be April 27-28 in Odessa.

DHS finished third in team standings behind district champion Muleshoe and runner-up Floydada.

Sandoval-McMillon were seeded second in the district, and lost in the finals to the top-seeded team, Graves and Gunstream of Muleshoe.

Anant Patel is the regional alternate in boys' singles and Jeanne Davis in girls' singles. Both fi- 0. nished third in the district tourney. In the junior varsity division, Royce Schulte won the district

championship in boys' singles. Here's how Dimmitt High School's netters fared in the district tournament:

VARSITY

Boys' Doubles

Graves - Gunstream, Muleshoe (No. 1 seed) def. Chad Killingsworth-Scott Stahl, 6-0, 6-1.

Romaldo Sandoval-Jerry McMillon (No.

2 seed) def. House-Powell, Tulia, 6-0, 6-0. Semifinals: Sandoval-McMillon def. Neiman-Garlington, Muleshoe, 6-2, 6-3. Finals: Graves-Gunstream def. Sandoval-McMillon, 7-5, 6-1.

Girls' Doubles Neely-White, Friona, def. Casey Gentry-Deena Richards, 6-1, 6-0.

Boys' Singles A. J. Liles, Muleshoe, def. Greg Gentry, 6-2, 6-3. Anant Patel (No. 3 seed) def. Frank Precure, Muleshoe, 7-5, 7-5. Semifinals: Gabriel Mendoza, Floydada, def. Patel, 7-6, 6-1.

Third Place: Patel def. McGehee, Littlefield, 6-2, 3-6, 6-2. **Girls' Singles**

Irlbeck, Tulia, def. Kristi Sims, 6-3, 6-1. Jeanne Davis def. Sherri Cutshall, Littlefield (No. 4 seed), 4-6, 6-4, 6-4. Semifinals: Lisa Triana def. Davis, 6-3, 6-

Third Place: Davis def. Misty Avila, Floydada, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.

JUNIOR VARSITY Boys' Singles

Chitwood, Muleshoe, def. Stacy Waggoner, 8-5.

McCune, Tulia, def. Todd McDaniel, 8-0. Greg Vasquez def. Garcia, Littlefield, 8-1. Madrid, Friona, def. Vasquez, 8-2. Royce Schulte def. Brooks, Tulia, 8-4. Semifinals: Schulte def. Chitwood, Muleshoe, 6-4, 6-3. Finals: Schulte def. Madrid, Friona, 7-5, 0-6, 6-2.

Peace Officers set first annual chili-off

The first annual chili cook-off, sponsored by the Castro County Peace Officers' Association will be held Saturday, April 30 at the rodeo arcna, east of Dimmitt.

Entries will be taken right up to the starting time at 10:30 a.m. and judging will begin at 2 p.m. Trophics will be awarded for the winning chili.

Young, already has commitments from several local cooks and also has committments from Amarillo, Hereford and Plainview cooks.

The critera for good chili is aroma, red color, consistency, taste and aftertaste. Showmanship

DHS foursome breaks record

The Dimmitt Bobbies' 1,600 meter relay team set a new meet record in capturing first place in the Bobcat Relays Saturday.

Gloria Gauna, Alicia Shippy, Poppie Thomas and Sydelle McDonald ran the four laps in 4 minutes, 18.7 seconds to capture the blue ribbon in the event.

The Bobbies also placed first in three other events and finished second in team totals in the big meet, which was conducted on a hurry-up schedule in cold, windy weather.

Tulia High School captured the girls' team championship. Nazareth came in a strong third and Hart was eighth.

In varsity boys' competition, Boys Ranch dominated the meet, with Dimmitt placing sixth and Hart eighth in team totals.

Renca Harman won the blue ribbon in the 3,200-meter run with a time of 13:03.56 and placed second in the 1,600 meters with a clocking of 6:02.5. Imelda Perez came in fourth in the 3,200 with a time of 14:20.0, and finished third behind Harman in the 1,600 meters with a time of 6:19.2.

The 800-meter relay team of Renae Josselet, Alicia Shippy, Tessa Chavers and India Thomas beat the field with a winning time of 1:54.46.

The 400 - meter relay team brought Dimmitt its third blue ribbon in the baton events as India and Poppic Thomas, Tessa Chavers and Sydelle McDonald raced the oval in 53.01 seconds.

> **BOBCAT RELAYS** DIMMITT

DIVISION I BOYS

TEAM TOTALS:1. Boys Ranch JV 130; 2. Vega 80; 3. Happy 66; 4. Kress 61; 5. Tulia JV 51; 6.Dimmitt JV 45; 7. Amherst 44; 8. Lubbock Cooper JV 28; 9. New Deal JV 8; 9. Lubbock Christian 2; 10. Friona JV 1.

Vault: 1. Medlock, Lubbock Cooper JV, 10-0; 2. Fitch, Boys Ranch JV, 9-6; Kidwell, BoysRanch JV, 9-0.

Long Jump: 1. Tanck, Vega, 20-1/4;

Discus: 1.Dempsey, Happy, 119 -

High Jump: 1. Bryant, Boys Ranch

2. Huerta, Kress, 19-9; 3. D.Drinnon,

3. Alexander, Boys Ranch JV, 101-7 1/2.

JV, 5-10; 2. SchultZ, Dimmitt JV, 5-4; 3.

(tie) Rust and Turner, Boys Ranch JV, 5-

Shot: 1. Jackson, Dimmitt JV, 42-7; 2.

3200: 1. Mitchell, Happy, 11:14.59; 2.

400 Relay: 1. Vega, 46.94; 2. Kress,

800: 1. Mitchell, Happy, 2:11.84; 2.

110 H: 1. Sosa, Happy. 15.27; 2. C.

100: 1. D. Tanck, Vega, 11.19; 2.

400: 1. McClure, Kress, 54.92; 2.

300 H: 1. C. Johnson, Amherst, 42.72;

2. Sosa, Happy, 43.77; 3. Scovaisa,

Smithart, Boys Ranch JV, 56.85; 3.

Huerta, Kress, 11.23; 3. Neveloff, Coop-

Johnson, Amherst, 16.93; 3. S. Bryant,

Brethauer, Boys Ranch JV, 2:17.56; 3.

Guzman, Boys Ranch JV, 11:24.88; 3.

Wilhelm, Nazareth, 42-5 1/2; 3. Ken-

Vega, 19 4 3/4.

drick, Vega, 42-5 1/2.

Gauna, Dimmitt JV, 12:03.85

47.66; 3. Tulia JV, 47.81.

Herrera, Tulia JV, 2:23.13.

Boys Ranch JV, 17.26.

Price, Amherst, 57.35.

er JV, 11.69.

Amherst, 44.74. 200: 1. Garner, Tulia JV, 23.41; 2. Neveloff, Cooper JV, 23.76; 3. Pacheco, Tulia JV, 24.21.

1600: 1. Guzman, Boys Ranch JV, 5:16.06; 2. Brethauer, Boys Ranch JV. 5:20.92; 3. Gauna, Dimmitt JV, 5:22.95. 1600 Relay: 1.Vega 3:38.66; 2. Kress, 3:44.95; 3. Boys Ranch JV, 3:47.17.

DIVISION II BOYS

TEAM TOTALS: 1. Boys Ranch 108; 2. Friona, 98; 3. Muleshoe 92; Tulia 54 1/2; 5. Littlefield 48; 6. Dimmitt 41; 7. New Deal 35; 8. Hart 34 1/2; 9. Morton 15; 10. Springlake-Earth 1.

Vault: 1. Pritchett, Morton, 12-0; 2. Trevino, Friona, 11-0 3. Valadez, Hart, 10-6.

Long Jump: 1. Mays, Boys Ranch, 19-10 1/2; 2. King, Littlefield, 19-8 1/2; 3. Brown, Hart, 19-7 3/4.

Discus: Briscoe, New Deal, 153-6; 2. Padilla, Friona, 146-0; 3. Hill, New Deal, 142-5 1/2.

High Jump: 1. Burney, Friona, 6-6; 2. T. Howell, New Deal, 6-4; 3. Alexander, Dimmitt, 6-2.

Shot: 1. Grantham, Tulia, 49-9; 2. Dunham, Muleshoe, 49-5 1/2; 3. Briscoe, New Deal, 49-5 1/2.

3200: 1.Garcia, Muleshoe, 10:34.57; 2. Embry, Boys Ranch, 10:39.93; 3.Learch, Boys Ranch, 10:45.98.

400 Relay: 1. Tulia 44.88; 2. Littlefield, 45.83; 3. Muleshoe, 45.84. 800: 1.Hyndman, BoysRanch, 2:11.11; 2. Perez, Muleshoe, 2:12.88; 3.

Sanchez, Muleshoe, 2:15.53. 110H: 1. Bugg, Friona, 15.69; 2. Rodgers, Littlefield, 16.12; 3. May, Boys Ranch, 16.16.

100: 1. Davis, Dimmitt, 10.81; 2. Olivas, Muleshoe, 10.85; 3. Brown, Hart, 10.97.

400: 1. Echols, Friona, 51.18; 2.

The Hart coaches will host a

volleyball tournament Monday

V-ball tourney

Schmincher, Muleshoe, 52.77; 3. Good-

man, Littlefield, 53.82. 300 H: 1. Thorton, Friona, 42.18; 2. May, Boys Ranch, 42.29; 3. Davis, Dimmitt, 42.4.

200: 1. Brown, Hart, 22.52; 2. Nevins, Tulia, 22.98; 3. Brackon, Friona, 23.27. 1600: 1. Garcia, Muleshoe, 4:50.7; 2.

McLearen, Boys Ranch, 4:56.22; 3. Embry, Boys Ranch, 4:56.92.

1600 Relay: 1. Friona, 3:31.85; 2. Muleshoe, 3:32.03; 3. Boys Ranch 27.06. 3:33.40.

GIRLS

TEAM TOTALS: 1. Tulia, 145; 2. Dimmitt, 125; 3. Nazareth 50; 4. Amherst 41; 5. Morton 34; 6. Olton, 30; 7. Vega, 25; 8. Hart, 21; 9. Lubbock Christian, 19; 10. Kress, 17; 11. Friona, 11; 12. (tie) Happy and Hale Center, 9; 14; Springlake-Earth 8; 15. Littlefield, 7; 16. New Deal, 5.

Triple Jump: 1. Altman, Tulia, 31-9; 2. McDonald, Dimmitt, 31-2 1/4; 3. Huseman, Nazareth, 30-9 1/4.

Long Jump: 1. Altmn, Tulia, 16-1; 2. Lacy, Tulia, 16-1/2; 3. Phillips, Lubbock-Christian, 16-1/4.

Discus: 1. Muller, Olton, 95-0; 2. Steffens, Nazareth, 92 - 10; 3. Adam, Hale Center, 89-0.

High Jump: 1. Morris, Tulia, 5-0; 2. (four-way tie) Hartman, Happy; Huffman, New Deal; Muller, Olton; Tucker Tulia, 4-

Shot: 1. Thompson, Morton, 32-10; 2. Gregory, Springlake-Earth, 30-5; 3. Muller, Olton, 29-11.

3200: Harman, Dimmitt, 13:03.56; 2. Hernandez, Hart, 13:47.17; 3. Heck, Nazareth, 13:50.98

400 Relay: 1. Dimmitt, 53.01; 2. Amherst, 54.05; 3. Vega, 54.06.

800: 1. Irlbeck, Tulia, 2:37.07; 2. Rodriguez, Dimmitt, 2:47.96; 3. Wilson, Hart, 2:49.13. 110 H: 1. Lacy, Tulia, 16.57; 2. Alt-

man, Tulia, 16.74; 3. Riney, Olton,

100: 1. Evans, Morton, 12.73; 2. Jenning, Tulia, 12.79; 3. Poppy Thomas, Dimmitt 12.88.

800 Relay: 1.Dimmitt, 1:54.46; 2. Tulia, 1:55.92; 3. Amherst, 1:57.77.

400: 1. Huseman, Nazareth, 64.3; Mc-Donald, Dimmitt, 64.57; 3. Strickland, Tulia, 66.21.

200: 1. Huseman, Nazareth 26.16; 2. Trice, Amherst, 27.0; 3. Altman, Tulia,

1600: 1. Irlbeck, Tulia, 5:47.99; 2. Harman, Dimmitt, 6:02.60; 3. Perez, Dimmitt, 6:19. 20.

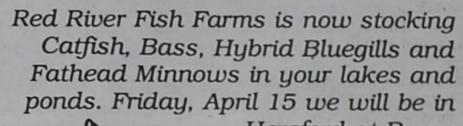
1600 Relay: 1. Dimmitt, 4:18. 70; 2. Tulia, 4:26.18; 3. Kress, 4:31.61.

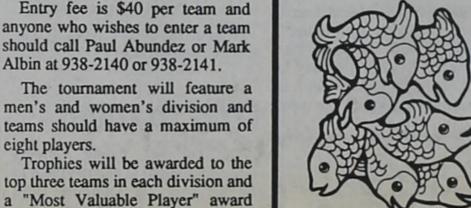
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Appreciation Society International, Inc., rules so that cookers can gain 4545 or the Sheriff's Office at 647points toward entering the Terlingua International Chili Championship. A minimum of 25 entrants is required to sanction the cook-off. Cookpoff chairman, Marshall

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awarded an individual Ranatra Fusca Award for her individual problem-solving. Only three individuals in the state competition received the individual Ranatra Fusca Award.

Each team competed against 10 to 12 other regional qualifying teams at state.

"Our kids were super," Richards said. "We had comments from the hotel management on what a good group of kids they were, and the bus driver was very complimentary.

"I want the community to know what a well behaved group and what a source of pride these kids were. We took them to NASA's mission control and weightlessness laboratory, and were completely awed at what we saw. We want to the San Jacinto Monument and everybody went to the top and looked out over the Houston Ship Channel. We visited the Battleship Texas and the kids were all over the ship, looking at the guns and everything. They begged for more time," Richard's said.



awards will also be given. Showmanship is based on theme, costume, booth set - up, action, and

Anyone wishing more informa- 8 1/2; 2. Washburn, New Deal JV, 116-4; tion should contact Marshal Young The cook-off will follow Chili at 647-2328 or 647-3736, the Dimmitt Police Department at 647-3311

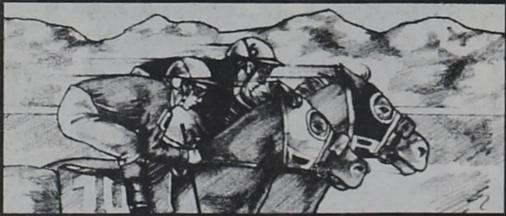
Naz golfers finish third

Chris Schmucker shot a 91 to lead the Nazareth Swifts to a 397 round, good for third place in the District 3-A golf tournament held at the Farwell Country Club.

The Swifts were just three points behind second place finisher Farwell. Bovina captured the gold medals with a round of 333.

Individual scores for the Swifts were Marlon Backus, 97; Brian Klein, 101; Brian Schmucker, 108; Bob Kern, 114; Brad Hoelting, 103; and Trent Johnson 118.





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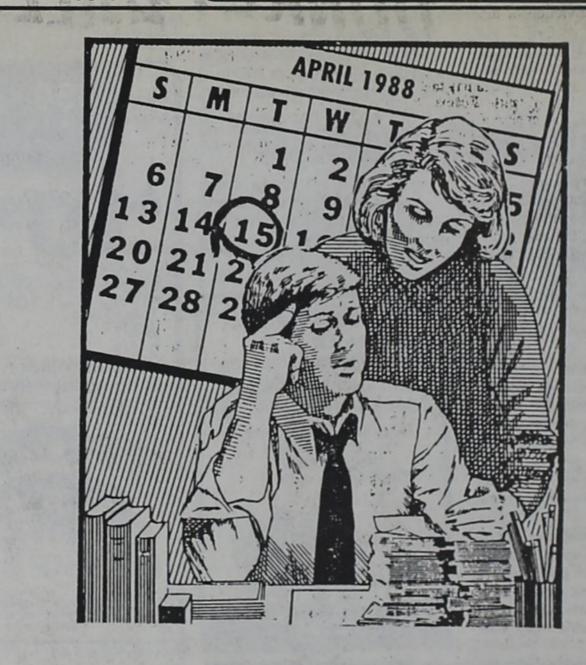
slated at Hart

through Friday, April 22.

The tournament will feature a men's and women's division and teams should have a maximum of eight players.

Trophies will be awarded to the top three teams in each division and a "Most Valuable Player" award will be given to the top player.

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Patricia, Tommy and Michael Kern of Dallas, spent the Easter weekend here with their parents, Bud and Rita Kern.

Theresa Kern and her husband, Long Vo and children, John and Clare of Dallas, spent an Easter vacation in Rome, Italy visiting Long's father, brothers and sisters. They had the privilege of attending Palm Sunday mass celebrated at the Vatican with Pope John Paul II.

The Secular Franciscan Order of St. Anthony's Fraternity held their day afternoon at the home of Thelma Wethington. They all enjoyed dinner at the Senior Citizen's Center before the meeting. A special guest present for the day was Violet Tipotsch, provincial minister from Roswell, N.M. All members were present and really enjoyed the day.

Janet Warren and Paul Costa were married Saturday afternoon in Amarillo at St. Lawrence Cathedral officiating. A lovely reception followed at the Episcopal Church Center in Amarillo. Janet is the daughter of Paul and Mildred Warren of Amarillo, formerly of Nazareth. Those attending from here

were Walter and Anita Schilling, Tim and Monica Wilhelm, Rocky and Dianne Wilhelm, Leonard and Alvina Gerber, Bill and Bernita Hoclting and girls.

May Hochstein spent last week in Luling with her son, Bob. Alice Hochstein of El Paso also met her mother and brother in Luling. May and Alice drove to Quitman where Alice had a job interview. May also visited with Susie Schulte while in Luling.

Winners in the pool tournament regular meeting and election Sun- sponsored by the American Legion this weekend were Kevin Gerber, first; Calvin Schulte, second; and Clyde Schulte, third; In the mixed doubles, Jim Hoelting and Kathy Birkenfeld finished first, Gerald Braddock and Tina Conners were second, Keith Gerber and Malinda Yeary were third and Kevin Gerber and Delese Ellison were fourth.

Cecil Wilhelm had surgery Tueswith Msgr. Harold Waldow, pastor, day morning at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo to repair several breaks in his jaw which he received in a wreck early Sunday morning. We hope he has a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schulte

Grand Jury indicts seven

The 64th District Court Grand Jury returned felony indictments Lonny Rhynes, Dozal originally last week against seven persons was charged with burglarizing a who are charged with livestock house on the Bill Clark farm norththeft, sexual assault, burglary and west of town, taking a pickup escape.

of Dimmitt, a citizen of Mexico here on a work visa, was indicted for aggravated sexual assault. The first - degree felony charge could

According to Davis and Sheriff owned by Howard Smithson, and Jesus Constantino Holguin, 33, ramming the pickup into the house.

> The Grand Jury returned felony DWI indictments against three men -Albert Earl Ewing, 32, Benito Juan Castaneda, 36, and Jesus F.

> > **High School**

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Aguirre, 38.

and Max Acker enjoyed Easter in San Antonio with their family, Tom and Clarice Acker.

Congratulations to our District tennis winners last week in Levelland. Traci Hill and Stephanie Brockman finished first in doubles, and Missy Brockman and Jenny Brockman were second. Bobbi Hochstein finished first in girls singles and Tami Ball was third.

In the boys division, Darrin Heiman and Heath Schulte finished first. Cory and Wade Hoelting came in second in doubles.

In junior varisty doubles, Marla Ramaekers and Tammye Drerup finished first, Gwen Hoelting and Dana Schulte were second. In singles, Stephanie Farris captured first and Nikki Schulte finished second.

The 36th Biennial state convention of the Catholic Daughters of America was held in San Antonio, April 7 through 10. Delegates from Court Archbishop Gerken #1368 in Nazareth that attended were Nellie Wilhelm, regent of the court and Margaret Womack. Also attending were Catherine Hochstein, district deputy of District #33; Rev. Brendan Sherry, chaplain; and Angela Acker, present state secretary. Acker was elected second vice-state regent for 1988-90.

The theme of the Convention was "We are the Church." The program had some outstanding speakers including Sister Thea Bowman, consultant for intercultural awareness from the Diocese of Jackson, Miss. She spoke on "Family Life and Family Values." Other speakers were Rev. Bruce Nieli from Austin, who spoke on "Building a More Catholic America," and Dr. Patricia A. Hayes, president of St. Edward's University in Austin.

The 37th biennial state convention in 1990 will be held in Lubbock and will be sponsored by

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result in a prison term of five to 99. years upon conviction, according to District Attorney Jimmy Davis.

Valentin Guevara, 22, of Hereford, was indicted on a charge of cattle theft. The charges stemmed from the theft of four head of cattle from 3K Cattle Feeders in northern Castro County March 10. The two men could face prison terms of two to 10 years upon conviction of the third-degree felony charge, Davis said. He added that Guevara, an undocumented alien, is currently in Deaf Smith County Jail facing similar charges.

The Grand Jury also returned an indictment on theft of livestock against Gabriel Montiel, 24, of Dimmitt, who is charged with stealing 35 hogs from Sunnyside Pork Producers Feb. 22 and selling 29 of them at Clovis Hog Co. the same day. Davis said that the hogs were positively identified at Clovis by their ear markings, and that a professional handwriting analyst testified that Montiel's signature on the Clovis sale ticket was genuine.

Kenny Ray Jones, 25, and Charles Landis Parker, 23, both of Amarillo, were indicted for felony burglary after being charged with burglarizing Castro Co-op Gin Feb. 21. Davis said the two men are presently in jai wanted in sever of burglaries.

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Dimmitt IA students to compete at national

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DHS students study temple

Students from Dimmitt High brew and discussed Judaic customs school recently visited the B'nai with the Rabbi. Israel Temple in Amarillo in conjunction with their in-depth study of the Middle East.

Rabbi Joel Dobin hosted the members of Katie Ivey's world area studies class on March 31.

The students toured the temple, learned the significance of Passover foods, heard the torah read in He-

The students who visited the temple were Greg Gentry, Kelly Goolsby, Jo Hyman, Greg Malone, Justin Nelson, Aaron Odom, Ty O'Kelly, Kristi Petty, Chanin Ross, Becky Rutkowski, Wayne Schacher, Brian Stewart and Laura Waggoner.

tion in Dowingtowon, Penn. this June.

The two, along with other members of the DHS IA team, competed in the South Plains Industrial Arts written contest held last Wednes-- day at South Plains College in Levelland.

Dimmitt captured nine first place awards at the meet.

Individual results were: Power I-1. Jad Gabel; 2. Brian Nelson; 3. Friolan Mendoza; 4.

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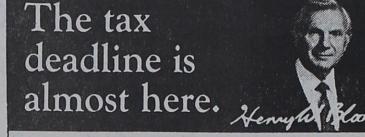
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Chapter Conducting-1. Coby Moke, Jay Mirelez, Juan Flores, Donald Martinez, Alma Murillo, Miguel Yanez.

Industrial Bowl-1. Jon Bruegel, Mike Hauf, Miguel Yanez.

Safety Posters - 1. George Rodriguez; 2. Elaine Cavazos.

Electricity/Electronics-1. Juan Flores.



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Parent questions school punishment

Letters-

Dear Editor:

As a parent of one of "The Dirty Dozen," I cannot remain silent any longer. I would like to take a few moments to ask the citizens of Dimmitt to analyze how the current administration of the DISD again reinforces negative behavior to our children. I guess it is too much to ask that our school officials hand

out "fair and consistent" discipline. It was with dismay that we as parents found out about the drinking that took place in Austin during the state basketball finals. At the parents' meeting, after the "Kangaroo Court" the preceding day, we were unable to get any answers to our questions. The same thing happened when we met with the superintendent. We as parents inquired

about a hearing with the school board and were told that the board president did not think there was anything to discuss.

My first questions were: How could this happen? Where were the sponsors? Why the two-week delay in reporting this incident? Why wasn't the entire basketball team and all the cheerleaders questioned? Why were some students

suspended without due process? Did the punishment fit the crime?

The answer we received to all of our questions was "I don't know." Some of the students were suspendcd for five days on hearsay evidence.

I, for one, am proud of "The Dirty Dozen." Disappointed, yes, but proud because they had the internal fortitude to tell the truth and take their unjust treatment. Yes, many of them lost a chance at scholarships, etc., because of their actions. I only pray that these children will not be taught the lesson that if you lie and cheat you can beat this current administration policy.

My other concern is that we are unable to send our children on a school-sponsored trip with school sponsors and expect that they will be properly supervised. It has been stated that students should know how to act. This is true. However, using that analogy, why didn't we just give them the keys to the school van and send them to Austin on their own?

My final questions are: Why does the cheerleader who leaves the "party" with beer and boyfriend go unpunished? Is she exempt from punishment because of her mom's connections with the school administration?

With the school board elections coming up, I would encourage the citizens of Dimmitt to find a candidate who is truly concerned about our children's welfare and a quality education. Please consider a candidate who believes that it is time for a change toward a more responsible government.

> A PARENT (Name Withheld by Request)

(Editor's Note: Writer's name

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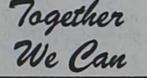


OM teams deserve praise

Dear Editor,

I have recently had the privilege and pleasure of going with a special group of young people.

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Dimmitt." Everywhere we went they were complimented on their behavior. They were always on the bus at the specified time. They I'm referring to the OM teams. competed with confidence and all came back having placed at state.

I kept track of the awards and Dimmitt was the ONLY school district with more than one team there that had a 100% placement. That says something for our young pcoplc.

I want to thank the Dimmitt School Board for allowing this program in our school system. It shows the state we're not only strong athletically, but academically as well. I commend the two directors who so aptly handled the program this year. Vicki Richards and Danna Beck deserve a lot of credit.

I would also like to thank Charles Spring for volunteering his time and horse trailer to carry the tcam props. Without people like him backing the teams, they wouldn't have gotten this far.

As the father of two OM'ers and husband of a coach, I've seen the many hours these kids and coaches have put into solving these problems. They have worked hard and it shows.

I would like to say a very special thanks to the coaches. They've volunteered their time and get nothing in return except the satisfaction of sceing their teams perform well.

I say contratulations OM teams! You performed well and behaved fantastically. I was very proud of you.

TOM MOSS

Board made 'big mistake'

Dear Editor:

I think the Dimmitt School Board has made a big mistake in letting Ms. Corkran go.

I have substituted for Ms. Corkran. The Middle School Band was very well behaved and well rounded in their musical skills. I speak as a former drum major and John Phillip Sousa Award winner, and as the mother of a band member. Ms. Corkran has finally turned the band program around. Dimmitt can be proud of her. She has discipline with her students, and respect in return. She makes the kids practice, and you can hear the difference. She is

more like "Smith" than any other director we have had. I feel she should be in charge of the entire band program in Dimmitt.

I am in support of her rehiring. Those of you who are in support should also let it be known. Tell your board members. All of them. Let your PRIDE show and let Dimmitt have the honor of being No. 1 in band again. JOAN BRAAFLADT CRAIG (P.S. - I don't normally write letters to the editor, but I feel this is important to our school and our town and it must be corrected.)

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Band student wants teacher reinstated Dear Editor,

I am a member of the Dimmitt High School Band and would like to talk about the resignation of Band Director Miss Corkran. When Miss Corkran announced her resignation, it all came to us as a surprise. In her first year, she led the junior high band, who had recieved a division IV rating the year before, to a division I rating and most outstanding band, I thought nobody would have any complaints. It seems like if she (Miss Corkran) does her best, people are still not satisfied. If the parents think it is that easy to work real hard with the students and get a division I, maybe they should try being the band director for once. Miss Corkran has put a lot of work into the Dimmitt Band Program and has no reason to be receiving any complaints; therefore, I believe the School Board should reconsider and give Miss Corkran her job back

A VERY DISAPPOINTED **BAND MEMBER**

(Editor's Note: Writer's name is on file at the News and is available upon request.)

DHS Band members 'outraged'

Dear Editor:

WE ARE OUTRAGED! The Dimmitt High School Band feels that Miss (Cheryl) Corkran should stay! People do not realize how much she has helped our band. She spent extra time with the Flag Corps and twirlers to prepare for Auxiliary Championships. She has helped our band by being at the high school every morning at 7:45 for individual section rehearsals. She is a very well respected assistant band director.

The morning Miss Corkran told us she was resigning, we were devastated! We feel that we need more teachers in the Dimmitt school system like Miss Corkran.

It's the students who really know what is going on during class. We wonder if the school board members have ever actually sat through a band class or have children of their own involved in the band program.

We would like Miss Corkran to stay as a BAND DIRECTOR.

> THE BOBCAT BAND **Dimmitt High School**

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(Editor's Note: This letter was signed by 45 students. The DHS Band reportedly has 62 members.)

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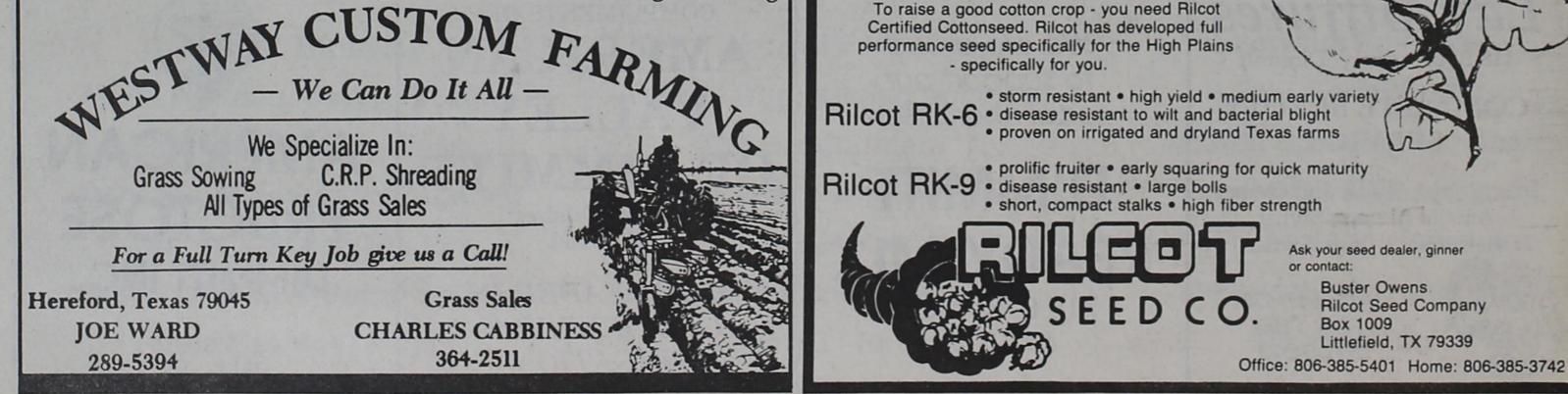
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Division II 'Showtime' Second in State

From left: Fabian Longoria, Amy Beck, Heather Moore, Susan Waggoner, Jennifer Sava, Matt Sims, Janice Smith, coach, Chad Smith.



Division II 'Straddle Structure' Third in State

From left: Karen Sheffy, coach, Jeremy Langford, John Fuller, Gary Langford, coach, Kris Keith, Gabe Sheffy, Zack Smith, Michael Ellison, Brant Baca



Division III 'Gift of Flight' Third in State

From left: Ty O'Kelly, Michael Cole, Elizabeth Davila, Aaron Odom, Kelly Goolsby and Sean Wilson.

Division III 'Atlantis' Third in State From left: Laura Waggoner, Sharon Ellison, Reagan Frye,

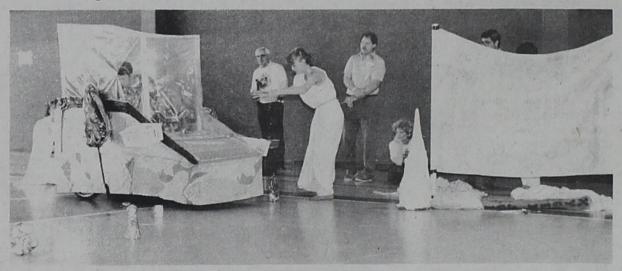


Division III 'Showtime' Second in State

From left: Debbie Tilley, Amy Flores, Lu Lynn, Barbara Moss, Dwight Joiner, coach, Lisa Widick, Cory Joiner, Jo Hyman.

Photos by James Baker

Greg Malone, Greg Gentry.



Division II 'Atlantis' Fifth in State

Team members perform their skit before judges (in background) at state competition in Houston. Cast includes Kim Spring (center), Stace McDaniel and John Waggoner (inside vehicle). Tara Keller as sea monster, Holly Axtell as sea base director, and Heather Thomas.

Every team placed at state!

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16 **Castro County News** April 14, 1988 Clean-up campaign begins Monday

paign, sponsored by the Mayor's Council on City Beautification, kicks off Monday and will continue through Friday, April 23.

"Beautification is like housework, it's never all done," said Sara Hill, chairman of the MCCB.

The MCCB is working closely with City Manager Reeford Burrous to get junk cars removed, high weeds cut and abandoned houses removed.

because no one wants to live in a They will be judged and put up

first impression on prospective newcomers and visitors is made by the cleanliness and beauty of our town. There is a lot of local interest in CUFUPU (Clean Up, Fix Up, Pride UP) because it is so important.'

The MCCB has planned several activities during the clean-up week including a poster contest for students in kindergarten through the sixth grade. Posters are due in the "It's a big and important job school principal's office by Friday.

Dimmitt's annual clean-up cam- dirty, ugly town," Hill said. "Our around town in store windows. Cash prizes will be given to the for bringing in litter during the winners on Monday.

> Each poster should have one clear message about clean-up or beautification.

> Children at Richardson Elementary School are coloring grocery sacks provided by Dimmitt Thriftway. The sacks will be returned to the store and used to sack groceries during the clean-up campaign.

RES students will also pick up litter on the school grounds.

Parents seek expanded special education program

A small group of parents asked agement plan that will meet all the Dimmitt School Board Monday night for an expanded special education program for their children.

The parents contended that the Early Childhood Education program does not do enough, but the Trainable Mentally Retarded program is too advanced.

James Simpson remarked that the ECE program is geared to children up to age 6, but then there is nowhere for them to go except into the TMR program, which lumps together all ages.

"From age 7 to 21 is too wide an age difference to be in the same program," Simpson said.

Patty Cartwright told the board that most of the students at the TMR building are older and at a different skill level. She added that some of the students in ECE eventually will be ready to enter kindergarten, but not for a while yet.

nceded," she concluded.

regulations, as well as provide local maintenance people with the required 14 hours of training in proper maintenance of asbestos materials.

King told the board that it is wise to hire a specializing firm to perform the work because of the liability involved and the penalties applied by the government.

Board members approved the proposed calendar for the 1988-89 school year, with the first day of instruction set for Sept. 1, and graduation set for June 2.

Teachers will begin new teacher in-service Aug. 22, and regular inservice Aug. 24. Other in-service days will be Jan. 20 and June 2.

Holidays will be Sept. 5, Nov. 24-25, Dec. 21-Jan. 2, Feb. 17, and March 20-24 (spring break).

April 17 and May 12 would be "A transitional classroom is designated as weather make - up days, so that if no school days are Board Chairman Glenn Odom missed because of bad weather, told the group that the board will these would be used as days off. High School Counselor John Thomas reported on the Adult Basic Education Program, revealing that the General Education Development (GED) test battery will undergo changes this year. From figures presented by Thomas, 77 persons took the GED tests in 1987 and 61 of those completed the program, with 29 of those receiving instruction through the GED classes offered at Dimmitt High School. Twenty - five have already completed the program so far in 1988, with 18 participating in classes through February. Also offered in the ABE program are classes in English as a second language, which are averaging 31 in attendance per month through March. These classes are taught on two different levels-one

for those with practically no English at all, and one for those who can speak some and read a little.

Thomas credited the program's teachers with a large part of its success, calling it a "tremendous asset to this community."

Board members voted to accept the recommendations of the extracurricular committee in establishing cheerleaders for the ninth grade and junior varsity football teams.

Four students will be selected from the ninth grade to serve the next year as cheerleaders for home games for the ninth grade and JV football teams. These cheerleaders would not attend a summer camp for cheerleaders, and would not be scheduled into a cheerleader class. They will have basic uniforms and provide their own white tennis shoes.

A few changes also were made in the rules governing the varsity cheerleaders. In applying for the position, each applicant must submit a parental consent form, which

The MCCB is rewarding people campaign. If anyone brings in a Posters can be full or half-size. trash bag full of litter, they will receive a free ice cream cone or a baby red bud tree-free.

Beth Buckley and the students at Dimmitt Middle School are filling the big showcase with litter they have collected. Paul Walden and Dimmitt High School students are designing showcases to inspire students to stop littering.

30-second spots to remind Dimmitt residents to clean up and beautify their city are being taped by students in Susan Hanners Gifted and Talented class and by Elayne Patridge and her drama students. The spots will be played on KDHN radio.

Hanners' G/T students are also conducting a slogan contest at Dimmitt Middle School. The winning CUFUPU slogans will be seen on Dimmitt TV Cable.

The Young Homemakers are going to plant the merchant's barrels with flowers during the week. Merchants have purchased the plants through the Chamber of Commerce.

The Fireman's Auxiliary will continue to take care of the triangle south of the George Howell Baseball Park. Martha Jo Hyman and the Tots 'n Teens girls will clean the mini park downtown and Bennie Ross will take care of the triangle across from Paxton Tire and Service.



A TOAST FOR A JOB WELL DONE-Tessie Newton (left) and Michelle Garcia (right) toast each other with milkshakes they received for collecting trash and taking it to the Chamber of Commerce office. The two students at Dimmitt Middle School urge everyone to do their part to help keep Dimmitt clean.

Obituaries

Esther Galloup

Esther V. Galloup, 93, resident at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt, died Tuesday afternoon at the nursing home after a lengthy illness.

Mass of Christian Burial was read Wednesday in Holy Family Church with Msgr. Harold Waldow, pastor of St. Lawrence Cathe-

Shandi McLain

Services for Shandi McLain, 17, of Hart, were held Tuesday after-

look into the matter and see what can be done, but added, "We're not making any promises."

He remarked that they might see about splitting the TMR building to make room for a transitional classroom, but a teacher would still have to be found.

Business Administrator Gene King told the board that \$9,000 must be spent on a contract with ASAI of Lubbock for asbestos identification and abatement.

Federal regulations concerning asbestos require that all asbestos in public schools be identified, and a plan be developed for its management.

ASAI will inspect all buildings owned, leased or in use by the school district, identify any asbestos materials, and develop a man-

More about County calls meeting

(Continued from Page 1) 911 project, and committed the county only "to consider implementing" the fee structure.

The Commissioners' Court passed an order to recertify the local Emergency Operating Plan with the Division of Emergency Management - but with reservations.

"I think the whole plan needs to be revised," Judge Simpson commented.

The Emergency Operating Plan is a specific "action plan" for local governments, law enforcement agencies, emergency services and volunteer groups to use to coordinate their efforts in case of an emergency such as a tornado. It uses a "central command post" near the law enforcement dispatching center to coordinate and direct field activities.

Judge Simpson said she feels it has been too long since the plan has been studied or practiced by those responsible for making it work.

"We had an ordinance in 1975 for our cities and county, and it has not been revised or updated since then at the county level, although the City of Dimmitt adopted a revised plan in 1987," she said. 'We really need to have a meeting sometime with all the officials of the county and cities to make sure we all know the aspects of it and how it will operate."

coe County Agent several months

ago. Bob Robinson, district Extension Service director, told the commissioners that the county's salary share is now \$4,000, and it must be committed before the Extension Service can assign a new assistant county agent.

"Thirty-one assistant agricultural agent's positions are now open in the state, and Castro is in the top five ag income counties in the state," Robinson said. "Castro is listed No. 1 as far as filling this position."

Commissioner Jeff Robertson argued that the county's increased salary share amounted to a raise, and the county had disallowed a requested raise for Constable James Dobbs recently. He also said he questioned the real need for an assistant county agent here.

Most of an assistant CA's time here would be devoted to coordinating 4-H youth programs, "and an investment in our youth is the best investment we can make," Commissioner Vincent Guggemos said.

The assistant CA post here is important to the Extension Service, County Agent Seth Ralston added, "because Castro is one of the top agricultural counties in the state and is a good training ground for young men to go on and become county agents in other counties."

is attached to a copy of the rules.

A contract to supply carpeting for rooms in several buildings was awarded to Paul Graham Company Builders Supply of Lubbock, with a total bid of \$26,830. Other bids included \$29,243 from Witt Builders Supply of Amarillo, and \$24,-180.50 from Mark Davis Carpet World in Amarillo.

King told the board that the Davis carpet did not match the specifications asked in the bids and would not match in color.

In executive session, the board accepted two resignations. First grade teacher Laverne Bates is retiring after 36 years with the schools here, and high school math teacher and assistant coach Roy Dudgeon is moving to Crane.

Supt. Robert Ryan said that the board personnel committee, comprised of Arlie Petty, David Schaeffer and Glenn Odom, along with administrative personnel Kenneth Cleveland, Alex Glass and himself (Ryan), will begin screening applications this week for the position of head football coach.



Three Dimmitt women reportedly broke into a house on Northeast Seventh Street at 1:45 a.m. Monday and attacked a sleeping man and woman with high-heeled shoes.

The female victim was struck at least 50 times on the face, shoulder and right leg, and the man received puncture wounds on the head, right shoulder and right leg, according to emergency room attendants at Plains Memorial Hospital.

The three women reportedly were the man's wife and sisters.

Charges of burglary with intent to commit a felony are pending against the three women, Police Chief Gary Thurman said.

Dennis Edwards of Hereford, owner of Edwards Laundry, 106 W. Jones St., complained to city police last Thursday that someone had used quarter-sized plastic slugs to operate his washers and dryers, stealing \$40 to \$50 worth of service from the coin-operated machines.

Graveside services will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. in Amarillo's Llano Cemetery with Rev. Ed Freeman, pastor of Dimmitt's Presbyterian Church and Rev. Vernon O'Kelly, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt, officiating.

Burial followed in Llano Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Galloup was born July 9, 1894 in Colony, Kan., and moved from Amarillo to Dimmitt in 1974. She was a retired homemaker. She was a member of the Amarillo Country Club, El Navegar Study Club and the Vaughn Selby Sunday School Club at the Polk Street Methodist Church in Amarillo. Her husband, Charles Galloup, died in 1962.

Survivors include a son, Rex of Odess; a daughter, Helen Braafladt of Dimmitt; four grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to a favorite charity.

Philip C. Huseman

Philip C. Huseman, 72, of Nazareth, died Monday in Swisher Memorial Hospital after a lengthy

Rosary was recited Tuesday in the CCD Building at Nazareth.

More about Wilhelm, Wales

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Wales' activity in church, community and numerous farm organizations influenced the SCS decision naming her as its Homemaker of the Year.

Wales holds a bachelor of science degree in home economics. She married Charles Wales in 1955. The couple moved to Dimmitt in 1956, started farming in the Bethel Community in 1959 and have lived there ever since.

The Waleses own three sections of land. Wales helps with the farming by driving corn trucks, getting parts, running errands and making decisions.

dral in Amarillo, officiating. Burial followed in Holy Family Cemetery under the direction of

Wallace Funeral Home of Tulia. Mr. Huseman was born in Nazareth and lived in Castro County most of his life. He was married to Martha Hollenstein on Nov. 23, 1937, at Umbarger. He was a dairy farmer and a member of the Holy Family Church.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Carolyn Rino of Amarillo, Sharlotte Aldridge of Kingwood, Imogene Drerup of Nazareth, Phyllis Price and Monica Young, both of Lubbock; five sons, Keith of Riverside, Calif., Dwayne and Kevin, both of Amarillo, Royce of Kingwood and Leon of Garland; three sisters, Cecilia Annen and Cornelia Annen, both of Nazareth, an Martha Bauman of Hart; 23 grandchildren; and a greatgrandchild.

Donkey ball set Saturday

It will be the Young Farmers vs. the Volunteer Firemen in donkey basketball Saturday night in the Dimmitt Middle School gym.

Play will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will continue as long as the donkeys want it to.

The event is sponsored by the Dimmitt Lions Club, and will be staged by the Crosby Donkey Show of Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Lions Club members and local schools are now selling advance tickets at \$3 for adults and \$2 for children in 6th grade and under. Ticket prices will be a dollar higher at the door.

The games will feature four mounted players per team, playing eight-minute halves. Players must be astride their donkeys when they pass, catch, shoot or cross the midcourt line. Two preliminary games will be played, followed by an eight-minute championship game. Boy Scouts will operate the con-

cession stand. Proceeds of the event will go to community projects.

ACS meeting

noon in Hart's First Baptist Church with Rev. Allie Balko, pastor, and Rev. Steve Ulrey, pastor at the First United Methodist Church in Turkcy-Quitaque, officiating.

Burial followed in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home in Dimmitt.

Miss McLain died Saturday night in an accident three miles southwest of Dimmitt.

She was born Sept. 25, 1970, in Lubbock. She was a junior at Hart High School where she was a member of the varsity basketball, tennis and track teams. She was a cheerleader for three years and was a class officer. She was a member of the First Baptist Church. Her mothcr, Suc Ann McLain, died in 1985.

Survivors include her father, Allen McLain of Hart; a brother, Shane McLain of Hart; her grandparents, Hubert and Midge McLain of Hart and Louise Shurbet of Floydada.

Pallbearers were Chris McLain, Drew Shurbet, Shannon Shurbet, Jamcy Davis, Ware Brown and Tim Farris.

A scholarship fund has been established in Miss McLain's name at the Hale County State Bank in Hart and the First State Bank of Dimmitt. The family requests memorials be made to the scholarship fund in licu of flowers.

Benefit fund established for Rosalez

A fund has been established at the First State Bank in Dimmitt to help defray medical expenses for Sebastian Rosalez, son of Ramiro and Nora Rosalez of Dimmitt.

The seven - year - old student at Richardson Elementary School was bitten by a rattlesnake on his leg, just behind the knee two weeks ago. He spent over a week at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, undergoing treatment, according to school personnel.

Anyone who wishes to donate to the fund may do so at the First State Bank.

Meeting is set

illness.

By a 3-1 vote, the commissioners approved a motion to provide \$4,-000 as the county's share of salary for a new assistant county agricultural agent.

The county already had \$3,651 budgeted toward an assistant CA's salary, and had not drawn from the fund since former Assistant CA Curtis Preston was named the Bris-

"We've got to get Precinct 2 out of the courthouse basement for elections because it's not accessible to handicapped people, and all polling places are supposed to be," County Clerk Joy Jones told the commissioners, adding, "I've had some more complaints during this year's primaries."

The commissioners discussed possible alternatives and agreed to study the problem further.

Miguel Velasquez, manager of the Azteca Complex, reported to city police last Wednesday that someone had broken into an apartment and had stashed two tires in the bathroom.

The Police Dept. took the two tires-a Uniroyal LR-78-15 and a Safetymark P 225-75-15 with a gray rim-into evidence as possible stolen property.

She is a charter member of WIFE, served as the first Castro County president for two years and was WIFE's state secretary.

She is currently a member of the Nuclear Waste Task Force which represents 22 organizations and 1 1/2 million Texans.

She belongs to the Book Club, served as president of the Band Parents, and is a 25-year member of the Extension Homemakers Club. She has been active in the First United Methodist Church, serving in many different offices.

is for crusade

The local chapter of the American Cancer Society will hold its annual training for the residential crusade Wednesday at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt.

This year's annual residenial crusade will be from April 24 to April 30.

A brief testimony aand video will be included, in the session. Crusade packets will be distributed at the training session.

A "Right to Know" meeting, sponsored by the Castro County chapter of WIFE, and the Castro County Extension Service will be held Monday at 8 p.m. in the assembly room of the Castro County Courthouse basement.

Mario Saavedra, pesticide specialist with the Texas Dept. of Agriculture will present the program, which is for employers and will cover the law and responsibilities of the agricultural employer. Chemical record forms will be

available for producers to pick up.