

County begins work on \$1.7 million budget

County commissioners began a series of hearings with department heads Monday as they started considering a \$1.47 million budget for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1. If approved, the new budget would be about 3% above the

current \$1.43 million budget. The budget for next year, though, will be minus any revenue sharing funds from the federal government, and could force a higher tax rate. A tax rate of 24.4¢ per \$100 valuation is expected to be ap-

proved by commissioners, but may be forced slightly higher pending the outcome of a suit brought by Dimmitt Operating, Inc., against the Castro County Appraisal District asking for relief that could total \$3 million to \$5 million from the

currently appraised value of just over \$43 million.

Dimmitt Operating charges in the suit, filed in 64th District Court in Dimmitt last Friday, the value of the American Fructose Corp. corn-processing plant has decreased "because of ag-economic conditions, marketing conditions, weather conditions and other conditions out of control of Plaintiff in the US and particularly in the High Plains of Texas. The Plaintiff further complains that work in pro-

gress (construction) was included in evaluation... Plaintiff also complains that the Defendant did not allow consideration for the depreciation of the plant equipment... causing the plant to operate below full capacity..."

Dimmitt Operating makes up about 10% of the county's total tax base.

Commissioners will continue meeting with department heads before setting the final budget, and tax base, in September.

Commissioners also set a new lease agreement with the Appraisal District for their offices on SE Third in Dimmitt, agreeing to charge CCAD \$500 per month for the next 10 years. CCAD has been paying over \$11,000 per year for the past five years for the quarters, which were built in late 1980.

Commissioners also discussed the lease agreement with the Texas Dept. of Human Resources, whose lease in the other half of the same building expires in December, 1987.

Police searching for theft suspects

Police are continuing an investigation of the theft of over \$4,000 worth of merchandise, including over \$3,000 worth of handguns, from Killingsworth True Value Hardware Sunday night.

Also taken was over \$1,600 worth of sound equipment and speakers.

Reports said there was no sign of forced entry, and police believe burglars may have entered the store through an

unlocked door. The thieves disabled two burglar alarms, then broke the glass out of a display case holding the guns. The thieves may have used a hammer, which was found on the store's parking lot by an employee Monday morning, to damage one of the alarms and to break the case open.

The theft is believed to have occurred after 9 p.m. Sunday, because an employee worked for a short time at the store

Sunday night and reported nothing amiss.

Over \$300 in cash and a case of cigarettes were taken from Mini-Mart on East Bedford in Dimmitt early Saturday morning.

Dimmitt police say someone broke through a plate glass window at the front of the store and entered through a small space, indicating that a small person or juvenile probably was responsible for the crime. Thieves removed \$150 in bills and \$190 in coins from an unsecured area, and took a case of cigarettes.

No arrests have been made in the case.

A 1979 Chevrolet pickup was taken from a residence at 710 SW Fifth Sunday night or Monday morning, but was found deserted a few hours later on a county road northwest of Dimmitt.

The pickup was reported abandoned in the middle of a road with a flat tire, a busted-out headlight and with both taillights broken out. Officers believe a stereo found in the pickup may provide a lead in the case.

A pickup belonging to Dimmitt Welding and Electric was stolen from a residence at 223 NW Twelfth late Sunday or early Monday and was discovered abandoned Monday morning after apparently going out of control on a county dirt road northwest of Dimmitt.

The pickup apparently ran off the roadway or was deliberately driven through a fence before overturning at least twice in a field. Police believe at least one person was dragged from the pickup, but reports indicate no one was treated for injuries at Plains Memorial Hospital or a local doctor's office.

Officers also arrested three persons for public intoxication and five others for driving while intoxicated.

Plant clinic set Wednesday

A plant clinic has been set for Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. throughout the county.

Sponsored by the Extension Service, Dr. Bob Berry of Lubbock, area Extension plant pathologist, and Dr. Roland Roberts of Lubbock, area Extension vegetable specialist, will be on hand to diagnose any problems, according to County Agent Seth Ralston.

Homeowners, farmers and producers are urged to make an appointment by calling the Extension office at 647-4115 by 5 p.m. on Aug. 5. The group will come by for home visits, if you have problems with crops, trees, gardens, houseplants, shrubs, lawns or any other type of plant.

"We want to encourage all county residents to take advantage of the clinic," said Ralston.

Second music group booked

Program takes shape for Heritage Rally

A second singing group has agreed to perform at the Castro County Heritage Rally next Thursday evening.

They are the "Light of Christ" singers from the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, who perform religious and gospel music.

They'll join the well-known Singing Farmers of Hart to provide a wide range of live music for the county-wide get-together.

The informal rally is intended to be a public show of support for the county's farmers and others who are affected by the farm depression, and a show of appreciation for the county's heritage.

The Heritage Rally will

begin with a hot dog supper on the courthouse square at 7 p.m. next Thursday. Edd McLeroy and E. M. Jones will do the cooking and members of the county's Lions Clubs will do the serving. Price will be 50¢ for a hot dog and Coke.

The program will begin at about 7:30, with two emcees — Gerald Hanners of Dimmitt and Mayor Tommy Hoelting of Nazareth. Using the Singing Farmers' sound system, they'll give everyone attending the chance to speak out if they wish.

Hanners and Hoelting also will recognize those whose families have lived in Castro County four generations or more. So far, at least seven fourth-generation families have been located, they reported.

Theme of the rally is

"Together, We Can."

"Nearly every family here has weathered some hard times," rally chairman Walt Hansen said, "and we can help each other now if we work at it together. We need to show some of our people who are in trouble that they aren't alone, and that they've got neighbors who care about them."

Weather

(Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours.)

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	91	62	
Friday	96	63	
Saturday	99	64	
Sunday	100	67	
Monday	101	65	
Tuesday	101	66	
Wednesday	102	62	
July Moisture			0.90
1986 Moisture			11.88

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Grand jury indicts 10

10 persons were indicted by a newly-seated grand jury Tuesday in Dimmitt.

Wiley Ray White, 32, of Deaf Smith County and formerly of Rt. 1, Dimmitt, was indicted on two felony charges, including hindering a secured creditor, The First State Bank of Dimmitt, of more than \$10,000, and a separate theft charge of more than \$750 but less than \$20,000 from Gideon T. Fox of Franklin, Tenn.

Brenda Gay Duckworth Birkenfeld, formerly of Nazareth and currently in Fayetteville, N.C., was indicted on a charge of in-

terference with Child Custody after allegedly violating a 64th District Court order to return two minor children to her former husband.

Birkenfeld is reported to have left Texas with the children, in violation of the court order, but was recently arrested by the Federal Bureau of Investigation after the FBI was called into the case by County-District Attorney Jimmy Davis. Davis said Birkenfeld is fighting extradition from North Carolina to Texas.

A Canyon businessman, (Continued on Page 12)

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By Don Nelson

How hot was it? Well, when you have two automated thermometers three blocks apart, you still can't tell for sure. It's like comparing the rainfall between your backyard gauge and the super-calibrated National Weather Service gauge three miles away. There are so many variables that you end up believing what you want to believe.

I was walking into the office at 4:30 Monday afternoon when I squinted down the street at the temp sign on the Hi-Plains Savings & Loan building. It said 103.

Wow—I didn't know it was that hot, I thought. I've been out in this most of the day. Maybe I'd better go lie down and break out something cool.

Fifteen minutes later I left the office and headed up the street. Now the Hi-Plains sign said 102.

As I crossed the intersection, I checked out the temp sign at the First State Bank. It said 97.

That's more like it, I thought.

I mentioned the difference to the gals at Tots and Teens. They had already noticed — they can see both signs from their building.

"I decided to carry the trash out the back, where it's cooler," Sandra Clark quipped.

Tuesday afternoon the same thing happened. The Hi-Plains sign said 102, but this time I believed it. I could feel it. After all, I've lived in Austin, Augusta and Arizona—I know

102 when I feel it.

The bank sign at the same time said 97.

On my last stop, George's Exxon, I conducted my own pseudo-scientific service station survey.

"The Hi-Plains sign says 102 and the bank sign says 97," I told Nick Martinez outside.

"I believe the 102," Nick said.

Inside, I told George Lopez, "The Hi-Plains sign says 102 and the bank sign says 97."

"I think I'll go with the 102," George said.

Okay. George spends as much time outside as anybody, and he ought to know outside temperatures. Nick was one of our best outside shooters, so he ought to know outside temperatures. I've lived in Austin, Augusta and Arizona, so I ought to know what's hot and what's HOT. That should make it about as official as any super-calibrated government gauge.

This winter, of course, we'll believe whichever sign is the coldest.

Did you know that our most common native bird here, the English sparrow, is neither native, nor English, nor a sparrow?

It's a Weaver finch, a native of Eurasia and northern Africa, and was introduced into the rest of the world via ships coming from those climes.

Maxwell making his last stand

By JOHN BROOKS
News Editor

Dale Maxwell is making his last stand with his fruit-and-vegetable stand, hoping to hold on, stay afloat, and watch 2,400 apple trees on his place 6 miles north of Dimmitt bear the fruit of intense labor in the next 2 to 3 years.

"This is our last stand," Maxwell said. "We couldn't make a go of it growing traditional crops. My wife (Elsie) has quit her job in Amarillo to come down and help full-time with our vegetable business."

The vegetable business may or may not be booming—it's still too early to tell how Maxwell's bottom line will look after he's through this season with its 12 acres of cantaloupes, tomatoes, green beans, blackeyed peas, supersweet corn, okra, jalapenos, squashes, pumpkins, ornamental gourds and Indian corn.

"We will have to assess, after this year, what sells the best and what people like the most, and we'll concentrate on what sells the best," Maxwell said. "We started small last year with just a shade, and the vegetables didn't wear too well out there, so we built a stand with an air conditioner. That's easier on the vegetables."

"I can't be in here (the stand) all the time, so it's kind of on the honor system, but I've never come up short—people put the money in they're supposed to put in. People will be honest if you give them a chance."

"We've got to find enough help to pick what we have without using up all of our profit margin—it's got to be picked, but we can't get ourselves priced out of the market because we're having to pay our pickers so much. So far, we've not had a problem, but..."

"We're going to start selling our own honey, too, before long. We have a dozen hives, and three of them are full and ready now. I think we're going to specialize in selling bottles with the comb in it—you know, you never see that anymore."

"The bees love these vegetables (the bees help to pollenate the plants), but they especially love the sunflowers. I had planted some dryland cotton, but it got rained out in June, so we put in sunflowers, and the bees love it."

When you drive by Maxwell's farm, though, on US 385, you don't notice the 12 acres of



DALE MAXWELL weighs in a sack of fresh-picked green beans, while a bushel-basket of yellow squash awaits his attention. Maxwell pre-packages his vegetables according to weight in his barn north of Dimmitt, then puts them in his new, air-conditioned stand alongside US 385.

vegetables. You can't miss the 2,400 apples trees, though, with their white rabbit guards gleaming in the sun.

The idea for getting into the nontraditional crops, especially the apple orchard, came while he was growing a semi-traditional crop — canary carrots.

A food-industry representative was visiting with Maxwell at Maxwell's home a few years ago, and noticed the Winesap apple trees that have been growing in Maxwell's front yard for several years. The representative mentioned how the company was always looking for good apples, but Maxwell said he "never took the hint until I couldn't afford to raise grain sorghum and cotton like we had been—I was forced to change."

"2,000 of these trees are the types of apples the industry uses (mostly Golden Delicious), and I hope they are of good enough quality to use for food. The other 400 trees will be used

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On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Shelly Rice and her children, Tisha, Brandi, and Ramey, and Irene Carpenter went to Rocky Ford, Colo., to celebrate birthdays. On Friday, July 11, at the home of James and Joyce Autry they celebrated Trent Autry's fifth birthday with a birthday cake, ice cream and punch. That evening they all went out to the ranch where Kelly, Debbie, Kindra and Trent Autry live and they celebrated Irene's birthday.

(She didn't tell me which one!) They had several candles on the cake but Irene could not blow out the candles, they were the kind that keep on coming back on. Irene said that was not fair, now her wish wouldn't come true!

After a few days visit in Rocky Ford, Shelly came home, but Irene went with James and Joyce to Blue Lake, near Gunnison, Colo., to fish. James' cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bryant, met them and they all had fun fishing and visiting. The Bryants lived in Hereford at one time.

Out-of-town guests at the Museum last week were: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McBeth from Lubbock. They told me Dr. Page was their family doctor (Dr. Page lived in Dimmitt several years ago.) Frances Smith brought her house guest, Maria Raffaldi, from Mackay, Australia, and Belinda, Diana, and Emma Galvan and Lydia Villareal, all of Edinburg.

Jimmy and Joyce Davis and daughters Jayme and Julee enjoyed several days of vacation in New Mexico last week. They visited Red River, Taos and Santa Fe. Window shopping and outings into the Wild River Recreation Park and Hyde Memorial State Park filled their time.

Rev. Jim Tilley brought the message at the evening service at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Tilley was a missionary in Brazil, along with his family. They are living in Dimmitt now. Joel Worthington sang a special and several gave a review of their camp life. Jan Waggoner and Cindy Ellis and several of the GAs brought an inspirational program. The girls held a candlelight service for Foreign Missionaries who had birthdays in July and they sang several songs. Girls participating were: Jana and Kodi Waggoner, Amy Glidewell, Holly Wise, Amy Odom, Molly

Young, Holly Edwards, Stacy Griffith, Becky Tilley, and Amy and Alisia Littlefield.

The youth with their sponsor, Richard Young, who gave reports of their camp life were: Craig Heller, Stacy Waggoner, and Deborah Mohon. The theme for the camp was "I Surrender All." There were 32 saved and seven surrendered for special service.

Lavelle Mapes from Walsenburg, Colo. came down with Jean and Logan Counts and their daughter and granddaughter in their big motor home. Lavelle visited her parents, Elzie and Serena Teague and the Counts went on to San Angelo to visit Jean's mother and to attend a Logan family reunion.

Cara Higgs from Canyon and daughter of Joe and Joyce Higgs spent the weekend with Garner, Ysleta and Debra Ball.

Alice Collyer was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Johnnie Vannoy won high score and Susie Reeves won second high. Others playing were: Oleda Schumacher, Era Heckerson, Opha Burks, Elizabeth Huckabay, Jo Gregory, Neva Hickey, Cleo Forson, Lorannell Hamilton, Virginia Crider, Ferne Dickey, Polly Holland, Faun Welker, Louise Mears and Helen Richardson.

Retta Cluck celebrated her birthday on Thursday night, July 24, with good food, ice cream and cake. Most of the family came in to help Retta celebrate: Joy's family from Happy, Jimmy's family from Dimmitt, Billie Cluck from Hereford, the Lloyd Farris family from Hart, Jewel Scott from Dimmitt and Peggy Farris from Amarillo. Jerry and Junior and their families were unable to attend. Retta opened gifts and then they all enjoyed visiting.

Tom and Jennifer Miller and children Terry, Bobby and

Diane drove to Lincoln, Neb. to visit Jennifer's mother, Marge Neill, and other relatives. Jennifer and the children stayed

three weeks and then her mother brought them home and stayed a few days in Dimmitt with the Millers.

Beral Hance spent the weekend in Lubbock with Kent and Carol Hance, Ron and Susan.

Social Security in Castro County

By TERRY J. CLEMENTS

The importance of proper reporting by people in the local area who get supplemental security income (SSI) payments cannot be over emphasized.

Proper reporting can mean that people getting SSI will have to repay any incorrect payments. Or, it can also mean that payments will be increased.

The important thing to remember is to make reports promptly. A recipient or representative should report immediately if:

- The address changes;
- The recipient plans to leave the US for 30 days or more;
- Someone moves into or out of the recipient's home, someone in the household dies, or a baby is born;
- There are changes in the income of the recipient or a relative whose income affects eligibility;
- The recipient buys or sells real estate or personal property;
- The recipient or someone in the same household gets married, widowed, divorced, or separated;
- The condition of a disabled or blind recipient improves or he or she goes to work.

Reports can be made by mail, telephone, or in person. The report must include the name of the person about whom the report is made, the correct Social Security claim number under which payment is made, the change being reported, date it occurred, and signature and address if the report is being made by mail.

For more information you may contact us at 1401-B West 5th Street, Plainview, or call us at 293-9623.

Presbyterian happenings

You're invited to a time of Spiritual Renewal at the Texas Panhandle Camp Farthest Out Retreat in the restful atmosphere of Ceta Canyon, Aug. 1, 2 and 3. Camp starts Friday with the evening meal and ends Sunday afternoon.

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible class meets at the home of Mrs. Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"Helped and Rejuvenated by God" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

Museum group to meet today

The Castro County Museum Association will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at the Museum on West Halsell in Dimmitt.

All CCMA members are urged to attend.

Eat More Beef — The Steak-Out is Coming!

FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY
AUGUST 1, 2 & 3

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CARLILE Theatre
Dimmitt, Texas

We Salute Our Heritage

Placards are being placed in store windows throughout the county this week proclaiming "Together, We Can."

That's the theme of the county-wide "Heritage Rally" planned for next Thursday evening, Aug. 7, on the courthouse square.

What is a "Heritage Rally"? Well, it's whatever you want it to be. Those planning the event hope it will be:

- A show of pride by Castro Countians;
- A show of support for our farmers and small business people who are trying to weather the agricultural depression;

—A rededication to the kind of work, commitment and togetherness that built our county and our communities; and

—A fun time for all attending.

Hot dogs and Coke will be served, starting at 7 o'clock, by the county's Lions Clubs and other volunteers. The charge will be only 50 cents per serving, including drink.

At about 7:30, the program will begin. The Singing Farmers of Hart and the Light of Christ singers of Dimmitt will perform, and Gerald Hanners of Dimmitt and Mayor Tommy Hoelting of Nazareth will emcee the program.

Everyone attending will have the opportunity to say a few words, if they wish. That's where you come in—and that's why the rally will be whatever you want it to be.

How long have you lived in Castro County? How many generations of your family have lived and worked here? What are some of your fondest memories of living here? What accomplishments are you the proudest of? What advice would you have for our younger people?

Think about these things, and about what you might want to say at the Heritage Rally.

We have much to be proud of here, and your voice can help bring that point home. The success of the Heritage Rally depends on you.

Plan now to attend, participate, and enjoy. The Heritage Rally could be a meaningful experience for all of us.

The First State Bank of Dimmitt

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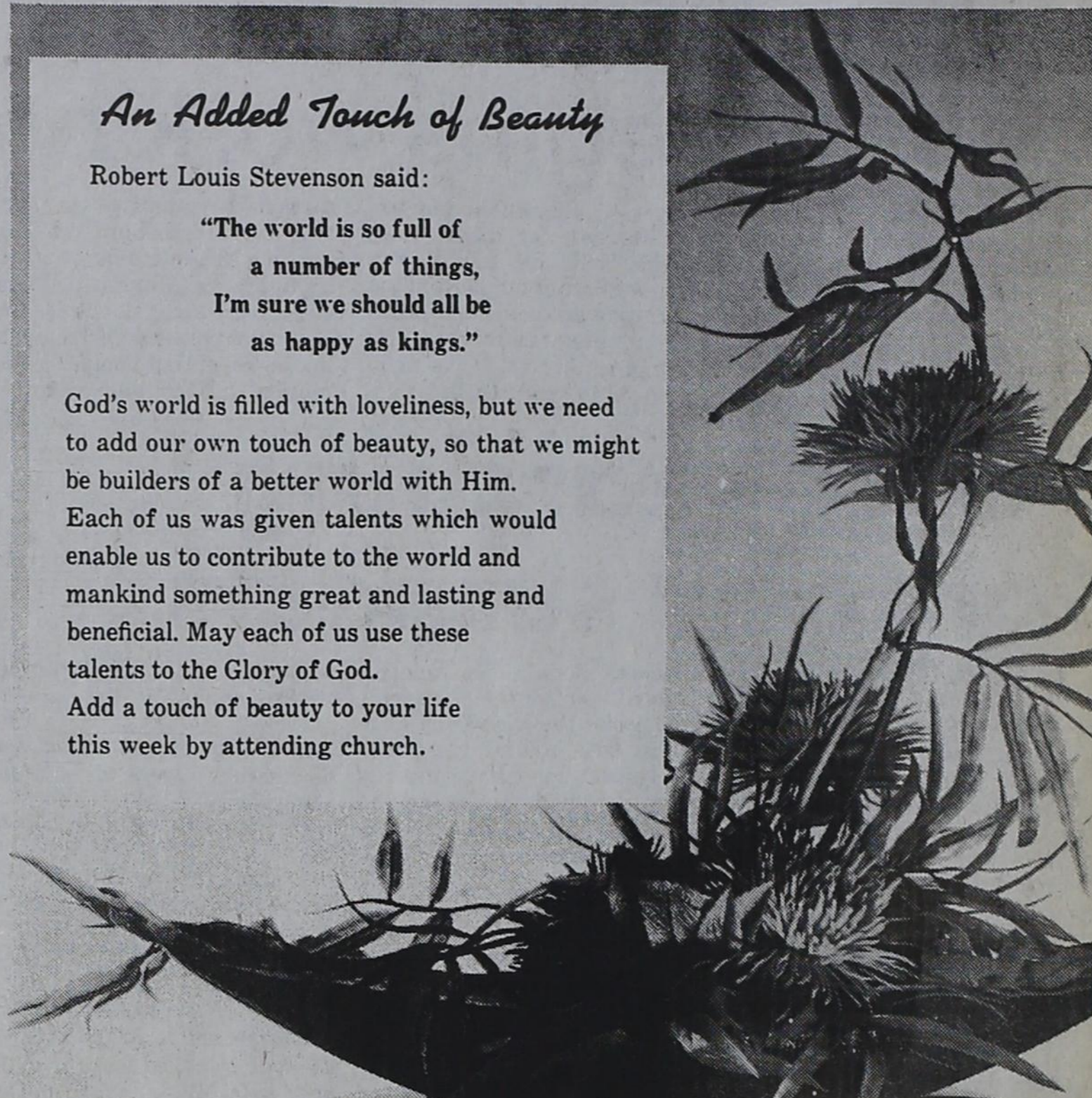
Robert Louis Stevenson said:

"The world is so full of a number of things, I'm sure we should all be as happy as kings."

God's world is filled with loveliness, but we need to add our own touch of beauty, so that we might be builders of a better world with Him.

Each of us was given talents which would enable us to contribute to the world and mankind something great and lasting and beneficial. May each of us use these talents to the Glory of God.

Add a touch of beauty to your life this week by attending church.



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

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Church Directory

<p>ASSEMBLY OF GOD 302 SE 2nd</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Evangelistic Service 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Mid-Week Service 7:00</p>	<p>HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC Nazareth - 943-2616</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday Morning Masses 9:00</p> <p>Saturday— Saturday Night Obligation Mass 7:30</p> <p>Week Days— Morning Masses 7:30 Baptism—last Sunday of each month.</p>	<p>IGLESIA DE CRISTO E. Lee and SE 3rd Evangelista - Jose Valdez</p> <p>Sunday— Bible Study 9:30 Morning Worship 10:30 Evening Worship 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Classes for all 8:00</p>
<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Ken Cole, Pastor 1201 Western Circle Drive</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Training Union 6:00 Evening Worship 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Prayer Meeting 7:30 Choir Rehearsal 8:10</p>	<p>ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Hart Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator</p> <p>Tuesday— Evening Reconciliation 7:00 Evening Mass 8:00</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday Morning Mass 11:30</p>	<p>PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA 301 NE 7th Dimmitt, Texas</p> <p>ORDEN DE LOS SERVICIOS: Escuela Biblica Dominical 9:45 Culto de Adoracion 10:45 Culto de predicacion 6:00 Tel. 647-7289 BIENVENIDOS A TODOS!</p>
<p>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 301 SE 3rd - 647-2402 Rev. Kenneth Carroll, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Evening Worship 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wednesday Service 7:00</p>	<p>CHURCH OF CHRIST SW 4th at Bedford</p> <p>Sunday— Bible Study 9:30 Morning Worship 10:30 Evening Worship 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Class for all 8:00</p>	<p>MACEDONIA BAPTIST 412 North East Street</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Training Union 6:00 Evening Worship 7:00</p> <p>Monday— W.M.U. 4:30</p> <p>Tuesday— Brotherhood 7:55</p> <p>Wednesday— Prayer Meeting 7:30</p> <p>Friday— Sanctuary Choir</p>
<p>LEE STREET BAPTIST Phone 647-2300</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Training Union 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Mid-Week Services 7:30</p>	<p>NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Alexander, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Evening Worship 7:30</p> <p>Wednesday— Mid-Week Services 7:30</p>	<p>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator 1001 W. Halsell — 647-4219</p> <p>Saturday— Evening Mass 6:00</p> <p>Sunday— Morning Mass 8:00 Morning Mass 9:30</p> <p>Weekday Mass— Friday 8:00 Reconciliations— Friday 7:00</p>
<p>CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY Pastor Vernon Nevill 309 NW 4th - 647-3403</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Evening Worship 6:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Wednesday Service 7:00</p>	<p>SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST Bently Gwyn, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Training Union 6:00 Evening Worship 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Prayer Service 7:30</p>	<p>PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Edward D. Freeman, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Church School 10:00 Common Worship 11:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Study 7:00</p>
<p>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive - 647-5478 David Keller, Minister</p> <p>Sunday— Bible Study 9:45 Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 Evening Worship 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Study 7:00</p>	<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Hart Steve Ulrey, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 UMYF 5:00 Evening Worship 6:30</p>	<p>LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St.</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Sermon 11:00 Lord's Supper and Feet Washing 11:30 Evening Worship 7:30</p> <p>Wednesday— Wednesday Services 7:30</p>
<p>LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA "Full Gospel" - 400 NE 5th Pastor Ruben Velasquez</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Sunday Night 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Wednesday Night 7:30</p> <p>Friday— Friday-Prayer 7:30</p>	<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST Vernon O'Kelly, Pastor 110 SW 3rd - 647-4106 or 647-4107</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 10:45 MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 Evening Worship 6:30</p> <p>Wednesday— General Meeting WCS, Morning 9:30 Choir, Night 7:30</p>	

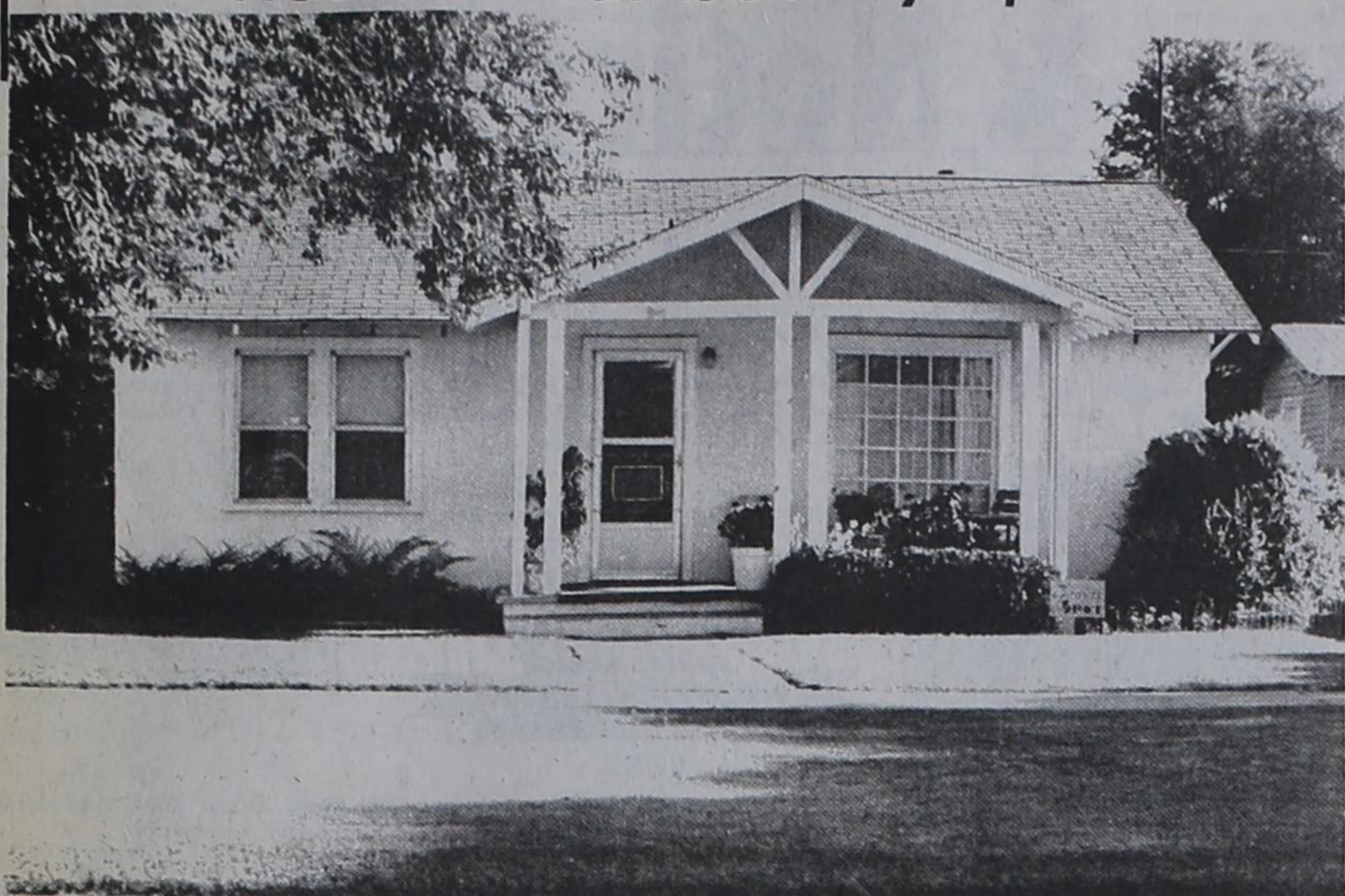
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Residential beauty spot



THE RESIDENTIAL BEAUTY SPOT for the second half of July is the J.V. Messenger home at 304 W. Etter in Dimmitt. The residential and commercial beauty spots in Dimmitt are chosen during the spring and summer by the Mayor's

Council for City Beautification, which accepts nominations through the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce. To nominate a home or business, call 647-2524.

Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

20 children were enrolled in Vacation Bible School this week. Rev. Bentley Gwyn served as Principal, but had to be treated in Dimmitt last Sunday night and again Monday for a recurrent facial nerve pain he had last year. He was not able to conduct VBC Monday or Tuesday, but was back on the job Wednesday. Kathy Gwyn had charge of the youth department with Willie Mae Sadler assisting. Judy Damron had charge of children I and II with Pat Elkins helping her after Monday. Verna Sadler had charge of the preschool department with Sheri Elkins and Petra Waldrip assisting. Kaye King had charge of all the recreation as well as the library summer reading program until Thursday when Lance King underwent surgery as an outpatient. Flossie Jones took her place Thursday and Friday in both jobs. Bess Bills had charge of refreshments. They had the commencement program and a hot dog lunch after the Friday morning session. It was a fruitful VBS in spite of illnesses.

Cindy Lawson of Olton, daughter of Gerald and Pat Elkins, underwent thyroid surgery in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday. Part of the thyroid was removed, but the growth involved was not malignant. Natalie and Whitney Lawson spent last weekend and this week with Gerald and Pat and Chris and Sheri Elkins.

L. B. Bowden suffered a setback on Monday when his pancreas enzymes became quite elevated, indicating infection. They were still high Tuesday

so a CAT scan was run Wednesday morning to check for enlargement or leakage, but nothing more than pancreatitis was indicated. His enzymes were down from 12,000 to 6,000 by Friday and the nausea and vomiting ended Sunday. He had a barium swallow X-ray Sunday morning to check for obstruction, but it was okay.

Cinnamon Cox was one of the seven Dimmitt FFA students who received their Lone Star Farmer degree Thursday, July 17, at the annual Future Farmers of America state convention in Amarillo.

C. P. Gamblin of Sulphur Springs, a former resident of the community, passed away last Sunday after a long illness. He was buried in Sulphur Springs Tuesday. They put in a butane business in the community and built a modern home on the site where the school was in 1953 and operated it until 1957 when they sold it to Weldon Bradley and moved back to Sulphur Springs.

Ezell and Verba Sadler spent the week at Hubbard Creek Lake, near Breckenridge, preparing for the Sadler reunion over the weekend. Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler and Larry and Sharon Sadler, Laura and Matthew also attended the reunion.

Bruce and Phyllis Bridges, Erin, Robin and Jonathan, and probably several others from the community, attended the 42nd annual Earth Rodeo and some of the other activities last Thursday through Saturday night.

Cousins Eleanor Baker of

Canyon and Mildred Louder of California visited with Teeny Bowden in St. Anthony's Hospital Friday afternoon. Eleanor also visited with L.B. Terri Louder visited with L.B. and Teeny Saturday morning before meeting her sister, Linda Haensch of Gruver at Westgate Mall for the day together. Katy stayed with her grandparents, Dwayne and Roxie Louder. Lacy and Jake stayed with a babysitter.

Johnnie B. and Shorty Lilley visited with L.B. and Teeny Bowden Sunday morning and took Teeny out to dinner. Tex Conard of Dimmitt visited with L.B. Sunday afternoon while Teeny visited with Eleanor and Ellery Baker. They saw L.B. for a short while and Teeny saw Tex for a minute.

Gregg Gamblin of Sulphur Springs and his friend, Leslie Thomas, spent Friday and Saturday night with his grandparents, Eules and Hazel Waggoner. He attended the Dairy Cattle sale at Portales with Eules Saturday and attended church with them Sunday before returning home. Evelyn Lindsey, Mark and Angelia of Plainview also visited with them Saturday and Eddie and Sandra Waggoner, Laura, Susan, and John visited with them Saturday evening.

Hazel Waggoner visited with her sister-in-law, Ruth Williams, in Muleshoe last Wednesday and again Wednesday in the nursing home there. She has had two serious strokes recently.

PCS schedules applications

Panhandle Community Services will be taking applications on Monday from residents in Hart, Nazareth and Sunnyside areas to determine income eligibility for persons wishing to receive butter and cheese through the Castro County commodity distribution program.

Applications will be taken Monday at 10 a.m. at the Nazareth Senior Citizens Center, at 12:30 p.m. at the Farmers State Bank in Hart, and at 4 p.m. at the Sunnyside Community Building.

No butter and cheese will be given away at the signups on Monday, but will be distributed Aug. 26 at the Expo Building in Dimmitt at 1 p.m. Dimmitt residents may make application at the time of distribution.

Income verification is required and can be established by a check stub, note from employer stating salary, Social Security or SSI awards letter, bank deposit slip, a 1985 income tax statement, or a slip from the Dept. of Human Services for persons on food stamps of AFDC (persons bringing notes from DHS should get them before Aug. 26).

A one-person household must make less than \$125 per week to be eligible, if under 60 years of age. For each additional household member, add \$44 per week. For persons 60 or older, the income must be less than \$158 per week, with \$55 per week added for each person in the household.

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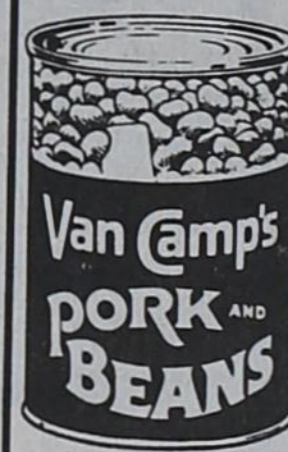
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DHS Class of 1966 sets reunion

The Dimmitt High School Class of 1966 will hold its 20-year reunion Sept. 26 and 27 during Homecoming Week activities.

Information and addresses is needed on class members, and may be submitted by calling Jan Baca at 647-2386, Sandy Baker at 647-2623 or Jean Petty at 647-5578.

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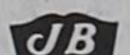
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1 - REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE: All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968...

FOR SALE: Mobile home, 1981 American, 14x60, clean with built-ins, refrigerator, dishwasher, stove, washer and dryer...

FOR SALE: Improved home site for sale, 1 mile north, 1 mile west of Dimmitt. 647-3287 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Mobile home, 1981 American, 14x60, clean with built-ins, refrigerator, dishwasher, stove, washer and dryer...

ONE ACRE improved home site for sale, 1 mile north, 1 mile west of Dimmitt. 647-3287 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3-bedroom house, ceiling fans, miniblinds and other extras. 647-2482 day, 647-2601 after 5 p.m.

1 - REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND

TWO-BEDROOM HOUSE for sale, 609 W. Andrews. Call for an appointment at 647-4338 after 5 p.m.

MOBILE HOME for sale, 14x78 Lancer. 647-4659.

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FOR SALE: Approximately 306-Acre irrigated farm on US Hwy. 385. 3 irrigation wells in good strong 6" water...

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2 - FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 3-BR Double Wide mobile home. Fenced back yard. 2 bath, fully carpeted. Water furnished. \$325/mo.

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FOR RENT: Rickert's Trailer Parks. 3 locations, trailer spaces and overnight camping available. Call 647-2535 or 647-4409.

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Please call Wilson Real Estate on information to purchase land through the Texas Farm & Ranch Finance Program.

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APARTMENT FOR RENT, Country Arms Apartments. 111 NW 11th. 647-3318.

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3 - FOR SALE, MISC.

MUST SELL 1984 Kawasaki KX 250 water cooled dirt bike. Good condition! Day: 647-4121. Ask for Jeff. 3-45-2tp

FOR SALE: 1979 Ebko inboard, outboard, 18-foot ski boat, 350 V-8 engine, excellent condition. Ph. 647-4521 days or 647-3609 nights. 3-45-tfc

YARD SALE: Friday and Saturday; 500 Western Circle Drive, south side, rear. Sears swamp cooler, new; refrig. air conditioner, \$100; 16-inch fan, \$20; LOTS OF MISCELLANEOUS. 3-45-1tp

FAT BURNER! Gobese Grapefruit Extra Strength Capsules and E-Vap Tablets. Parson Rexall Drug. 3-45-2tp

FOR SALE: Sweet corn, yellow squash and zucchini, peas, 2 miles south of Dimmitt on US 385. Monday through Friday 9 to 6 and Saturday 9-12. 3-44-tfc

FOR SALE: Sweet corn, green beans, okra and blackeyed peas. Ph. 1-276-5240. 3-44-3tp

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THERMOPHORE (the automatic moist heat pack) by Battle Creek now available at Parsons Drug. 3-9-tfc

ANTHONY KIRBY AND DEAN KIRBY are now selling Satellite Receiver Dishes. Call 647-5429 or 647-5219. 3-48-tfc

NEW AND USED furniture, appliances and clothes. Will buy used furniture and appliances. P&H New & Used Shop, 630 N. Broadway, Dimmitt, 647-5514. Open 9:00 to 5:30. 3-32-tfc

4 - HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE: Portable dishwasher, used only 6 months, call 647-2646 after 5:30 p.m., ask for Jan. 4-44-tfc

SIX-FAMILY GARAGE SALE, Thursday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Toys, baby clothes, kids clothes, lots of miscellaneous. 3 miles north of Dimmitt on US 385, 1/4 miles west - watch for signs. 4-45-1tc

FOUR-FAMILY GARAGE SALE, Sunday only, 12 noon until 7 3 miles north of Nazareth on FM 168, next to Joe's Beer and Wine. 4-45-1tx

5 - FARM EQUIPMENT

WE REPAIR all makes of fence chargers. Dimmitt Consumers Electric Shop, NE 3rd & Etter. 5-16-tfc

FOR SALE: New Ford 460 C.I.D. and 300 C.I.D. irrigation engines. 6-months warranty. Campbell Motor Company, Lorenzo, Texas. For information and prices phone 806-634-5992 or Lubbock 806-765-8911. 5-20-30tp

6 - AUTOMOTIVE

1968 FORD PICKUP for sale. New motor, short bed. Call 647-4134, ask for Jesse. 6-44-2tc

FOR SALE: 1980 Cutlass Olds, low mileage, all the extras, 647-2547. 6-19-tfc

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6 - AUTOMOTIVE

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8 - SERVICES

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8 - SERVICES

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PARSONS HOME IMPROVEMENT SERVICE. Painting—inside and out; Dry Wall Repair; Remodeling; Carpentry. For free estimates, call Teresa or Sandy Parsons IV, 647-4553. 8-34-tfc

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If you want to PAY LESS for your satellite system with No Charge for Installation Call 647-2646 and ask for Randy

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8-A - STUDENTS WANTING WORK

BABYSITTING WANTED anytime. Call 647-4628, ask for Christy. 8A-39-tfx

WANTED: Lawns to mow, call 647-3255. 8A-39-tfx

WANTED: Yards to mow. Experienced; call 647-4194. 8A-38-tfx

LOOKING FOR BABYSITTING job, day or night, your house or mine. 647-4466. 8A-39-tfx

NEED YOUR HOUSE CLEANED? During summer only. Call 945-2697 (ask for Leona) or 945-2694 (ask for Renee). 8A-38-tfx

STUDENT WANTING to mow lawns this summer. Ph. 647-4457, ask for Daniel. 8A-37-tfx

BABYSITTER—Your home or mine. 16-year-old high school girl, responsible, experienced. 647-4734. 8A-38-tfx

9 - HELP WANTED

SECRETARIAL AND BOOKKEEPING help needed, for Dimmitt area. Ph. 806-894-4962 for appointment. 9-45-tfc

PAYROLL CLERK and Computer Operator needed, bookkeeping and payroll tax experience preferred. Apply at Brown, Graham & Co., 308 W. Bedford by Aug. 6. 9-45-tfc

CANTALOPE SALES—Maxwell Orchards needs responsible young people with pickups to sell field-ripe cantaloupes in surrounding towns. Generous commission. We will have plenty of excellent quality cantaloupes starting about Aug. 10. Sales season will last approximately a month. Apply in person at Maxwell Orchards, 6 miles north of Dimmitt. 9-45-tfc

9 - HELP WANTED

BABY SITTER needed full time in my home. References required. 647-2329 days, 647-5772 nights. 9-45-tfc

EXPERIENCED AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION mechanic for very busy shop. \$13 per flat rate hour. Please apply in person. Stevens Chevrolet-Oldsmobile, Hereford, Texas. 9-45-2tc

10 - WANTED, MISC.

WANT TO BUY: good used screen door. Ph. 647-5444. 10-44-2tc

12 - NOTICES

IF ALCOHOL is causing a problem in your life, call Al-Anon, 647-5730 or 647-3747. 12-17-tfc

14 - CARDS OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS Thanks to those who donated to the Muleshoe AAU Girls Basketball Team. Your support was greatly appreciated. Thanks again, JANAY JOHNSON 14-45-1tc

CARD OF THANKS The Cristoval Garza family would like to offer its most sincere thanks to all the friends and relatives of the community that expressed their sympathy by bringing flowers, food and prayers in memory of our father. Moreover, for their continued support through his prolonged illness. God bless you, MRS. CRISTOVAL GARZA AND FAMILY 14-45-1tp

CARD OF THANKS To all of you who have been so good and concerned about me and my family, I say thank you for the phone calls, food, cards, flowers and prayers, and any other kind gesture extended to us, we say thanks. DECIMAE BEENE AND FAMILY, FRIONA 14-45-1tc

CARD OF THANKS We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to the businesses in Dimmitt who allowed us to display our Texas Sesquicentennial afghan in their stores. Your hospitality was overwhelming. Thanks again, Catholic Daughters of America, Nazareth 14-45-1tc

CARD OF THANKS Thanks to everyone for their prayers, cards, visits, bouquets and food brought to us during Johnny's hospital stay. Thanks especially to our families, the guys at the ballpark, those at the hospital the night of the accident, Mrs. Burleson for riding in the ambulance, and Polly and the gang at the courthouse. It is truly a blessing to live in such a giving community. RAY, MARY LOU AND JOHNNY SCHMUCKER 14-45-1tp

15 - LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE On the 14th of July, 1986, the Commissioners Court of Castro County approved a plan to consolidate the present four (4) Justice of the Peace/Constable Precincts into one (1) Justice of the Peace/Constable Precinct for Castro County beginning January 1, 1987. One Justice of the Peace and one Constable shall be elected for Castro County in elections conducted after that date. This change will be submitted to the U. S. Department of Justice for preclearance under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended. Persons affected may comment to: Attorney General's Office, Civil Rights Division, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. 20530. MRS. M. L. SIMPSON, JR. COUNTY JUDGE 15-43-3tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

The undersigned hereby gives notice of application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas, for a Package Store Permit to be located on Highway 86, north side, 1.2 miles east of courthouse, Castro County, Texas. Said business to be operated under the name of Green's Package Store, Green's Package Store, Inc., Lawrence E. Green, President, Vernice Green, Sec./Treas.

15-44-2tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST AND STATEMENT OF INTENT

Notice is hereby given that DEAF SMITH ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (the "Utility") intends to change the manner of recovering power costs from ratepayers effective August 7, 1986. The Utility is proposing monthly variable power cost recovery factors to more closely follow rules established by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The changes are applicable to all areas and all customers served by the Utility. The proposed changes do not result in any revenue increase to the Utility.

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change is available at the general office of the Utility located at East Highway 60 and Whittier, Hereford, Texas.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

CAMPBELL MCGINNIS
ATTORNEY FOR THE UTILITY
15-42-4tc

LEGAL NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING OF DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The President of the Board of Trustees of the above named school district, pursuant to Section 23.45 of

15—LEGAL NOTICES

the Texas Education Code, has called a meeting of the Board of Trustees for the purpose of adopting a budget for the 1986-87 fiscal year of the Dimmitt Independent School District for such fiscal year.

The meeting will be held on August 11, 1986 at 7:00 p.m. in the Administration Building, 608 W. Halsell, Dimmitt, Texas.

Any taxpayer of the district may be present and participate in the hearing.
15-45-1tc



Ministerial Alliance

Ken Cole, pastor of First Baptist Church, will be the benevolence chairman this month. However, funds have been depleted and help from individuals and organizations would be appreciated.

During the summer four new pastors have come to serve in Dimmitt. We welcome Norbert Choong at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church; David Kellar at First Christian Church; Norman McCutcheon at the Assembly of God; and Vernon Nevill at the Church of God of Prophecy.

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WE'VE GOT SOME MORE NEW LISTINGS THIS WEEK! COME ON BY!

NEW! Are you a PERFECTIONIST? Here it is! Linen rollers, built-in sifters in kitchen, lighted alcove in hall, clothes soap dispenser in utility, oval corner fireplace, covered patio, bay windows, sprinkler system, MORE than can even be imagined!! 3 BR, 2 1/2 bath, den, formal LR/dining, kitchen with bar and dining area, large utility, 2 car G, on a CORNER lot!

NEW! Do the kids need someone to play with? This home is located in "KID CITY"! 3 BR, 2 bath, den, formal LR, large utility, storage room, 2 car G.

NEW! HEREFORD, TEXAS! It's a doll! Charming decor with PERSONALITY PLUS! 2 BR, 1 bath, large LR, kitchen with dining area, utility area, 1 car G, and a SATELLITE! Don't forget it!

NEW! GOOD PRICE on a GOOD INVESTMENT! 5 unit trailer park and 1 trailer house STAYS! Call us for details.

NEW! All GOOD THINGS come to those who WAIT! The perfect blend of TASTE and VALUE! Make this home a 3 or 4 bedroom YOUR CHOICE! 1 full bath and 1/2 bath with utility room, spacious LR, kitchen, nice yard with storage building on a CORNER lot!

NEW! BARGAIN LOOKERS—you better come LOOK! See what's in it for you. 2 BR, 1 bath, LR and kitchen.

Happiness is HOME OWNERSHIP! A family is wanted to own this 3 BR, 1 bath, LR, kitchen/dining, 1 car G, big yard and it has NEW STORM WINDOWS! It won't last long!

MELLOWCHARM OF YESTERYEAR! It has the livability of the older, graciously planned home. Approximately 1,763 square feet of home on a CORNER LOT with beautiful trees, landscaping and even a SPRINKLER system. SERENITY abounds. I think it's a DIAMOND in the ROUGH—what's your opinion?

This home reflects your EXPECTATIONS! It's a 2 BR, 2 bath, LR, kitchen/dining, B-I-G utility—with a detached garage shop, and it's NICE! This could be it!

IN CASE YOU HAVEN'T HEARD, I have 2 woodburners, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, a kitchen and dining area, a basement, lots of storage, a storage building, and a patio on my backside. AND—I'm looking for a family to move in and take care of me! Won't you come by and visit?

You're AHEAD? You've already FINISHED your Christmas stockings in JULY! WOW! Bring them on over and see how they'll look on THIS fireplace! You might also want to take a quick glance at the 3 BR's, 1 1/2 bath, kitchen/dining, utility, and den while you're here. We'll have to decide where to put the tree you know!

Above all else, a home in the COUNTRY is a REFUGE! ESCAPE from the rigors of city life, yet have convenience of location. Nestled on about 5 acres is this beautiful 3 BR, 2 bath, den, LR, dining room, utility, and 2 car electric G. Facilities for lots of ANIMALS! Manicured from the bottom up. Because your 1st opportunity could very well be your last! (OWNER/AGENT)

MORE than a ROOF OVER YOUR HEAD—at a price that's not! This 4 BR, 1 1/2 bath, LR, kitchen/dining, and covered patio is SOMETHING WORTH MOVING FOR! Don't miss out!

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West Texas Domino tourney starts Saturday

Domino players from throughout the region will be in Dimmitt this weekend for the annual West Texas Domino Championships at the Expo Building.

The tournament, sponsored by the Oasis Shrine Club, will feature a single-elimination tournament Saturday and a double-elimination tournament on Sunday. Players will play 2-out-of-3 sets.

Entry fees for the tournament, which still has openings available, will be \$5 per person for the Saturday round and \$10 per person for the Sunday, double-elimination event. Entries may be secured by calling James Slough at 647-3458, or going by the Domino Center at the Senior Citizens Center in Dimmitt.

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Couple announces engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Lopez of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Crusita, to Marco Valdez, son of Mrs. Lydia Fierro, also of Dimmitt.

The couple plan to exchange wedding vows Aug. 30 at 2 p.m. in the Immaculate Conception Church of Dimmitt.

The bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Dimmitt High School. She is presently employed at IGA Foodliner.

The prospective groom is a 1981 graduate of Bel Air High School in El Paso. He attended El Paso Trade School, where he majored in auto mechanics. He is presently employed in road construction.

The couple plan to reside in Dimmitt after the wedding.



Crusita Lopez and Marco Valdez



SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By CYNDY REYNOLDS

The Castro County Kurlie Q's had installation of new officers July 21. Officers for 1986-87 are: President — Malcolm and Cyndy Reynolds; Vice-President — J.R. and Rickie Mixon; Secretary-Treasurer — Joe and Myrna Langford; Social Chairman — Ida Moore; Federation Delegate — Ben and Erma Kennedy.

Being the president of a square dance club is not an easy task. Ben and Erma Kennedy were president for several years and did an outstanding job. Malcolm and I will do our best to follow in their footsteps, providing leadership and setting a good example to promote the joy of square dancing.

We had several visitors from the Dimmitt Promenaders Club at our dance July 28. We had a joint meeting of both clubs to discuss plans for Dimmitt's Harvest Days. The Dimmitt Square Dancers will be sponsoring the barbecue and dance during Harvest Days. We would appreciate your support in these upcoming activities.

The Ground Rules

No. 5: Be a thoughtful dancer. Personal cleanliness is important in any activity where folks exercise vigorously in close contact with each other. For that reason, a good deodorant and an effective mouthwash are among square dancers' best friend. Because the enjoyment of the other people in a square depends upon you and your coordination, don't drink before or during a square dance. Be at your absolute dancing and thinking best!

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Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society (ACS) announced recently that it invested more than \$78,210,459 to support more than 785 research projects and post-doctoral fellowships during fiscal year 1985-86. This includes a \$6,937,410 investment in Texas hospitals and research institutions.

These research commitments are in addition to the Society's extensive programs of epidemiological research, its support of an ongoing program to evaluate interferon, and a program of large institutional grants for investigation of cancer cause and prevention, including a \$1 million grant to the University of Texas System Cancer Center Research Science Park in Smithville. According to ACS Vice President for Research, John Lewis, M.D., they are the highest in the Society's history.

Included are 444 new grants totaling \$52,319,057 and 341 renewal grants amounting to \$25,891,402.

In addition to nationally-funded research, the Texas Division of the ACS sponsored six clinical fellowships for a total of \$21,600. This brings the total amount of ACS-funded research in Texas to \$7,959,010 for fiscal year 1985-86. During the previous year, Texans contributed \$14,848,473 to help support this research and the Society's education and service programs.

Cancer prevention, by studying environmental agents and

lifestyle factors which may contribute to cancer risks, is a major target of research funded by the American Cancer Society. In this case, a national total of \$9,160,941 was earmarked for studies in biochemistry and chemical carcinogenesis.

Cell and developmental biology projects were awarded \$7,043,625 nationwide. Researchers in the rapidly growing field of nucleic acids and protein synthesis received \$9,511,758 in support.

National awards for clinical investigations in immunology, immunotherapy, chemotherapy, hematology, prevention, diagnosis and therapy added up to \$23,257,928.

Reflecting the Society's interest in psychological and behavioral research in cancer were grants amounting to \$702,190.

Microbiology and virology studies across the country will receive \$11,003,983.

The research program of the American Cancer Society is second in size only to that of the federal government's National Cancer Institute. Applications for ACS grants are screened by teams of national experts in a peer review process. The Society's board of directors makes the awards on recommendation of its research and clinical investigation committee, which itself is counseled by specialist advisory groups.

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Memberships still available in CCCCA

Castro County Community Concerts Association is entering its fourth season of cultural service to the area.

There are three concerts scheduled for the 1986-87 season. On Oct. 14, the Zorongo Flamenco dancers of Spain will perform; on Oct. 28, the Tennessee River Boys; and on April 24, the Colorado Children's Choir.

There was a membership drive in May, but people who were not contacted may still get memberships entitling one

to not only the three local concerts, but to any Community Concert any place in the US, from anyone who is soliciting memberships. If in doubt, you may call Rev. Edward D. Freeman at 647-3214. People who have not turned in their memberships are urged to complete their solicitations and turn them in as soon as possible.

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SPC sets registration

Registration for the fall 1986 semester at South Plains College, Levelland, will be Aug. 28 and 29, according to Bobby James, SPC registrar and director of admissions.

Students who pre-register are scheduled to pay tuition and fees between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Aug. 28 in the Student Center on the Levelland campus. Evening registration is set for 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. that day. Regular fall registration will be 9 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 4 p.m. Aug. 29, also in the Student Center.

Classes begin Sept. 2 at SPC's Levelland and Lubbock campuses, and late registration will continue through Sept. 10. A \$10 late registration fee will be charged, James noted.

Fall bulletins and catalogs are now available.

For more information, contact the SPC registrar's office at (806) 894-9611, ext. 372, the SPC Lubbock campus at 747-0576 or Reese's Education Office at 885-3048.

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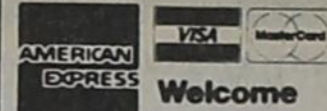
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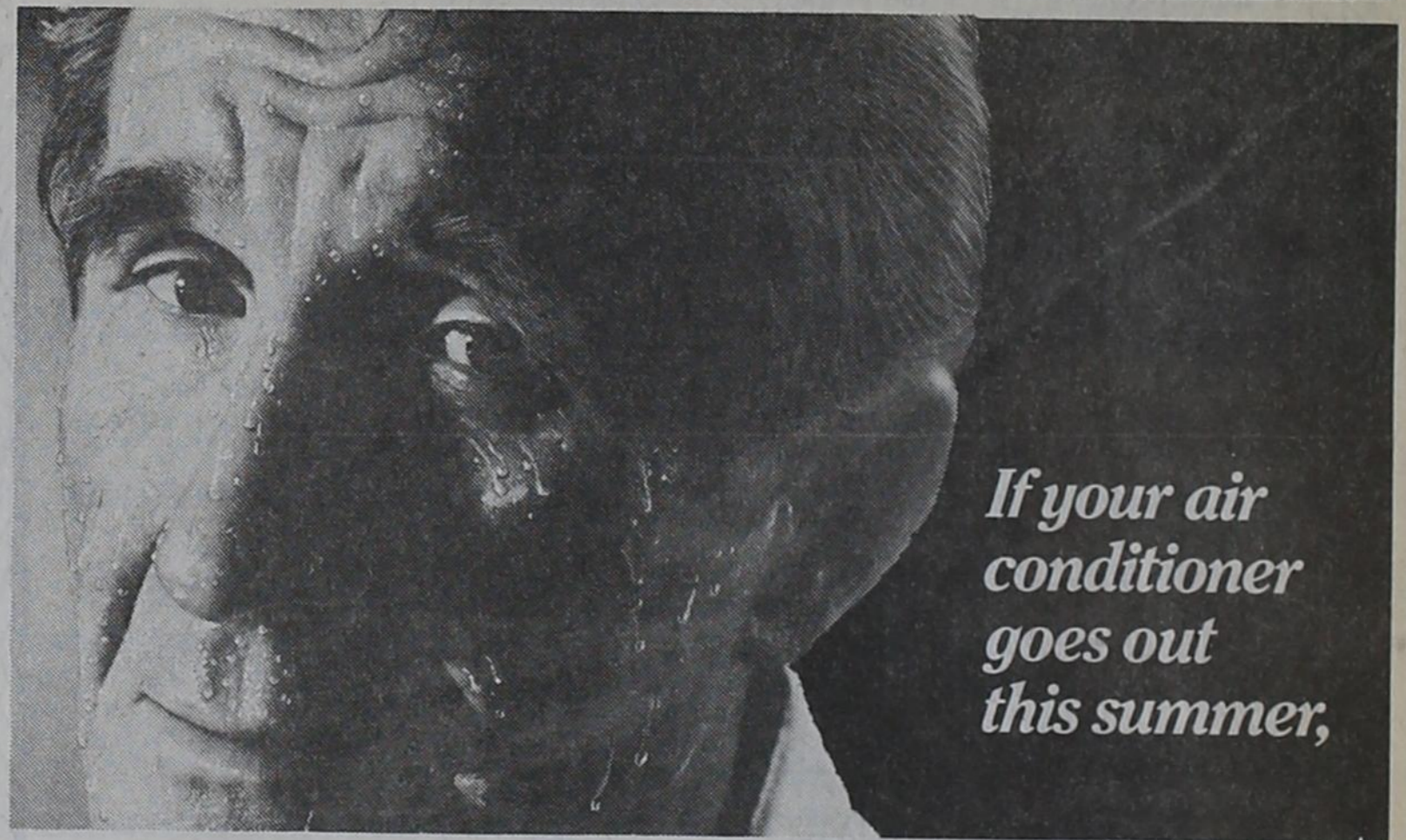
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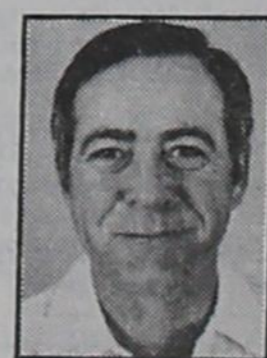
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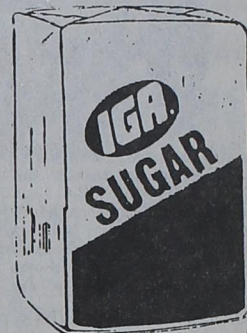
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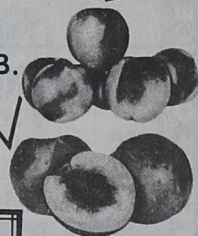
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THE PADRES were the regular season champion in the 1986 Dimmitt T-Ball League, going 10-0 through the regular season before falling in the post-season tournament, finishing with an 11-2 record. Team members included (front row, from left) Joel Townsend, Nicholas Salinas, Chad Ellis, Tucker Schumacher and Wesley

Ralston; (middle, from left) Greg Fuller, Will Shannon, Randa Wood, Daniel Matthews, Tawnee Matthews and Dagon Newton; (back row) coaches Gary Webb and Jackie Matthews. Team members not pictured were Jason Wooten and John Paul Ramos.

Nazareth

By Uirge Gerber, 945-2669

Tony and Mary Gerber have returned from Pueblo, Colo. where they visited with relatives, Otto and Aurelia Huber. They met the Norbert Gerber family of Oklahoma in Dumas and drove with them to Colorado. Norbert, Helen and family spent several days in Colorado Springs, Royal Gorge and other places of interest.

Marvin and Darlene Schulte, Elmer and Florene Schulte and Keith Birkenfeld have returned from Cheyenne, Wyo. where they thoroughly enjoyed the 90th annual Frontier Days Rodeo. One highlight was the Chuck Wagon Race and another the Wild Horse Race. Both Marvin and Keith participated in the rodeo.

Dora Albracht has had part of her family here visiting this summer. Jack and Jean Kennevan and family of Cincinnati spent a week with their mother and other relatives. Dom and Dottie Doherty and family of Chicago spent a week here visiting before they left on a trip to Manchester, England, to visit Dom's family. Elaine and Joe Sullivan and children Kieran and Kevin of Dallas are here now visiting Elaine's mother.

Mary Brockman of Umbarger is home after spending several days in the Canyon Hospital. We wish her well.

Laura Gerber, two-year-old daughter of Mick and Jane Gerber is home after two weeks in Northwest Texas Hospital where she was treated for respiratory problems.

Donna Hamby, Kris and Bryan, Sandee Hoelting and children spent the weekend in Odessa with the Gene Gerber family. They spent most of Saturday at Odessa's Water Wonderland and on Sunday spent a short stay at the sand dunes west of the city.

Many friends and relatives attended the wedding of Brian Huseman and Mary Jo Hermesmeyer of Clarendon Saturday in Holy Family Church with Rev. Harold Waldow of Amarillo officiating. The reception and

dance followed at the Community Hall.

Peggy Birkenfeld and her children, Jerad and Cassie, and Ida Gibson of Dimmitt spent the weekend in Arlington. They toured Six Flags and International Wild Life.

Evelyn Ball of Plainview, Lucy Leinen and Lucille Drerup attended funeral services for Alma (Drerup) Carney, 75, in Groom.

Jerry and Tricia Rose spent the weekend in Albuquerque, N.M. with Jerry's sister, Shirley.

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Students who use payment options 2 and 3 (paying by installments) won't get to use their credit cards. But for many others, university officials expect, this method of payment will simplify the registration process.

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Dance is set

The Nazareth Band Parents will sponsor a dance Saturday from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. at the Nazareth Community Hall.

Music will be provided by the David Leavitt Rolling Disco, and admission will be \$3 per person. Proceeds will benefit the Nazareth band.

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Rosenberry; (middle from left) Melissa Rogers, Joey Martinez, Roy Presas, Danny George and Stace McDaniel. Coaches included Pauline George and Tony Martinez.

Crime Line

Castro County Crime Line is offering a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons involved in the theft of a stock trailer from the Dan Bruton farm, five miles northwest of Dimmitt, on the night of July 11.

The stock trailer is a red, tandem, 16-foot W&W trailer with four new tires, sides made from 1-inch square tubing, and has center gate, side gate and sliding tail gate.

The trailer has a screw lift jack under the front end and a mud-grip spare tire on the right rear fender.

Anyone with information about the trailer may call Crime Line at 647-4711. Crime Line callers do not have to give their name—a code number will be assigned, with payment made through a drop system.

Teachers attend CTA conference

Three local teachers attended the annual Leadership Conference of the Texas Classroom Teachers Association at the

Marriott at the Capitol in Austin July 24 through 26. The various sessions were designed to assist local leaders

in fulfilling responsibilities to their local association.

Highlights included an address by State Sen. Ed Howard of Texarkana.

Local CTA representatives attending were Mary Jo Brown, president, Vicki Richards, president-elect, and Joanne Snider, secretary.

Happy anniversary!

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Senior Citizens

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. Quilting, crafts 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, Friday, and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge is played on Monday evenings.

There will be a noontime Bible study at the Center on Monday.

There will be an evening of table games Tuesday beginning at 7 p.m.

Membership in the Center is open to everyone who is 50 years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, color, race, ethnic background, national origin, religion, denominational preference, political party, economic status, or handicap.

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BY VIRGINIA TRUAX

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ABI Agriculture Business Industry

USDA issues interim rules, forces changes

The US Dept. of Agriculture announced interim rules Monday to implement sections of the 1985 Farm Bill designed to

remove inconsistencies between soil conservation goals and traditional farm commodity program benefits.

Effective immediately, producers who fail to meet the interim rules will not be eligible for commodity price support and other program payments, disaster payments, crop insurance under the Farm Crop Insurance Act, FmHA loans, farm storage facility loans and other farm program benefits, according to Charley Hill, executive director of the County ASCS office in Dimmitt.

Hill said the USDA action is designed to reduce soil loss due to erosion, protect the nation's long-term capability to produce food and fiber, and lessen the incentives to produce commodities on highly erodible farmland.

Farmers will have a grace period, according to Hill, to implement a conservation plan on highly-erodible land that was cultivated in any year from 1981 to 1985. Hill said many farmers will be able to develop and apply a conservation plan that will allow them to plan the land to grasses or trees on their own or in conjunction with the Conservation Reserve Program.

Before Jan. 1, 1990, or until two years after soil maps are prepared for a particular area by the Soil Conservation Service, producers will not lose eligibility under the highly erodible land conservation provisions, Hill said, as the result of production of a commodity that was cultivated from 1981 to 1985 or set aside, diverted or otherwise not cultivated under a program administered by the secretary of agriculture for any crops to reduce production of a commodity. Hill said the exemptions allow persons to continue production of commodities on highly erodible land through 1989 or until SCS maps the land without having to actively apply a conservation plan to retain program eligibility.

Farmers who cultivated highly erodible land or converted wetlands after last Dec. 23 and planted a crop before last Monday will remain eligible for USDA program benefits, Hill said, for the 1986 crop year. To retain eligibility for subsequent crop years, though, the farmer must apply an approved conservation system on the highly erodible land.

Important vote coming next week

A vote coming up Aug. 6 in the House of Representatives in Washington will make that date long remembered by all connected with the US cotton industry, according to Donald Johnson, executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., in Lubbock.

"And how we remember it may well be decided by what industry people do or fail to do in the meantime," says Johnson.

The vote will be on whether to override the President's veto of H.R. 1562, the Textile and Apparel Trade Enforcement Act (TATEA). At stake is the US cotton producers' domestic market and hundreds of thousands of cotton and textile-related jobs.

Surging textile imports already have cost over three million bales of domestic markets per year, industry sources say, and have caused some 300,000 American workers to lose their jobs. Those who postulate on such things project the total loss of the US domestic cotton market, about six million bales per year, in just eight years if the growth of imports continues at the present rate.

Congress passed the TATEA as a means to prevent further damage to the US fiber, textile and apparel industries by achieving the objectives of the standing MultiFiber Arrangement (MFA). That arrangement, agreed to by the US and its trading partners years ago, generously afforded exporting countries a 6% annual rate of increase in textile and apparel

shipments to the US. Instead, since 1980, increases have averaged 16% per year, with a 65% jump in the last two years.

Essentially, H.R. 1562 would reduce textile and apparel imports to levels that would have existed if the MFA had been administered effectively, and allow those levels to grow at a rate consistent with US market growth thereafter. And, an import licensing system would be established to ensure against the widespread circumvention of the limitations as seen under the MFA.

What should the cotton production and attendant industries be doing?

"We must exert all possible influence with our congressmen before the Aug. 6 vote," Johnson thinks. "There's a lot of pressure against the override, much of it from retailers who enjoy wider profit margins on many imported goods."

"Our legislators who are committed to the override cause need our letters, telephone calls and telegrams assuring them of our continued strong support, and those who remain undecided need all the arguments we can provide that the override is justifiable."

They need to understand, Johnson continues, "that we aren't asking that imports be prohibited, only that their growth be restricted to reasonable limits, allowing the US cotton, textile and apparel industries to co-exist with foreign competitors."

Conservation Conversation

Running Water Soil & Water Conservation District

The next sign-up for the 1987 Conservation Reserve Program will take place Aug. 4 through 15.

Farmers may offer bids to place highly erodible cropland into the reserve for the third time this year.

Annual payments for 10 years will compensate farmers for retiring highly erodible land from crop production. The amount of the payment is determined by the accepted bid per acre and the number of accepted acres.

Participants will also receive cost-share assistance for establishing grass on the acreage placed in the reserve. Hunting is allowed on the land but no crops can be harvested while it is in the reserve.

Land that is eroding at more than three times the tolerance level is eligible to be placed in the reserve if it was farmed three or more years between 1981 and 1985.

During the first two signups, bids were tentatively accepted from more than 1,200 Texas

farmers on 310,000 acres. Bids accepted ranged from \$25 to \$50 per acre.

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AUCTION REPORT

A total of 936 cattle and calves sold Friday, July 22 at Tulia Livestock Auction. Good stocker calves sold fully steady. Feeder steers and heifers sold \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher. Packer cows and bulls were steady to \$1.00 lower.

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10 Mx.	No. 603	\$56.75
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ASCS News

By CHARLEY HILL
County Executive Director
Based on provisions announced for the 1987 wheat program, the following example provides a simple format for determining how the program would operate for a farm with a 100-acre wheat base.

The market prices, harvested yield and production estimates in this example do not reflect official USDA projections. Individuals can substitute their own acreages, price projections, yield estimates and variable costs of production to determine how the program might fit their operations. "#" denotes Item number.

Item		
1. Target price (\$/bu)	4.38	
2. National Average Loan Level (\$/bu)	2.28	
3. Acreage Reduction Percentage	275	
4. Permitted Acreage Percentage (1.0 - #3)	725	
5. Acreage Conservation Reserve (ACR) Percentage (#3 + #4)	3793	
6. Farm Price (\$/bu)	2.28	
7. Deficiency Payment Rate (\$/bu) [#1 - #6]*	2.10	
8. Program Payment Yield (bu/ac)	33.0	
9. Harvested Yield (bu/ac)	37.0	
10. Base Acreage (ac)	100.0	
11. Permitted Acreage (#10 x #4)	72.5	
12. Harvested Program Acreage (ac)	72.5	
13. ACR Requirement (ac) [#12 x #5]	27.5	
14. Production (bu) [#12 x #9]	2,683	
15. Income Factors:		
a. Production Value (\$)		
[#14 x #6]	6,117	
b. Deficiency Payment (\$)		
[#12 x #8 x #7]	5,024	
c. Total Income (\$)		
[#15a + #15b]	11,141	
16. Variable Costs of Production:		
a. Harvested Acreage (\$)		
[#12 x #45]	3,263	
b. Maintenance of ACR (\$)		
[#13 x #15]	413	
c. Total Variable Costs	3,676	
17. Net Income (\$) [#15c - #16c]	7,465	

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Trap team wins at Hereford meet

The Castro County 4-H Trap Team swept top honors in the sub-junior and senior divisions in the Deaf Smith Invitational Trap Meet last Saturday at the Hereford Gun Club.

The sub-junior team of Johnny Rutkowski and Kasey Wheelless finished first, while Michael Ellison and Cory Mays (fourth) Jimmy Tilley and Brian Simpson (sixth) and Ty Annen and Shad McDaniel (seventh) added to the team's total as they won the high-county-average title.

Rutkowski and Wheelless finished one-two for individual honors.

In the junior division, Kevin Wheelless and Aaron Odom placed second and Becky Rutkowski and Sabrina Mays finished fourth. Shawn Ewing, in singles, placed fifth. Wheelless placed third among high individuals.

The senior team of Ty Kellar and Todd West was first in teams, then placed one-two in the individual standings after West won a shoot-off for second place. The seniors also won the high-county-average award.

The trap teams will be competing at the State 4-H Trap Meet next week in Houston.



CASTRO 4-H TRAP TEAM

... With awards from Deaf Smith County meet last Saturday; they'll be at the State 4-H Trap Meet next week.

Smith-Tipton take golf title

Darrell Smith and Wayne Tipton of Amarillo won a playoff on the second hole of sudden death Sunday to claim the top prize in the championship flight of the annual Doc Render Memorial Partnership at the Castro County Country Club in Dimmitt.

The Amarillo twosome was tied with Junior Ashmore of Dimmitt and Rob Kincaid of Plainview at 132 after 36 holes before winning the playoff. Jay Beene of Friona and Cliff Cook of Dimmitt took third place in the top flight.

55 teams participated in the tournament, according to Cook, club pro at CCCC.

"Due to the support of our local merchants, and especially Budco, this was, again this year, one of the top amateur tournaments in the area," Cook said.

Final placings in other flights included:

FIRST FLIGHT: 1. Jim Berry, Farwell-Ray Baeur, Clovis; 2. Jay Butcher-Ken Wallace, Amarillo; 3. Clay Davis, Flagg-Les Clary, Augusta, Ga.;

SECOND FLIGHT: 1. Jeff Watts, Dimmitt-Danny Davis,

Throckmorton; 2. Jack Isham-Jim Wright, Clovis; 3. Bush Jordan, Lubbock-Jon Darby, Pampa;

THIRD FLIGHT: 1. Bobby Hoggood-Jim Beavers, Lubbock; 2. Jim Bradford, Dimmitt-Bill Pou, Dallas; 3. Abe Lane-Rex Wells, Friona;

FOURTH FLIGHT: 1. Bob

Towler, Dimmitt-Bill Young, Dallas; 2. Bills-Bagrack, Lubbock; 3. Don Cornett, Dimmitt-Mike Cornett, Lubbock;

FIFTH FLIGHT: 1. Rod Dickerson-Okie Alexander, Clovis; 2. Jim Long, Dimmitt-Robin Baize, Hereford; 3. Calvin Schulte-Ted Cornett, Lubbock.

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By JOHN BROOKS

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Even when I'm not in a hurry, it seems like forever to make that little jog down US 60.

I had heard about supersweet corn from Paul Harvey some time ago, but I had never tasted any until I visited with Dale Maxwell last Thursday.

Dale is growing several different varieties, in cooperation with the Extension Service, to see which variety might fare the best in Castro County. Dale was showing off his stand of vegetables and was talking about the corn when he all-of-a-sudden stopped his pickup and told me to follow him.

Dale walked out in the corn patch, ripped off an ear, pulled back the husk, stripped off the silk and said, "Take a bite."

So I, thinking this stuff was supposed to be cooked, took a reluctant nibble that turned into a full-fledged gnashing at the cob.

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Lively was July 4 participant

Navy Fireman Apprentice Todd D. Lively, son of Tom and Peggy Lively of Route 4, Dimmitt, recently participated in the International Naval Review in New York Harbor July 4 as part of the Statue of Liberty Centennial Celebration.

During the celebration, 21 ships from 14 countries joined 11 US Navy ships in the review, with this being only the fifth such gathering of military vessels in US history.

The ships sailed into New York Harbor on the morning of July 3 and paraded up the Hudson River before anchoring throughout the harbor and river. Review began on the morning of July 4 when the battleship USS Iowa exchanged honors with the visiting ships.

Lively is currently stationed aboard the battleship USS Iowa, homeported in Norfolk, Va.

A 1984 graduate of Dimmitt High School, he joined the Navy in May, 1985.

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ASSETS				
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:				
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		6119		1 a.
b. Interest-bearing balances		-0-		1 b.
2. Securities		11541		2.
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs		3100		3.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:				
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	28472			4 a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	352			4 b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0			4 c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c)		28120		4 d.
5. Assets held in trading accounts		-0-		5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		789		6.
7. Other real estate owned		806		7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		-0-		8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		-0-		9.
10. Intangible assets		-0-		10.
11. Other assets		1351		11.
12. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)		51826		12.
LIABILITIES				
13. Deposits:				
a. In domestic offices		46587		13 a.
(1) Noninterest-bearing	12859			13 a. (1)
(2) Interest-bearing	33739			13 a. (2)
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs		-0-		13 b.
(1) Noninterest-bearing	-0-			13 b. (1)
(2) Interest-bearing	-0-			13 b. (2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs		-0-		14.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury		-0-		15.
16. Other borrowed money		-0-		16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		-0-		17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		-0-		18.
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits		-0-		19.
20. Other liabilities		860		20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)		47447		21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock		-0-		22.
EQUITY CAPITAL				
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)	0			23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares: a. Authorized)	150,000			24.
b. Outstanding	150,000			24.
25. Surplus		1900		25.
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves		979		26.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments				27.
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)		4379		28.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)		51826		29.
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:				
1 a Standby letters of credit, Total		-0-		1 a
1 b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a conveyed to others through participations		-0-		1 b
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I/We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.				
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Gary W. Ross Vice President & Cashier	806 647 4151			
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SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR	SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR		
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>		
State of <u>Texas</u> County of <u>Castro</u> ss:				
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<i>[Signature]</i> Notary Public				

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Grand jury...

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whose name was not released pending his arrest, was indicted for Theft of Services over \$20,000 in regard to a returned check issued to Bridges Feed Yard.

A Lubbock businessman and his wife, whose names were not released pending their arrest, were indicted for Theft as the result of a \$6,000 worthless check issued to Dimmitt Agri Industries in 1985.

Raul Oliva Barrera of Tulia was indicted on escape charges after he walked away from the Castro County Jail last March 2. He was working outside the jail, and was arrested this summer at his parents' home in Swisher County.

Victoriano Mendoza Munoz, 24, of Dimmitt, was indicted for Aggravated Assault on a police officer as a result of a June 29 incident at the Azteca Housing Authority in Dimmitt.

Andrea Martinez Gonzales, 58, was indicted for Driving While Intoxicated-third offense following her June 22 arrest.

Amada Nunez Prieto, Jr., age and address unavailable, was indicted for passing a forged check at a Nazareth liquor store last Friday. Prieto is believed to be in jail at Andrews.

Arnold Gonzales, 30, of Dimmitt, was indicted for criminal mischief as the result of damage sustained by a vehicle owned by Joe Barron, Jr., of Dimmitt on May 25.

Obituary

Clinton Payne "C.P." Gamblin

Clinton Payne "C.P." Gamblin, 73, of Sulphur Springs, died July 20.

Funeral services were held July 22 at Murray-Orwosky Funeral Home Chapel with Steve Smith and Rev. George Thomas officiating. Burial followed in Restlawn Memorial Park.

He was born Jan. 11, 1913 in the Gamblin community of Hopkins County. He married Janna Lou Allen on Mar. 19, 1935 in Sulphur Springs.

Mr. Gamblin was a retired rancher and cattle buyer. He received special recognition for outstanding production practices while farming in Castro County, where he lived for many years. He also owned a butane business, and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Larry of Sulphur Springs; a brother, D.N. of Avery; a sister, Suzella Martin of New Boston; and two grandchildren.

Who's New?

Paul J. and Linda Flores of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Apolonia Simona Flores. She was born Saturday, July 12, at 11:24 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed 8 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Antonio and Jesusa Silva of Dimmitt and Alfredo and Simona Flores of Hale Center.

It's a girl for Jimmy and Sulema Stewart of Dimmitt. She was born at 4:47 a.m. July 23 in Plains Memorial Hospital, and has been named Sylvia Marie. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces, and was 19 inches long. Sylvia Marie has two brothers, Jimmy Jr., 3, and Wesley H., 11 months. Grandparents are Jim and Lillian Stewart of Dimmitt and Fermin and Maria Rosas of Muleshoe. Great-grandmother is Rojelia Arianes of New Mexico.

OUT OF TOWN

Joe and Margie Brockman of San Antonio are the parents of a baby boy, Cavan Cole, born June 19 at 12:13 p.m. He weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces and was 19 inches long. He has an older brother, Ryan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lynch of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Brockman of Nazareth.

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Maxwell...

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for retail sales here (and, Maxwell hopes, for cider, if he can find a cider press and enough cold storage for the beverage—cider has a very short shelf life in the refrigerator, but can be frozen for several months).

"It really takes about five years for the trees to get into full production, but we should have a little production next year, when the oldest trees are three years old. We'll have most of the popular varieties of apples—Golden Delicious, Red Rome, Red Delicious, Granny Smith, Arkansas Black and Jonathan, plus some odds and ends of others.

Maxwell said he was surprised, once he started plans for his orchard, why there hadn't already been an orchard established, because the climate is good.

"You know what our elevation is right here? Right at 4,000 feet above sea level—a really good altitude. Of course, we have a lot of problems. Hailstorms are very detrimental, and we have to spray quite a bit because of bugs—the fleahopper defoliates the plants, and there are moths and their resultant worms that we have to try to prevent. There's no such thing as a wormless organically grown apple—we just have to cut down the instances.

"There's a lot of handwork because the trees have to be trained, just like grapes. We have to

get the tree open enough so light can get into the center so we can get enough quality apples from each tree, and we use limb spreaders at the bottom of the trees to keep the branches separated. The trees, of course, have to be pruned, so it's an ongoing thing—there's a heck of a lot involved."

Maxwell says he won't get back into "traditional" crops, even if the farm prices rebound in the near—or distant—future.

"When you year-in and year-out see each tree or group of trees develop their own personality and problems, when each one is a challenge, no, I don't think I would go back to traditional crops. Those other crops you start over with each year, grow them from seed and harvest them, then start over. With these trees, you spend most of the winter on each individual tree, hoping to get about 20,000 bushels or more of apples off these trees each year.

"I think we'll see more things like this orchard and these vegetables. It may not be apples, and it may not be these vegetables I'm growing, but it's going to be something different. It's time for the farmer to get off high-center.

"It's past time to quit wishing for a miracle. What I'm doing may not be the answer, but I am trying something different, and I'm enjoying what I'm doing."

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients In Hospital: Jim Bagwell, Ramon Turrubiates, Jr., Donato Salinas, Rosalinda Jaramillo, Pauline Adams, W. E. Grant, Tammy Robb, Josie Bradford, Rebecca Bridges.

Guadalupe Abrego, Walter Leal, Jose Reyna, Dora Zamora, Maria Fuentes, Joel Birkenfeld, Nancy Garza, John Castaneda, Guadalupe Romero, Sandy Pena, Edith Acevedo, Estella Leyva, Gregory Cantu, Mary Worthington.

Patients Dismissed: T. D. Davila, Sulema Stewart.

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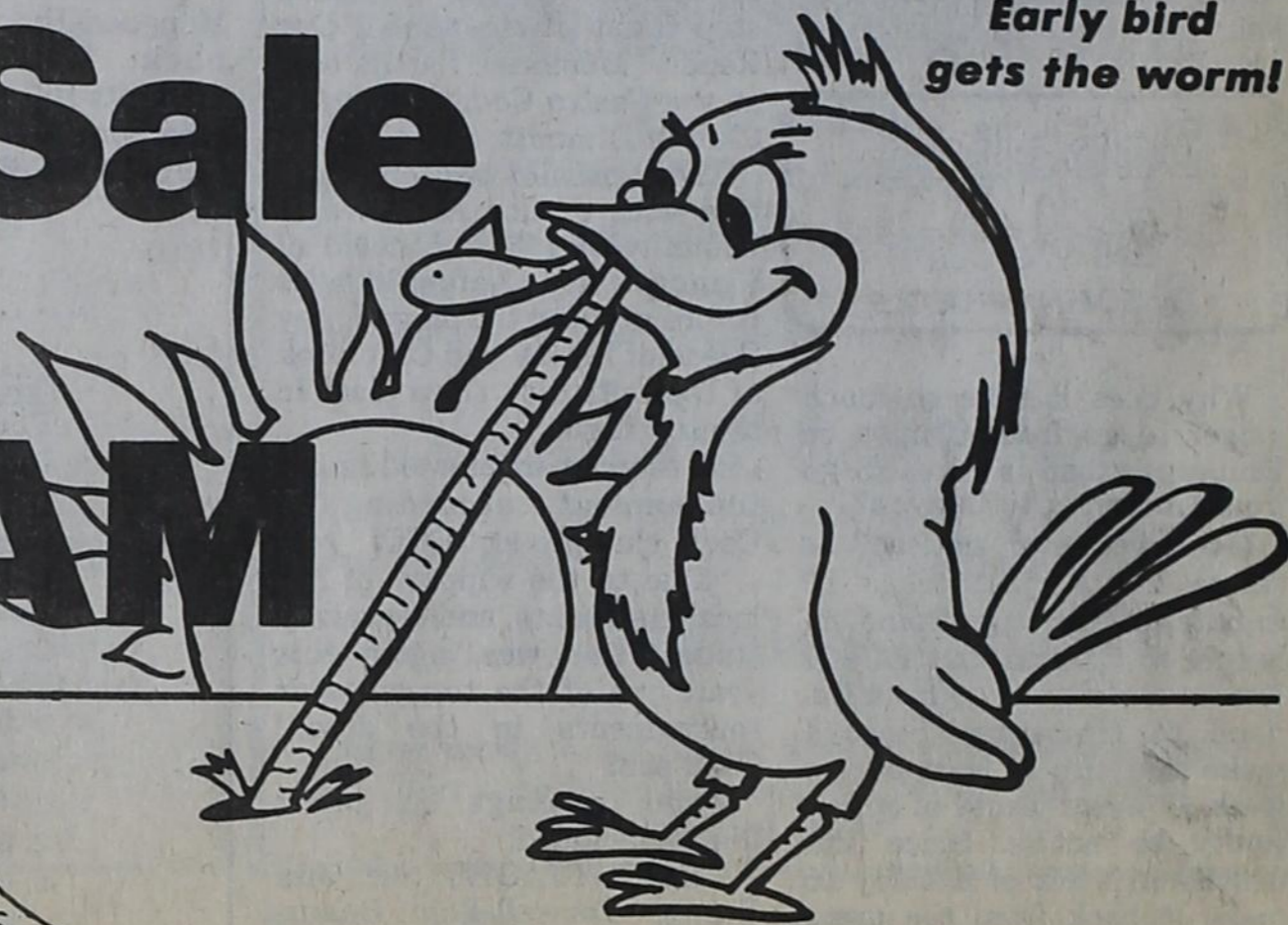
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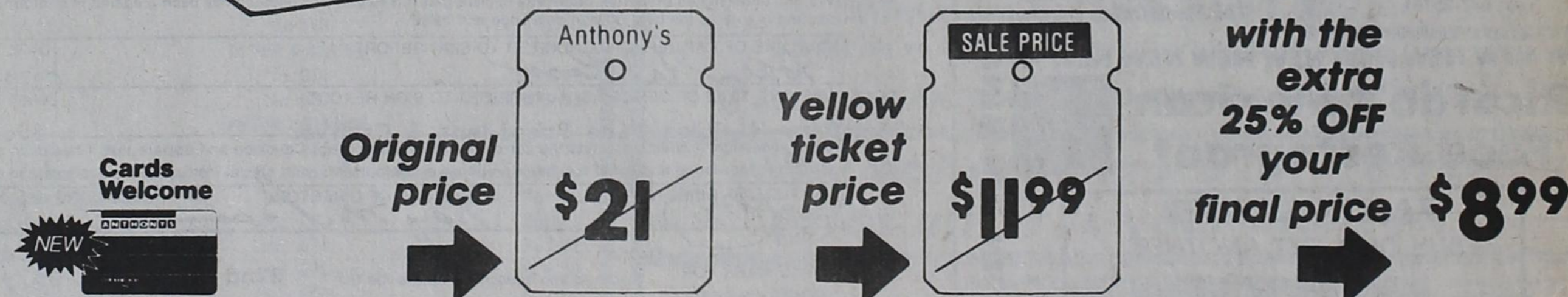
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