## Combest combats farm bill rewrite

of the 1985 Farm Bill highlighted US Rep. Larry Combest's "Community Comment" meeting Thursday in the Dimmitt City Hall meeting

Combest, a Lubbock republican who began his second term in Congress this month, told a group of about 35 county citizens that the 1985 Farm Bill "should be given a chance to work," and he would strive to re-write portions of the bill "to make the feed grain section

work." Combest pointed out that most cotton, rice and sugar producers are happy with their sections of the bill, which includes a marketing loan for cotton that has helped boost prices.

The congressman said the entire bill could not be re-written, claiming "that option is not there."

Combest also addressed the site characterization work that will begin next month near Vega for what could become the nation's first permanent, high-level nuclear waste repository; foreign trade; and the resolution he has introduced in the US House to lessen a possible pay raise for congressmen.

Combest told the group, most of whom were farmers or had direct

A heated discussion on the merits ties to agriculture, that he was afraid there could be a ceiling placed on how much of a commodity farmers could place in the Commodity Credit Corp.'s loan program, which guarantees farmers a certain minimum price for their commodities placed in the program.

"One thing that improves prices is the loan," Combest said, "but a high loan price defeats the purpose of the program if there is a limit on the loan."

Texas Corn Growers Association head Carl King told Combest the problem could be solved by a supply-management system, where farmers would decide whether or not there should be limits imposed on farmers who wish to participate in government programs, but Combest said "you don't always want to tie supply-management with a referendum. I believe there are different ways to get there. A lot of farmers don't want mandatory controls, and I think we should be cautious in the direction we take.

"We must be specific in the areas we want to change, because if it is broad and inclusive we would get a lot of opposition. There has not Vega, and pointed out that last been any national group wanting to change the 1985 Farm Bill. In a

wrap - up session the Agriculture Committee held on the bill, every group represented testified in favor of the bill."

King charged that Combest was representing the interests of national groups instead of residents of his 19th congressional district, but Combest pointed out the National Cotton Council has endorsed the bill and is headed by a Lubbock County farmer.

"I've never pretended to like the current program," Combest said, "and I would like to make some changes. I think we need to go back and do the same thing we did in 1985—go back and look at what works. I think we should try to get a marketing loan for all commodities. That can be done under the discretion of the law. The marketing loan has worked in cotton, and it can work in grains."

Combest said he was "not soft, but a realist" when it came to the possibility of the nation's nuclear dump being placed in the northern end of his district southwest of year's decision to hold up a large

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US REP. LARRY COMBEST and Lois Wales trade points about the 1985 Farm Bill and site characterization work on what could become the nation's first permanent nuclear waste dump dur-

ing the congressman's "Community Comment" meeting Thursday at the Dimmitt City Hall. About 35 persons were on hand for the meeting.

## Chamber banquet is tonight

Three Dimmitt citizens will be honored tonight at the 38th annual Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce banquet at 7 p.m. at the Expo building.

The Citizen of the Year, Citizen Through the Years and Teacher of the Year will be honored at the banquet, and special recognition will go to past Chamber presidents.

"The theme of this year's banquet is 'Pieces of the Past,'" said Chamber manager Delores Heller in the Chamber's monthly newsletter. "Where we are today as a community is the result of the attitudes and efforts of some of these leaders."

The banquet speaker is Baylor University head football coach Grant Teaff, who led his Bears to a tie for second place this year in the Southwest Conference and a win over Colorado in the Bluebonnet Bowl, and has claimed two Southwest Conference football champion-

Teaff, the dean of SWC coaches, has won the Coach of the Year award six times, and has an overall 89-76-5 record at the school, which was considering dropping out of the

SWC before Teaff's arrival. In two years, Teaff had taken the hapless Bears to the promised land, claiming Baylor's first SWC football championship in 50 years. His Bears also won the championship in

Teaff is a native of Snyder, and holds bachelor's and master's degrees from McMurry College, where he was an All-Texas Confer-

ence player. Members of the Beta Sigma Phi chapter of Alpha Chi Omega will decorate the Expo Building for the banquet, which will feature a meal catered by K-Bob's Steak House. Richard Young, music and youth director of Dimmitt's First Baptist church, will provide musical enter-

Members of the Dimmitt Dynamos will serve as greeters, and Dimmitt High School's Interact Club will be servers.

New officers and directors will be installed tonight. Doug Pybus will receive the president's gavel from Gene King, who has served two terms as Chamber president. Garland Coleman will be the new vice president, and Don Nelson will assume the secretary's post.

Chamber board members will include King, Chuck Braafladt, Carol Schroeder, Stan McDaniel, Richard Stahl, Don Sheffy, W.J. Hill, Jimmy Evans and Marlos May.

Associate board members, who will serve two-year terms, include Bob Towler, Garner Ball, Reta Welch, Danny Newton, Harry Jones and Rick Wright. They will assume their duties after the banquet.



ABEL GONZALES, TODD ALEXANDER AND ESMAEL YZAGUIRRE get ready for the best part of snow-a snowball fight. The three Dimmitt youngsters were enjoying the two inches of snow on the ground Saturday morning. Later in the day and throughout Saturday night, the city received another five inches of snow, bringing the official total to seven inches.

# Storm dumps twelve inches

A mid-winter storm that paralyzed much of the southwestern US dumped twelve inches of snow in Dimmitt and brought the county to a standstill Sunday.

Almost all Dimmitt churches canceled Sunday services after five inches of snow fell late Saturday and early Sunday atop two inches of snow that fell beginning late Thursday.

Just as the region was beginning to dig out from the snow, another round of snow Tuesday morning produced over an inch of new snow.

The first storm caused Friday night basketball games to be moved around, with the Nazareth at Bovina games moved up one hour and the Floydada-Dimmitt junior varsity games canceled. The weekend storm also brought out the first wave of snow plows that remained busy through the weekend, finally getting a rest Monday evening.

While the plows had cleared most of the county's major highways, city streets remained snowpacked through the early part of the week. Work crews and business owners cleared snow from some parking lots and sidewalks, but several fender-benders were reported to Dimmitt police.

Before the roads were cleared, highway travel was treacherous. Portions of US 385 were blocked for a short time because of vehicles sliding out of control on ice-slickened banked curves and blizzard-like conditions. No major accidents were reported.

Snows seemed to be most concentrated in the area from Dimmitt northward. KDHN, where the official weather observations for Dimmitt are recorded, measured 12.25 inches of snow and 1.15 inch of moisture.

Unofficial reports included six inches at Sunnyside and Frio, four inches around Nazareth, five inches in the Flagg area, and eight inches at Easter.

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

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KDHN RADIO **US Weather Observer** 

# City surveying sewer changes

Dimmitt city aldermen voted Monday to begin survey work on a pond system that could replace the city's 18-year-old "racetrack" sewage system.

The city has been experiencing increasing problems with the present system, installed in 1969 after a \$200,000 revenue bond issue passed. The system was designed and built in West Germany, and most of the parts must be ordered from West Germany, creating

weeks of delays in obtaining needed

According to City Engineer Bill McMorries of Amarillo, the existing treatment plant would need to be refurbished in the next two years at a cost of \$125,000 to \$150,000, and would extend the plant's life by eight to 10 additional years.

"We believe that the pond system is much more cost effective than to refurbish the existing plant," Mc-Morries said in a letter to the aldermen.

McMorries said the pond system would have less-strict Bio-chemical Oxygen Demand (BOD) requirements than the oxidation ditch requirements currently clamped on the city sewage treatment plant. That BOD level was the bone of contention in recent problems between the city, the Texas Water Commission and local industry.

TWC officials in Amarillo gave their blessing to the pond system during a recent meeting with Mc-Morries and City Manager Reeford Burrous. According to the TWC, the system would be basically odorfree and should easily meet discharge requirements.

Aldermen voted to take the initial rates.

step of having McMorries survey land adjacent to the present plant site to determine the amount of earthwork that would be needed for the ponds to eventually discharge clean water into the playa lake also adjacent to the site, northeast of the

The aldermen also agreed to have McMorries draw up specifications for the 1987 street seal coating program, which will cover 52,000 square yards of city streets, and joined the Texas Civil Justice League, an arm of the Texas Municipal League which is lobbying the state legislature for tort reform in an effort to lower liability insurance

It's finally winter—for the first

time in two years.

A friend told me that he missed winter last year—he was home in bed with the flu during all three days of it.

If you happen to own a frontloader or a tractor with a blade, you're this week's co-winner of the Winter Festival Popularity Contest.

TV evangelist Oral Roberts has created quite a controversy with his latest appeal for money. He says he has to raise \$8 million for medical student scholarships by sometime in March or "God has told me He will take me." Many TV stations that carry his programs are cancelling him, claiming his latest appeal is an

unethical use of the medium.

It's not the first time Roberts has gotten in trouble over his appeals for money, or his use of it.

Some years ago, he claimed that he had seen a huge apparition of Christ that told him to build a multisite in Tulsa. Which he did. The hospitals, and the construction of at \$100 million each. the new one threw all of them into a all still struggling.

One can't argue with Roberts' says he has seen or heard. But the ways in which Roberts and all the other TV evangelists use their donaBy Don Nelson

tions pose some serious questions. According to George W. Cornell of the Associated Press, Roberts' organization had an annual budget of \$120 million in 1985 — third largest among the main TV evangelists. Pat Robertson had the biggest million-dollar hospital at a certain budget in 1985 at \$233 million, followed by Jimmy Swaggart, \$140 only problem was that Tulsa already million; Roberts, \$120 million; and had a full complement of good Jim Bakker (PTL) and Jerry Falwell

According to the AP, these five financial bind. I understand they're TV-ministry budgets, which totaled \$693 million, supported one church, one hospital, three schools and faith or what divine presences he some mission work, in addition to the cost of their television and radio ministries.

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# Fund established

A benefit fund for the Celso Medrano family of Dimmitt has been established by the Castro County Ministerial Alliance.

The Medranos lost their 1973 mobile home, which was parked at the Rafter 3 Feedyard, and their possessions in an early morning fire

Dimmitt Fire Department, the blaze was reported at 2:30 a.m. Sunday and was caused by a possible electrical shortage.

The house and its contents were ruled a total loss in the fire.

The couple have three children, a 9-year-old daughter, a 2 1/2-yearold son and a 9-month-old son.

Anyone wishing to make donations should send them to the Ministerial Alliance Treasurer, c/o First Baptist Church, 1201 Western Cir-

According to officials from the cle Drive, Dimmitt, Tex., 79027. Clothes and household items will also be accepted at the Immaculate

Conception Catholic Church rectory, 903 West Halsell in Dimmitt.

from the Amarillo paper after Christmas.

In this coming year of 1987, it is our hope that you may have

Enough happiness to keep you

strong, Enough sorrow to keep you

human, Enough failure to keep you

humble,

Enough hope to keep you hap-

eager,

Enough friends to give you comfort,

needs,

forward,

Enough faith to banish depression,

Enough determination to make each day a better day than yesterday.

On the "Enough trials to keep you strong," I think I am getting too strong!

I had an enjoyable four days last week. I kept Alice and Molly Young while their parents, Richard and Colletta Young, Evangelism Conference.

attended the same conference Vandiver and Nancy Hays of happy thought, "I know what I'll and while they were in the Dal- Hereford. las area they visited Rev. Ken's father who is in the hospital.

Home Energy Assistance Program,

according to Texas Department of Human Services Commissioner

Johnston said the one-time pay-

ment is available to many low-

income households. Applications

for energy assistance were mailed to

households that received food

stamps, Aid to Families with De-

pendent Children or Supplemental

Security Income in December. Oth-

er low-income individuals may request an application from local

DHS offices during the enrollment

period which extends through Feb.

Eligibility is limited by gross

income and resources. This year,

because of budget cuts and partici-

pation rates, the benefits for the

winter program may be lower than

last year's. Aid is available for a

one-person household having less

than \$555.49 gross income per

month. The gross income limits are

\$745.49 for households of two per-

sons, \$935.49 for three, \$1,125.49

for four, \$1,315.49 for five and

Households are eligible if the

cost for heating is included in the

rent payment or if the household

pays a portion of its home energy

directly to the people who are eligi-

ble for assistance. However, the

checks are made payable to the

Persons receiving one of these

energy assistance checks should mail it or take it in person to the

energy company business office

with their regular energy bill. The

check can be cashed only by the

energy company. If the HEAP

check is more than the energy bill,

Energy assistance checks are sent

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energy company.

costs.

Marlin Johnston.

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Here is something I copied Mary Emma Matthews presided over the meeting and Gary Allen, the hospital administrator, spoke before the group.

Mearle Morgan came over from Bovina and had lunch with a few friends, Ruth Hays, Mauzee Youts, Irene Carpenter, Hazel Bagwell, Connie Ivey, Billye Enough trials to keep you Wesson, Oleta Walser, Mary Edna Hendrix and Wilton Graef from Hale Center. Mearle is a former Dimmitt resident.

The WMU of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Cora West on Tuesday morning. Jennifer Miller presided over the Enough success to keep you meeting. Don Ella Bates from Amarillo was the guest speaker. Maria Reyes gave her testimony. Other members present were Enough wealth to meet your Mary Lou Webb, Jewell Scott, Irene Carpenter, Mauzee Youts, Enough enthusiasm to look Mary Edna Hendrix, Velma Lambright, and Ettie McDermitt.

The Dimmitt Eastern Star is sponsoring a chili supper at the Senior Citizens Center on Saturday at 5:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Tickets are \$3 donations for adults and \$2 for children 12 and under. Tickets are available from any Eastern Star member.

Sue Merritt was hostess to some friends for lunch on Tuesday at the Calico Teapot, the new tearoom in Dimmitt. The went to Dallas to attend the food and fellowship was enjoyed by Myrtle Lois Moran, Shirley Rev. Ken and Roberta Cole Stephens, Carole Dyer, Esta

The Hospital Auxiliary met Wednesday afternoon with the people who live in the Panfor their monthly business meet- Diane Townsend presiding. handle like it this way. ing at Plains Memorial Hospital. D'Lynda Evans gave an infor-

Energy assistance available

mative review of the book Smart But Feeling Dumb by Harold Levinson. This is a book about dyslexia.

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Mildred Bradford and Mary Jo Brown served party sandwiches and hot punch from a pretty table decorated with a "Popcorn Snowman" in a bed of popcom.

Opha Burks was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Ferne Dickey won high score and Johnnie Vannoy won second high score. Others playing were Bernice Hill, Emily Clingingsmith, Era Heckerson, Susie Reeves, Louise Mears, Oleda Schumacher and Alice Collyer.

#### A FABLE

It was one of those days when God was creating the Earth. He was working in Texas as darkness fell at the end of the day and had to quit. He gave the Great Plains of West Texas a smoothing stroke and said to Himself, "In the morning I'll come back and make it pretty like the rest of the world with lakes and streams and mountains and trees."

But the next morning when He returned, it had hardened like concrete overnight. As He thought about having to tear it out and make it over, He had a do," He said, "I'll make some The Dimmitt Book Club met people who like it this way." And at Rhoads Memorial Library that is how it came about that

George Autry

surprise birthday party for Ann Freeman, Earline West and Tina Ethington at K-Bob's last Thursday. Those attending were Jo

Zona Vilas was hostess to a Eddy Riley, Elsie Smith, Betty Rawlings.

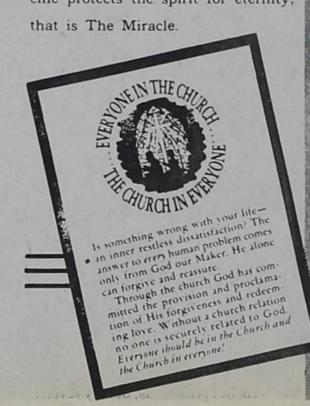
The Rotary Club, meeting in being celebrated.

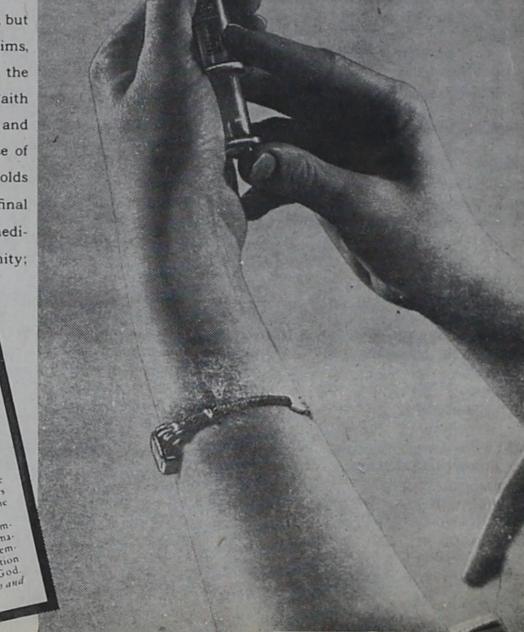
the next room, lustily sang Happy Birthday, even though they didn't know whose birthday was

A Miracle

odern medicine with its wonder drugs is truly miraculous; it gives protection against almost every disease of the body. But no doctor has any medicine to protect the human spirit from the stresses and strains of life.

There's only one protective medicine for the spirit; it is called faith in God. Not just any God, mind you, but the God whom the Bible proclaims, the Creator and Father of us all, the sovereign King of the universe. Faith in Him means to live by His will and make Him the one great purpose of life. For one who does that, life holds no fears and death is only the final doorway to fulfillment - that medicine protects the spirit for eternity;





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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 501 SE 3rd - 647-2402 Rev. Kenneth Carroll, Pastor Sunday-

Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship6:00
Wednesday—
Wednesday Service
LEE STREET BAPTIST
Phone 647-2300
Sunday—
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Morning Worship
Training Union 6:00
Wednesday—
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	Pastor Vernon Nevill 309 NW 4th - 647-3403
Su	nday—
Su	nday School
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	ednesday Service 7:00
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Morning Worship and Lord's Supper . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10:50 Evening Worship ......7:00 Bible Study ......7:00

Sunday-

LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA "Full Gospel" - 400 NE 5th Pastor Ruben Velasquez Morning Worship ......11:00 Wednesday-Wednesday Night ......7:30 Friday-

Nazareth - 945-2616

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4	Sunday Morning Masses 9:00
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Evening Reconcilation	
Evening Mass	
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SW 4th at Bedford Sunday

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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH 1001 W. Halsell - 647-4219

Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator Morning Mass ......8:00 Morning Mass ......9:30 Weekday Mass-Reconciliations-PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Western Circle Drive** Edward D. Freeman, Pastor Sunday-Church School . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10:00 

Bible Study ......7:00 LA IGLESIA DE DIOS

**DEL PRIMOJENITO** East Halsell St.

Sunday-Sermon ......11:00 Lord's Supper and Feet Washing .....11:30 Evening Worship .......7:30 Wednesday-

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# We Salute

## Our School Nurses

This week has been School Nurse Week, and we want to take this opportunity to salute the school

nurses of our county. The nurses in the Dimmitt schools are Carol Lantz and Grace Killough. This is Carol's 20th year as school nurse and Grace's 18th year.

The school nurse for Hart is Retta Knox who is in her 12th year of service.

Nazareth's nurse is Denise Gerber, who has been the nurse there for four years.

These women have a combined service total of 54 years! Don't think they couldn't tell us a story or two. There couldn't possibly be one excuse that they haven't heard at some time or another. Their actions and words have to be adapted to each individual problem and situation. It must take a real diplomat as well as a talented nurse to see students and determine the seriousness of their complaints and then act accordingly ... track down mom or dad ... dispense a Bandaid ... prescribe an aspirin or suggest that they might possibly return to the classroom for the remainder of the day. (After all, the child they have seen 14 times already this year might possibly really be sick this time.) Then there are the accidents requiring immediate action, the broken bones, cuts requiring stitches, etc.

Indeed, school nurses earn their pay as well as the sympathy, gratitude and admiration of parents and teachers alike. We salute them all.



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## Social Security in Castro County

By TERRY J. CLEMENTS

Most people think of Social Security as something for the future. For some 37 million people receiving social security benefits, the future is now. For others, social security provides current protection against the loss of income because of disability and for one's family if the worker should die. This is why we say that Social Security touches everybody in one way or another.

Since this is the time of year when it's customary to make promises about changing future behavior in one's best interest, I am going to make some suggestions to change the way you view your Social Security and insure that you get the most out of the program.

The new year resolutions you should consider are as follows.

\*Check your Social Security number at work. To protect your social security earnings record, you should compare the name and number on your social security card with the name and number on your pay stubs, or the Form W-2 you receive in January. If the name and number notify your employer.

\*Check on your earnings record once every three years. A free form can be obtained from any Social Security office for this purpose. The lifetime earnings record is the basis on which benefits are paid. Generally, the higher the average annual earnings, the higher the benefits.

\*Learn what you need to know about Social Security. Do you know what benefits social security pays besides retirement, how old you have to be to become eligible for disability or suvivors benefits, how your benefits will compare with your prior earnings, how other pensions will affect your social security benefits? All of these facts are important if you are to use social bon monoxide, an odorless, invisisecurity protection in your financial security planning for a growing family or for retirement. Call your nearest social security office and

## Sarpalius appointed to committees

State Sen. Bill Sarpalius has been appointed to four key senate committees and will continue his role as chairman of the agriculture subcom-

Sarpalius, who will not be able to assume his duties in Austin until mid-February because of injuries sustained in a Dec. 26 ATV accident, was assigned to serve on the natural resources, state affairs, education and nominations committees.

"There are no better committees in the senate than the five we're serving on," Sarpalius said. "All you have to do is look at the subjects that come before those committees to realize how important they are to the people of the Panhandle."

Sarpalius has served on the Natural Resources committee and chaired its ag subcommittee since he was a freshman senator in 1981.

Sarpalius is in satisfactory condition in Amarillo's Northwest Texas Hospital after having twice undergone surgery to remove loose bone fragments and fuse bone to vertabra The Singing Farmers, Terri Loudder in an effort to ward off permanent and Zelda Ellison. damage to his back.

Sarpalius could be released from charge, but donations will be ac-NWTH soon, but is expected to cepted, and all proceeds will benefit require at-home recuperation time the Nuclear Waste Task Force and before taking on his duties in Aus- its efforts. Everyone is encouraged

ask for the booklet "Your Social Security," which provides a general explanation on how the program

\*Know the five times you should contact Social Security. In general, there are five instances you should get in touch with your social security office. These include when someone in the household retires, becomes disabled, dies, needs a social security number or has a question about social security.

\*Start retirement planning NOW. Most experts agree that, with people generally living longer and staying in better health, the earlier you start planning for retirement, the better. Social Security benefits are designed to be a base for retirement, not your total retirement income. You need to start building on that base now, through private insurance, savings and investment and similar means.

There are probably other actions are not exactly the same, you should you need to take, but they will probably occur to you if you make and act on these five resolutions.

If you have any questions you may contact us at 1401-B West Fifth or call us at 293-9623. Appointments can be arranged if de-

ble, poisonous gas, and where there

is fire without adequate ventilation,

from accidental carbon monoxide

poisoning, and many more become

ill. According to the Vital Statistics

Bureau of the Texas Dept. of

Health, 42 people died last year in

Texas. Myra Winfield, environmen-

tal quality specialist for the TDH,

said the number of carbon monox-

ide poisonings rise in periods of

extreme cold, when some people

duct of incomplete combustion,"

"Carbon monoxide is a by-pro-

Panhandle Agri Partners, the lo-

cal chapter of WIFE, will sponsor a

"Don't Waste Texas" benefit for the

Nuclear Waste Task Force Feb. 7 at

to NWTF's efforts to keep a nuclear

waste repository out of the West

with a hamburger supper followed

by an evening of musical entertain-

ment including Flatland Bluegrass,

There will be no admission

The benefit begins at 6:30 p.m.

Monies raised at the event will go

the Expo Building in Dimmitt.

sacrifice fresh air for warmth.

**NWTF** 

benefit

Texas area.

set Feb. 7

Annually, 40 to 60 Texans die

the gas can reach lethal levels.

Carbon monoxide

Where there is smoke, there is Winfield said. "A flickering or low

Where there is fire, there is car- ately, more gas than a hot fire."

requires caution

## **Babbling Brooks**

By John Brooks

Another Panhandle Sports Hall of Fame ceremony is about to come and go, and Junior coffey is still not a member of the PSHOF.

I think it's time to get him in

Junior was more than a one-sport athlete. He was a football great, playing for the Bobcats, Washington State, and Green Bay and Atlanta in the NFL.

Junior Coffey was also the first black player to play in the UIL State Basketball Tournament, playing on a pair of state runner-up teams in 1960 and 1961.

already inducted into the PSHOF, John Blaine, Lometa Odom and Pat Tate, you kind of get goosebumps. Then when you see the names of people who have won honors, things really do get kind of shivery all over.

Among the folks honored, and I don't think the list is complete, are Sandy Oliver, Brenda Schulte, Joe King, Bud Birks, Kenneth Cleveland, Kevin Cleveland, Phil King, Dwight McDonald, Kim King, Mona Heiman and Leona Gerber.

Now, isn't it time we had one of the best-ever football players ever from this area, a man who paved the way for black athletes in the UIL, into the PSHOF?

burning flame gives off, proportion-

Automobile exhausts, unvented or

faulty pilot lights and heaters, smol-

dering fireplaces, and slow burning

fuels like charcoal release high lev-

els of carbon monoxide into the air.

other elements in the air and is

relatively safe. Indoors, without

ventilation, carbon monoxide

"Many people have experienced

the early effects of carbon monox-

ide poisoning without knowing the

cause," Winfield said. "Anyone who

has awakened with a headache or

dizziness, after sleeping in a closed

room with an unvented heater, may

have felt a mild stage of poisoning."

places oxygen in the bloodstream,

with the oxygen deficiency causing

headache, nausea, dizziness and

weakness which can progress to

coma and death. Several hours or

days may be required for a victim to

regain normal oxygen levels in the

blood, and may require emergency

Winfield said persons who sus-

pect their homes or workplaces con-

tain dangerous levels of carbon mo-

noxide should see that all applian-

ces using flames are properly vent-

If a serious problem of carbon

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ed, and that fresh air can circulate.

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> Now, I guess to make up for lost time, about 20% of all M&Ms will be red, and America will again be in balance.

And have red spots on its hands.

Some folks have waited for days to get just one shot at a passing deer. Anyone who has done any deer hunting knows there is some luck involved.

And then there's J.T. Maner of Harper, who was lucky to begin with by beating five-to-one odds to get to hunt on the Chaparral Wildlife Management Area down in Dimmit and LaSalle counties in December.

## Girl Scouts are honored

Members of Girl Scout Troop 242 in Dimmitt were honored at a Court-of-Awards ceremony Friday.

Junior Girl Scouts awarded the Bridge include Shelly Mayhew, Kelly Mayhew, Amy Boothe, Phebe Sams, Leslie Evans, Kim Thomas, Rochelle Harman and Tiffany

Sams, Boothe, Harman and Smith were awarded the Dabbler Badge for Well - Being and the Wildlife Badge. Wildlife Badges were also presented to Evans and

The troop has worked on cleaning up the downtown mini-park in Dimmitt and have planted tulip bulbs for the spring season as their community service project for the first school semester.

## Nurses give cancer programs

Dimmitt school nurses Carol Lantz and Grace Killough presented a program on cancer problems in men Monday at the meeting of the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club.

The program, part of "School Nurse Awareness Week," included two films about cancers limited to men, and warnings about dangers from smokeless tobacco.

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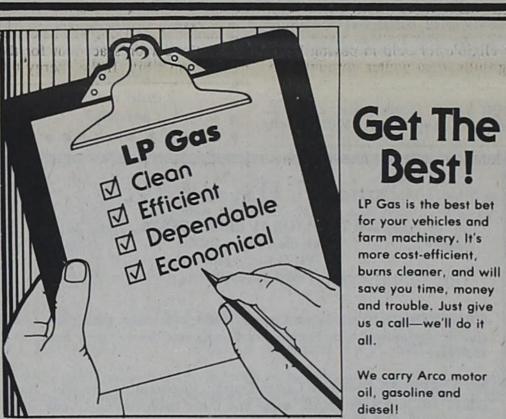
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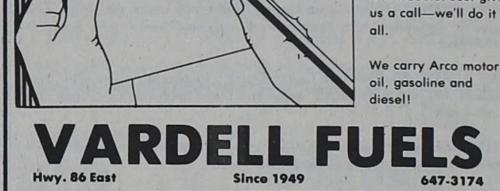
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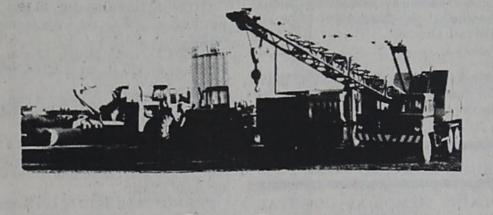
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very much. C. A. and Oleada Hance and Family

## 15 — LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF SALE

REAL PROPERTY

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out the 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on July 21, 1986, in Cause No. 5429, styled TIDE PRODUCTS, INC., Plaintiff, vs. L.W. FARRIS and RICKY FAR-RIS, Defendants, I, LONNIE RHYNES, Sheriff of Castro County, Texas, in accordance with said Order of Sale, did on January 12, 1987, at 8:50 o'clock A.M., levy upon the following described real estate lying and being situated in Castro County, Texas, as the property of the said

RICKY FARRIS, to-wit: An undivided two-thirds interest in and to the following described

tract of land: Being 19.59 acres, more or less, out of the NW corner of Section No. 54, Block 10-T, T&NO Ry. Co. Survey, Castro County, Texas, being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the original 2 in.

pipe stake set by Surveyor Twichell

for the Northwest corner of Section 54

and the Northeast corner of Section 59, both in Block 10-T, from which a similar stake set for the Northwest corner of Section 59 bears West: THENCE South along the East line of Section 59 and the West line of Sec-

tion 54 at 2065 ft. set a 3/8 in. rebar stake in roadbed for the Southwest corner of this tract: THENCE East at 136 ft. set a 3/8 in.

rebar stake;

8-45-tfc

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tion 54 and the South line of Section 53, same Block; THENCE West 497.7 ft. to the place of beginning and containing 19.59 acres of land; and being the same land described in that certain warranty

deed dated October 27, 1964, recorded

in Volume 113, page 336, Deed

Records of Castro County, Texas. You are further notified that on February 3, 1987, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m. on said day at the Courthouse door of Castro County, Texas, in Dimmitt, Texas, all of the right, title and interest of the said RICKY FARRIS in and to the above described property will be offered for sale and sold at

public auction for cash. WITNESS my hand this the 12th day of January, 1987. LONNIE RHYNES, Sheriff

Castro County, Texas By: Jerry W. Jansa 15-17-3tc cooperative organization. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a suit has been filed in this Court that may affect your legal interests. This case has been certified by the Court as a class action by the plaintiffs against the defendants. A class action is a lawsuit in which one or more persons can sue certain named defendants on behalf of other persons in the same or similar situation. The records in this case indicate that you are in the same or similar situation as the defendants, and that you are a member of the class the named defendants represent. The Court has ruled that the defendants may prosecute this lawsuit on behalf of all persons who are members and stockholders of Southern Farm Supply Association, Inc.

AS MEMBER, OF THIS CLASS, YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED IN THE FOLLWING MANNER:

1. Plaintiffs instituted this action on November 29, 1984, as Cause No. 65,323-C in this Court against the following defendants, Bushland Grain Co-Op, United Farm Industries, Dalhart Consumers Fuel Association, Inc., Abernathy Consumers Fuel Association of Hale County, Farmers Cooperative, White Deer Supply Co-Op, and Consumers Fuel Co-Op Association, Inc.

2. Plaintiffs allege that this action is brought against not only the named defendants but against all members and stockholders of Southern Farms Supply Association, Inc.

3. Plaintiffs allege that they are ready, willing, and able to pay the remaining funds to such persons or entities as are legally entitled thereto, but that they are uncertain as to the priorities of distribution of proceeds to the holders of second preferred shares, holders of preferred shares which were not exchanged for second preferred stock and holders of common stock. Plaintiffs further allege that these conflicting claims will or may expose them to multiple liability.

4. In answers filed in this action defendants United Farm Industries, Abernathy Consumers Fuel Association of Hale County, Dalhart Consumers Fuel Association, Inc. and Bushland Grain Co-Op generally deny the matters set forth in Plaintiffs' pleading. Additionally, Bushland Grain Co-Op alleges that it is entitled to receive the sum of \$2,158.23 plus all accrued dividends that are unpaid plus \$75.00 representing the par value of the common stock plus all interest allowed by

5. Plaintiffs have deposited with the registry of the Court all funds within their possession and control. These funds total \$287,429.22.

YOU ARE NOT BEING SUED. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT THAT YOU ATTEND COURT, HIRE A LAWYER, OR PAY ANY COSTS OF THIS LITIGATION. IF YOU CHOOSE, YOU MAY HIRE YOUR OWN ATTORNEY AND AP-PEAR IN THIS ACTION. YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING YOUR OWN ATTORNEYS

YOU ARE FURTHER ADVISED THAT AS A MEMBER OF THE CLASS, under Texas law:

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B. The total amount of recovery in the action may be reduced by attorneys fees and expenses which are incurred in the prosecution of this litigation, all of which will be paid from the funds prior to the distribution of net proceeds to the class members.

C. The attorneys representing the J. Edward Line

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If you desire to remain in the class, no action on your part is necessary. D. You may be subjected to a cross complaint or some other affirmative action by the defendants.

E. You may contact the attorneys for defendants listed above for further information concerning this action.

Further, the Court, by initially certifying the above constituted class in this action, does not at present express any opinion as to the merits of this action.

Signed this 10 day of November,

Naomi Harney Judge Presiding 15-18-1tc

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#### 15 - LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE CONTRACTOR NOTICE OF TEXAS

Mowing of State Department of Highways and Public Transportation Right-of-Way

Sealed bids for mowing highway right-of-way will be received, publicly opened and read on January 30, 1987, at the Lubbock District Office, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, according to the following time schedule:

Interstate 27, Parmer, Terry 'North', Terry 'South', Castro, Floyd, and Dawson 'North' at 9:00 a.m.; Dawson 'South', Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock 'A', Lubbock 'B', Cochran, and Bailey at 1:00 p.m.; Yoakum, Hale, Crosby, Gaines 'West', Gaines 'East', Lynn and Swisher at 3:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. on January 26, 1987, at the Lubbock District Office, 601 Slaton

that it will affirmatively insure that of race, color or national origin in con-Maintenance Office for the above mentioned counties and at the office of J.W. Gooch, Director of Programs, 601 Slaton Road, Lubbock, Texas.

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given as provided in Article 2544 and 1664f (V.T.C.S.) that the Castro County Commissioners Court at its regular meeting on February 9, 1987 will receive bids from banking institutions in this County that may desire to be selected as the depository of the County funds. Bids will be received until 10:00 A.M. on February 9, 1987. Castro County reserves the right to reject any or all

-s-Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. County Judge Castro County, Texas 15-17-2tc

## Happy Anniversary

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

JANUARY 22 - Dennis and Katharine Huseman, D.L. and Rachel Cleaver, Jeff and Karen Robertson.

JANUARY 23 - Carl and Gail JANUARY 24-Larry and Jean Morris, Olan and Leslie Moore.

JANUARY 25-John and Doricell Davis, Ronnie and Kay Gfeller, Duane and Nan Davis, Gary and Charlotte Motley. JANUARY 26-Chuck and Windi

Pevehouse, Jerry and Carolyn Jansa. JANUARY 27 - James and Chunky Wilhelm.

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# What's Cooking

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for the week of Jan. 26 through 30.

ENTREPRENEUR IN ACTION—Joe Granados

made the best of a bad situation, shoveling snow

off sidewalks and driveways in Dimmitt. Granados

DIMMITT

MONDAY-Barbecue on as bun, tater tots, pork and beans, fruit cocktail and milk. TUESDAY - Mexican fiesta, buttered rice, lettuce and tomato salad, peaches and

WEDNESDAY-Chili beans, combread, spinach, apricot cobbler and milk.

THURSDAY-Baked turkey with gravy, creamed potatoes, mixed vegetables, rolls, butter, Jello with fruit and milk.

FRIDAY — Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onion, chocolate pudding

HART

MONDAY-Chicken fried steak, wheat cobbler and milk. rolls, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, peach cobbler and milk.

combread, buttered spinach, fried okra, cake

WEDNESDAY- Cheeseburgers, French fries, salad, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY-Baked ham, rolls, candied yams, green beans, apple cobbler and milk. FRIDAY-Enchilada casserole, tortillas, buttered corn, tossed salad, pineapple cake

NAZARETH

MONDAY-Tacos, lettuce, cheese, com, hot rolls, applesauce and milk.

TUESDAY - Chicken pie, cranberry sauce, peas and carrots, peanuts, hot buttered bread, pears and milk.

WEDNESDAY-Beef stew, fruit salad, combread, and milk. THURSDAY - Chalupas, peas, apple

FRIDAY - Hot turkey sandwich, fried okra, peanuts, peaches and milk.

## More about

# Combest

(Continued from Page 1)

portion of funding to the Dept. of Energy only prevented the drilling of a large underground shaft necessary for site characterization work.

"Nothing else was slowed down," Combest said. "I believe the (Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982) was violated with the dropping of second-round site, and I believe all site characterization work should be stopped until all of our questions have been answered."

Combest said opponents to the dump "are not in the greatest political shape to get something done. All of the states which are above the Ogallala Aquifer are pretty supportive of the efforts to prevent the work and the placement of the repository here, but we're opposed by Congressmen from other areas because nobody really wants it."

Combest said efforts to stop the dump have picked up support from congressmen in the Houston area, because nuclear waste would be shipped through the Port of Houston, and from areas along interstate highways on which the waste could

be trucked to the site 40 miles north of Dimmitt.

The Lubbock congressman had high hopes that his resolution to limit the proposed Congressional pay raise would pass both houses and be signed by President Ronald Reagan.

"It is not time for congressmen and judges to take a pay raise," Combest said. "This pay raise is not a good signal to send to our district." Combest said the original plan was to hike congressional salaries from \$77,000 to \$138,000 annually, but has since been reduced to a \$12,000 boost to \$89,-

The raise would also go to federal judges.

## Sunday afternoon. 4-H Show

and friends Isaac Sandoval and Chris Calderon

made the rounds during a break in the weather

Castro County News \*

The Castro County 4-H Stock Show will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. in the lamb barn at the Expo

All animals must be weighed in by 11 a.m. The entry fee is \$2 per

County 4-H clubs will man a *Please shop Dimmitt first!* 

January 22, 1987

Happy Birthday

[Compiled from the Community

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kers, the Nazareth Swift Band and the

JANUARY 22 - Rosalie Davis,

Beverly Schulte, Jaci Ramaekers,

Jane Behrends, Heidi Bruegel, Heath-

er Jetter, Melvin Summers, Ada Nik-

ko Williams, Deanne Clark, Thomas

JANUARY 23 - Clara Patton,

Travis Hampton Jr., Greg Odom, Ed

Watson, Bill Yokum, Marie Venhaus,

JANUARY 24-George Bagwell,

Shawna Kay Kenworthy, Ella Book,

Lynsey Hoelting, Greg Venhaus,

Neal Wilhelm, Matthew Kern, Gene

JANUARY 25-Estella Galindo,

JANUARY 26 - Darryl

Birkenfeld, Ray Bermea, Diana

Schacher, Wesley Bennight, Grady

Mason, Coby Moke, Donald Wright,

JANUARY 27 - J.R. Brown,

Gregg Sides, Zachary Smith, Linda

Griffith, Sylvia Hoelting, Roxane

Richardson, Joyce Birkenfeld, Janis

JANUARY 28-Derrick Schacher,

Johnny Hampton, Mitchell Brock-

man, Herman Birkenfeld, Annette

Hoelting, Jeanna Hanson, Debra

Bobby Crozier, Jack Bradford, Bob

James Wilhelm, Melissa Pohlmeier.

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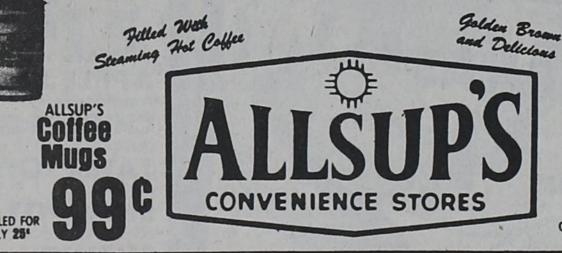
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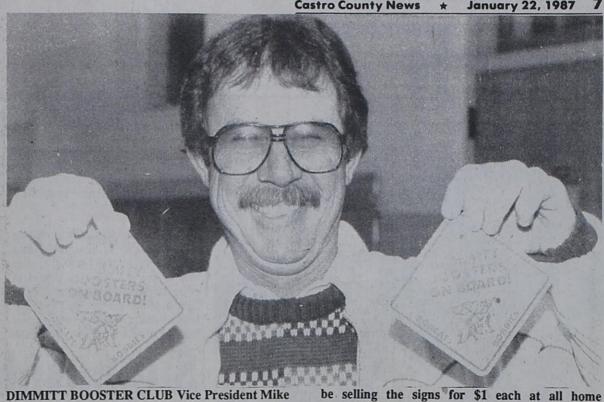
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basketball games. The boosters will also have new seat cushions available at Friday's Dimmitt-Tulia game at the DMS gym.

## Ministerial Alliance

Good Samaritan Counseling Center in Amarillo is sponsoring a seminar on pastoral care and counseling at the Episcopal Church Conference Center in north Amarillo Monday through Wed-

Ken Cole will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of I Thessalonians 4:13-5:11 Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the library of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in the Hospital: T.D. Davila, Damacio Barron, Maria Asua, Gregory Harper, John Arledge, Dora Valadez.

Patients Dismissed: George Blanton, Martha Martinez, Quida Willis, Anita Ralston, Phyllis Mooney, Ruby Maples, Esteban Garcia, Gregory Ramirez, Lauro Jackson, Walter Kellum, Marjorie Boothe, Jimmy Williams, Rose Muniz, Ruth Voyles, Maria Anes, Brian Klein, Martha Ontiveros.

## RWSWCD taking tree orders

being accepted through mid-March by the Running Water Soil and

students to visit

13 AFS foreign exchange students from across the Panhandle have been invited to the annual AFS Weekend today through Sunday in

Students will arrive today to spend the weekend with several local families, and will attend school Friday in Dimmitt. The students will attend varied activities Saturday, including a luncheon party and a meeting in the Lamar Fellowship Hall at the First United Methodist Church at 8 p.m.

"The visiting students will talk about their home country at the church Saturday," said local AFS volunteer Marty Benton. "Anyone who would be interested in hosting a student or going into the AFS program is invited to attend."

Orders for windbreak trees are Water Conservation District at SW Third and Bedford in Dimmitt.

This year's program will include 35 species, with new varieties in the program including Bur Oak, Desert Willow, Little Walnut, Keteleer Juniper, Pfitzer Juniper, Arborvitae and Burkett Pecan.

Bareroot species include 27 varieties with a minimum of 50 trees for \$20. Potted varieties come in orders of 30 for \$40.

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## KILLINGSWORTH True Value Home Center

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MR. AND MRS. RUDOLPH LITSCH of Nazareth will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary with an open house Feb. 1 in the American Legion Hall at Nazareth. The event, hosted by their nieces and friends, will be held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

## Area students named to SPC Dean's List

"We are very proud of these

lastic achievements at SPC," said

academic affairs. "They have

proved themselves to be highly suc-

sets meeting

Pro-Family Forum will meet next

David Schaeffer will be the fea-

tured speaker and will talk on the

The public is invited to attend.

Thursday, Jan. 29 at 7:30 p.m. in

the community room at Farmers

cessful college students.

Forum

State Bank in Hart.

new tax laws.

Four students from Dimmitt and Leona Gerber and Dezane Schach-Nazareth have been named to the er. Dean's Honor List for the fall semester at South Plains College in students and their outstanding scho-Levelland.

To qualify for the Dean's List, Dr. Robert Cloud, vice president for students must maintain a 3.25 grade point average while carrying at least 12 semester hours.

Students from Dimmitt named to the list are Pauline Porter and Kelly Schilling.

Pro-Family

Nazareth students included were



John Smith

## John Smith named to Who's Who

John Smith has been named for inclusion in the 1987 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colle-

Smith, a student at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview, is a senior physical education major and has been involved in numerous campus activities. He has been named to the Dean's List throughout his college career.

Smith joins 29 WBU students who have been named to Who's Who. Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of WBU students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

Smith, a graduate of Dimmitt High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Smith of Dimmitt.

## MARARARARARARARARARA The Calico Teapot

647-4424 for Reservations Menu, Jan. 26-30

MONDAY - Mexicali Cheese Sandwich, Vegie-Beef Soup, Seasonal Fruit Salad, Lemon Chess Tarts. TUESDAY-Chicken 'n Rice Pockets, Tomato Cabbage Bisque, Garden Salad, Blueberry Tarts.

WEDNESDAY - Roast Beef on Homemade Bread, Wild Rice Soup, Leafy Greens, Chocolate Meringue

THURSDAY — Smoked Turkey on Homemade Bread, Corn Chowder, Granma Frank's Jello Salad, Lemon Meringue Tart.

FRIDAY - Sloppy Joes, Cheesy Vegetable Chowder, Garden Slaw, Pecan Pie Tarts.

Choice of Two, \$4.50. "The Works," \$5.50 

## Cataract surgery has high success rate

blindness among adults, but surgery offers a safe and successful means to restore vision in more than 95 out of 100 cases.

The Texas Medical Association says a cataract is an opaque area that occurs in the normally clear lens of the eye. Over a period of years, the cataract blocks or distorts light entering the eye and progressively reduces vision. In some cases the loss of vision is only slight and

warrant treatment.

Cataracts account for one out of every seven cases of blindness among Americans 45 years of age or over. Although most prevalent among older persons, a cataract can occur in young people and can sometimes be found in a baby's eyes at birth.

The main symptom of cataract is a deterioration of vision in the affected eye. In some cases, vision is also blurred. In others, it is worse in

Cataract is the leading cause of never becomes severe enough to bright sunlight. Cataracts cannot easily be seen by an observer, except in some advanced cases where the lens may become white, opaque and quite readily visible through the

> pupil. The most common cause of a cataract is deterioration of the lens related to the normal aging of a person and the eye. Among other causes are infection, injury to the eye, and certain diseases such as diabetes.

A cataract is not contagious, is

## By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

This is an abbreviated edition of the news because of the weather. We will have more next week.

A bridal brunch and shower honoring LaGwenda Turnello of Lubbock, daughter of Glen and LaWanda Wilson of Hart, will be held in the home of Verna Sadler Jan. 31 at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is invited.

Linda Sadler of Lubbock underwent major surgery in Lubbock Methodist Hospital Monday. Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler

her. They stayed with Dr. Myles, Gregory and Amy Sadler until Friday, seeing Linda during the day and staying with the children at

went down Monday night to see Wednesday night family prayer night. Amy was home with the flu.

Gale and Verna Sadler had supper in Lubbock Tuesday evening with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Lewis, and visited with ence Wednesday night but too late Myles and Linda at the hospital before returning home.

meeting and supper at the church. Activities were carried out as usual. Kathy Gwyn, Sheri Elkins and Phyllis Bridges had charge of the hot roast beef sandwich supper.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn, and Rev. Glen Smith of Sundown returned home from the Evangelism Conferfor church.

Margaret Ann Henderson of Attendance was back up for the Dimmitt drove J. C. and Toots Holbrooks to Lubbock Tuesday morning for his doctor's appointment. The doctor told him there was nothing more that he could do for him. He could not increase his medication or do anything for him in the hospital that he wasn't doing at home. Jackie Clark spaded their walks and bladed their drive in case of emergency Sunday.

not a kind of infection and is not a "skin" growing over the eye. It will not be made worse by using the eyes, nor can it be made better by medicines. There are no treatments, eye drops or other medications which will dissolve a cataract or slow down its progression.

The only effective treatment of cataract is surgery and although it is a delicate operation, it is the most common of all operations on the eye. The determination of when and if surgery is advised should be made by an opthalmologist. Many people with cataracts never experience visual difficulty to the point that surgery is needed.

Cataract operations involve a cut into the eye, made under the upper eyelid. Through the incision, the cloudy lens is removed wholly or in pieces.

Removal of the lens from the eye makes the eye very farsighted. This can be corrected by eyeglasses, a contact lens or a plastic lens placed in the eye at the time of the operation. With successful cataract surgery, a person may expect better vision as long as no other disease exists within the eye.

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## By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

Katie Elaine, infant daughter of Raymond and Kimmie Hüseman is a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She is being treated for spinal meningitis. She is slowly improving and her family thanks everyone for their prayers and concern. Her room is No. 526.

gery patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Her room is No. 211. Our prayers are with her for

Dorothy Guggemos and her sister Jo Ann of Houston spent the weekend in Amarillo at the hospital with their mother, Mrs. Vincent Guggemos, after her surgery.

Congratulations to Alan and Noreen Carson of Sweetwater on the birth of a girl, Jessica Jean, Jan. 6. Grandparents are Wayne and Peggy Carson of Olton and Georgie Kleman of Nazareth. Georgie spent several days in Sweetwater with the Carson family and their new baby.

Congratulations to John and Carol Gary of Levelland on the birth of a son, Scott Christopher, Jan. 17. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Gary of Ponca City, Okla., and Mrs. Vincent Guggemos is a sur- Lucille Drerup of Nazareth.

> Paul Venhaus is home to recuperate from having surgery in the Plainview Hospital last week. We wish him a speedy recovery.

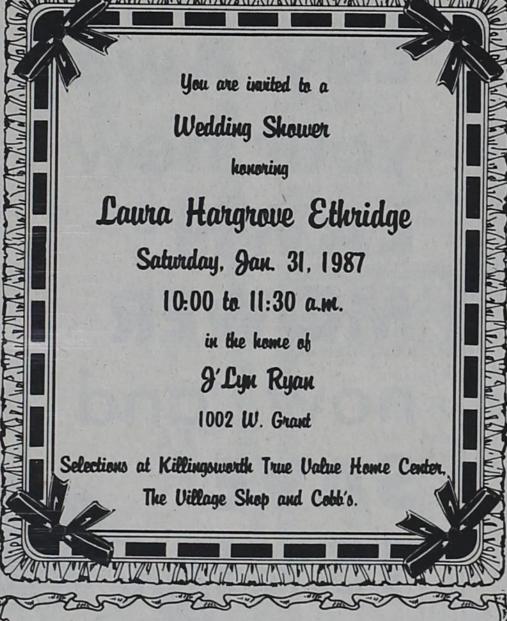


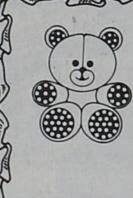
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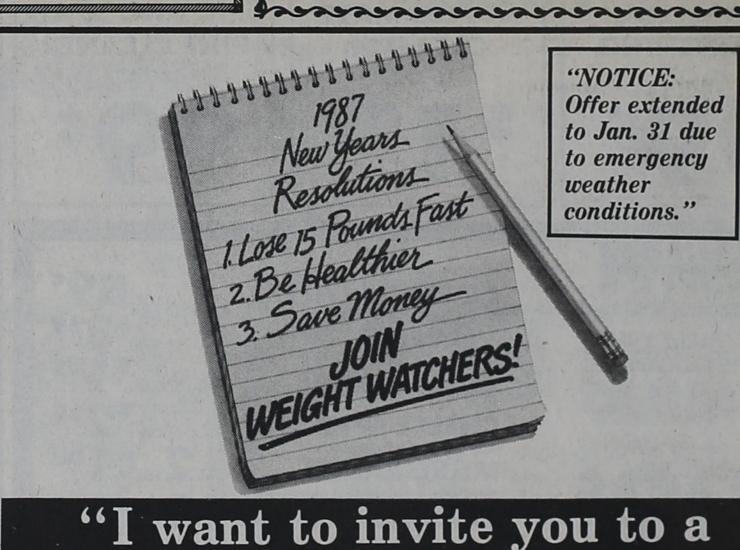
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# Beet growers give \$10,000

Beet Growers Association agreed Friday to match a \$10,000 contribution presented earlier to the Nuclear Waste Task Force by Holly Sugar.

Members of the Texas Sugar meeting Friday in the Hereford dump and that policy has been show the growers unanimously a similar contribution. "Holly Sugar ado. The growers, in their annual has made a statement on the nuclear

Community Center, voted unani- adopted as the policy of the growmously to donate the money to ers," said TSBGA President Bill ing that a permanent nuclear waste NWTF. Last year, Holly had made Cleavinger, who farms near Wildor- repository between Hereford and

back NWTF efforts and their feel-Vega would devastate the sugar Cleavinger said the donation will beet industry in the Panhandle -

> Earlier, Holly officials said its operations would probably be completely shut down by the selection of a site in Deaf Smith County because up to 10,000 acres of land would be acquired by the US government and Holly would lose its standing in the sugar market because of consumer fears resulting

Holly agricultural manager Denslightly above average, Printz said.

## Water deduction available

Recent federal tax reform legislation has not affected the cost-inwater income tax deduction allowed for water depleted from the Ogallala Aquifer during irrigation in the local area.

According to Joe Ehler of Richardson and Ehler, Certified Public Accountants, the accountant for the High Plains Water District, eligible landowners should continue to claim the water depletion deduction as they previously have.

Anyone who purchased, inherited or otherwise obtained land within the district's service area since 1948 and whose ground water is depleted

through irrigated farming is eligible Conservation District No. 1, 2930 to claim the tax deduction. For Ave. Q, Lubbock, 79405. landowners to claim the break, the Internal Revenue Service requires documentation of the price paid for the taxpayer's name, address and the water at the time of land acquisition, the quantity of ground water in storage at the time of purchase the land and the date of the land and yearly decline data.

The deduction is based on the price the landowner paid for the ground water in storage under the property at the time of acquisition.

Information on the deduction is available from Bobbie Bramblett at High Plains Underground Water

Necessary information includes Social Security or federal identification number, a legal description of acquisition. If a previous claim has been made, only the permanent reorder number is necessary.

The fee for 1986 decline data is \$5 per parcel if there is a decline. There is no charge if there is no Plains.

from the nuclear waste.

nis Printz said the 1986 harvest was completed Thursday after over 37,-000 acres were harvested and delivered. Beets this season averaged 12% sugar, down from the average of 14 to 15%. Yields in tons were

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The special sale of stockers and feeders that was scheduled for Friday, Jan. 23, has been postponed. However, we will have our regular sale Friday.

915 cattle and calves sold Friday, Jan. 16 at Tulia Livestock Auction. A light run of stocker calves sold steady to \$1.00 lower. Good feeder steers and heifers sold fully steady. Packer cows and bulls sold \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher.

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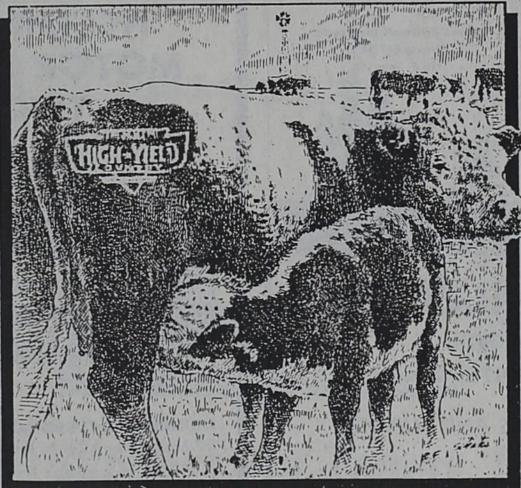


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# Sports Cats click into scoring gear

Through 21 games and a 10-11 record, the Dimmitt Bobcats had lead. played teams from Classes A, 2A, 4A and 5A, including two of the state's top rated teams, 2A Morton and 1A Paducah.

team in their own classification but not in the Bobcats' class—as Dimmitt dropped Floydada 77-45 in the District 2-3A opener at the Middle School gym.

The Bobbies evened their conference mark at 1-1 Friday with a 44-34 win over the Floydada girls.

Floydada entered the game 14-4 on the year-a record good enough to worry Dimmitt coach Kenneth Cleveland. But a balanced Bobcat attack which featured four players in double figures alleviated those fears in a hurry as the Bobcats had the game put away at halftime.

Floydada stayed close during the first quarter, but shot just 2-for-12 from the field during the second period and turned the ball over a half-dozen times, while the Bobcats made eight of 14 shots to outscore the Whirlwinds 16-5 in the second



## Scoreboard

FRIDAY SWIFTETTES 58, BOVINA 55 20 16 10 12 - 58 10 16 10 19 - 55 N-Sheila Acker 17, Stephanie Brockman

SWIFTS 70, BOVINA 58 23 18 17 12 — 70 17 16 17 8 - 58 N-Kenny Kern 20, Chris Schmucker 16.

**ABERNATHY 63, LADY LONGHORNS 41** 6 12 12 11 — 41 12 18 20 13 — 63 H-Wen wilson 15, Robbie Sarabia 14.

**ABERNATHY 51, LONGHORNS 33** 6 14 10 3 - 33 6 13 16 16 - 51 H-Paul Ramirez 13, Brett Ritter 8.

**BOBBIES 44, FLOYDADA 34** 8 3 11 11 — 34 10 9 11 14 — 44 Dimmitt D - Linda Saenz 17, Cara Odom and Molligay Waggoner 6. FG: 13/37-35%.

FT: 18/26-69%. FLOOR PLAY: Kristi Petty and Gloria Gauna 6R, Sydelle McDonald 9C.

**BOBCATS 77, FLOYDADA 45** 10 5 18 13 — 45 16 16 25 20 — 77 Floydada Dimmitt D-James Alexander 21, Jeremy Warren 21, Marc Bennett 13, Warren McDonald 10.

FG: 35/67-52%. FLOOR PLAY: McDonald 12C, Alexander 8C, 5R, Bennett 8C, 5R, Warren 8C, 7R.

TUESDAY MULESHOE 58, BOBBIES 42 8 10 12 12 — 42 11 18 15 14 — 58

D-Molligay Waggoner 22, Kristi Petty 8. JV BOBCATS 41, MULESHOE 28 8 9 14 10 - 41 10 8 4 6 - 28 D-Jason Long 18, Mat Bradley 13. FG: 20/62-32%.

FT: 1/6-17%. FLOOR PLAY-Bradley 9R, Reagan Frye,

JV BOBBIES 35, MULESHOE 33 4 10 10 11 - 35 3 9 5 16 - 33 D-Kalinda Dutton, Trisha Zimmer and Krystal Derrick 7.

**BOBCATS 108, MULESHOE 46** 24 26 22 36 - 108 4 9 14 19 - 46 D-James Alexander 18, Jeremy Waren 16, Warren McDonald 16, Marc Bennett 12, Blaine Gregory 10. FG: 48/72-67%.

FT: 12/15-80%. FLOOR PLAY: Alexander 10R, Bennett 7R, Warren 13C, McDonald 11C.

LADY LONGHORNS 51, LOCKNEY 23 4 9 5 5 — 23 6 18 10 17 — 51 H-Gwen Wilson 15, Cindy Knox 11, Lupe Mijares 10.

LONGHORNS 59, LOCKNEY 48 9 11 13 26 - 59 H-Brett Ritter 20, Paul Ramirez 15.

SWIFTETTES 75, LAZBUDDIE 33 Lazbuddie 10 2 13 8 — 16 15 24 20 - 75 N-Sheila Acker 22, Traci Hill 12, Rachel

SWIFTS 67, LAZBUDDIE 40 Lazbuddie 12 9 2 17 - 40 11 13 14 29 - 67 Nazareth N — Kenny Kern 17, Heath Schulte 13,

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The Bobcats opened the second half in a scoring frenzy, missing just three of 15 shots, while Floydada shot a cool seven-of-19, and conti-Last Friday, they finally played a nued the tear in the first half of the fourth quarter, outscoring Floydada 15-2 and grabbing a 72-35 lead with 3:40 left in the game.

> The same story was true for the Floydada girls, as the Whirlettes were just a little too icy from the floor. Floydada made just four of its 16 first half field goal tries and turned the ball over a dozen times.

> The Bobbies suffered eight turnovers in the first two quarters, and shot little better than Floydada, making just seven of 21 shots, but it was enough to give Dimmitt a 19-11 halftime lead.

Floydada made a short run at the Bobbies early in the third quarter, cutting the deficit to 21-17 with 4:15 left in the third quarter, but could edge no closer.

The Bobbies, playing without leading scorer Molligay Waggoner, opened their lead back up to nine

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Klein gets

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Brad Klein, a member of the

1986 Nazareth Swifts football team, has been awarded a football scho-

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late in the third quarter, 30-21, as rebounds than the Mules. Linda Saenz, who led all scorers straight free throws to ice the game in the period. for Dimmitt.

throws in the second half to seal front end of a two-shot foul to give their first district win.

Tuesday, the Bobcats unleashed their scoring machine, whipping past Muleshoe 108-46, while the Bobbies fell 58-42, a loss that may have spoiled their chances at a second-place finish and a trip to the playoffs.

It wasn't a perfect game for the Bobcats, but it was pretty darn close. The Bobcats put up 72 shots, Bobcats would later be red hot from and made 48 of them - 67%. Dimmitt also made 12 of 15 free

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The only Dimmitt doubts were with 17 points, hit a snowbird layup whether or not the Bobcats would and a foul shot. The Whirlettes reach the century mark, and those closed back to within four points, thoughts began popping into Bobcat 30-26, with 4:52 left to play after minds in the first quarter, when shutting the Bobbies down in the Dimmitt held a 20-0 lead with 2:09 first 3:28 of the final period, but to play in the first quarter. Mule-Kristi Petty broke the drought with shoe's Ronnie Perez averted the a basket and Linda Saenz hit four shutout with a basket with 1:28 left

The barrier broke with 1:54 to The Bobbies made 13 of 17 free play when Emilio Arce made the the Bobcats a 100-40 lead.

It looked, for a while, like the Bobbies had some easy prey, too, making four of their first five shots and pulling out to an 8-3 lead over the Mulettes.

Instead, the Bobbies were never heard from again as Muleshoe charged back to take an 11-8 lead by quarter's end and a 29-18 halftime lead.

The Bobbies were unable to edge closer than that 11 - point deficit during the second half. Just as the the floor, the Bobbies were icy, making just 20 of 55 shots and only throws and pulled down 30 more two of eight free throws.

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RAISE YOUR HAND IF YOU'RE SURE-Dimmitt's Kristi Petty gets ready to squeeze a shot through an opening, although Floydada's Paige Cannon (30) and Angie Bertrand (10) try to deny Petty a scoring chance. Petty and the Bobbies evened their District 2-3A record at 1-1 with a 44-34 win.

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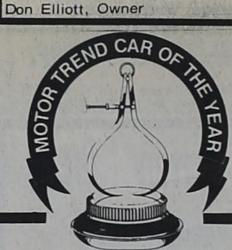
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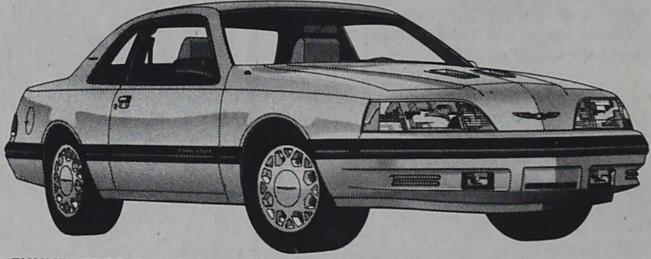
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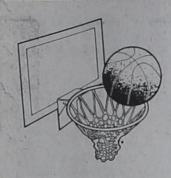
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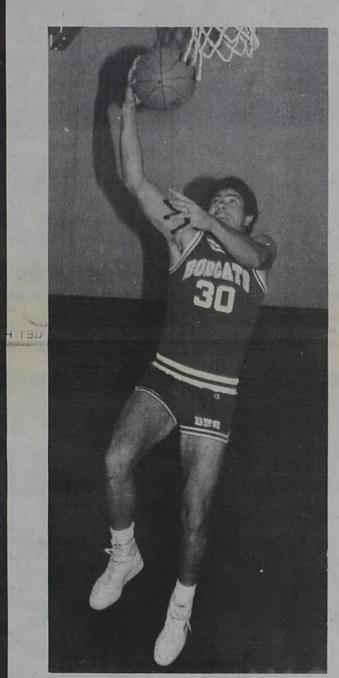
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#### Bobcats:

56, Paducah 49 70, Morton 79

72, Hereford 49 Pampa Tournament: 39, Tascosa 64

61, Plainview 57 64, Big Spring 41 (Consolation)

57, Canyon 46 Pioneer Classic: 54, Nazareth 51 (OT)

78, Tascosa 69 .57, Paducah 64 (Second Place)

47, Midland Lee 53 51, Hereford 52

63, Borger 88

48, Plainview 58 62, Morton 77 Caprock Tournament:

66, Levelland 64 59, Monterey 57 52, Coronado 64 51, Morton 69

46, Levelland 55 71, Paducah 57 77, Floydada 45 108, Muleshoe 46

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69, Paducah 46 49, Amarillo High 52 41. Hereford 39

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46, Big Spring 69 38, Friona 62

21, Levelland 76 69, Paducah 52

43, Friona 55 44, Floydada 34

42, Muleshoe 58



Junior Post

## **Remaining Schedule**

Inn 00	
Jan. 23Tulia*	
Jan. 27Littlefield*	
Jan. 30Friona*	
Feb. 3@Floydada*	
Feb. 6Muleshoe*	
Feb. 10@Tulia*	
Feb. 13@Littlefield*	
Feb. 17@Friona (Bobcats only)*	

District 2-3A games

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# DOE to begin moving in workers

US Dept. of Energy and contractor personnel will begin moving to the Texas Panhandle next month to begin studies of underground salt formations for what could become the nation's first, permanent highlevel nuclear waste repository near

Vega.

The first contingent to move to Texas will be about 10 persons who will work in temporary office trailers to be placed on DOE-leased land near Vega. They will be available to answer questions about job

local area and will be involved in sion in Columbus. locating permanent office facilities for the project.

they will be available daily.

month process of relocating up to 50 DOE technical and management personnel from their current office \$475 million — \$250 million for in Columbus, Ohio, and up to 250 contractor support staff from the

and contracting opportunities for the Battelle Project Management Divimillion for materials and salaries.

The site characterization studies are expected to last at least five DOE staff will be available inter- years and require an investment of mittently until early March, when up to \$1 billion. According to a report released last September by Their arrival will begin a six Don Hancock for Serious Texans Against Nuclear Dumping of Amarillo, DOE plans to spend at least sinking two shafts at the site 40 miles north of Dimmitt and \$225

The report says about 350 jobs would be created during characterization work, with a peak of 480 during a one month period.

DOE estimates that only 35 to 48 jobs will go to local residents.

all of the work will be done by outof-state companies, and many subcontracts will be determined by competitive bids. Federal law prohibits jobs from being designated only

for local residents, further decreasing prospects for employment opportunities in the Panhandle region.

Current requirements for land to conduct site characterization will involve leasing small surface acreages, purchasing about 60 additional Hancock's report says that almost acres, and obtaining surface rights

for nine square miles. DOE and Battelle personnel will hold meetings in February with potentially affected landowners, local leaders and the public.

## **Obituaries**

## Charles T. Seale

Charles T. Seale, 64, of Comfort, died Thursday.

Services were held Saturday in Schaetter Funeral Home Chapel in Comfort, with Rev. Raymond Wilson, chaplain of Starlite Hospital in Center Point, officiating. Burial followed in Comfort Cemetery.

He was born June 1, 1922 in Pride, and had lived in the Friona and Farwell areas for several years. He had worked as public relations person for Starlite Hospital for the past five years.

Survivors include two sons; five daughters; three brothers, including J.O. Seale of Dimmitt; and one sister.

## Celia Simpson

Thursday.

Services were held Saturday in First Presbyterian Church in Hereford with Rev. Bruce Kochmeister, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in West Park Cemetery in Hereford by Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

She was born in Muleshoe and was married to Bob Simpson in 1964 at Seminole. She moved to Castro County in 1964 from Seminole. She was a former extension agent for Castro County, and was secretary for First Presbyterian Church. She had also been a teacher in the Dimmitt schools.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Robert Scott; a daughter, Sheryl; her mother, Estelle Patton of Seminole; and two sisters, Clara Celia Fay Simpson, 47, died Allphin of Pecos and Jimmie Sue Bergeron of Renton, Wash.

The new council has planned a

Paul Garcia, T.D. Davila Jr., Rich-

The council also agreed to time

Saturday afternoon mass will be held at 5 p.m. beginning Jan. 31. All

special masses such as weddings and baptisms will also be held at 5

## Catholic church elects new officers

The Immaculate Conception Jr., Susie Flores, Lori Nino, Joe Catholic Church in Dimmitt elected Ortega and Corina Montalvo. new officers for the new year Jan. 8.

Newly elected officers include Paul Garcia, president; Richard summer festival July 4 in Dimmitt. Nino, vice president; and Robin Those in charge of the event are Gonzales, secretary.

New council members are Tony and Nino and Lori Nino. Garza, Donald Schilling, Charles Richard, Sylviano Mendez, Estella Mendez, Sylvia Nino, T.D. Davila changes on masses for the church.

## Spaghetti supper set

The Nazareth senior class will hold a spaghetti supper Friday from 4:30 to 11 p.m. in the Nazareth school cafeteria.

Prices will be \$4 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

The meal will include spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, garlic bread, and tea or coffee.

Everyone is invited to attend.

## Dance is set The Nazareth senior class will

sponsor a dance Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Nazareth Community Hall.

Admission will be \$4 per person. Music will be by the Nazareth Rough Riders.

Proceeds will go toward the senior trip.

## **FHA** sets bake sale Who's New?

The Nazareth FHA will hold a bake sale Saturday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at Dimmitt Thrift-

Proceeds will go to benefit the organization.

## Presbyterian happenings

Palo Duro Presbytery will meet Friday and Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church in Amarillo. Sal DiCuffa is our sessional representative.

There is a Sunday church school class for everyone every Sunday. The adult Bible class will meet at the home of Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"Christ at Capernaum" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m.

"The Work of the Holy Spirit" will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study on Wednesday at 7 p.m. The nursery will be open.



It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Alejandro Lopez of Dimmitt. Valerie Nicole Lopez was born last Thursday at Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center. She weighed 7 lbs., 12



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