

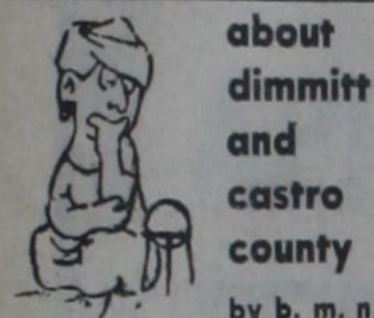


## Marathon nets \$650

Eighty-eight Dimmitt High School students—22 from each class—ran a mile apiece for contributions Sunday afternoon to benefit the National Association for the Mentally Retarded. When the totals were in, they had averaged \$7.39 per mile,

collecting \$650 in contributions. The marathon was coordinated by the DHS Key Club. The youths started their marathon in balmy weather at 1 p.m., with one runner from each class on the DHS track at all times, and finished at 4:30, just before

winter's first big cold front blew in. Key Club President Johnny Merritt reported that the seniors finished first, the freshmen second, the sophomores third and the juniors last. But despite their speed, they were all winners.



about dimmitt and castro county

by b. m. n.

It's less than two weeks until election day and there is still talk about a large block of undecided voters. It's hard to believe that people could still be undecided after the huge sums of money that have been spent to help them make up their minds—or maybe that is the reason for their confusion. From all accounts there has been more money spent by candidates in state and district races than ever before in history. There has also been quite a bit of discussion about where the money is coming from. If the reports are correct, some of the major candidates are receiving a large percent of their campaign contributions from out of state. Regardless of what the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal says, it does make a difference. The out-of-state money being poured into the races for senator and congressman is not coming from people who have the best interests of Texas at heart. When out-of-state special interest groups spend their money in an effort to elect a candidate it is not because of their concern for Texans. Sen. Tower and George Bush Jr. should have refused out-of-state contributions if they sincerely desired to represent the best interest of their state and district.

Probably the race drawing the most concern, if not interest, locally is the one for Congress between Kent Hance, a Dimmitt native, and George Bush Jr., a transplanted Ivy Leaguer who is in Texas only because of oil interests. Hance knows this district from the inside, he has an agricultural background, was educated in Texas and is an experienced legislator. His credentials far outweigh those of his opponent for the job of representing this district in Congress. In the past Texas, in most instances, has had strong representation in the US Congress and that practice can be continued by the election of Kent Hance.

At last there is a good opportunity for making a school teacher once again out of Sen. John Tower. He has been in the US Senate long enough to prove that he is not capable of representing the interests of the state or nation. His is a negative approach to every problem and it is said that in the years he has been in the Senate he has never been the author of a piece of legislation. His opponent, Bob Krueger, a US Congressman, has won the respect of his colleagues in Congress and has been the author or sponsor of many bills designed to promote the interests of agriculture and other Texas interests. It is time for a change and it can be done in the current senatorial race.

We need another multi-millionaire oil man as governor about as much as we need continued price rises in the products he sells. Of all the people the Republicans in Texas had to choose from, Bill Clements was probably the least suited for the office of governor. His background, personality and the type of campaign he is conducting would indicate that he is unfitted for the job. We have had dirty politics in Texas for

[See DIMMITT, Page 5]

## Halloween carnival on tap Tuesday night

Goblins, games and food will all be on hand to thrill those attending Dimmitt's community-wide Halloween

Carnival Tuesday night.

Sponsored by the Dimmitt Lions Club, the carnival will be staged from 6 to 10 p.m. in the LaMantia, Cullum, Collier & Co., Inc., onion shed on East Halsell Street.

Admission into the building will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. A pair of eyeglasses will also be good for admission.

Eyeglasses donated at the carnival will be sent to Houston, where they will be repaired, polished, catalogued and packaged for shipment to foreign countries. There they will be distributed free of charge to thousands of people who are unable to purchase glasses, a project of Lions International.

A costume contest will be held at 8 p.m. for youngsters 10 and under. The Dimmitt Young Homemakers will judge the costumes, and winners will receive prize ribbons.

The building will be open to allow organizations to construct their booths Saturday from 2 to 6 p.m., Sunday from 2 to 6 p.m., Monday from 2 to 6 p.m. and Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Groups operating food booths will be: The United Lions, popcorn and snowcones; Lubbock Christian College Association, nachos, Dr. Pepper, Coke and the LCC cookbook; CVAE class, Spanish food and empanadas; Church of God of Prophecy, Frito pies and candy; and Kids, Inc., hamburgers and Coke.

These organizations will operate game booths:

Guadalupana Society—Spanish bingo, ring-a-bottle and dart game.

Senior Citizens, Inc.—Handicrafts sale and jewelry fish game.

United Lions—Pie-in-the-face.

Boy Scouts—Sponge throw. Cub Scouts—Beanbag throw.

Booster Club—Dunking board.

Eighth grade—Cake walk. Junior High Cheerleaders—Basketball throw.

Friends of the Library—Book sale.

Young Farmers—Turkey shoot with BB guns.

Drama Club—Make-up booth.

Legal Secretaries—Dart game.

Lucky 7 CB Club—Ping-pong ball toss.

Sophomore Class—Pie walk.

4-H Junior Leaders—Spook house.

Seventh Grade—Basketball throw.

Junior Class—Jail booth.

Key Club—Egg drop.

Dimmitt Noon Lions—Bingo and beanbag toss.

Rotary Club—Pie throw.

Due to downtown street construction, Northeast Sixth Street will be the main route to the carnival site this year, Hoover noted.

"Since you can't cross the highway at Halsell, you'll need to go out East Bedford and turn north on Northeast Sixth at Castro County Grain Co., then follow Sixth across to Halsell," he said.

The LaMantia, Cullum, Collier and Co., Inc., onion shed is on the north side of East Halsell, in the former Panhandle Cotton Compress and Warehouse complex.



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## Castro to be 'pilot county'



**HART HOMECOMING QUEEN**—Senior Stacy Averitt is crowned as Hart High School's 1978-79 Homecoming Queen by her escort, Tracy Rich, during ceremonies at halftime of the Hart-Bovina game Friday night. Other candidates for the honor were Lori Barnes, first runner-up; Josie Garcia, second runner-up; and Marsha Cobb, third runner-up.

## Corn, beet reps try again in DC

More pressure on Congress for legislation helpful to corn and sugar beet growers in this area is in view for farm leaders here, Texas Corn Growers president Carl King said after the return of a local delegation from Washington last week.

Bill Clark, Charles Nutt and King from Dimmitt, with two men from the Midwest, met with Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland to discuss the inclusion of corn and soybeans in a federal program which now applies to wheat and grain sorghum, concerning freight rates on grain shipped for storage.

King said the requested rates would mean a saving of 21 cents on a bushel to area producers.

The Castro County men also gave Bergland the sugar beet growers' viewpoint on need for prompt legislation to support their industry, since the Sugar Act failed to pass Congress last week.

King was especially interested in implementation of an order already given corn growers in Texas, granting favorable freight rate they asked because storage space is lacking in the corn-growing

areas and much of the 1978 crop must be shipped for storage.

"After an hour and a half visit, Mr. Bergland said he would let us know and I don't know what the decision will be, but it looks like the next act will be up to the Congress," King said.

"I'll take this to the senate and house ag committees, because it will not cost the government one penny and it will save the producer in this area 21 cents per bushel."

Bergland was concerned that implementation of the order already given to Texas corn growers would call for him to implement it across the nation, King said.

In a previous letter to Bergland, King had already pointed out the inequity in freight charges on wheat and grain sorghum and those on corn and soybeans.

He said the ASCS office in Castro County reports a shortage of storage space for 4,800,000 bushels of this year's corn crop, and the growers must move it many miles at their own expense in order to get it into a warehouse where it is eligible for a government [See CORN, BEET, Page 5]

Castro is one of 25 counties in nine states selected for a pilot energy-saving program for corn and sorghum producers, according to an announcement from the US Dept. of Agriculture.

The program consists of three potential energy-saving methods, including loans available for high moisture 1978-crop corn and sorghum stored in oxygen-limiting facilities, loans on acid-treated 1978-crop corn and sorghum, and farm facility loans for solar energy drying units as a part of farm storage and drying facility.

Carl King, president of the Texas Corn Growers Association, said loans on acid-treated crop corn and sorghum have never been available before.

Any producer in the pilot area in compliance with feed grain program provisions would be eligible to apply for these corn and sorghum loans.

Commodity Credit Corporation will continue to require grains outside the pilot area to be stored in compliance with normal requirements. High-moisture grain stored in commercial elevators would not be eligible for loan.

Details on the program will be available soon at county ASCS offices, the announcement said.

Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland said the pilot program is part of the department's overall effort, coordinated through the Office of Energy, to use existing agencies and authorities to encourage the conservation of fossil fuels by using renewable sources of energy wherever possible.

Grain drying using the conventional fuels, liquid petroleum gas and natural gas is highly energy-intensive.

Since much of the corn and sorghum stored on farms is fed to livestock, drying of these grains is not essential as the moisture does not adversely affect the commodities for feed purposes.

This program uses an alternative technology that is less energy-intensive but still preserves the crop for the feed use intended, Bergland said.

## Time change due Sunday

Another sign that summer is over—Daylight Saving Time will end at midnight Saturday and timepieces should be turned back an hour at bedtime to assure the correct time for waking Sunday morning.

Actually, the official time to reset the clocks nationwide is at 1 a.m. Sunday, when the hands should be moved back to midnight to get on Central Standard Time again. The country has been operating on Daylight Saving Time since last spring.



**GET THE MESSAGE!**—As her pocket-flap says, Mary Jan Roark of TG&Y hopes you'll stick by your local merchants and do your Christmas shopping at home this year. Many local stores have their Christmas merchandise in and are ready for early shoppers. Store clerks throughout the city are wearing the red-and-green pocket flaps, which are provided by the Chamber of Commerce.

## November hearing seen on Stone murder trial

Judge John Boyd of the 64th District Court, said he hopes a November date can be set for a hearing on a change of venue motion for Loy and Louise Stone, charged in the shotgun death last Halloween of Roxanne Casas.

Attorneys for the Stones are asking the change of venue on grounds that a fair trial would not be possible in Castro County because of strong emotional feelings in the community.

Judge Boyd said the motion would be granted if it is proven that it would be impossible to select an impartial jury in Castro County. If the change-of-venue motion were granted, the trial would probably be held in an adjoining county, Judge Boyd said.

Delay in holding the hearing on the motion has been due to the crowded docket in his court, Judge Boyd said previously.

After establishment of the new 242nd District Court which now shares in the caseload here, Judge Boyd has been occupied in clearing out

the backlog of cases in the 64th District Court to comply with provisions of the new Texas Speedy Trial Act.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone, who own a farm north of Dimmitt, were charged with murder after Miss Casas, 15, of Dimmitt, was killed and two other youths injured by a shotgun blast fired into the pickup they and two more teenagers occupied. The Stones are free on \$50,000 bond each.

## Near freezing

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

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Tuesday	45	34	.05
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1978 Moisture			12.94

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### 'United' starts with you! Have you turned in your pledge?

Sheffy's Chatter

Tyler Rose Show is highlight of East Texas trip

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

I flew to Dallas last week-end for a visit with daughter Dorothy and Bill Bond. Had a good time. We went 90 miles east to Tyler to see the big Rose Show...

goes with her next time.

Jan Edwards (Mrs. Jack) was hostess Wednesday with a salad luncheon to help celebrate the birthdays of Janet Justice and Kathy Smith...

Ed is boys' program director and Melba is the program secretary. Melba grew up in Dimmitt, finished school the year Don and his class did, maybe 1952.

Neal J. Weatherford left here for San Diego Oct. 3 to join the Marine Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paul Weatherford...

George and Adeline Rush spent the weekend at their new house in Bull Shoals, Ark. visiting son Patt...

Rita McDaniel tells me the Young Homemakers finished their course in C.P.R. All the girls passed the course.

James and Mildred Bradford, their son Jack and Susie flew down to Orange to visit their son and brother Dr. Bob and Paula Bradford...

Happy birthday goes to Eita Cowan of South Hills Manor, who was 100 years old Monday, Oct. 23. Her home was Hereford...

I was chatting with Patsy Morris one day and she tells me she sings at the Red Barn Steak House east of Amarillo...

and hear the music. The four Dunn brothers, their sister Connie Ivey and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips from Muelshoe...

George and Jo O'Laughlin are here from Arthur, Ill. to visit Wayne and Era Heckerson. They are enroute to Phoenix, Ariz. and I saw them at South Hills visiting Bailey Eddleman...

W. C. and Irena Julian, their daughter and sons were here from Buckeye to visit W. C.'s mother Lora Harris and his aunt Wannie Stevens...

The bride shower for Laura Clark, bride-elect of David Blackburn, will be in the home of Mrs. Bear Broyles in Friona, 1001 West 6th St. not Hereford...

Cecil and Blanche Ginn made a jet trip to Los Angeles last week, then on to Azusa to visit her sister Lona and husband Eno Perry...

are Tuesday, Friday and Saturday and Patsy will be guest soloist at the big Halloween party at the Hereford Country Club...

Our sympathy goes to Mrs. Hugh Ritch and her daughter Charlotte Clark for the loss of husband and father Mr. Hugh Ritch of Plainview...

Myrt Loman got home to Hart Friday after a short stay in St. Mary's Hospital at Lubbock where she had eye surgery that she says is the most wonderful thing that ever happened to her...

Guylene Rogers, school teacher, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Rogers at Dumont.

Susan Wise, a student nurse at WTSU, and Lindsea Snider, home ec student at WT, were weekend guests of their parents the Frank Wises and the Bill Sniders...

and Mae Cox met them at the plane in Amarillo after a visit with his brother Ted and family.

Lena Crum and nephew Cecil and Virginia went to Amarillo Sunday to visit Lena's sister Mildred Crum, who has been in Saint Anthony's Hospital...

Betty Huckabay was hostess at a bridge party Thursday. She served ice cream and chocolate cake to Ceal Carlile, Dorothy Elder, Virginia Gilbreath, Jeanie Miller...

Opal Bearden was hostess to the Friday bridge at the city hall assembly room. She served pickup food, tea and coffee to Gladiola Shipley...

Bernice Hill, Cletha George and Retta Cluck.

Dorothy Gilbreath was hostess at a luncheon at Some-thing Special for her bridge playing friends. LaQuita Hill served a very special chicken casserole to Mona Merritt, Ina Cleavinger...

Eddie Riley and Courtenay Armstrong.

I've just met April Guy, the Castro County News' new news girl, and learned that she lives down at Sunnyside, where her husband, Terry, farms for John Gilbreath. They have two daughters, 12-year-old Anne and Ginny...

Elberta Dyer is home from a week's visit and trip to Baltimore, Md. with daughter Harlene and husband Tom Trica and the two grandsons.

Herbert and Opal Welch of Levelland were in our town on bank business and visiting friends George and Josie Bradford...

Dowden and Bonnie Koeninger went to Austin to visit their daughter and husband Stacey and Ted Wendlandt. Dowden attended a guidance and counselors conference...

Oh, yes, at Dallas North Park we visited with Judy Toole, a former teacher at Mesquite, but she sends greetings to her aunts Serena Teague and Faye Damron...

The Senior Citizens had a good pot luck dinner at their place Tuesday evening with 42 and games later. Connie played the piano for group singing. And they say 100 thanks go to Walt and Virginia Hansen for the big Senior Citizen sign out front...

Leonard and Clara Dollar and Betty visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Allen and Leonard's daughter Brenda and Bill Allen, there from Anchorage, Alaska, and their daughter Chandra Allen, who is a student at Tech...

Ed and Melba (Chism) Bawcom of Boys Ranch were eating at one of Dimmitt's cafes Thursday. They were enroute to Lubbock to see their children Butch at Texas Tech and Sheri at South Plains College at Levelland...

IGLESIA DE CRISTO E. Lee and S.E. Third Evangelista - Miguel Zuniga Sunday - Bible Study... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Classes for all... 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA 300 N.E. 7th Pastor Van E. Hughes Secretaria Sara Salinas Tesorero Gabriel Montiel Domingo: Estudios Biblicos... 10:00 a.m. El Sermon... 11:00 a.m. Miercoles: Instruccion Biblica... 8:00 p.m. BIENVENIDOS A TODOS!

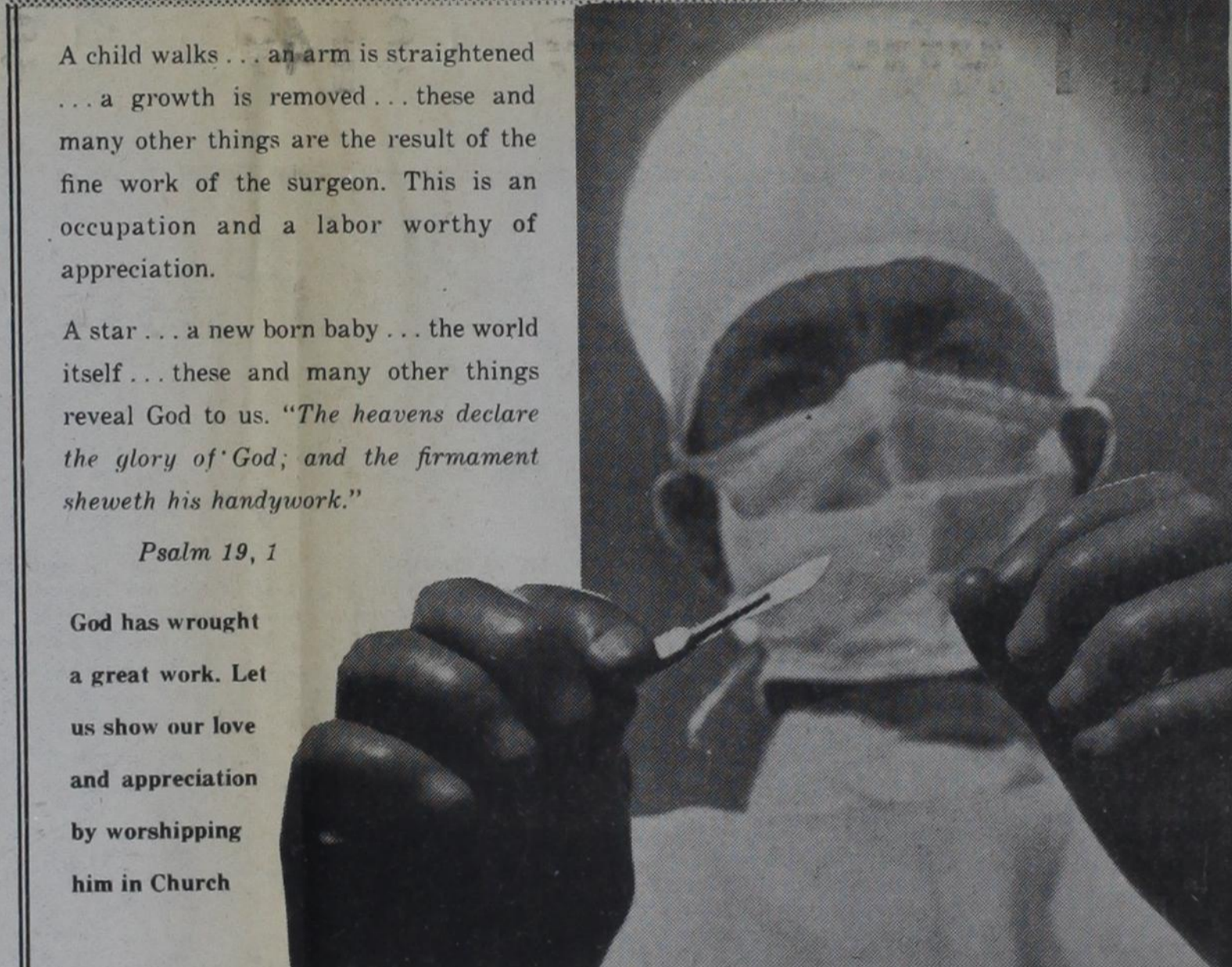
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Howard Quiett, Pastor 110 S.W. Third Phone 647-4106 or 647-4107 Sunday - Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 10:45 a.m. MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - General Meeting WSCS... 9:30 a.m. Choir... 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1201 Western Circle Drive Rev. John Street, Pastor Sunday - Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Meeting... 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal... 8:10 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Gary Cook, Pastor 302 S.E. 2nd Sunday - Sunday School... 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church... 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Service... 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST [Northside] Third and Halsell Streets Leonard Tittle, Minister Phone 647-5284 Sunday - Bible Study... 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Ladies Class... 2:00 p.m. Mid-Week Service... 8:00 p.m.

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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor 1001 W. Halsell - Ph. 647-4219 Sunday - Mass in English... 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish... 10:30 a.m. Religion Classes... 9:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday & Saturday - Mass... 7:00 a.m. Holy Days - Mass in English... 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish... 8:00 p.m. Confessions - Friday... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Baptism by Appointment

CHURCH OF CHRIST S.W. 4th at Bedford Dale Wells, Minister Sunday - Bible Study... 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Class for all... 7:30 p.m. NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Alexander, Pastor Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Services... 7:30 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Raymond Jones, Pastor Sunday - Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m. Training Union... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Service... 7:30 p.m. MISSION PENTECOSTES 404 N.E. 6th St. Sunday School... 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evangelistic... 7:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service... 8:00 p.m. Friday Bible Study... 8:00 p.m.

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# Early holiday mailing dates begin this week

A request heard every year about this time, the US Postal Service is asking area residents to shop and mail early for the Christmas holiday season.

"Even though it may seem a bit early to mention the Christmas holiday season before Thanksgiving, it really is necessary to do so to benefit those who are mailing overseas, either to Armed Forces or to those who have friends and relatives in foreign countries," said Postmaster Bill Sava.

"Mail Early" notices will not appear for domestic mail until after Thanksgiving, Sava has been notified, but the first suggested mailing date for overseas mail is Saturday, when parcels should be put in the mail to reach Australia, the Far East or Southeast Asia by surface transportation.

Suggested mailing dates for

November are listed as follows:

Nov. 1—Space available mail (SAM) and regular surface parcels to the Mideast.

8—Parcel airlift (PAL) mail to the Mideast.

10—SAM to Southeast Asia.

11—SAM to Africa, Australia, Central and South America.

13—Surface parcels to Caribbean areas and West Indies.

18—PAL mail to Africa, Australia, Central and South America, Southwest Asia.

21—SAM to Europe and the Far East.

22—SAM to Caribbean/West Indies and Iceland. Surface parcels to Iceland.

25—SAM and surface parcels to Greenland.

28—PAL mail to Europe and the Far East.

30—PAL mail to Iceland and Caribbean/West Indies.

# Dimmitt bank deposits continue upward trend

Deposits in the First State Bank of Dimmitt were \$4,390,664 higher as the final quarter of 1978 began than they were at the same date in 1977, according to the third-quarter statement in response to the state bank call of Sept. 29.

Bank deposits are generally regarded as an economic index of a community, and the Dimmitt bank has shown larger deposits at the end of each quarter this year than at the corresponding 1977 dates.

Total assets of the bank at the end of September were \$35,332,027, compared with \$30,946,209 last year, an increase of \$4,385,818.

The figure for loans and discounts was also up, with \$21,704,341 shown this year compared with \$21,026,571 a year ago.

Farmers State Bank at Hart showed declines on the latest report, after record highs last year.

Deposits amounted to \$9,335,917 compared with \$14,358,921, an unusually high total for the third quarter of the year. As of Sept. 30, 1976, deposits stood at \$8,346,107.

Assets of the Hart bank Sept. 29 were at a \$10,473,150 total, down from the \$15,461,052 figure for 1977. Loans and discounts showed \$6,224,347, compared with \$6,525,191 a year ago.

# Hour of music scheduled Sunday in Hart church

A program of special music is planned at 6:30 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church of Hart, with the public invited, according to Don Blackman, pastor.

Quartets, trios and solos will be included with some congregational singing in the hour of music that will be held at the time of the usual Sunday evening service.

High Attendance Day in the Sunday School will also be observed Sunday, followed by an all-church dinner at noon, the pastor said.

The church was host for its monthly Senior Citizens lunch Tuesday, when Azalee Martin of Whitharral entertained with a ventriloquism show. Open to all older residents of the community, a similar luncheon is held each month.

# Dimmitt FFA members win fair awards

Susie Cluck came home with second place award for her crossbred calf-steer recently from the East Texas State Fair.

Also receiving awards for their calves were Jerri Ka Clark with 12th place in the crossbred calf-steer class and Shane Smithson with 4th place for his Angus heifer.

All three are members of the Dimmitt High School FFA.

# More about: County okays PD reports pickup bids

At Monday's meeting, the Castro County Commissioners' Court voted to accept bids from Orval Watson Ford of Hereford for the pickups needed in Precincts 2, 3 and 4 and to accept the bid from Reeve-Fleming Chevrolet of Dimmitt for the pickup to be used by the county Extension agent's office.

The pickup for Precinct 3 was accepted at \$5,901.83 with the same type of pickup for Precinct 2 at \$5,201.83 because of \$700 allowed for a trade-in. These pickups are heavy-duty half tons, with automatic transmission, power brakes and power steering, 351 engine, optional ratio rear-end axle, radio, air conditioning, painted front and rear bumpers and grille guard, and trailer hitch.

The Orval Watson bid was \$329.28 lower than that received from any other dealer.

Precinct 4's pickup was accepted at \$4,314.56, with \$400 allowed for a trade-in. It is equipped with a six-cylinder engine, four-speed transmission, painted front and rear bumpers, grille guard and trailer hitch, in a heavy duty, half-ton model. Watson's bid was \$120.68 below the next lowest bidder for this model.

Each pickup was ordered according to the individual commissioner's specifications.

Reeve-Fleming's bid of \$4,489.50 for a crew cab 3/4-ton pickup for the county agent was accepted, with \$2,825 allowed for the trade-in. The Reeve-Fleming bid was \$376.65 below the second lowest.

In other business, the commissioners: —Granted an easement in Precinct 3 for a power line to be put under the road near the Lon Woodburn place.

—Discussed receiving a new bid on the job of spanning three of the county stock barns together to make room for more pens and to enclose the wash area. Action was postponed until the Nov. 13 meeting.

—Discussed trying to find out if any grant money is available for the purchase of additional police radios for the use of the highway department.

Concerning the sugar bill which failed, King said that bill had been watered down so it is ineffective for the producer "and we are better off without it . . . We begin next January working for better sugar legislation."

He said a clause had been attached to the bill, providing an increase for labor with an escalator clause over a five-year period, but the producers' escalator clause on cost of production was deleted, "which left us at a distinct disadvantage."

Failure of the Sugar Act passage means the US cannot join the International Sugar Agreement, King said, and "the word out of Washington is that the European countries are very upset about Congress not passing the act so pressure is on the administration to reach a decision quickly."

"The administration and even members of Congress were as surprised as we were that the act did not pass," he said. "I think the administration will come up with some solution, either raising the loan or putting more import embargoes on foreign sugar plus an import tax, which they had power to do all along."

The Dimmitt man said he emphasized to all the officials with whom he talked that "they need to address their attention to problems of the farmer in the interest of the national economy as a whole."

# More about: About Dimmitt and county

[Continued from Page 1] many years and Bill Clements has chosen to continue the practice in its worst traditions. The scandal sheet that he has circulated throughout the state undoubtedly reflects the character of the man. In addition to trying to tarnish the reputation of his opponent, John Hill, he is a braggart of the first water. For some unknown reason Clements was appointed De-

# PD reports two mishaps

Traffic accidents, a theft case and misdemeanor DWI and possession incidents highlighted Dimmitt Police Dept. activity during the week.

Last Thursday at 12:45 p.m. a 1975 Chevrolet pickup driven by Charles Armstrong, 39, struck a 1972 Chevy Blazer driven by Ginger Laurant, 39, in the left rear when Mrs. Laurant started to pull toward the curb in the 400 block of Front Street. No charges were filed.

A "backing accident" occurred Monday when a 1975 Chevrolet Silverado pickup driven by Floyd Shugart, 58, struck a 1971 Mercury driven by Richard A. Catoe, 37. Police Chief Alan Newman said Shugart was backing his pickup in the traffic lane and struck Catoe while he was backing out of a legally parked position. Shugart was cited for illegal backing.

Mrs. A. H. Taylor reported several coffee tables had been taken from her rent house at 305 NW Third Friday. Police are investigating the theft.

Police also made four DWI arrests and filed two marijuana possession charges during the week. All were first-offense misdemeanors.

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**County residents may enter ASC committee candidates**

Nominations are now being taken for places on ASC Community Committees. Ballots will be mailed to voters about 10 days before the election and voted ballots must be mailed or returned in person not later than Dec. 4, the election date.

The ASC communities in the county are known as Communities A, B, C, D and E. A ballot will be sent to each voter for the community in which his principal farming interest is located, according to Charley Hill, executive director of the Castro County ASCS office.

Hill said a slate of at least six nominees will be developed for each community. Eligible voters may nominate candidates by petition.

Each petition submitted must be: Limited to one nominee, signed by at least three eligible voters in the community, include a certification that the nominee is willing to serve if elected, and be received at the county ASCS office not later than Oct. 30, Hill explained.

If six or more eligible candidates are nominated by proper petition, no further nominations will be made. If less than six are nominated by petition, the present community committee will add the number of nominees needed to complete the slate of five.

If a person who is nominated by petition is found ineligible, he will be so notified and given seven days in which to appeal.

Hill said persons nominated should be currently engaged in the operation of a farm or ranch and be well qualified for committee work. In general, a farmer is eligible to be a community committeeman if he lives in the community in

which he is eligible to vote. Duties of community committeemen include informing farmers of the purpose and provisions of the ASCS programs, keeping the county committee informed of local conditions, recommending needed changes in farm programs, participating in community meetings as necessary, performing other duties assigned by the county committee.

Hill said ASCS committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin.

**Braddocks win on dairy cows at state fair**

Dairy cows owned by both Gerald and Vincent Braddock of Castro County have been awarded honors at the Pan-American Exposition, State Fair in Dallas. They were exhibited in the division for Brown Swiss cattle.

A three-year-old cow owned by Gerald Braddock won both the reserve grand champion female and reserve senior champion female. Highest producing cow of breed was won by an animal owned by Vincent.

Other awards the Braddocks received for their cows were first places to Vincent for highest producing aged cow; to Gerald for highest producing three-year-old, also for three-year old cow.

Each also won a fifth place, Vincent for a breeder's herd of five females and Gerald for the junior yearling heifer from a field of 17.



CHARLES NUTT [right] looks over a plot of Columbus variety soybeans with County Agent Charles Hottel during the harvest of a demonstration field on the Nutt farm recently. Nutt planted four varieties—Columbus, Clark, Mitchell and Essex—to see which seemed to be best adapted to local soil and conditions. The Columbus variety tested out best, yielding 60 bushels per acre. [Extension Service Photo]

**Texas marks 75th year of farm demonstrations**

By CHARLES L. HOTTEL  
County Extension Agent

Result demonstrations in farming and ranching have been key ingredients in the Castro County Extension program for many years. County agriculture leaders join with others around the state in observing October as "Farm Demonstration Month in Texas," as proclaimed by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

The first farm demonstration was set up at the Walter C. Porter farm near Terrell, Texas, in 1903, under the direction of Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, a special agent of the USDA. Since that time, more than 150,000 Texas farmers and ranchers have participated in cooperative farm demonstration work. Last year, more than 4,300 demonstrations were underway, covering a wide variety of farm and ranch programs.

**Student named to McMurry honor society**

Cynthia Quiett of Dimmitt has been inducted into the McMurry College chapter of Alpha Chi national honor society.

The upper tenth of the McMurry junior and senior classes are elected to membership each year. Eligibility is based on character and scholarship.

Miss Quiett is a junior elementary education major at McMurry. She is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Quiett of Dimmitt.

**New DHS club is organized**

Vocational Office Careers Clubs of Texas held its initial meeting in Dimmitt High School recently in the ODP classroom.

Election of officers took place and the officers are Bebe Flores, president; Rosa Ramos, vice-president; Frances Flores, secretary; Abel Garcia, treasurer; Viola Sanchez, reporter; JoAnn Flores, parliamentarian; Rosie Reyes, sergeant at arms.

Other members attending the meeting were Toni Wheat, Sylvia Asua, Sandy Lee, Scotty Orasca, Elizabeth Arguijo, Lety Montalvo and Herminia Vasquez.

Sue Howell is the advisor. Plans were made for projects for the school year. Members have been selling programs at the 7th, 8th, 9th and JV games. VDCCT is a new club that

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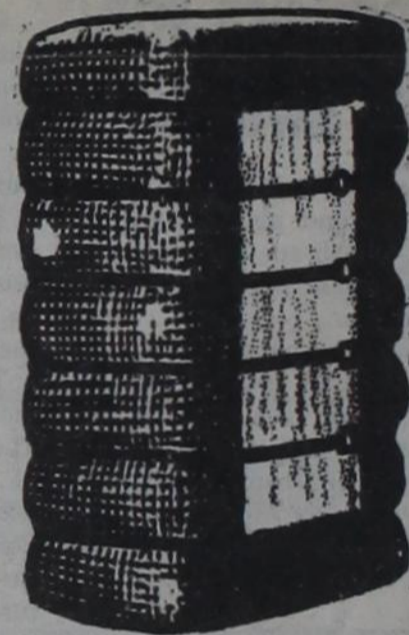
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KEITH NEWSOM gathers in a sideline pass and turns upfield for a five-yard Longhorn gain in the final minute of the Hart-Bovina contest Friday night. Pursuing him in background are Bovina's Pat Ware (52) and Eddie Garcia (74). The visiting

Mustangs broke a 7-7 tie with a 20-point outburst in the final eight minutes of the second quarter, then went on to spoil Hart's Homecoming, 33-15.

# Second-quarter outburst gives Bovina 33-15 win

By MONTY UPTON

A revitalized Hart Longhorn team took the field Friday against the Bovina Mustangs in the first district game for each. Although the Horns came out on the short end of the score, they looked like a different ball club and stayed in the game all the way.

With freshman Derek Rich making his first start at quarterback to free Ricky Rowland for duty at fullback, the Horns had a new look as they moved to a balanced line and a power I formation. Nathan Ingram ran tailback and Keith Newsom added the needed spark from the wingback position. Newsom returned for the first time from a broken collar bone in the pre-season Lubbock Roosevelt scrimmage. Pat Ritter returned at split end, and Jackie Ethridge, although not full speed, shared time at tight end.

Taking the opening kickoff, Hart drove into Bovina territory before giving up the ball on a punt. Following an exchange of punts, Bovina got the ball at the Hart 44. The Mustangs moved to the Hart 39 as the first quarter ended.

Then, on the first play of the second quarter, QB Ronnie Cary hit end Mike Read for the TD. Cary added the PAT kick to put Bovina in front, 7-0.

The Horns came right back from their own 35 and, using big gainers of 13 and six by Rich and 15 and 10 by Ingram, moved inside the 1-yard line. From there, Newsom plunged across and then added his own kick to knot the score at 7-7.

But then the ceiling fell in. On the first play from scrimmage after the kickoff, Bovina HB Ruben Salazar broke for 71 yards and a TD that had everyone, including the fans, fooled. Cary added the PAT kick.

The Mustangs used long gainers to strike for another quick TD on their next possession. Salazar did the honors again as he ran for the final eight yards. Cary's kick was again true, and Bovina had a 21-7 lead.

The next two Hart series ended with turnovers, one a fumble and the other a pass interception. Both resulted in Bovina field goals as Cary booted a 48-yarder and a 37-yarder to cap a 27-point second quarter for the visitors.

Following intermission, Cary had a pass picked off by Pat Ritter from his corner position and returned to the Hart 37. The series ended with an Ingram fumble.

There was an exchange of punts before Daniel Higgins came up with a pass interception at the 40 and returned it 12 yards to the 28. From there, Newsom ran it four straight times, finally scoring

from nine yards out just as the third period ran out. Opening the holes for Newsom were center Scott Jones, guards Kelly Jones and Higgins, and tackles Benny McLain and Melvin Washington. With these men blocking, Ingram ran for and got the two-point conversion to alter the score to 27-15.

Bovina was shut down again, thanks to the defensive play of folks like Marlin Marble, Joe Portillo, Chad Black and Scott Jones. Freely replacing these men were Philip Hawkins, Danny Rodriguez, Roy Martinez, Benny McLain and Guy Scoggins. At corners were Ritter and Isaias Ponce with backers Ingram and Washington. Ricky Rowland played safety and Newsom was at stacked linebacker with Higgins at monster. Seeing action in the secondary were Steven Brantley and Luis Villegas.

The final score was set up by a Hart fumble at the Horn 36. Cary hit end Eddie Isaac to move to the 2, then HB Richard Villareal dove for the TD. Cary's PAT kick was wide.

The Mustangs threatened one more time, but Chad Black came up with a fumble at the 1 to kill the threat. Despite another Bovina interception, neither team could put together another drive. Although the game ended 33-15, the game was much tighter than the score indicates. The Longhorns got their offense to moving and did some good things on defense. There were some mistakes as there always are when young players are in, but just two or three plays proved to be the difference in the ball game.

Friday night, Hart will play the Kangaroos at Kress. Game time is 7:30.



[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars of the County Home Demonstration Council and the Nazareth American Legion Auxiliary.]

Score by Quarters:

Hart	0	7	8	0-15
Bovina	0	27	0	6-33

GAME AT A GLANCE

Hart	Bovina	
12	First Downs	17
171	Rushing Yardage	260
26	Passing Yardage	92
197	Total Offense	352
6/2	Passes Att/Comp	13
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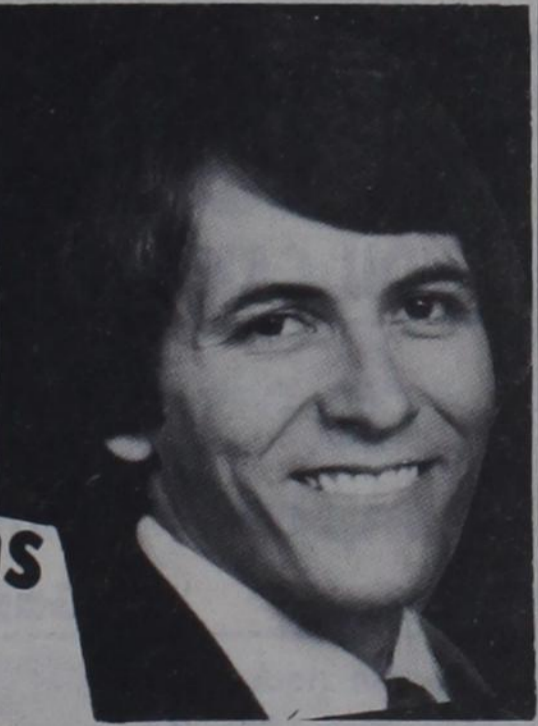
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**TAKES TRAINING**—Bill Bunch, testboardman in the Dimmitt office of Continental Telephone Co., has completed a ten-day training course in testboard analysis at Continental's training center at St. Charles, Mo. He received training in how to detect and interpret trouble on subscribers' lines from a remote location, so workmen could be sent to clear the trouble. The center offers varied training to craft and management employees in a 14-state area of the Midwest.

### What's cooking at the schools

Here are the lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for the week of Oct. 30-Nov. 3.

**MONDAY** — Chicken fried steak and gravy, creamed potatoes, broccoli, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Spaghetti and ground beef, blackeyed peas, tossed salad, pudding, rolls, butter and milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Barbecue

on a bun, buttered corn, cabbage salad, white cake with icing, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, peanut butter cup, rolls, butter, milk.

**FRIDAY** — No school.

**FLEAS** can jump 200 times the length of their own bodies.

## Game wardens tell club of pheasant hunt laws

Regulations on operation of shooting preserves, as they apply to the pheasant hunting permits which the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club plans to handle this fall were explained by Texas Game Wardens Chuck Cosper of Hereford and Julius Stevens of Tulia Monday.

Cosper was the speaker for the club's lunch, and Stevens assisted him in answering questions of the members.

Hunting rights on land owned by the Bruegel family in this county have been assigned to the Kiwanis Club this year, and some other landowners have added to that acreage so the club will have large tracts on which to sell permits for hunting.

This project will be added to the hunters' breakfast which Kiwanians serve each year on the first day of the pheasant season to raise funds for community projects.

Cosper said a growing number of landowners in this area are selling permits for hunting on their land, as more and more hunters come to Castro and adjoining counties each year. He believes restriction of hunting privileges by the

landowners will become more common in the future.

The person or club selling hunting rights must have a license, he said, and must keep a record of hunters' names, their hunting license numbers and the number of birds killed.

He reminded Kiwanians that hunters under 17 years of age and over 65 may hunt without a license, and residents of the county in which they are hunting are also exempt. But an out-of-county hunter needs a license, even if he is hunting on his own land, the game warden warned.

Kiwanians heard a challenge from the Dimmitt Young Farmers to play a benefit softball game, and decided to inquire more about details. Volunteers were listed to deliver Meals on Wheels this week.

Dr. Ron Easley, veterinarian, was welcomed as a new club member. Visitors included Doyle Wassom of the Texas Department of Highways and Transportation, and From Dimmitt High School's Key Club, Laura Lapins, Sue Rita King, Brad Murdock and Kelly Nelson.

The Key Clubbers reported their group had about 90 members at the high school track Sunday afternoon, running in the district Key Club marathon for the mentally retarded, and collected "nearly a thousand dollars" for that cause. The club is selling firewood to raise money for local projects.

### School menus at Nazareth

Here are the lunch menus for Nazareth schools for the week of Oct. 30-Nov. 3.

**MONDAY** — Beef Stroganoff, corn, tossed salad, hot rolls with butter, cake, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Chili and beans with crackers, peanut butter, carrot and celery sticks, cinnamon rolls, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Sauerkraut and franks with cheese slice, baked potato, buttered bread, apples, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Roast with whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls with butter and jelly, peach cobbler, milk.

**FRIDAY** — No school.

SINCE 1901 more than 1600 people have been publicly whipped in the state of Delaware. Old laws provide this form of punishment for those convicted of certain misdemeanors.

## Grain Handling counters with suit against Frito-Lay

Grain Handling Corp. filed a multi-million-dollar breach of contract suit Monday against Frito-Lay, Inc.

The suit, filed in 154th District Court in Littlefield, is the newest development in a legal battle that started when Frito-Lay filed an \$18.6 million suit recently against five individuals and two companies—including Grain Handling Corp.—charging that they had participated in schemes to defraud Frito-Lay through its purchase of corn and edible oils.

Details of Grain Handling Corp.'s suit were not available at presstime. However, it was reported by reliable sources that the damages requested in the suit could total more than \$40 million.

Frito-Lay's original suit,

filed in a Dallas district court, names J. H. Stafford, former commodity purchasing manager for Frito-Lay; J. T. Hair, Stafford's son-in-law; Melvin N. Tekell, a business associate of Stafford's; H&J Operations; and Grain Handling Corp. and two of its co-owners, Garland DePrang of Olton and Wister Clevenger of Hereford.

The Frito-Lay suit alleges that Stafford, using confidential information as an employee became an anonymous partner in several companies to carry out two complex schemes to siphon money from Frito-Lay through the purchase and processing of corn and edible oil.

The Frito-Lay suit also alleges that Stafford profited from stock sales that were carried out about the time Grain Handling Corp. was formed.

After Frito-Lay filed its suit, Clinger and DePrang issued a statement last week that said, in part:

"Frito-Lay has been treated right and fair in all its dealings with Grain Handling, and Grain Handling has always enjoyed excellent relations with the farmers from whom it has bought corn. We have done nothing wrong and are confident we will be vindicated in all respects when the case is brought to trial.

"The case filed by Frito-Lay involves many issues not involving Grain Handling, Garland DePrang and Wister Clevenger, and the reported investigation likewise involves matters as to which we have no knowledge."

### Demo rally is scheduled

A regional Democratic rally is announced at Plainview from 7 to 10 p.m. Tuesday, with all Castro County Democrats invited to join the crowd at the Hale County Ag Barn.

Bill Clayton of Springlake, speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will act as master of ceremonies for short speeches by a number of the party's candidates for state office in the November general election.

Band music will supply entertainment and ice cream will be served to those attending.

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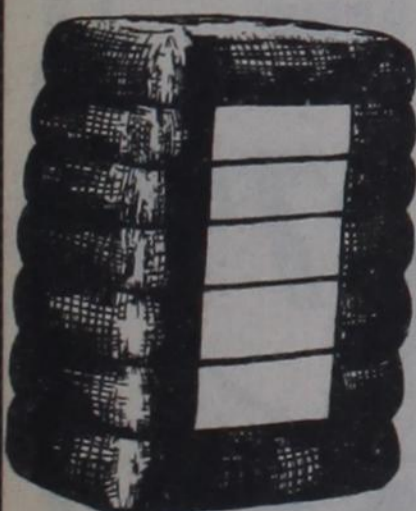
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## Remodeled gin ready

Prior to the 1978 ginning season, Bruegel Brothers Gin in western Castro County has completed a program of remodeling and installing new machinery which gives it equipment to "gin more, faster, and turn out a better grade of cotton," according to manager W. A. Armstrong.

The most modern gin machinery is now in place in their remodeled building, which is located five miles north of Tam-Anne, Armstrong said. The Bruegel gin has operated there about ten years.

The cotton crop is ready for harvesting "as soon as we get a frost," Armstrong said, "and there is a lot of good cotton in this community so we are looking for a good season out here."

## CPS employs office worker

Carole Bishop has been recently employed by Central Plains Savings Association at its new office in Dimmitt. Her duties will be those of teller, secretary and general office work, Keith Mussett, manager said.

Mrs. Bishop was raised in Hereford, graduated from Hereford High School in 1976, and attended West Texas State University majoring in business administration. She has been previously employed at the law firm of Tubb, Easterwood and Saul of Hereford and at Citizens Bank in Clovis in the loan department.

"We are proud to have Mrs. Bishop as an employee of our firm, we feel fortunate to have someone of her background to assist us in this office," said Mussett.

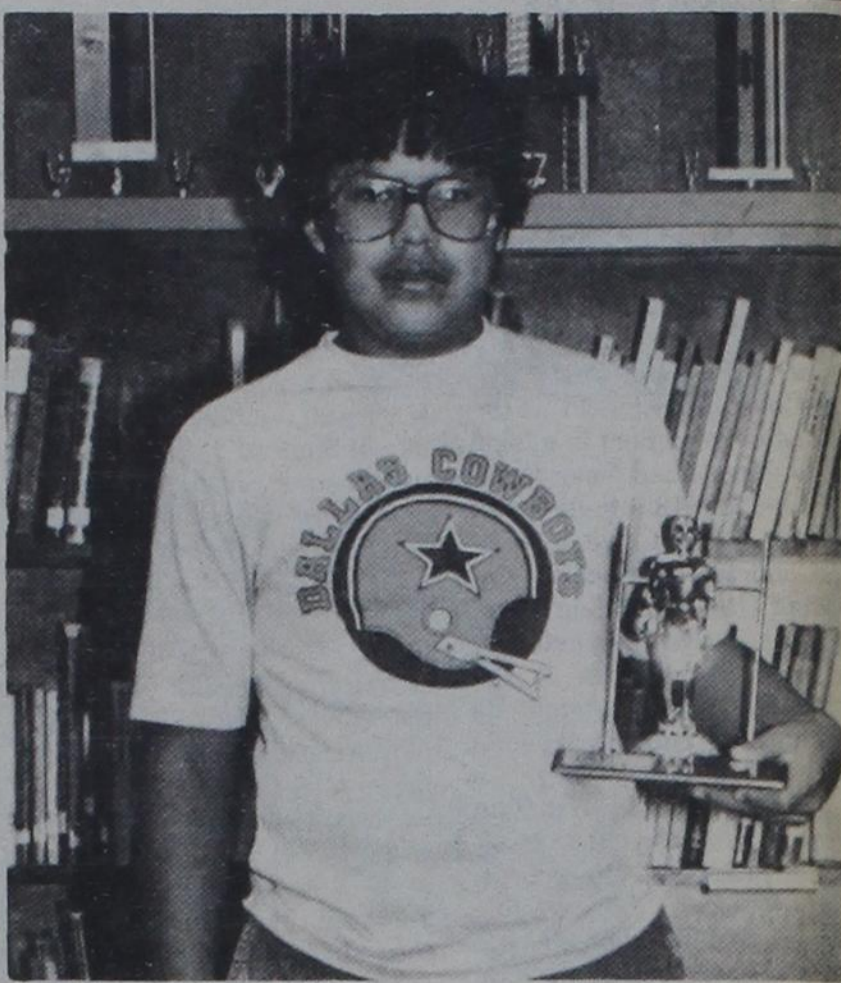
## Residents go to GOP dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Killingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howell were among the guests at a dinner for James Baker, Republican candidate for Texas Attorney General, at Amarillo last week. Ronald Reagan was the guest speaker.

Howell conducted an auction of several items donated to support Baker's campaign. The dinner and auction raised an estimated \$30,000 to back the GOP candidate.

Baker noted three issues in the race for attorney general: Qualification, crime in Texas and federal encroachment. He stressed his belief in the checks and balances of a two-party system in government, and continued participation of good citizens for a good government, as well as his qualifications as a lawyer and administrator.

Reagan repeated his philosophy as a conservative Republican and urged Texas voter support for the party.



JOHNNY NINO of Dimmitt, the Panhandle district's 13-year-old champion in Punt, Pass & Kick, earned this fourth-place trophy in regional competition Saturday in Oklahoma City. Sponsored by Stan Byrnes Ford, Inc., of Dimmitt, he was accompanied to the regional contest by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nino. [Photo by Joe Ramirez]

## Sunnyside

# Acteens sponsor Halloween party

By TEENY BOWDEN

A 1950's Acteen Halloween party was held at the church Friday evening. They had a "bigger and better hunt" starting out with a pencil and a ribbon. They came back with a pickup and a motorcycle. They had a cracker race, an apple bob, pinned the nose on a pumpkin, played charades, records, and ended the party with a circle of prayer. Those present were Carrie Sadler, Donna King, Debbie Fitzgerald, Trina Wilkerson, Glenda and Naomi Crow, Ginny and Anne Guy, and their director-leader, Mrs. Terry Guy.

Joel Bradley underwent surgery Monday in Dallas in the Texas Scottish Rites Hospital for crippled children. The tendons and nerves in both legs were clipped to release the muscles. He was placed in a cast to his groin. A bar holds his legs apart so the muscles will develop normally. He will go back Nov. 22 and the cast might be removed, depending on the progress made. Mrs. Lillian Carson flew home Monday night and kept Sharon, Jack and Justin this week. Lee Bradley drove home Wednesday but flew back Friday and helped get Joel home on the plane Friday evening when he was dismissed from the hospital. He is uncomfortable, but the muscle spasms have almost stopped.

Mr. and Mrs. Floid Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. Mokey Ivey and Eddie Waggoner attended the retirement party and "roast" honoring Curtis Pruitt in Lamesa last Tuesday night. Mr. Pruitt has been a patrolman of the Texas Department of Public Safety for 30 years. Before that he worked for three years in the license and weights division of the department. Former co-workers from Austin, Midland and Big Spring came to participate in the roast, which was attended by 163 persons. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Floid Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan attended the Llanos Altos Association annual meeting in Sudan as messengers Friday. The BYW sponsored an enlistment tea at the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. David Sadler and Mrs. Bruce Bridges in charge.

Hershel Wilson had charge of the Wednesday night Bible study in the absence of the pastor.

Mrs. Bill Matlock of Alba visited Saturday morning with Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mrs. Edd Thompson visited in Roswell Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Thompson.

Mrs. Ray Riley of Dimmitt attended the Springlake-Earth Homecoming activities with

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Jodie and enjoyed visiting with her friends and former pupils. She spent Friday night with them and left Saturday morning to spend a few days in Kingsland and Austin.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones stayed with her mother, Mrs. Mae Etta Watts of Fort Worth, while they were at the hospital with Joel Bradley in Dallas. They left Tuesday night for San Angelo, where they visited with their son Wade and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Jones, and his brother Hubert Jones until Friday night.

A trace of rain was received Saturday morning and again Saturday night. .40 of an inch was received Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer returned home from a two week vacation Tuesday. They brought her mother, Mrs. V. E. Bearden of Dimmitt, home with them after a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gamblin at Avery. The Spencers spent last weekend with them there. Earlier they met Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spencer of Red River at Toledo Bend, and Alan Shive of Denver City also visited there with them until Thursday when he left for the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Bills of Wichita Falls visited from Friday until Sunday morning with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills. They all attended the Springlake-Earth Homecoming Friday night. Hollis was one of the honor graduates for the 1938 school year. He lived with the R. V. Bills at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moore of Weatherford had breakfast Wednesday morning with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Daneen Wilson and her roommate, Debbie Ulrich, were home from Tech for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Freeman and Sonya of Bloomfield, N.M. arrived Friday for the Springlake-Earth Homecoming. They visited Friday and Saturday with his family and had dinner Sunday with the Hershel Wilson family and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Samantha and Jessica.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson took the trailer belonging to the Dee Joneses to the Jones Ranch near San Angelo Thursday and came home as the Raymond Joneses came home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner helped host the high school kids of the Bedford Street Church of Christ with a party after church Sunday night. They ate at the Pizza Hut and then went to the home of the Charles Nutts for entertainment.

## 14-CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all who helped us during the long illness and death of our loved one. For the food, flowers and cards, all were appreciated. Our special thanks goes to the doctors, the entire staff at the hospital and South Hills Manor. May God bless you.

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# Wildcats win 3-AA opener amid battle of bands

By JIMMIE CHAPMAN

If you were at Bobcat Stadium Friday night for the District 3-AA opener between the Bobcats and the Littlefield Wildcats, you might have thought you were at a country music festival instead of a football game. Two of the top Class AA bands in Texas put on one of the most spirited shows seen in a long time.

There was a football game down on the field, but the way the fumbles and interceptions were going, the fans turned their attention to the two sweepstakes-winning bands. After earning standing ovations for both their halftime shows, the bands staged a lively contest to see who could play the loudest in the last quarter. And in that department, Dimmitt pulled off a victory Friday night.

The Wildcat Band was playing that old gospel song, "I'll Fly Away"—and that's just about what their team did as six times in the game, Eddie Gregory hit Dale Demel with third-down passes to keep Littlefield drives alive. The Wildcats picked up a total of 107 yards in the air.

The Bobcat Band was playing "The Wabash Cannon

Ball" and "Jambalaya" while Dimmitt was getting most of its yards on the ground.

In the country music fest, Dimmitt also came in with "Rocky Top" and the Wildcat band fought back with "Proud Mary"—which might as well have been "Hail Mary" the way the Wildcats were putting up their third-down passes and making them work.

But getting back to the football game, the Bobcats managed to hold Littlefield in check for three quarters before the Wildcats took home a 21-7 victory on three short touchdown runs by Rudolph Smith, an all-district runner last year. Smith carried the ball 36 times himself, while Dimmitt got only 39 plays outside of three punts in the entire game. Smith gained 127 yards in his 36 carries, while Dennis Veals led Dimmitt with 85 yards in 20 carries.

Littlefield got on the scoreboard first after an exchange of fumbles when Smith pounded over from a yard out with 4:54 left in the first quarter to climax a 56-yard drive. Richard Soria's kick made it 7-0.

Twice during the drive the Bobcats forced the Wildcats to throw on third down, and quarterback Eddie Gregory came through with completions to end Dale Demel, who caught six of the seven passes completed by the Wildcats.

Dimmitt took over on Littlefield's wobbly kick at the Bobcat 40-yard line. Jimmie Stewart ran with the ball four straight times, one a 36-yard gainer that was the longest run of the night. Dimmitt was facing fourth down and needing nine when quarterback Jack Stewart hit end Gary Naylor with a pass that was good for 23 yards and a TD. Tony Gonzales kicked the extra point and the score was tied at 7-7 with 2:31 left in the first quarter.

On the last play of the first quarter, Larry Bossett picked off one of Gregory's passes at the Dimmitt 40-yard line and

ran it back to the Littlefield 15, but a clipping penalty brought it back to the Dimmitt 31-yard line. Dimmitt moved the ball for a couple of first downs before Stewart punted to the Wildcat 17-yard line.

With Smith doing all the running and Gregory passing on the crucial downs, the Wildcats moved to the Dim-

## Junior High B's win over Nazareth as A's are losing

Dimmitt's 7th and 8th grade A-teams dropped games to Littlefield last weekend, but the B-teams both took wins from Nazareth boys.

Fumbles and miscues cost the 8-A boys their contest, Coach Jerry Durham said. The Dimmitt touchdown came on a 45-yard pass which capped a 60-yard drive. Littlefield scored on two long runs, 65 yards and 80 yards.

Dimmitt controlled the ball about 70 percent of the time and got inside Littlefield's 10-yard line twice but couldn't score. Both sides fumbled, Dimmitt four times and Littlefield three.

Coach Durham said offense standouts were Joe Martinez and Lonnie Robb, while Jeff Watts, Johnny Gonzales and Ray Owen were named on defense.

First loss of the season for the 7-A's came when Littlefield scored on its first offensive play, ran the extra points and never allowed Dimmitt to score. The game ended 8-0. Penalties and fumbles plagued the Dimmitt boys when they attempted a drive.

Coach Shott Miller said Brandon Cox, Dwight McDonald and Scott Simpson played well on defense, Robert Nelson, Dennis Burnam and Tim Kenworthy on offense.

Coach John Thomas said both the B-teams "showed a lot of improvement" in downing Nazareth here. Dimmitt 8-B scored twice in the first

half for a 14-0 victory. Nazareth controlled the ball most of the second half but neither team managed to score. First score came on a 59-yard pass from Johnny Lopez to Ruben Casas, and made the extra point on another toss, Lopez to Gene Wait. With 40 seconds left in the half Douglas Garibaldi intercepted a Nazareth pass and returned it 72 yards for a TD.

Tommy Smith, Jimmy Garcia and Garibaldi turned in good games on defense, Thomas said.

The only 7-B score came in the second half, when an 8-yard run by Richard Neel finished a 65-yard drive for the goal and Paul Flores ran the extra point. It was enough to blank Nazareth, 8-0. Dimmitt held on downs early in the game after Nazareth recovered a blocked punt at the Dimmitt ten.

Tony Melindez intercepted a Nazareth pass to stop a scoring drive in the last half, and the Dimmitt defense held firm.

Thomas mentioned Scott Lane and Flores as outstanding offensive players, Nick Martinez, Robert Espinosa, Brett Sheffy and Sotero Ramos on defense.

## Central Plains Bar Association holds meeting

Jimmy Ross, Dimmitt attorney who is president of the Central Plains Judicial District Bar Association, presided at the business session at a meeting in Plainview last Thursday.

The association met jointly with the Plainview-Hale County Bar Association. Judge John T. Boyd, 64th District judge, was recognized as newly elected chairman of the judicial section of the Texas State Bar.

Keith Lemons of Castro County was introduced as one of the new members of state bar associations.

New officers of the Central Plains Bar Association, which includes Castro, Swisher and Hale Counties, are Graddy Tunnell, president; Rudd Owen, vice-president and Ken Owen, secretary-treasurer. All are from Plainview.

### On the go

Leroy and Norma Johnson are here from Barrett, Minn. custom combining. They have been here in the area since September, are staying on one of Melvin Lewis's farms. Myrtle Sheffy mentioned their accent to them and Mr. Johnson says he has none, but we Texans have a drawl you cut with a knife.

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line. Soria tried another field goal, but Randy Roberts came in to knock it down and Gus Ortiz picked up the ball and ran it back to the Littlefield 49 with 1:59 left in the first half.

Veals carried five straight times to put the ball at Littlefield's 24-yard line, but with nine seconds left on the clock, Veals was thrown for a five-yard loss and the half ended in a 7-7 deadlock. Littlefield had made nine first downs and Dimmitt four.

Late in the third period, Gregory again hit Demel with a pass that was good for 18

yards to the Dimmitt 7. Three plays later, Smith barreled in from two yards out for the go-ahead TD. Soria missed the extra point and the Wildcats had a 13-7 lead with 1:54 left in the period.

Early in the final period, Littlefield moved to the Dimmitt 9-yard line after Rex Freeman had intercepted a Stewart pass at the Dimmitt 46. Smith fumbled and the Cats recovered at the 9-yard line, but the Bobcats could not stand prosperity and fumbled it back to Littlefield at the 12. Again the Bobcat defense held, and Soria missed another field goal. Dimmitt was still in the game at 13-7 with over eight minutes to play.

Dimmitt took over at the 20 after the missed field goal, and after two running plays netted no yardage, Stewart tried another pass up the middle that was picked off by Ruben Torres at the 40. Torres ran it back to the Dimmitt 23, and five plays later Smith went over from two yards out with the clincher. Gregory passed to Torres for the two extra points and with 5:36 left, Littlefield was ahead 21-7.

Dimmitt managed to make a first down after the kickoff on a 10-yard run by Stewart, but after Randy Roberts and Veals picked up four yards apiece, a pass to Bossett lost five yards. Stewart punted 45

### ★ GAME AT A GLANCE

Dimmitt	Littlefield
6	17
141	220
19	107
160	327
2/6	7/11
3/32	2/10
2	2
1	2
3/73	2/27

Score by Quarters:

Littlefield	7	0	6	8	—21
Dimmitt	7	0	0	0	—0

### Scoring Plays:

- L—Rudolph Smith, 1 run (Richard Soria kick)
- D—Gary Naylor, 23 pass from Jack Stewart (Tony Gonzales kick)
- L—Smith, 2 run (kick failed)
- L—Smith, 2 run (Eddie Gregory pass to Ruben Torres)

yards to the Littlefield 10, and the Wildcats ran out the clock.

Friday the Bobcats will travel to Olton to tangle with the Mustangs, who defeated Morton 34-18 in their district opener. The game for the

marbles could be played Friday night at Muleshoe, when the Mules host the Wildcats in the feature game of the area in AA. Last week the Mules scored 18 points and then held off Friona to take an 18-14 win.

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**GILBERT SCHULTE**  
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**Central Plains Bar Association holds meeting**

Jimmy Ross, Dimmitt attorney who is president of the Central Plains Judicial District Bar Association, presided at the business session at a meeting in Plainview last Thursday.

The association met jointly with the Plainview-Hale County Bar Association. Judge John T. Boyd, 64th District judge, was recognized as newly elected chairman of the judicial section of the Texas State Bar.

Keith Lemons of Castro County was introduced as one of the new members of state bar associations.

New officers of the Central Plains Bar Association, which includes Castro, Swisher and Hale Counties, are Graddy Tunnell, president; Rudd Owen, vice-president and Ken Owen, secretary-treasurer. All are from Plainview.


● **On the go**

Leroy and Norma Johnson are here from Barrett, Minn. custom combining. They have been here in the area since September, are staying on one of Melvin Lewis's farms. Myrtle Sheffy mentioned their accent to them and Mr. Johnson says he has none, but we Texans have a drawl you cut with a knife.

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Dimmitt's Rick Wright aims at WT ball

## WT kicking game is (W)right on

Rick Wright is a young man who knows when to make the most of a second chance. As a sophomore placekicker for West Texas State in 1976, he missed an extra point against New Mexico State that could have made the difference in a 13-13 tie. Last fall, opportunity knocked at his door again. Wright again has the chance to win a game with his toe. Ironically, the foe was New Mexico State. "I was kinda uptight," he recalls, "and I felt some pressure from having missed the year before. However, I made it and that really built my confidence up."

The 27-yarder was true as WT won its first game of 1977 en route to the Missouri Valley Conference championship. Wright, a former offensive guard and defensive end as a schoolboy in Dimmitt, currently ranks as the Buffaloes leading scorer with 38 points. He has booted seven field goals and 17 of 17 extra points this season.

The 55-16 romp over Lamar at WT's Homecoming was his brightest hour as a collegian. Rick pumped through seven PATs and added field goals of 30 and 22 yards. A 32-yarder against Wichita earlier this season is the longest of his career.

"Rick is death on anything from 37 yards on in," says head coach Bill Yung. "He's a very accurate kicker."

"Kicking is a specialized job. First, a guy must have the ability to put everything else out of his mind and just concentrate. And he's got to be able to handle pressure."

Wright agrees, "You've just got to keep your head down and think about what you're doing. Three-fourths of kicking is the snap and the hold."

Rick accumulated 97 points kicking in high school and missed only two PATs and three field goals during his Dimmitt career.

His father, Donald Wright, had been a kicker in high school so it was just natural for Rick to follow in those footsteps.

"I booted a field goal in the eighth grade and I've been kicking ever since," he remembers.

"There are times when you get down and wonder if it's all worth it, but the good Lord helped me out and always got my head back up."

Wright is majoring in agriculture business and economics. He and wife Joyce plan to return to Dimmitt and farm following graduation.

In the meantime, he has some more kicking around to do at West Texas.

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## Swifts outlast Claude, 14-12

By PATRICIA KERN

The Nazareth Swifts stopped a last-minute Mustang drive at the 24-yard line to seal a 14-12 victory over Claude Friday for their first win in the District 2-B North Zone race.

Claude took an early lead after David Brown recovered a Swift fumble on the 21-yard line, and Roger Osborn turned it into a touchdown from five yards out. Neal Wilhelm blocked the extra-point attempt by Shane Rich, and the Mustangs led 6-0 with 1:57 remaining in the first quarter.

Jeff Schmucker recovered a Mustang fumble on the next series to set up Nazareth's first score. The next play after the recovery, Chris Hatla threw a perfect 47-yard pass to Kenny Gerber, and the game was tied at 6. Dwayne Acker kicked the all-important extra point and the Swifts held a 7-6 lead with 10:27 remaining in the second.

After Nazareth kicked off three times (the first two kicks were called back on illegal procedure penalties), Claude moved to the 46-yard line on a 26-yard pickup by Osborn, but were forced to punt after a holding penalty moved them back 15 yards.

The Swifts took over on their 23-yard line, and three plays later scored their second TD on a 71-yard romp by Wilhelm. Acker's kick made it 14-6 for Nazareth with 5:17 till halftime.

The Swifts didn't keep their eight-point lead very long, though—Osborn scored his second touchdown on a 68-yard run two plays after the kickoff, but his two-point conversion attempt failed, and the score remained at 14-12

the rest of the game. It was a battle to the end, however, as Claude advanced to the Swift 24-yard line on a last-minute drive. But the Swifts stopped them two yards shy of a first down with 15 seconds left, then ran out the clock.

Four more Swifts were added to the injured list after Friday's game, one of whom will be out for the rest of the season.

Hatla, starting quarterback for the Swifts since the first game in which Jimmy Huseman was sidelined, separated his collarbone from his sternum during the game, and will be out the rest of the season.

Dwayne Acker (next in line for the quarterbacking spot) was also injured during the game, so John Steffens will take a quick lesson in running the team, according to Coach Eddie Hooper.

Stanley Hoelting and Norman Gerber were the other two Swifts injured during the game, but Gerber will probably be able to play in this week's game.

Dale Wilhelm, Jimmy Huseman and Dwayne Heck are also out from previous injuries.

The Swifts will take on Silverton Friday night in their last home game of the season.

"We'll have to play better defense, and eliminate a lot of mistakes to beat them," Coach Hooper commented about the game with Silverton. With six starters out of the lineup Friday, the Swifts will have their work cut out for them.

Score by Quarters:

Nazareth	0	14	0	0-14
Claude	6	6	0	0-12

Scoring Plays:

C—Roger Osborn	5 run (kick failed)
N—Kenny Gerber	47 pass from Chris Hatla (Dwayne Acker kick)
N—Neal Wilhelm	71 run (Acker kick)
C—Osborn	68 run (run failed)

GAME AT A GLANCE

Nazareth	Claude
7	12
222	Yards Rushing 257
58	Yards Passing 49
280	Total Yards 306
5/2	Passes Att/Comp 8/3
3/2	Fumbles/Lost 5/4
9/95	Penalties 7/95
0	Interceptions 1

## VETERAN'S SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH  
County Service Officer

Inasmuch as the Veterans Administration is updating income information and medical expenses, all Veterans Administration beneficiaries receiving a non service pension will receive an annual income questionnaire card with their October check, which they will receive Nov. 1.

This does include those pensioners who have not in previous years received a card. This will include veterans over 72 years of age and children receiving pension in their own behalf. It is imperative according to your County Service Officer, office phone in the courthouse, 647-4666, and home phone 647-4368, that Veterans Administration beneficiaries receiving a non service pension immediately contact the Social Security Administration and/or any agency from which they are receiving retirement benefits. The right amounts must be reported in order that the beneficiary can receive the correct amount of pension. It is also imperative the beneficiary have with them when they bring the annual income questionnaire card to the County Service Officer, the total amount of medical expenses which have been paid during the year 1978 and which have not been reimbursed. These expenses include doctor, hospital, dental, drugs, hospitalization premiums, glasses and cost of nursing home care. Completion of the annual income questionnaire will be mandatory by the recipients or benefits will be terminated effective Jan. 1, 1979.

For further information please contact Bedford W. Smith, County Service Officer. Regular office hours are Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m. until noon and 2 to 4, plus other times by appointment and for emergencies.

## John Connally to speak for Senator Tower

Former Texas Governor John Connally will be the guest speaker at a dinner honoring US Senator John Tower, who is seeking reelection to the seat he has held since 1961.

The dinner will be next Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Hilton Inn of Amarillo, preceded by a reception at 7:15 p.m.

Ticket information is available from Mike Nussbaum, dinner ticket chairman (373-1851 or 353-9220). Cost of the tickets is \$75 per person.

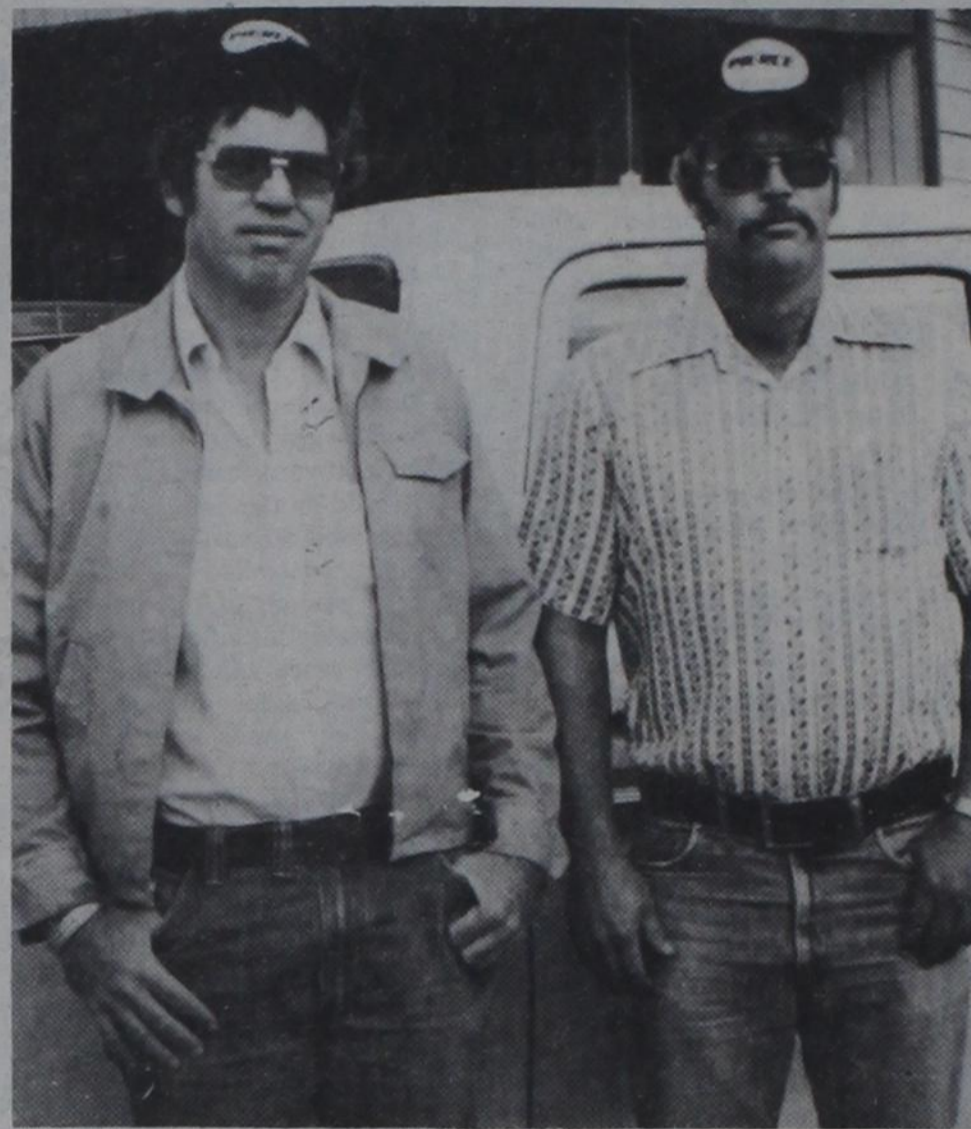
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**More about** SHEFFY'S  
**Chatter**

[Continued from Page 2] teenager. Sunday was Mr. C. F. McCormick's 82nd birthday, so everyone gathered at the daughter's (the Dan Heards) home for lunch. Those coming were son Leroy, also nephew and wife Gladys and Frank Robinson of Littlefield, the

Martin Youngs of Sunray, Dale Busey of Sunray, Pam Heard of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. George Spencer of Lubbock came Friday and were here through Sunday. Also Kyle Bagwell, Curt Fitzgerald, Jo Warren, Nell Humphreys and the Heards of Dimmitt. Gladys Robinson of Littlefield made the birthday cake. Visitors in the afternoon were Sue Strickland and Jeremy, Loretta Young, Bobbie Baldrige and grandson Kevin.

Last weekend Dan and Oma Dee and Leslie and Danny Heard and Mr. and Mrs. McCormick traveled to a family reunion of Mrs. McCormick's family, the Stevens clan. The reunion was held at the Post Oak community near Paris. Much visiting, music

and food were enjoyed by a large crowd. They all attended church services at the little church there and Mrs. McCormick's cousin preached.

Mr. and Mrs. Heard and boys spent Saturday night in Blossom with cousin Rev. and Mrs. Mike Martin and children. Mike is pastor of the Nazarene Church at Blossom. They also visited at the Bonham hospital with Mr. McCormick's brother Henry McCormick and his wife, who was also a patient. They visited with Mr. McCormick's sister Ester Taylor at the Seven Oaks Rest Home in Bonham and with Mrs. McCormick's sister Hester Howell and son Price.

Sunday night the "little guys" choir sang two specials for the First Baptist Church. This choir is just getting started under the direction of Julie Grisham and Amy Lewis. They did a fine job.

Next Sunday night will be a special music night at the First Baptist Church. All kinds of music, songs and instruments. Everyone is invited at 7 p.m.



**A FULL CENTURY**—Mrs. Mary Etta Cowan reached the magical age of 100 Sunday, and was honored with a big birthday party at South Hills Manor. Hosting the party were her sister, Mrs. L. A. Ashlock, 98; her nieces, Mrs. Leta Curtisinger, Mrs. Elsie Russell and Mrs. Marie Cornelius; her great-niece, Wanda Slagle; and the staff of South Hills Manor. All residents of the Manor shared in the birthday cake and punch.

**Mrs. Hobby to be speaker**

Diana Hobby, wife of Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, will be the keynote speaker for the Panhandle Planned Parenthood Association's tenth annual meeting at 12 noon Tuesday in the Amarillo Country Club.

Mike Montgomery, president of the Panhandle Planned Parenthood board of directors, said, "This year the annual meeting holds a special significance as the association is commemorating 10 years of service to women in need."

Mrs. Hobby has been actively involved in civic causes for many years. She has been influential in promoting the goals and objectives of Planned Parenthood, prevention of child abuse and neglect, and other programs.

The Panhandle Planned Parenthood Association provides family planning services for the 26-county area with 19 offices currently open to serve the public. Approximately 300 people are directly involved in

the program including physicians, pharmacists, volunteers, board members and clinic staff.

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**small talk from South Hills Manor**

Visiting this week with Jewel Richards was her sister-in-law, Marion Blackwell, from Fairbanks, Alaska, and her brother, Sam Blackwell from Muleshoe. Her brother J. B. (Blacky) Blackwell and his wife Sarah visited with them all. Blacky and Sarah live here in Dimmitt.

The newest resident at South Hills Manor is Annie Springer from Hereford. She is the mother of Mary Lois Summers of Dimmitt.

Leona Packard was so pleased to have her daughter Edna Cook from Phoenix, Ariz. here this week visiting. Also visiting Leona was her daughter-in-law Louise Packard from Hereford.

Mattie Minnerva Day was born March 16, 1887 in Jasper, Ala. She was one of 11 children born to John Robert and Mary Alemlia Day. The family lived in Johnson County and Hall County.

In Hall County Mattie met James Anderson Boone in church. They were married in 1903 and had two sons, William Robert and James Roy.

They lived in Floyd County and moved to Olton in 1918. They bought a section of land to farm and Mattie had chickens she cared for.

Mr. Boone passed away in June, 1953. Mattie continued living on the home place until she moved to the Muleshoe Nursing Home in 1974.

After the death of both of her sons, Roy in February of 1977 and Bob in May of 1977, she moved to South Hills Manor.

Mattie has four grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren. Mattie is a very dear, sweet lady.

Essie Vaughn had such a nice visit with her brother Early Darrow from Willow this week. Also her niece Jimmie Ruth Casey from Ponca City visited.

The residents enjoyed the Dunn Family singing Saturday night. The Duns are so good to entertain for the Manor. Thank you.

Leona Harris had a delightful surprise visit with her son and his wife from Buckeye, Ariz. Coming from Phoenix with her folks was Leona's granddaughter and two great-grandchildren. How happy Leona was!

About 90 people attended Mary Cowan's 100th birthday party Sunday. Her nieces served cake, coffee and punch. Everyone had such a good time. Tables were set in white with red carnations.

Vivian Beavers from Bartlesville, Okla. was here this weekend to visit her mother, Gladys Justice.

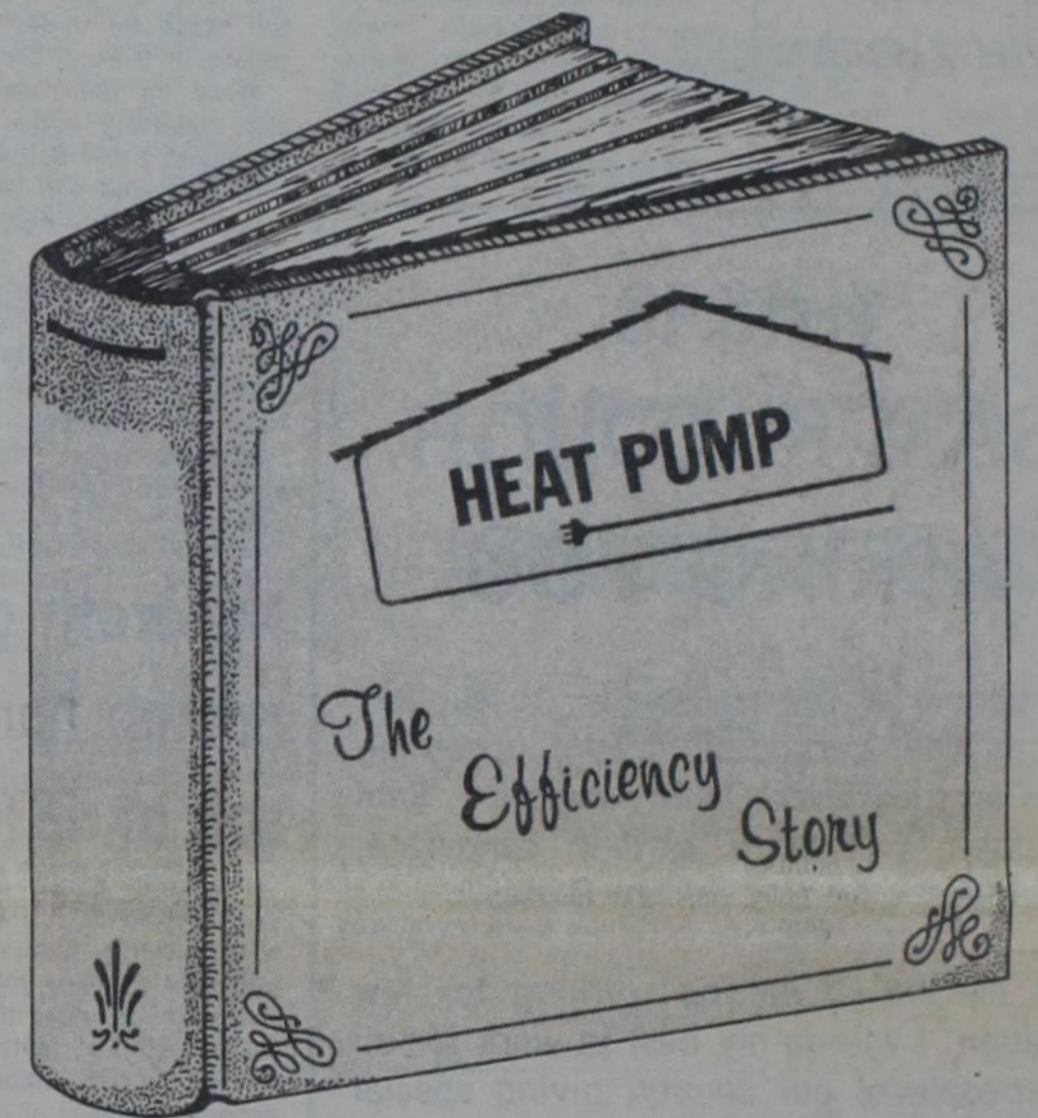
Leona Stiles had a lovely visit with Margareta Williams from Woodriver, Ill. They have been friends since they were little girls.

**Letter writing party for GOP candidate set**

Castro County Republicans scheduled a letter-writing party Wednesday, Oct. 25. Deanne Clark, Castro County GOP chairman, said the day has been set aside for John Tower supporters to write letters on behalf of his candidacy for US Senator.

The event will be a come-and-go affair from 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mary Flynt, 1001 Cleveland, and the "welcome mat is out," said Mrs. Clark.

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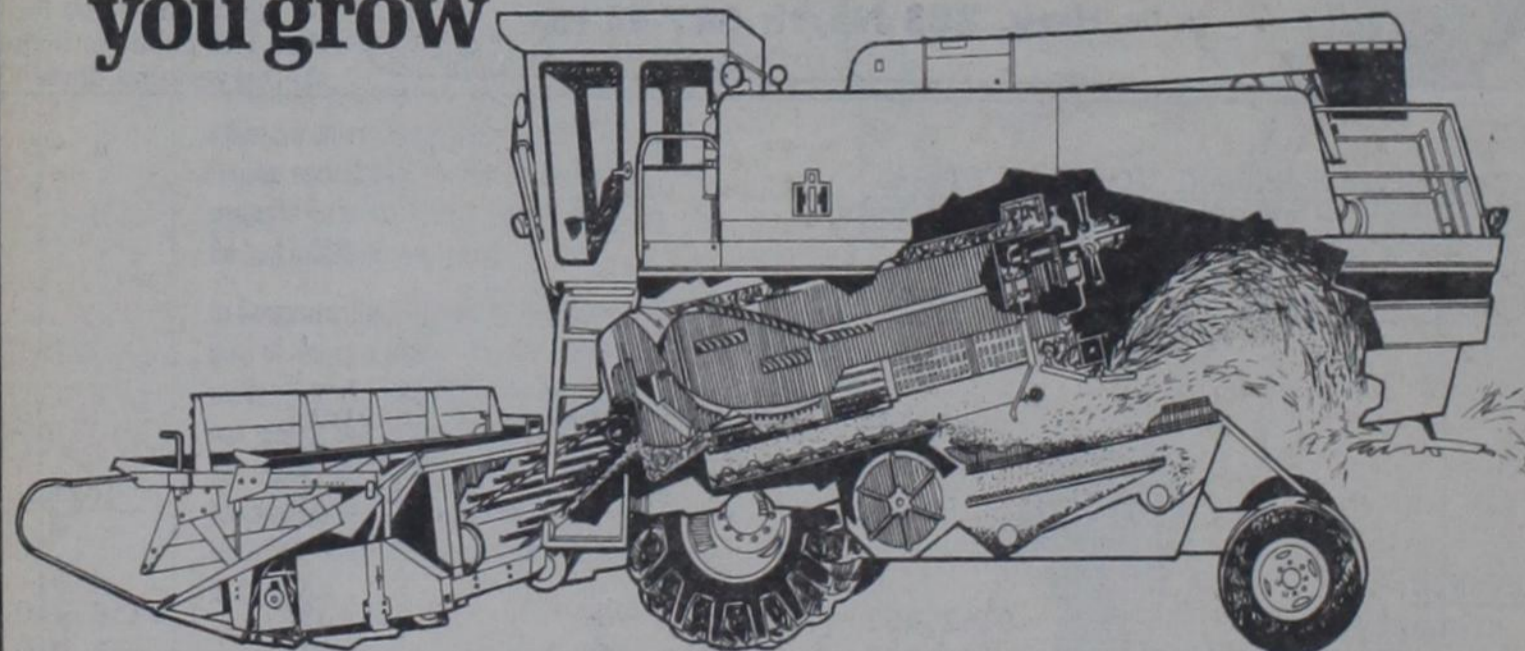


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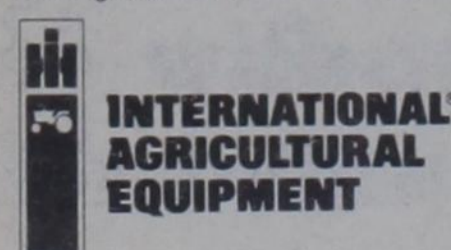


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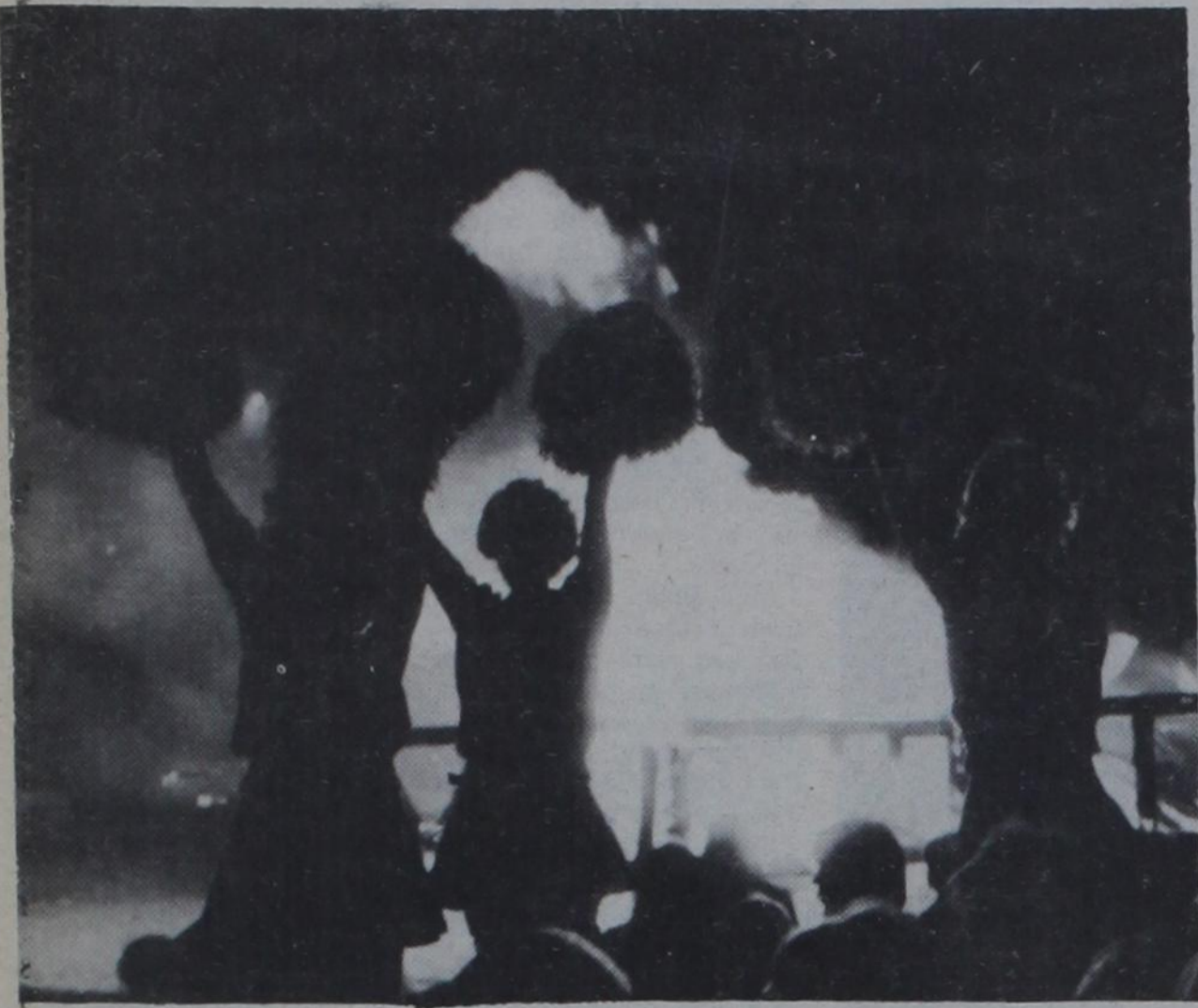
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JACKIE ETHRIDGE was crowned Hart High School's "Victory King" at last Thursday night's Homecoming bonfire and pep rally. Ethridge, a senior, plays fullback on the Longhorn team. Other candidates for the honor were Ricky Rowland and Pat Ritter.

## Mule owners win ribbons in Ruidoso

Kenny Ebeling of Dimmitt brought home a first place trophy for his mule in the trail class of the recent Mule-a-Rama in Ruidoso. Ebeling also garnered a first place ribbon in trails and a 5th place ribbon in the reining class.

Mules were entered in the Mule-a-Rama from all over the United States.

Also entering from Dimmitt were Cindy and Donny McDaniel, who brought back a fifth place ribbon in the halter class for their mule, Courtenay and Charles Armstrong, and family, winners of a second place ribbon in Jack class.

The Armstrongs also entered mini-mules and wagon in a parade.

Others attending from Dimmitt were Claudia and Juanita Welch, Frank Welch, Ann and Bill Philpott, Beth Welch, Jessie and Jack Ebeling, Doyle Morris, Jim Roberts and Ebeling's wife Lou Ann and their daughter.

## Here's Hart's school menu

**MONDAY** — Breakfast: Toast, jelly, juice, milk. Lunch: Burritos, tossed salad, buttered corn, apple cobbler, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Breakfast: Sweet rolls, juice, milk. Lunch: Cheeseburgers on homemade bun, French fries, catsup, peaches, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, apple sauce, milk. Lunch: Pinto beans with ham, cornbread, buttered spinach, pickles, onions, orange cake, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Breakfast: Cold cereal, fruit, milk. Lunch: Fried chicken, creamed gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, peanut butter brownies, milk.

**FRIDAY** — No school, teachers' workday.

## Nazareth's pageant preparations begin

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Work on the costumes is also underway under the direction of Ethyl Schmucker.

The pageant will be staged several nights during the Christmas season in Holy Family Church. The pageant utilizes persons of all ages throughout the Holy Family Parish. Dates for the pageant have not been set.

Visitors from five states were drawn to last year's pageant.

## Rotary Club told of center for child disease research

"Have you ever experienced watching a child die?" This question was put before Dimmitt Rotarians by Dale Wells at their Friday noon meeting in the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

Wells reported on St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., the only center dedicated solely to research of catastrophic childhood illness. The hospital provides diagnosis, treatment and medication free of charge to families in need of its services, Wells said.

St. Jude's is a non-profit, tax-exempt, free hospital, whose money comes from insurance claims, fund-raising and free will offerings, Wells said. Its main purpose is education, he added.

The only requirements for getting into the hospital are that the child have a disease currently under study at the research center, and that he be referred by a doctor, Wells said.

Wells stressed that St. Jude's has no religious affiliation. The name was given to the hospital by entertainer Danny Thomas, its main benefactor. The only expense the family incurs is transportation; all other expenses are taken care of by St. Jude's.

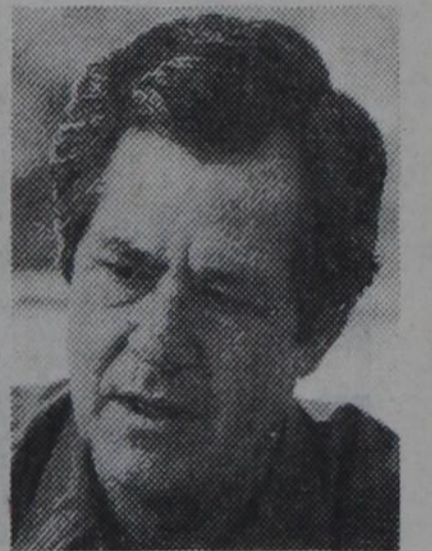
President Ron Montgomery announced that this Friday's meeting will be Ladies' Day.

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## Nazareth girls on top honor roll at TSTI

Delphine C. Wethington and Dorothy L. Guggemos were recently named to the president's honor roll at the Amarillo campus of Texas State Technical Institute, according to Dr. James Bird, general manager of the Amarillo campus. Membership in the president's honor roll is attained by maintaining a 4.0 grade average.

Miss Guggemos is majoring in drafting and design technology. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent J. Guggemos of Nazareth.

Also from Nazareth, Miss Wethington is the daughter of Thelma Wethington. She is a recent graduate from the meat processing and marketing program of TSTI.

## Turkey dinner is scheduled

The Castro County Unit of the American Cancer Society will serve a turkey dinner in the Nazareth Community Hall from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. as a benefit for the unit's projects. Tickets will be priced at \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for children. The public is invited for the harvesttime dinner.



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<b>REVENUE:</b>				
Property Taxes	\$142,452	\$ -0-	\$ 16,488	\$158,940
Other Local Revenue	11,913	-0-	97	12,010
State Revenue	270,727	15,511	-0-	286,239
Sale of Assets	85	-0-	-0-	85
Total Revenue	\$425,177	\$ 15,511	\$ 16,585	\$457,274
<b>EXPENDITURES:</b>				
Instruction Services	\$238,412	\$ 11,945	\$ -0-	\$250,357
Instructional Related Services	33,383	3,309	-0-	36,692
Pupil Services	38,793	-0-	-0-	38,793
Administration	44,361	257	20,487	65,105
Plant Maintenance and Operations	50,598	-0-	-0-	50,598
Total Expenditures	\$405,547	\$ 15,511	\$ 20,487	\$441,545
Excess Revenue Over Expenditures	\$ 19,630	\$ -0-	\$ (3,902)	\$ 15,728

# Funeral held at Hereford for Fred Axe



Funeral services were conducted Monday morning for Fred Axe of Canyon, a long-time area resident, in First Presbyterian Church of Hereford with Rev. George Belford, pastor, officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery under the direction of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Born Aug. 2, 1910 in Castro County, Mr. Axe spent most of his life as a farmer and rancher in the Dimmitt area.

He is survived by his wife, Thelma of Canyon and three brothers, Lynn of Vega, Anderson and Wilbur P., both of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Axe moved to Canyon in May of this year from Vinita, Okla.

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# View from the Library



By BRICK AUTRY  
Librarian

Rhoads Memorial Library hosted a workshop for area county librarians last Wednesday. Librarians from Canyon, Hereford, Tulia, Friona, Amarillo and Dalhart attended.

Also visiting was Phil LaBoon, a French-Cherokee man representing our jobber (A jobber helps the TPLS order books), Brodart Company.

The meeting was not particularly interesting. We talked about ordering procedures, or rather, the others talked and I struggled to stay awake.

Most library meetings are not very interesting, unfortunately. Like many other occupations, librarians have their own jargon, or shop talk. When they discuss their business they use their jargon and non-librarians don't know what's going on. Even some librarians don't know what's going on.

THOMPSON MAYBERRY of Dimmitt will be in action at Jones Stadium in Lubbock Thursday night when Texas Tech junior varsity hosts the West Texas State jayvee. Mayberry is a defensive back for the JV Buffaloes, who are 1-1 on the season, having beaten number-one ranked Ranger Junior College and lost to nationally-rated New Mexico Military. The game with Tech kicks off at 7:30 p.m. It is the annual Khiva Shrine Bowl with proceeds going to Shrine hospitals for crippled children.

CURRENT statistics show the leading causes of fire (in order of occurrence) to be electrical, smoking and matches, heating and cooking equipment, open flames and sparks, lightning, chimneys and flues.

The most interesting meetings that librarians have are the meetings concerning censorship. The subject of censorship in the library strikes a cord in all librarians and makes them more self-righteous than usual.

According to librarian pro-

fessional ethics, the librarian will not allow certain special interest groups to dictate what should not be in a public library. When they do, librarians get really heated. And get ready to see a knock-down, drag-out with the fur flying.

What might be of interest to readers is that Texas does not win many points for being liberal in this regard. As a matter of fact, there were more censorship complaints coming from Texas than any other state.

The most widely censored material in Texas libraries is of a sexual nature or deals with sex education. Other subjects are violent children's books, story books dealing with the creation and other religious books.

Who knows what's in Rhoads Library? You might want to come in to see if there is anything amiss in our collection. It could be an interesting afternoon and all of you are welcome.



Harold Bob Bennett

# Bennett new board member for SWCD

Harold Bob Bennett of Hart was elected to the board of directors of the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District, representing Zone 5, at a recent board meeting.

Bennett has been farming all of his adult life, and has served as a Soil Conservation community committeeman. He has also been active in the Farmers Union, serving as county vice-president, and in the Hart Jaycees as a director.

With Dale Winders, another member of the Running Water District board, and N. A. Bryson, manager of the Soil Conservation Service office here, he attended a meeting of district directors from over the state at Corpus Christi last week.

About 600 district leaders from over Texas were present to review developments in conservation programs and to plan future district programs. Dr. Jarvis Miller, president of Texas A&M, was a featured speaker, with state dignitaries including Speaker Bill Clayton and Cong. Jack Hightower.

Bennett is one of five directors of the Running Water District which was formed in 1939, beginning as the Castro County Wind Erosion District to provide local leadership in soil and water conservation.

# Nazareth

# KofC steak fry draws good crowd

By VIRGIE GERBER

The Nazareth Knights of Columbus had a good attendance Sunday evening for their Steak Fry, the proceeds of which will be donated to the deaf. The Texas State Council of the K of C's train people in sign language and they in turn teach the deaf CCD classes and work with the school in other ways.

occasion, which added to the gaiety of the evening.

Lucille Drerup, Leonard and Rosemary Wilhelm flew to Dallas where they met Mrs. Rita Hoffman of El Paso and Mrs. Grace De Cardenas of Dallas. They then flew to Hudson, Wis. to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of their uncle Al Guggemos.

Imogene Drerup, Evelyn Ball and Ethel Schmucker drove to Hereford to attend a bridal shower for Sylvia Alaniz, bride-elect of Mark Bartels, a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ball of Plainview spent Sunday here visiting family.

Mrs. Meta Stork, Florene Leinen and Clarence Birkenfeld spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Blanche Birkenfeld, who is presently living with the Herman Birkenfeld family.



ARMY TRAINEE—Pvt. Jack Edward Huseman has graduated from training in diesel mechanics at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., and is now stationed with the US Army's 299th Engineering Bat. at Ft. Sill, Okla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Huseman of Nazareth and a 1978 graduate of Nazareth High School. Huseman began his Army service immediately after graduation, as he had already enlisted under the delayed entrance program.

# Hugh E. Ritch rites are held at Plainview

Funeral services were held for Hugh E. Ritch, 87, a former Castro County resident, Monday in First United Methodist Church at Plainview by Dr. Marshall Rhew of Abilene and Rev. Bill Cough, associate pastor of the Plainview church.

Burial followed in Plainview Memorial Park Cemetery with Masonic graveside rites. Mr. Ritch was a member of Masonic orders for 65 years.

He came to Castro County in 1947 after retirement from Southwest Drug Co. in Amarillo, and farmed north of Dimmitt until he moved to Plainview in 1956.

Mr. Ritch was born April 13, 1891 in Homa, Ga. and married Myrtle Morris in Laguna Beach, Calif., July 31, 1921. He died Friday.

He is survived by his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Arthur B. Clark, who lives north of Dimmitt; two sons, Dr. Thomas Alden Ritch of Roswell, N.M. and Dr. Hugh Lee Ritch of Clovis; three brothers, Dr. Allen T. Ritch of San Antonio, Percy D. Ritch of Nevada City, Calif. and Jerry Ritch of Oxnard, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Jack Oliver of Pasadena, Calif. and nine grandchildren.



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- Joe Nelson
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- M. A. Pennington
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- Tommy Stanton
- James Welch
- Donald Wright
- Dimmitt Appliance Center
- Dimmitt Super Market
- Huckabay Abstract
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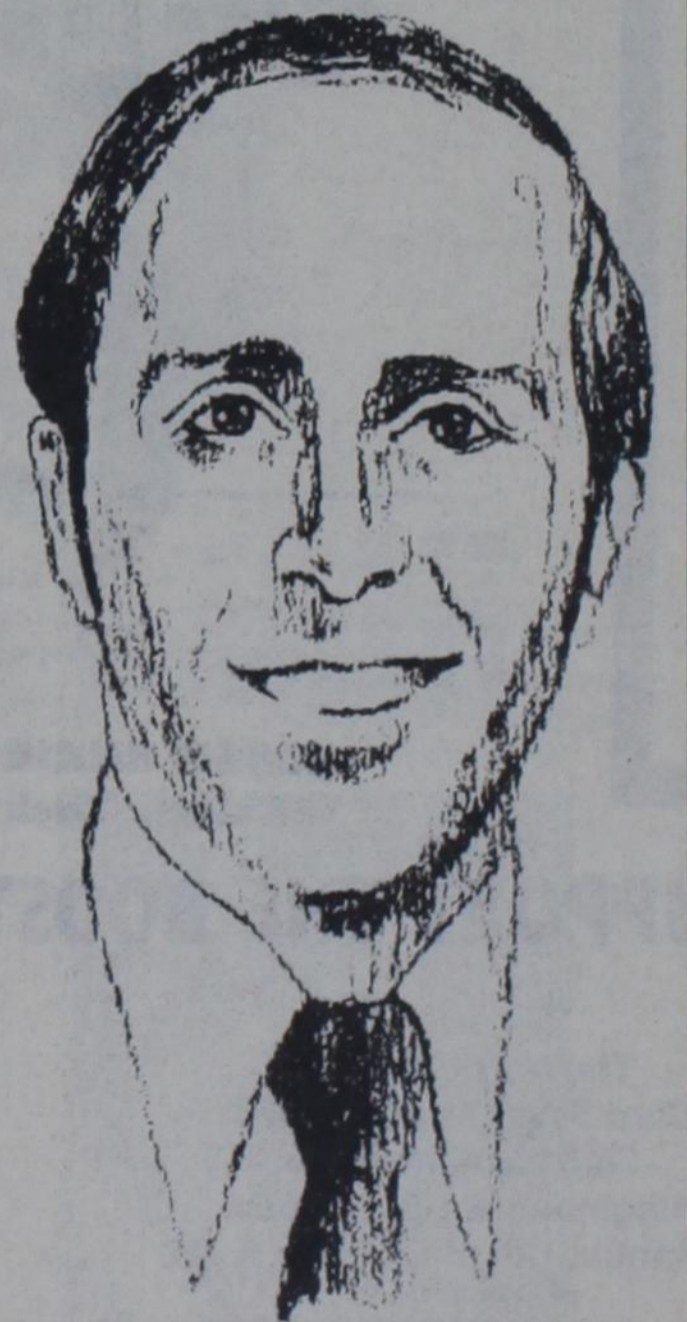
# Kent Hance.

When Kent Hance began work in the Texas Senate, he did not sit on the sidelines like most freshman Senators. He sponsored Legislation to remove a State Supreme Court Judge from office following his indictment for perjury. He led the fight in the Senate trial to impeach a District Judge from Duval County for misconduct in office. This was the first such trial in more than 30 years, and was the first major effort to clean up corruption in Duval County. He sponsored measures to remove the Senate's top employee for questionable conduct.

Wherever Kent Hance found waste in government, he acted. He sponsored and passed into law "sunset legislation" that abolishes state agencies on a periodic basis unless they are re-established by the Legislature. This helps to keep agencies from getting out of hand, and to eliminate those that are no longer needed. He made welfare fraud or food stamp fraud a felony in Texas.

In his four-year term, Kent Hance never missed a day in the Senate's five sessions, regular and special. In four of those five sessions he didn't miss a vote. In the fifth, he had a 96% voting record.

In Congress, Kent Hance will continue this kind of representation where it is needed most... at the Federal level. Kent Hance has proved that when he sees evidence of corruption, waste or inefficiency in government he does not look the other way... HE ACTS. West Texas needs Kent Hance in Congress.



# Let's make sure the man we send to Congress is the man with qualifications we can measure—and count on...!

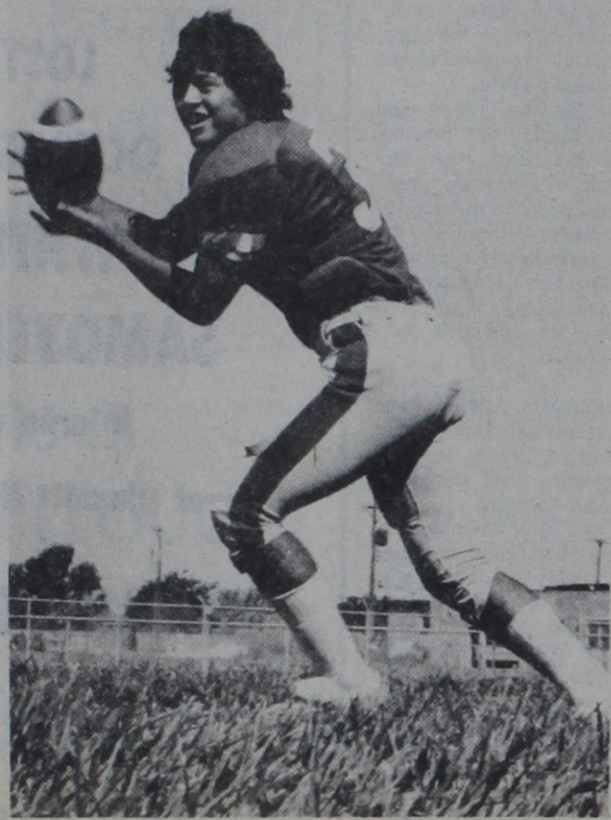
Authorized by the Kent Hance for Congress Committee. Mike Higgins, Treasurer. 1203 Metro Tower, 1220 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas 79401. A copy of our report is filed with the Federal Election Commission.

# GOOD LUCK, BOBCATS

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## Olton Mustangs

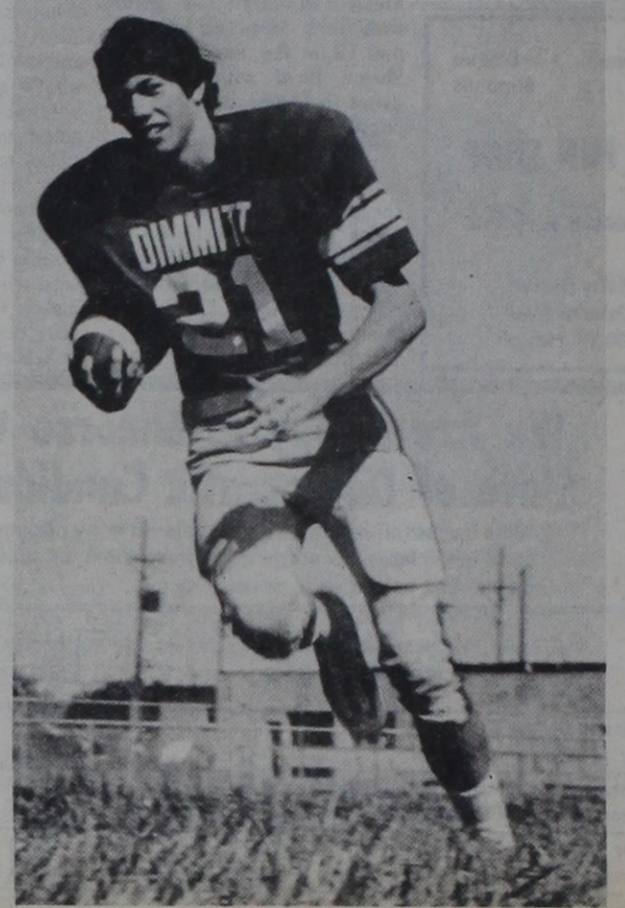
Friday at Olton — 7:30 p.m.



**TONY GONZALES**  
Senior End



**JESSIE ENRIQUEZ**  
Senior Tackle



**MATT GILBREATH**  
Junior Tailback



**JIMMY STEWART**  
Junior Tailback

### Football Schedule

#### VARSITY

Sept. 8	Dimmitt 6, Floydada 7
Sept. 15	Dimmitt 21, Slaton 26
Sept. 22	Dimmitt 0, Tahoka 36
Sept. 29	
Oct. 6	Dimmitt 19, Tulia 7
Oct. 13	Dimmitt 0, Lockney 7
Oct. 20	Dimmitt 7, Littlefield 21
Oct. 27	OLTON*, There ..... 7:30
Nov. 3	MORTON*, There ..... 7:30
Nov. 10	MULESHOE*, Here ..... 7:30
Nov. 17	FRIONA*, Here ..... 7:30

\*District Game

#### JUNIOR VARSITY

Sept. 7	Dimmitt 6, Nazareth 44
Sept. 14	Dimmitt 26, Friona 20
Sept. 21	Dimmitt 26, Plainview 20
Sept. 28	Dimmitt 20, Olton 33
Oct. 5	Dimmitt 12, Tulia 30
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 19	Dimmitt 0, Littlefield 6
Oct. 26	OLTON, 7 p.m. .... Here
Nov. 2	HEREFORD, 7 p.m. .... There
Nov. 9	MULESHOE, 7 p.m. .... There
Nov. 16	FRIONA, 7 p.m. .... There

#### FRESHMEN

Sept. 7	Dimmitt 14, Hart JV 6
Sept. 14	Dimmitt 10, Friona 8
Sept. 21	
Sept. 28	Dimmitt 14, Olton 6
Oct. 5	Dimmitt 0, Tulia 2
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 19	Dimmitt 16, Littlefield 22
Oct. 26	OLTON ..... Here
Nov. 2	MORTON ..... Here
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... There
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... There

(All Games at 5 p.m.)

#### SEVENTH & EIGHTH 'A'

Sept. 14	7th, Dimmitt 20, Friona 0; 8th D. 28, F. 0
Sept. 21	7th D. 42, Plainview 0; 8th D. 36, Plv. 0
Sept. 28	OPEN
Oct. 5	7-A, D. 22, Tulia 6; 8-A, D. 0, T. 0
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 17	7A, D. 0, Ltflld 8; 8A, D. 6, Ltflld. 12
Oct. 26	OLTON ..... There
Nov. 2	MORTON ..... Here
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... Here
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... Here

(All First Games Start at 4 p.m.)

#### SEVENTH & EIGHTH 'B'

Oct. 3	7-B, D. 6, Naz. 14; 8-B, D. 8, Naz. 8
Oct. 17	7B, D. 8, Nazareth 0; 8B, D. 14, N. 0
Oct. 31	NAZARETH, 5 p.m. .... There
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... Here
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... Here

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# Socially Yours

## Irene's Ideas

### A farewell to county

By IRENE KEATING

This will be the last article I'll write as Castro County Extension Agent. It brings many thoughts and memories to my mind. It is never easy to say goodbye, but I must.

My first encounter with this county was in April 1966, when Edith L. Wilson, district agent in Amarillo, called and offered me the job. Later that month, I came and met with the commissioners' court.

Raymond Wilson was county judge and J. M. Wright, "Tump" McLain, John Stork and Noble Armstrong were commissioners. I started my work May 1 and I've enjoyed it immensely.

I've learned so much here and appreciate the patience and understanding you gave when I was new (and even now!) I've grown as an individual and professionally while here.

I've been active in the Texas Home Economics Association and National and Texas Association of Extension Home Economists. I earned my masters' degree from Texas A&M University in August 1977. So you can see how you've helped me grow.

When I came I was single but by late September I had a husband and a 4-year-old son! Later, I took a leave of absence when Katrina was born.

4-H club work and Home Demonstration club work has progressed. We've had several 4-H girls, Debbie Acker, Agnes Acker and Cinde Sides, who have won trips to National 4-H Congress with record books. Others have taken 4-H tours to Europe as well as in the United States.

Hart has an active H.D. club that was organized nearly four years ago. Bethel is the only "old" H.D. club.

Town and Country was organized about eight years ago and Sundowners last October. There are many challenges ahead of me in Potter County. I will be trainer agent for an assistant who will have major 4-H responsibility. I'll be responsible for the H. D. clubs and other adult work. Our office is located on the Fairgrounds and I'd love for you to come by when you're in Amarillo.

Max, Cleve, Katrina and I have happy memories of this county. However, change is part of life and we're all going to face many new challenges. Thank you all for your friendship through the years. We'll never forget this county and the people here.

Good bye.

### What's going on here?

#### Thursday

9:30 a.m. — Town and Country Home Demonstration Club, Courthouse.

10-12 noon — Social Security representative, courthouse.

Noon - 8 p.m. — Bank pictures at city hall.

7:30 p.m. — Rebekahs, IOOF Hall.

7:30 p.m. — Museum Association general meeting at the museum.

8 p.m. — United Lions at Ann's Steakhouse.

#### Friday

Noon — Rotary Club at Colonial Inn Restaurant.

1:30 - 2:30 p.m. — Pre-school story hour at library.

Noon - 8 p.m. — Bank pictures at city hall.

7:30 — Dimmitt vs. Olton football game at Olton.

#### Saturday

Noon - 8 p.m. — Bank pictures at the city hall.

7 p.m. — Area Toastmasters Speech Contest at Colonial Inn Restaurant.

#### Monday

Noon — Kiwanis Club at Colonial Inn Restaurant.

6:30 p.m. — Tops Club at library.

#### Tuesday

Noon — Lions Club at Colonial Inn Restaurant.

6-10 p.m. — Lions Carnival at LaMantia Bldg.

7:30 p.m. — Senior Citizens Game Night at Senior Citizens Bldg.

7:30 p.m. — IOOF at Lodge Hall.

8 p.m. — Booster Club at High School cafeteria.

8 — Special Dance, Dimmitt Promenaders at Expo Bldg. with Troy Ray, national caller.

#### Wednesday

Methodist Church Bazaar at Methodist Church.

HAY supplies will be extremely short this fall, with production down as much as 50 percent in some areas.

FIREFIGHTING is the most dangerous occupation in the United States.



**GOING AWAY GIFT**—County Extension Agent Irene Keating and her daughter, Katrina, accept a bouquet of silk roses from Reta Welch during a farewell reception held for Mrs. Keating by the County Home Demonstration Council last Thursday eve-

ning. The roses were made by Mrs. Wayne Mohon. Mrs. Keating, who will become the Extension agent for Potter County Nov. 1, also is being honored by the county's 4-H'ers and the Chamber of Commerce this week.



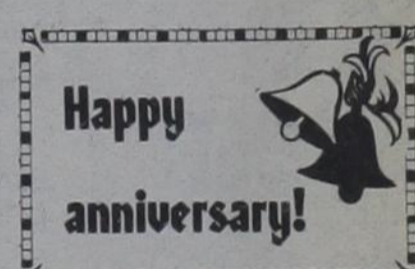
Cletha George

### Party to honor 80th birthday

Mrs. C. W. (Cletha) George Sr., a long-time resident of Castro County, will be honored on her 80th birthday with a reception given by her sons, Jack and Jimmie George, their families and her 11 grandchildren.

The reception will be in fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church from 2 to 4 Sunday.

All friends and acquaintances of Mrs. George are invited to attend this celebration.



[Compiled from the community Birthday Calendars of the County Home Demonstration Council and the Nazareth American Legion Auxiliary.]

OCTOBER 27 — Kenneth and Mary Nell Malone.

OCTOBER 28 — Jerry and Carol Cluck.

OCTOBER 29 — Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Ewing.

OCTOBER 30 — Duane and Kathy Maurer.

### Special articles made for Auxiliary bazaar

A special event at the annual holiday bazaar and luncheon of Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary again this year will be a drawing for an elaborate dollhouse, a needlepoint bell pull and a holiday tablecloth.

The Victorian style dollhouse is completely furnished including a miniature player piano which really plays a tune. It was made by Auxiliary members, as was the dollhouse given in last year's drawing. Most of the work was done by Dorothy Gil-

breath and Courtenay Armstrong.

Jo Kirkpatrick made the bell pull, while the tablecloth in holiday design was made by Sue Miller and Irene Blanton.

These articles will be on display in downtown store windows before the date of the bazaar. Display of the dollhouse will begin next week at Somethin' Special Shop.

Handmade items which Auxiliary members have worked on during the year will be for sale in the bazaar, which offers opportunity for Christmas gift shopping. Tickets are on sale by members.

### Holiday gifts in club sale

The Nazareth Art Club will hold a holiday arts and craft sale and show Nov. 5, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Nazareth School Cafetorium.

Paintings by local artists, gourmet food and craft items will be on sale, many suitable for Christmas gifts. To be auctioned are two paintings and a silk flower arrangement.

All who attend will be eligible for door prizes.

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### Tops members win awards

Reports from an area meeting in Levelland, in which 15 local members participated, were heard at the Monday meeting of Dimmitt Tops Club. Three members were congratulated for receiving awards there.

Delbert Smotherman was cited as Kops of the Week for keeping his weight at his goal level. Joyce Davis, with a 3-pound weight loss, was Tops of the Week and James Slough was Male Tops of the Week for a loss of 2 pounds, 12 ounces.

Vivian Pigg presided for the meeting, attended by 26 members who registered a total weight loss for the week of 20 pounds, 12 ounces.

MORE words begin with the letter "s" in English than any other letter.

HEREFORD CHIROPRACTIC CENTER  
Stephen Remlinger, D.C.  
Phone 364-2045  
505 Park Ave., Hereford

### Write In & Elect M.L. Simpson Jr. for Castro County Judge General Election Nov. 7

\* Born in Castro County — Jumbo Community

\* Graduate of Dimmitt High School

\* B.S. Degree, West Texas State

\* Attended Officers' Candidate School, Notre Dame and Columbia University

\* Served four years in US Navy

\* Married to Polly Smitherman Sanders

\* Father of eight children — all graduates of Dimmitt High School

\* Member and Elder, First Presbyterian Church

\* Democrat

\* Supports the growth of Castro County and is dedicated to economy, honesty and service



(Political advertisement paid for by Friends of M.L. Simpson Jr., George Sides, Treasurer.)

### who's new?

#### PLAINS MEMORIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sainz Pena of Hart are parents of a girl, Selestee was born Oct. 15 and weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Efrain Gonzales of Dimmitt are parents of a girl, Veronica. Born Oct. 17, she weighed 5 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Nemecio Reyna III of Hereford are parents of a boy, Tommy Edward was born Oct. 11 and weighed 7 pounds, 6 1/2 ounces.

#### OUT OF TOWN

A daughter was born Oct. 16 to Rev. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Stinnett, formerly of Dimmitt, and was named Amy Elizabeth. She weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buster Morgan, who recently moved from Dimmitt to Bovina. The baby has a six-year-old brother.

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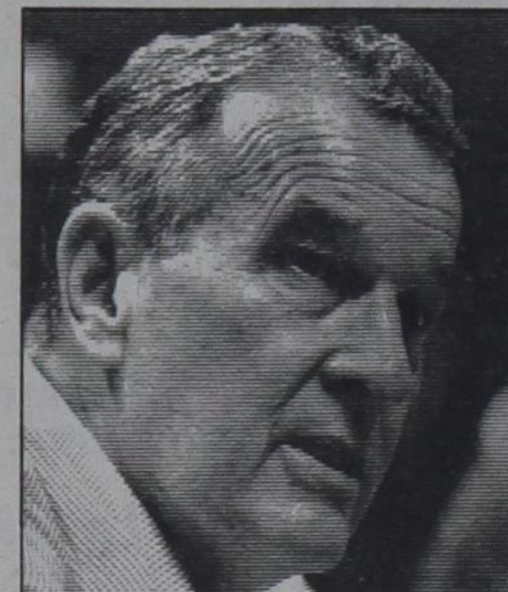
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