

Three make wastewater 'bad' list

The cities of Dimmitt and Hart and Hill Feed Yard have been listed among the "rest of the worst" by the Texas Water Commission for inadequacies in their handling of wastewater.

TWC released the report last Friday in Austin.

"It is my hope that by drawing attention to those permit holders that we feel are pro-

blems, we may be giving them an extra incentive to do a better job of protecting the environment," said TWC Executive Director Larry Soward.

The three didn't make the "worst list," which included 23 cities and businesses, but were nominated by inspectors as having "bad operational or environmental records," Soward said.

There are also "best" and "honor roll" lists.

The city of Dimmitt was cited on five fronts:

- Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD);
- Plant poorly operated;
- No trained staff;
- Industrial waste problems;
- Poor operations and maintenance.

The city of Hart was also

cited in five areas:

- Lack of operation and maintenance;
 - No self-monitoring;
 - No sludge program;
 - Lack of safety factors;
 - Inadequate flow readings.
- Hill Feed Yard was cited for:
- "Nuisance" conditions;
 - Sewage flowing at times into offices and other areas;
 - No permit from TWC for wastes.

"Hill Feed Yard has no permit at all," said Mark Gates of TWC's district office in Amarillo.

"Their case is under review. We have new enforcement authority that was granted us on Sept. 1, and we could fine them up to \$10,000 per day per violation. There is quite a range in there, and their case has been referred to the enforcement division, and they will decide what to do in Austin concerning Hill."

Gates said his office has written the city of Hart concerning their problems, but has not received an answer.

"There are several problems that need to be taken care of in Hart. Some can be taken care of with manpower, some with some equipment.

"There is a real problem with the sludge — it's just being dumped into a playa lake. We feel we could help them if they would just respond to us."

Gates said Dimmitt has been more responsive to rectifying its problems, but it could take some time, especially for training.

"We have written the city a letter showing the city how to rectify its problems, and they've answered. We want to get them in a training program, and they've attended some of our training sessions. We want to work with them to iron out the problems.

"I think Dimmitt has a problem like a lot of other cities — the job of operating the wastewater treatment facility is a low-priority job. They're known as the 'sewer operator' or something. It's really an important job. In the future, I would hope they place more importance on the job, to uplift the position."

Dimmitt City Manager Paul Catoe said the city is taking steps to rectify some of the problems, while the training will take more time.

"We're training our staff as the training is available. We have employees who are attending appropriate training session, but we can only train them when the training is available."

Catoe said there have been some personnel problems in the past, including some where inadequate training was possibly a leading cause.

Catoe told the *News* Monday that up until two weeks ago, the "racetrack" system that is used for wastewater treatment had been operating in reverse for some time.

"The affluent wasn't going through all of the treatment process — it was just going through the clarifier and into the lake. We have rectified that problem."

Catoe refuted some of the TWC claims of poor operations and maintenance.

"We're operating the plant as best we can operate it. We now have someone out there full time. They'll help keep the plant looking nice, plus do routine maintenance, take samples, check the affluent, and more.

"If our plant operator thinks there's something wrong, then we can check on it. If the Ph or BOD is wrong, or if we get some affluent that doesn't smell right, we can start checking on it. We'll try to find out what the problem is.

"We get a lot of affluent from industry, and while we support our industry, if there's a problem with the affluent and they are the source, we want to work with them to rectify the problem.

"We've had some problems with the BOD. I think some of it is because of the industrial discharge, and some was because of some equipment problems which have been corrected. It's been all over the place, including average, but we want to get it right as much as we can.

"We're doing a good job with maintenance, we're trying to do the best job we can out there. We want to bring our facility into compliance. In fact, we want to make the "best" list as soon as we can."

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Nursing home bonds

Absentee voting starts

Absentee voting is now underway for the \$1.5 million bond issue for a proposed new nursing home for the county.

Absentee ballots may be cast Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Dec. 3 at the Dimmitt City Hall. The election is slated Dec. 7.

The push for a new nursing home began almost two years ago when South Hills Manor was under the management of Midwest Healthcare Management Corp. of Dallas, which is a subsidiary of a company headquartered in Hawaii.

In the Feb. 9, 1984 issue of the *News*, Maxine Tidwell, who is heading up the group known as "Steering Committee for Nursing Home," said, "A home that is owned in Hawaii and managed through Dallas doesn't really care about the people as much as a local operation would.

"We want one that will be answerable to the public, not just concerned with making a profit, and in which the money will be kept in Castro County."

Tidwell, whose mother has been a resident of the facility now known as Canterbury Villa and managed by Texas Health Enterprises, would not speak on the record this week, referring questions to Dimmitt attorney Jimmy Ross, who is acting as legal counsel for SCNH.

Tidwell did say, however, that recent rule-making by the Texas Dept. of Human Services should not affect the proposed new home if the issue passes.

The rule-making was passed on by the TDHS on Aug. 13 of this year, just before the Texas Health Facilities Commission met its surmise under the state's sunset review laws.

Legislators serving on sunset review panels abolished THFC, giving most of its powers to TDHS. TDHS said it would continue a moratorium on new Medicaid beds in the state for any facility that was not granted a certificate of need before last Sept. 1.

"They can build," said Gary

Allen, administrator of the provider services division of TDHS, "the moratorium is only for contracting additional or new Medicaid beds. It does not prevent someone from building a new nursing home, licensing it or operating it as a private patient-provider or as a non-Medicaid facility.

"Our moratorium would prohibit us from contracting with them at this time as a Medicaid provider."

A private patient-provider is a patient who can afford to pay his/her own way, without the help of Medicaid.

"We don't feel the moratorium will affect us," Tidwell said. She explained she had indications the moratorium would not be continued for more than 60 days, while the new nursing home would not be ready "for almost another two years."

Allen, however, said "the department is going to draft a permanent new moratorium rule. We're going to have a moratorium rule in Texas. There will be some specific exemptions, but basically we'll have a consistent way to contract for Medicaid services under permanent rules that will allow for proper economic growth.

"If the moratorium continues, any self-supporting, non-Medicaid patients in the old nursing home could move to the new nursing home, but the Medicaid patients could not. The people going into the new nursing home would have to be able to foot their own bill."

However, news reports during the last legislative session indicated the moratorium was one of the reasons lawmakers decided to bring down the sunset curtain on THFC, and could bring pressure on TDHS to repeal the moratorium, or to change procedures before making the moratorium permanent.

Tuesday, Houston State Rep. Brad Wright, chairman of the Public Health Committee,

said he was hopeful the moratorium could be lifted and is pushing for a repeal of the moratorium which has halted new nursing home and hospital construction across the state.

"If residents in Castro County want a nursing home, they should have the opportunity," said Wright aide Frank Reilly.

"If citizens feel there's a need, well then the state shouldn't be able to say 'no, you can't'."

Reilly said any nursing home forced into accepting only private-paid patients would have financial difficulty, and said homes that can accept Medicaid patients are having a hard time filling beds.



SMOKEOUT—Carla Pybus (left) and LeAndre Lynn of the Dimmitt High School FHA discuss their plans for today's Great American Smokeout. The local FHA has "adopted" several smokers for the day, urging them to

quit, and will have tips, literature and more for those who want to "kick the habit" today. GASO is sponsored nationwide by the American Cancer Society.

Goodpasture finds loophole, gets gas

Dimmitt's Goodpasture fertilizer plant got back into full operation Monday, and will remain in full operation for at least 30 days after an old contract was enforced by the company last week.

The contract was signed in 1982 by Goodpasture with Pioneer Corp., and the contract was assumed by Cabot. Goodpasture legal counsel examined the contract last week when the company was searching for a gas supply, according to P.A. Coleman of Brownfield.

"We found a clause in the contract that requires them to give us a 30-day notice before

they can terminate us. That contract is still in force, and while the price called for is higher than what we've been paying recently, it does mean we are able to operate.

"We're not out of the woods yet. We still have our application before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for temporary and permanent transporters certificates. It could be 10 to 15 days before we get an answer on the temporary, emergency-type certificate, and up to six months before we find out about the permanent certificate, but at least we are able to produce for

the time being.

"Hopefully we'll be able to keep the plant supplied until we at least get the temporary certificate.

"We started the plant back up Monday afternoon, and that's when the new 30-day period started. It would be especially costly to be strung from day-to-day, to be up one day and down the next, but now we know that, since Monday, we do have a gas supply—at least for a while."

Lights, open house downtown tonight

An "after hours open house" will be held tonight from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. by many retail merchants in Dimmitt.

Sponsored by the Retail Merchants committee of the Chamber, the open house will include luminarias lining the fronts and sides of participating businesses. The Dimmitt Fire Dept. will sound

Early deadlines set next week

Because of the Thanksgiving holidays, the *News* will be observing early deadlines next week.

The deadlines will be moved up so you can receive your newspaper before the Thanksgiving holidays.

Advertisers are urged to contact the *News* office at 647-3123 or submit their copy as soon as possible. All advertising should be in by noon Friday if possible, and no later than noon Monday.

Social news should be submitted by noon Friday, with all other news submitted by noon Monday.

its sirens at 6:55 p.m., reminding businesses to light the candles in their luminarias.

Among the businesses that will stay open late for the event, according to the Chamber, are Kim's Interiors, Tots & Teens, The Flower Patch, Sheffy's Western & Casual Wear, TG&Y, C.R.

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By Don Nelson

Don't miss the "after hours downtown tonight" (Thursday) from 7 to 9.

The 22 participating stores will line their sidewalks with luminarias, and many will serve refreshments to all visitors during the two-hour event.

Just seeing the business district lined with luminarias will be worth the drive. We've seen them in front of homes during the holidays, but never downtown.

By the way, last week the *News* referred to the candles-in-sacks as "luminarias," and this week they're "luminarias."

My son-in-law, who was rais-

ed in Albuquerque, where the use of the decorations is a long-standing custom, calls them "luminarias." I've always assumed he knew what he was talking about, coming from

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Holiday Calendar

Nov. 21—"After Hours Open House" at Dimmitt retail stores, 7-8 p.m.

Nov. 24—Community Thanksgiving Service, 7 p.m., First Baptist Church.

Nov. 24—Holiday Arts and Crafts Bazaar and Thanksgiving Dinner, Nazareth.

Dec. 7—Dimmitt Young Homemakers Arts and Crafts Bazaar, Expo Building.

Weather

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

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On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Decimae Beene was hostess Sunday for the birthdays of her grandson, Brent Beene and her great niece, Lenora Ramey of Amarillo at her beautiful home in Friona. There were three tables decorated to honor Lenora and Brent and a beautiful meal was served at 1 p.m. Lenora was 14 and Brent was nine. Brent had made the place cards.

Guests were Emily Ramey of Amarillo, Tom and Argen Draper of Hereford, Ann Marie Ramey of Amarillo, Rose Acker of Dimmitt, Lillian Williams of Friona, Ada Ruth Crager of Canyon, Camille Gunning of Amarillo, Wana Brewer of Friona, Ralph and Jeanette Thurman of Friona, Beral Hance of Dimmitt and Jay and Sue Beene of Friona.

Lanell Tucker's granddaughter, Cynthia Easterwood of Amarillo, was married to Paul Buckles of Amarillo Saturday evening in the First Baptist Church in Hereford. They chose the date (November 16), because it was the 50th anniversary of her maternal grandparents. Her other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Easterwood of Amarillo.

Rev. Doug Manning officiated at the lovely ceremony. Cynthia's parents are Rex and Shirley Easterwood of Hereford, and are former Dimmitt residents. Rex and Shirley were graduated from Dimmitt High School. He is an attorney.

Beral Hance had visits with her two grandsons last week. However, they came at different times. Boyd Hodges, son of Beth and Jack, was here Wednesday night for supper and Ron Hance, son of Kent and Carol, had supper with Beral Friday evening. Boyd is with the First State Bank in Tulia. Ron is a junior at Texas Tech and works for a Lubbock law firm.

C. A. and Oleada Hance and Martha Isaacs of Dimmitt, and David and Sandra Honea of Dumas returned home on Saturday after a week's visit with their son and brother Harry Joe and Sue Hance and family in Rocklin, Calif. They attended funeral services for their grandson and nephew, Mike Hance who was killed in a car accident, Nov. 9.

Elvis and Joy Barker have returned from Evansville, Ind. where they visited daughter Pam and James Crookham, grandsons Chris and Jason, and granddaughter Jennifer. The foliage going up across Missouri and Illinois was beautiful. There has been a lot of rain in that area. They all went to French Lick, Ind. one day and rode a restored steam engine train and a trolley car. One day they went down the Ohio River to a big lock and dam to see coal barges being pushed through. They spent their time seeing the sights around Evansville and visiting, and returned home Saturday night. They stopped for short visits with Joy's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lamm in Sayre, Okla. going and coming home, and also with Elvis' sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Junie Coop in Erick, Okla.

The Dimmitt Book Club observed their annual Silver Tea on Wednesday afternoon at Rhoads Memorial Library. Ronda Wise presided over the meeting and Oneida Hutto read the minutes from the last meeting. Michele Bell gave a delightful review of the book "Miss Manners' Guide to Rearing Perfect Children." Michele was dressed in a fashionable dress and she modeled for all the members and their guests. Her relatives had sent her a pretty bouquet of fresh flowers

that caused her some problems.

Hostesses for the tea were Oleta Walsler, Myrtle Lois Moran, Esta Vandiver and Ruth Hays. The serving table was pretty with a beautiful cut-work tablecloth, a fall arrangement in a grapevine basket, party sandwiches and cookies, and hot apple cider. Several guests were present including Polly Bell and Karen Sheffy.

Glenda Sims brought her fourth, fifth and sixth grade Gifted Class "Gems" to the museum last week: Shad McDaniel, Zack Smith, Matt Sims, Julie Atchley, Brandi Morgan, and Stace McDaniel. Some of the board members were working at the museum so they gave this class the grand tour, Lon Woodburn, George Bagwell, and Ralph Lambright. Others who were working were H. C. Nelson, Jim Elder and Harley Dyer.

Faye Mohon brought her father, Mr. Bonifield from Canyon, to the museum on a cold, damp day. They enjoyed the tour, even the machinery outside.

The Baptist Church revival was exciting with about 85 children filling the choir on Monday night following a hot dog supper and 107 youth in the choir on Tuesday night after enjoying a pizza supper. Woody Glass furnished the special music and it was thrilling to see the youth line the walls of the church and sing their special song and hold hands.

About 60 over 55 years of age were in the choir on Wednesday night after an old fashioned pie supper. Nolan Froehner played the organ and Phyllis Mooney played the piano. Weldon Bradley played the violin and the men's quartet composed of Joel Worthington, Jerry Heller, Edgar Dennis and Roy Dudgeon sang a special.

Over 100 filled the fellowship hall each day at noon for a delicious meal and an inspirational sermon by guest speakers: Ed Barrentine on Monday, Bently Gwyn on Tuesday, and Butch Strickland on Wednesday. Rev. Ken Cole brought the sermon for each night's service and Richard Young led the singing with Walter Maynard at the piano and Avie Lewis at the organ.

George and Irene Blanton have just returned from a visit with Irene's nephew, Lonnie Smith, and family. They live in Austin and he works for the coal mining company in Rockdale where he is president of the company.

Jim and Ina Cleavinger have been to Baytown to visit their son, Jimmy, and to see his new home.

Sara Logan and Carolyn Mitchell from Hobbs were in Dimmitt over the weekend. Sara visited James and Mildred Bradford and Carolyn visited J. M. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hartt from Marshall visited Jack and Susie Bradford recently. The Hartts are Susie's parents.

Bernice Hill was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Johnnie Vannoy won high score and Emily Clingingsmith won second high. Others playing were Jean Christian, Dude McLeyan, Oleda Schumacher, Cleo For-

son, Ferne Dickey, Virginia Crider, Susie Reeves, Jo Gregory and Era Hickerson.

Dorothy Elder was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. The high scorers were Josie Bradford and Gladiola Shipley. Others playing were Retta Cluck, Cletha George, Ruth Coleman, Opha Burks and Opal Bearden.

Ruby Maples observed her 87th birthday on Nov. 6 with a luncheon in her home. Her daughter, Dorothy Elder, assisted with the hostess duties. Along with the luncheon, two birthday cakes were served to Lois Bartlett, Nettie Graham, Waurayne Hughes, Zelma Smith, Louise Mears, Rena Cates, Trudy and James Jackson. Ruby, Lois, and Nettie are charter members of the "Elephant Club" that was organized years ago.

Mauzee Youts flew to Los Angeles with her daughter Pat and A. P. Sligh. Her brother, Armon O'Neal, met them and they visited a nephew and his family. They went on to San Francisco and spent two days there. The nieces and nephews knew that Mauzee liked fish, so they ate at several fish places. One day they went into San Francisco, toured the city, and went to the gold market that was very interesting. They left San Francisco and drove to Rocklin where another brother, Davis O'Neal, lived. They visited with his family for two days, then back to Los Angeles to catch an early morning flight and the next day home. Mauzee spent one day in Monahans with Pat and Slick then came on home on Wednesday—tired, but she had a good trip and she said it is nice to be home.

Louella Maxwell brought me some turnips and she brought one that weighed 9 lbs., just to show. Eulless Waggoner had brought me some turnips a few weeks ago. Thanks for the vegetables.

Wilda Hawkins is a faithful member at the Senior Citizens Center and she is really appreciated for the work that she does.

Lena Martin Williamson from Abernathy spent the weekend with Lois Scott. They attended the wedding of Cynthia Easterwood in Hereford. Craig Vandiver spent the weekend with his parents, Dr. Charles and Esta Vandiver.

Decimae Dennis was in Lubbock for the Amarillo Sandies-Midland Lee football game. She flew to Amarillo after the game where she met Geneva and Morgan Dennis and they all visited with Geneva's sister, Jauvada Curtis and Mary Pyatt. Decimae teaches at Midland Lee High School.

Ivor and Hazel Bagwell have returned from a visit with their daughter, Nelda Falwell, who was in the hospital part of the time the Bagwells were in Dallas.

The Community Thanksgiving Service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Sunday evening, Nov. 24. Those who would like to sing in the choir are asked to be at the church at 6:30.


Jim and Rhonda Murpree and Ed and Betty Freeman at-

tended the Bill Gothard Institute on Basic Youth Conflicts last week Monday through Saturday at the Civic

Center Coliseum in Amarillo. There were 1,500 people in attendance at the seminar, people of all ages. The seminar

basically teaches parents how to understand teenagers and teenagers how to understand parents.

A Hollow Shell



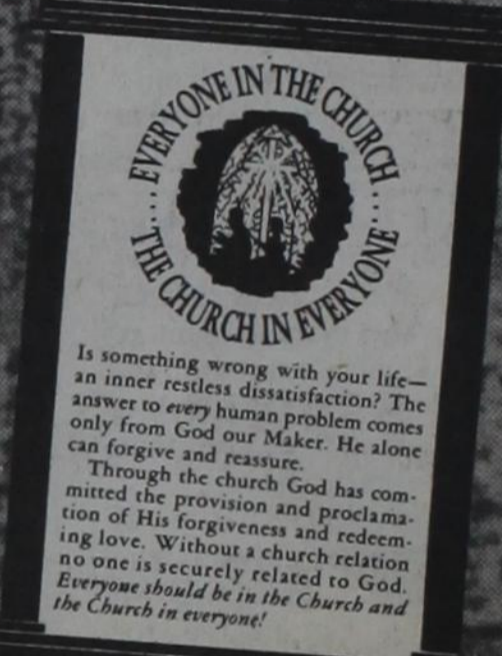
What a profound symbol of emptiness, a hollow shell from which the life kernel has been removed.

Its purpose for existence is gone; it is fit only to be cast on the rubbish heap.

Sometimes life is like that — an empty shell from which the life force has been removed. It has no meaning and no purpose; it seems to have no conceivable end but the grave. This is a picture of life without God, a shell from which the kernel of meaning has been removed.

God has made us for Himself and we are empty until filled with His presence. Only God can make human life meaningful. God's gift to lead us to this meaning is His Church. Go to Church Sunday and open your life to the One who will fill it with significance.

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Is something wrong with your life — an inner restless dissatisfaction? The answer to every human problem comes only from God our Maker. He alone can forgive and reassure. Through the church God has committed the provision and proclamation of His forgiveness and redeeming love. Without a church relation no one is securely related to God. Everyone should be in the Church and the Church in everyone!

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<p>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive - 647-5478 Terry L. Griffith, Minister</p> <p>Sunday— Bible Study 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 and Lord's Supper 10:50 Evening Worship 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Study 7:00</p>	<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Hart Steve Ulroy, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 UMYF 5:00 Evening Worship 6:30</p>	<p>PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Edward D. Freeman, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday— Church School 10:00 Common Worship 11:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Bible Study 7:00</p>
<p>LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA "Full Gospel" - 400 NE 5th Pastor Ruben Velasquez</p> <p>Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 Sunday Night 7:00</p> <p>Wednesday— Wednesday Night 7:30</p> <p>Friday— Friday-Prayer 7:30</p>	<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST Vernon O'Kelly, Pastor 110 SW 3rd - 647-4106 or 647-4107</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 10:45 MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 Evening Worship 6:30</p> <p>Wednesday— General Meeting 9:30 WCS, Morning 9:30 Choir, Night 7:30</p>	<p>LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St.</p> <p>Sunday— Sunday School 10:00 Sermon 11:00 Lord's Supper and Feet Washing 11:30 Evening Worship 7:30</p> <p>Wednesday— Wednesday Services 7:30</p>

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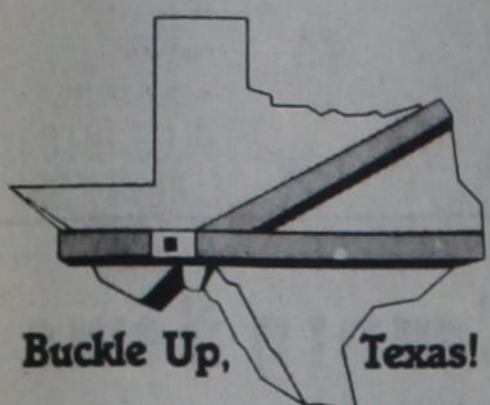
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Letter

Dear Editor:
 "Food for thought"—
 Man is looking for something for nothing that he won't have any responsibility. Humanity! Humanity! What a mess! The world has the AIDS disease and it is one hundred percent fatal. They are clamoring for an exit, but they won't find it. Euless Waggoner

Sunnyside

Ezell and Verba Sadler, Larry and Sharon Sadler and Laura, Tex Conard of Dimmitt, and Lee and Louise Bradley, Sharon, Jack, Justin and Joel attended the funeral services for Jake King of Hereford, father of Gay Sadler of Hobbs, Wednesday afternoon. Gale Sadler visited with the family Tuesday afternoon. David and Gay Sadler, Melody and Karla of Hobbs came Monday morning when they got the message. David and the girls returned home after the funeral Wednesday. Gay will stay several days with her mother. Verba and Ezell helped the bluegrass group serve supper for the family Wednesday night.

Jack Wright, brother of Lillie Ivey, his wife Velma and Velma's sister and husband were seriously injured in a three-vehicle accident last Wednesday not far from their home at Tye near Abilene. Jack received several facial cuts, his nose was dislocated, both arms were broken above the elbow and one shoulder was broken. He was released from intensive care this week in Abilene. Velma received possible internal injuries and two crushed knees. She is still in intensive care awaiting surgery. The other couple were not hurt seriously. They were on their way home from a visit in Oklahoma City with relatives when they ran up on a two-car wreck and were not able to stop. Jack and Velma were in the back seat.

Lewis Jurado has shown some improvement this week, but he still has bad days, and is still collecting fluid. He will go back to the doctor in Amarillo Wednesday to have more fluid removed and to have a check-up.

Michele Bell reviewed the book "Miss Manners: Guide to Rearing Perfect Children" for the Dimmitt Book Club Wednesday in Rhoads Memorial Library. Susie Bell was a guest.

A trace of moisture was received from drizzle Tuesday morning, with another trace from light rain Thursday.

Teeny Bowden attended the meeting of the Nursing Home Steering Committee Monday afternoon in Dimmitt.

Alton and Betty Louder and Dwayne and Roxie Louder of Flagg attended the services at the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt last Sunday morning to see Katy Louder baptized and to hear Terri's father preach.

Terry and Cheryl Blanton and Rafel have been visiting with Lloyd and Leona Blanton

and Ronny Blanton this week. They are in the process of moving from Prescott, Ariz. to Posey, near Lubbock.

Ezell and Verba Sadler and Larry Sadler spent last Sunday night in Canadian with James and Patricia Powell, and Monday night in Aspermont since the fog slowed them down. They got the trailer house on location Tuesday, but didn't finish hooking it up. They came in Tuesday night to be with the King family, and went back Thursday to Albany to finish. They stayed at Breckenridge at the cabin at night and got in a little fishing over the weekend.

Lee and Louise Bradley, Sharon, Jack, Justin and Joel and Sharon and Laura Sadler visited in Hereford Monday night with Mrs. Jake King, David and Gay Sadler, Melody and Karla and the rest of the King family. Jake King passed away of a massive heart attack Monday morning.

Rev. Bentley, Kathy Gwyn and Holly visited in Lubbock with her parents, Roger and Betty Curry Tuesday.

L. B. Bowden received a good report from appointments in Amarillo Wednesday. His cardiac rehabilitation nurse said his heart rate was better during exercises Wednesday than it had been. The cardiologist thought his condition was much improved, and the kidney doctor also gave him a good report on his blood chemistry.

W. T. Autry of Dimmitt, grandfather of Debbie White and a former resident of the community, was improving Saturday night and Sunday after being very ill earlier with heart trouble. Debbie spent much of the weekend with him and other members of the family who were called in.

Randy Waldrip and Brandon Cox attended the National FFA Convention in Kansas City this week. Petra and Chance went with them and visited with her sister there.

Presbyterian happenings

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at the Presbyterian Church at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible Class meets at the home of Mrs. Emily Clingsmith. All other classes meet at the church. "The Governor" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's Thanksgiving sermon at the service for the public worship of God at 11 a.m. Mark Henslee will be the liturgist and will give the children's sermon.

Ministerial Alliance

Ken Cole will be the speaker at the community Thanksgiving service that will be held on Sunday at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. There will be a Community Choir. All members of the Ministerial Alliance will take some part in the service. Ed Barrantine will lead the Ministerial Alliance in the study of Matthew, chapter 13, on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Lee St. Baptist Church.

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BALANCE SHEET
 AUGUST 31, 1985

ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	
Cash, Temporary Investments	\$ 261,757.83
Receivables	45,025.41
Land, Buildings, and Equipment	707,347.28
Other Debits	43,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,057,130.52
LIABILITIES, FUND BALANCE, RESERVES	
Current Payables	\$ 20,310.78
Deferred Revenue	35,836.39
Bonds Payable	43,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 99,147.17
Fund Balance—General Operating Fund	\$ 248,854.87
Reserve for Retirement of Funded Indebtedness	1,781.20
Reserve for Investment in General Fixed Assets	707,347.28
Total Fund Equity	957,983.35
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	\$ 1,057,130.52
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES For The Fiscal Year Ended August 31, 1985	
Revenues	
General Operating Fund	\$ 933,326.60
Special Revenue Fund	34,474.18
Debit Service Fund	20,710.75
Total Revenue	\$ 988,511.53
Expenditures	
General Operating Fund	\$ 850,447.46
Special Revenue Fund	34,474.18
Debit Service Fund	18,983.72
Total Expenditures	903,905.36
NET REVENUE	\$ 84,606.17

The above condensed statements were prepared from the financial information which appears in the audit report for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1985, and which contains the auditor's opinion.

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Half section four miles south of Dimmitt on US 385. One well, underground tile, tailwater pit. Small house and barn. Attractive financing available. Call 1-839-2448, 8:30 to 4. 1-8-tfc

TWO-BEDROOM HOUSE for sale, 609 W. Andrews. Call for an appointment at 647-4338 after 5 p.m. 1-48-tfc

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14 — CARDS OF THANKS

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NOVEMBER 21—Nathan Pevehouse, Rex Sheffy, Angie Espinosa, Carla Hochstein, Trey Johnson, Lynette Kleman, Brad Klein, Vera Huseman, Jill Ramaekers, Judy Steffens Brax.
NOVEMBER 22—Julius Birkenfeld, Wade Drerup, May Hochstein, Rosemary Wilhelm, Robbie Grossman, Abel Mendoza.
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NOVEMBER 24—Jeff Schmucker, Dwayne Kleman, San Juana Olvera, Leslie Heard, Phoebe Claborn, Rafael Guajardo, Juana Guajardo, Keith Jones, Lavern Upshaw, Dana McLain, Letha Key, Antonia Garza.

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NOVEMBER 26—Juanita Barker, Leonard Birkenfeld, Gene Schmucker, Nomrman Hays, Holly Wise, Kim Hays, Keven Smithsons, Betty McClure, Alonza Sarabia, Nazavy Barron.

NOVEMBER 27—Joyce Rice, Daniel Robinson, Santiago Blanco, Monte Johnson, Tommy Perkins, Marva Hanners, Barbara Moss, Robert Birkenfeld, Lucille Drerup, Nicole Kleman, Edna Rae Schilling, Jill Schulte.

Nazareth

By Uirgle Gerber, 945-2669

The Nazareth Swifts were defeated in the zone play-off Friday evening against Amherst 22-13. The Swifts finished their season with an impressive 9-2 record. We are proud of you and enjoyed your games.

Aurelia Schoenenberger and her daughter-in-law Lissa, of Happy enjoyed the musical presented by the Sweet Adelines at WTSU Saturday evening. This group of women harmonize songs of yesterday and are the "Pride O' Palo Duro."

Al Schoenenberger is recuperating after breaking four ribs in a farm accident a couple of weeks ago.

Walter and Georgie Kleman are in Houston where Walter is receiving treatment at M. D. Anderson Hospital. We wish him well.

A baby shower, honoring Mary Jean (Huseman) Wilhelm was held Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edith

Huseman. Gilbert and Dolly Schulte flew to Dallas Saturday with several couples from Vega to attend the Dallas-Chicago football game on Sunday.

LeRoy and Dorothy Pohlmeier drove to DeSoto, a suburb of Dallas, to visit with Lisa Pohlmeier and Bob and Linda Kendrick and their family. They attended a little league football game on Friday night in which their grandson, Robbie, played.

A bridal shower honoring Cheryl Schulte, bride-elect of Dwayne Kleman, was held Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cornelia Annen.

Urban Huseman is here visiting with the Huseman relatives. He is in the process of moving from California to Van Buren, Ark.

Many small rodents live out their entire existence without ever straying more than 20 feet from the place of their birth.

Who's New?

OUT OF TOWN

Bryan and Debbie Myres of Lubbock are the parents of a boy, Cory Bryan, who was born in Methodist Hospital there Nov. 13. He weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dannevik of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myres of Lubbock. Great grandparents are Mrs. May Dannevik of Moriarty, N.M. and Paul Dannevik of Albuquerque, N.M.

has a big sister, Tonya, 4½, and a big brother, Sean, 18 months. Grandparents are Houston and Doris Lust of Dimmitt and Gene Cayton of Claude and great grandmothers are Mrs. Vern Lust of Dimmitt and Mrs. Joe Finck of Tulia.

Safety belt law to be enforced starting Dec. 1

Law enforcement officials will issue citations in support of the new mandatory safety belt law beginning Dec. 1.

Dept. of Public Safety director Jim Adams said the DPS will "vigorously enforce the safety belt law and will begin issuing citations when the penalty phase goes into effect."

Danny and Tammy Heard of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Alicia D'nei. She was born Friday in Palo Duro Hospital in Canyon. She weighed 7 lbs., 10 oz., and was 19½ inches long. Her grandparents are Dan and Oma Dee Heard and Bill and Helen McMillon, all of Dimmitt. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Hazel McCormick of Canterbury Villa in Dimmitt.

Keith and Ann Cayton of Tempe, Ariz. are the parents of a girl, Lindsey Cheyenne, who was born Oct. 22 in Desert Sands Hospital in Mesa, Ariz. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces. She

Christmas party for foster children is set

The Golden Spread Foster Parents Association of Castro, Deaf Smith, Parmer and Oldham Counties is making preparations for a special Christmas for foster children placed in these counties.

Any individual or group who would like to help may send their donation to the Hereford State Bank, Golden Spread Foster Parent's Christmas Fund, Box 272, Hereford, 79045, or send to Christine Acker, Rt. 1, Box 81, Nazareth, 79063.

The money donated will be used to buy gifts of toys and clothing. The Christmas party for the children will be Dec. 13.

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Here are the school lunch menus for the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth public schools for the week of Nov. 25-29.

DIMMITT
MONDAY—Burritos, cheese slices, French fries, mixed vegetables, fruit and milk.
TUESDAY—Turkey and dressing, gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, green beans, bread, pumpkin bars and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Sandwiches, potato chips, pork and beans, apples and milk.
THURSDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.
FRIDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.

HART
MONDAY—Burritos, cheese wedge, tossed salad, buttered corn, cherry cobbler and milk.
TUESDAY—Turkey and dressing, homemade sliced bread, green beans, whipped potatoes, oatmeal cake and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Sandwiches.
THURSDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.
FRIDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.

NAZARETH
MONDAY—Beef stroganoff, corn, hot rolls, peaches and milk.
TUESDAY—Turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, green beans, hot buttered bread, fruit salad and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Sandwiches, potato chips, carrot and celery sticks, apples and milk.
THURSDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.
FRIDAY—Thanksgiving holiday.

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People

White, Hantla wed Nov. 1, make new home in Canyon

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hantla are home in Canyon after exchanging wedding vows in a formal, double-ring ceremony Nov. 1.

Paul Land, minister, officiated at the ceremony held in the First Christian Church in Canyon.

The bride is the former Beth White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. White of Friona. The groom is the son of Carolyn McCool of Sweetwater.

Daniel Harp provided musical accompaniment for soloists Chris McClintock and Joe Bolin. Selections included "Wind Beneath My Wings," "Endless Love," "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do" and "The Lord's Prayer."

21 arched candelabras entwined with greenery decorated the altar. They were surrounded by 15 spiral candelabras on both sides. Large palm plants in brass planters and mauve bows marking the pews completed the church decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length gown fashioned of silk organza and Chantilly lace. It featured a Queen Anne neckline accented with Venice lace and seed pearls. The bishop sleeves were trimmed with Chantilly lace and were gathered at the wrist. Draped ruffles of Chantilly lace fell down the sides of the gown to the basque waistline. The ruffled edge hemline formed a cathedral-length train.

She wore a wide brim hat covered with Venice lace and seed pearls, and a fingertip-length veil of illusion. She carried a cascading bouquet of mauve roses and tiger lilies accented with baby's breath and seed pearls.

For something old, the bride wore a pearl necklace. Something new was her wedding gown and something borrowed was a pair of diamond earrings from her sister. For something blue, she wore the traditional blue garter.

Matron of honor was Judy Walker of Boys Ranch, the bride's sister.

Bridesmaids were Sharon Frye of Dalhart, Lisa Fulks of Amarillo and Mollie Fielding of Canyon.

Bridal attendants wore ankle-length burgundy gowns designed and made by the bride's mother. They were fashioned with satin lace yoke insets and a ruffled, stand-up collar. The gowns featured full-length sleeves and a basque waistline. They carried bouquets of pink and burgundy roses, accented with baby's breath and ribbon streamers.

Best man was Wayland Pierce of Sweetwater.

Groomsmen included Carl Brown of Canyon, Ricky Harris of Sweetwater and Lance Shaw of Sweetwater.

Lori and April Walker, nieces of the bride were flower girls and Ron Lee Flippin served as ring bearer.



MRS. CHARLES HANTLA
... nee Beth White

David White and Casey Walker, the bride's nephews, served as candlelighters.

Guests were registered by Jeana White, niece of the bride. Keith Cook and Randy Tankersly served as ushers.

A reception followed at the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church.

The bride's table was decorated with a white lace tablecloth and was accented with mauve bows. Silver candelabras decorated with pink carnations and burgundy roses centered the table. The bride's cake was designed in three tiers with burgundy and pink roses and was topped with a Precious Moments bride and groom topper.

Teresa O'Brian and Lori Fulks served at the bride's table.

The traditional German

chocolate cake graced the groom's table which was covered with a burgundy and white lace tablecloth. The table was accented with a western centerpiece and brass and gold service appointments.

Karen Abbott presided over the groom's table.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Friona High School. She attended Western Texas College in Snyder and La Plata Beauty School and is currently employed by Studio Ten in Canyon.

The groom is a 1982 graduate of Sweetwater High School. He is currently attending West Texas State University where he will graduate in May, 1986. He is currently employed with Professional Landscaping Service in Amarillo.

UMY to help mothers Saturday

The First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt's senior youth will hold a "Mother's Day Out" Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the church.

Children from nursery through age 11 are welcome, with the charge for all-day care day \$10 for the first child and \$8 each for other children in the family. Hourly supervision will be available for \$1.50 per hour.

Cancer Society

Castro County Unit of the American Cancer Society met on Tuesday noon, Nov. 12, at K-Bob's. Doris Lindsey, president, presided at the meeting.

Certificates of appreciation were presented to Cheryle Pybus, Shelly Rice, Ed Freeman, Mike Foskey and Doris Lindsey.

The unit adopted the certificate of authorization from the American Cancer Society.

Joanne Snider, home economics teacher at Dimmitt High School and the FHA girls, represented by Leandy Lynn, have accepted responsibility for conducting the Great American Smokeout this year.

Carolyn Andrews of Hereford was present and spoke on behalf of the district organization of the American Cancer Society.

Goals were increased from 75¢ to 83¢ per capita for the next county crusade.

There will be a training session on Saturday, Dec. 7, at the Harrington Cancer Center in Amarillo, from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Couple to wed Nov. 30

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vaughn of Waldron, Ark., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melissa to Steve Lunsford, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lunsford of Danneville, Ark., formerly of Dimmitt.

The couple plan to exchange wedding vows on Nov. 30, at 7 p.m. in the Waltham Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1985 graduate of Waldron High School.

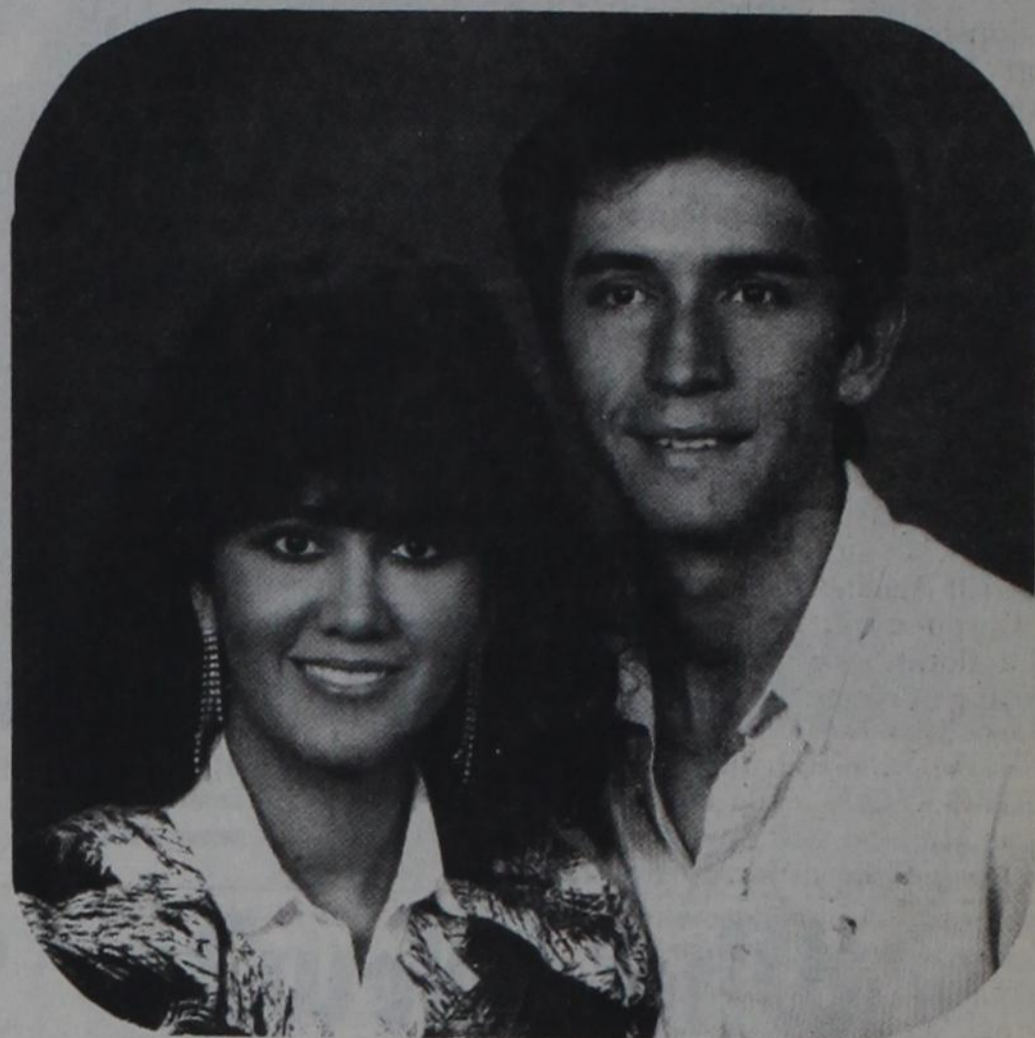
The prospective groom is a 1983 graduate of Dimmitt High School and is currently attending Arkansas Tech University.

He is employed at Mid America Industries in Fort Smith, Ark.

The couple plan to reside in Fort Smith after the wedding.



MELISSA VAUGHN AND STEVE LUNSFORD



CUCA ORTEGA AND VICENTE SALINAS

Ortega, Salinas to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Ortega announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cuca to Vicente Salinas, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vicente Salinas of Dimmitt.

The couple plan to exchange wedding vows at 4 p.m. on Dec. 21 at the Immaculate Conception Church in Dimmitt.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Lubbock Christian High School. She received a Bachelor of Arts degree in education in 1984 from West Texas State University. She is currently employed with the Hereford Independent School District. The prospective groom is a 1980 graduate of Dimmitt High School and is currently a senior physical education major at West Texas State University. The couple plan to reside in Canyon after the wedding.



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Easterwood, Buckles wed Saturday in Hereford

Cynthia Ann Easterwood and Paul Aaron Buckles exchanged wedding vows Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Hereford.

The Rev. Doug Manning, former pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Easterwood of Hereford and the bridegroom is the son of Caroline Buckles of Albuquerque, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Buckles of Amarillo.

Burgundy and ivory colored silk floral arrangements, consisting of roses, carnations and tiger lilies were arranged in brass containers at the church altar and ivory bows marked the pews.

The groom vocalized one of his original songs entitled "Love's Winding Road" and Archie Coplen and Jan Walser sang "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do." Walser also provided musical accompaniment.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a candlelight antique satin gown fashioned with a victorian neckline of candlelight illusion. It was made of European Spasakella lace, with a scalloped edge and fitted bodice with a turn-of-the-century point decorated with pearls and sequins. The satin sleeves were puffed at the shoulders and were attached by delicate lace to form fitted bridal illusion sleeves which extended over her wrists. The full skirt, which was enhanced with Spasakella lace, swept into a cathedral-length train edged with Spasakella lace. It was designed with scalloped edges with rose and leaf designs etched into the lace.

The candlelight floor-length veil, adorned with satin, was attached to a turn-of-the-century hat which was upswept on one side and featured a satin flower and lace flowers entwined by miniature seed pearls.

She carried a bouquet of orchids, roses, carnations and English ivy in dusty rose. She also carried an off-white Bible



MRS. PAUL BUCKLES
... nee Cynthia Easterwood

that her mother had carried at her wedding. She wore the traditional garter, worn by her mother in her wedding, and carried a handkerchief belonging to her maternal grandmother.

Mary F. Moss of Amarillo served as maid of honor. Sandra Land of Albuquerque, the bride's cousin, served as bridesmaid.

Bridal attendants wore dusty rose, floor-length tafetta dresses and carried lace fans decorated by dusty-rose roses and off-white carnations and roses.

Best man was Ben Prichard

of San Antonio. Howard Denton of Amarillo was groomsman.

Serving as flower girl was the bride's cousin, Mary Ditto. The groom's nephew, Colby Buckles was ring bearer.

A reception followed at the fellowship hall. The bride's four-tiered cake, topped with a wedding ornament used in her parents wedding, centered the bride's table, where punch was also served. Brass serving pieces enhanced the table decorations.

The groom's table was centered with a German chocolate cake and featured crystal appointments and hot cider.

Rebecca Boening of Amarillo, the groom's cousin, served punch and coffee. Stace and Jennifer Smith, both of Amarillo, presided over the groom's table.

The bride's travelling suit was a white wool suit featuring a navy sweater and navy colored accessories.

The couple will make their home in Amarillo.

The bride is a 1979 graduate of Hereford High School and has an associate degree in interior design.

The bridegroom served in the US Air Force and is currently employed by Wal-Mart in Amarillo.

DYH will meet

The Dimmitt Young Homemakers will meet tonight at 7 p.m. at the Dimmitt High School homemaking lab.

The program will be on rape awareness. Babysitters will be provided for the meeting.

FBC honors FCA

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes were honored by the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt with a pizza party Tuesday night in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Members of the FCA sang in the choir for the revival being held by Pastor Ken Cole.

107 students attended the meeting and revival.

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JANICE SHELTON

Mr. and Mrs. Langford make home in Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Langford are home in Lubbock after exchanging wedding vows Oct. 19 in the Lubbockview Christian Church in Lubbock.

Paul Land, minister of the First Christian Church in Canyon, officiated at the formal, double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the former Elizabeth Chapman, daughter of J. F. and Peggy Chapman of Lubbock. The groom is the son of Marshall and Daisy Langford of Dimmitt.

Two candelabras decorated each side of the altar. A unity candle, arranged with two tapered candles on each side, decorated the center of the altar. The candles were accented with flower arrangements made by Margaret Coil.

W. T. Greer sang "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer." He was accompanied by organist Karen Dawson.

Tammie Galyon of Dalhart served as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids included Daun Rudkins of Lubbock and Peggy Meeks of Lubbock.

Amber Langford of Dimmitt, niece of the groom, served as flower girl.

Bridal attendants wore antique pink formal gowns made by Miss Galyon. They carried bouquets of pink and fuchsia accented with baby's breath and greenery. Flower arrangements were made by Ludie Harris and Peggy Chapman, mother of the bride.

Best man was Richard Cranford of Lubbock.

Groomsmen were Reggie House of Hobbs, N.M. and Randy Meeks of Lubbock.

Candlelighter was Jeremy Langford of Dimmitt, nephew of the groom.

Ushers included Bill Cranford of Hobbs, N.M. and Robert Gregorio of Lubbock.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal-length gown of chiffon and imported lace. It was designed with a Queen Anne neckline. Sheer princess sleeves gathered at the wrist forming lace cuffs. It featured a fitted bodice and full skirt falling into a chapel-length train. She wore a fingertip veil created of chiffon which gathered onto a lace-covered crown.

She carried a cascading bouquet of antique pink and fuchsia silk roses accented with lily of the valley, baby's breath and greenery.

A reception was held in Jennings Hall at the church after the ceremony.

Guests were registered by Tonnia Kitchens of South Plains.

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Servers included Cheryl Robb of Amarillo, and Laura Jones and Melody Stratton of Lubbock.

Wearing their wedding attire, the couples took a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M.

The bride is attending Texas Tech University and will graduate in December. She is currently employed at the Lubbock Plaza Hotel.

The groom is employed as beverage manager at the Lubbock Plaza Hotel.



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Sports

Bulldogs race past Swifts, 22-13

Nazareth made several key mistakes, paving the way for a 22-13 loss to Amherst in the District 2-A zone playoff Friday at Olton.

The Amherst win sent the Bulldogs, 7-2-1, into bidistrict Saturday night at Hereford against Phillips.

The mistakes were many — two lost fumbles deep in Amherst territory, two turnovers on downs in the Bulldog end of the field, and several defensive miscues that ended up as big gainers for Amherst.

The biggest mistake, though, was kicking off to Jerry Smith.

"If they don't return the opening kickoff all the way, I think it's a different ballgame," NHS coach Rex Minshew said Friday. "Of course, if we had stayed in our lanes, they wouldn't have scored. I think it could have been a totally different game."

Smith took the kickoff at the 3-yard line, then cut to his left across and up the field. 15 seconds into the game, the Swifts were down, 6-0. The try for two points failed.

The score put the Swifts in a hole they never really climbed out of. Nazareth came back later in the first quarter to take the lead, but Amherst iced the game early in the second quarter while keeping the Swifts at bay.

The Swifts took the opening kickoff at their own 32, and



A FUNNY THING HAPPENED ON THE WAY TO THE GOAL LINE—Nazareth tailback Mike Huseman (33) breaks loose for a 14 yard gain to the Amherst 28 yard line—but he fumbles the football and Amherst pounces

on it. The fumble was just one of four turnovers inside Bulldog territory that halted Nazareth drives in Friday night's game. Amherst took the 22-13 victory while Nazareth finished the season with a 9-2 record.

drove to the Amherst 49. On fourth-and-three, tailback Mike Huseman broke free over the middle and raced to the end zone. Kevin Hoelting added the extra point to put the Swifts ahead, 7-6, less than three minutes deep in the game.

Amherst then proceeded to big-play the Swifts out of the playoffs.

The Bulldogs, helped by a 41-yard pass-and-pitch play from quarterback Doug Brandstatt to running back Brad Williams, who then pitched to trailing back Ronnie Price, moved to the Swift 28, but, on fourth-and-four, Brandstatt's pass to Smith was knocked down in the end zone by Chris Schmucker.

The Swifts punted after three plays on their next possession, and the Bulldogs moved 59 yards on 7 plays for

the winning touchdown on the ensuing drive.

Brandstatt hit split end Trent Price for 42 yards on two passes to move to the Swift 10, then hit flanker Kevin Fluellen, who outjumped Craig Huseman, in the end zone for a 12-6 lead. Fluellen then hit Smith with a two-point pass in the end zone for a 14-7 advantage.

Amherst 22, Nazareth 13

GAME AT A GLANCE		
Nazareth		Amherst
11	First Downs	16
163	Rushing Yardage	237
171	Passing Yardage	126
334	Total Offense	363
6/15	Passes Comp/Att	6/10
2	Intercepted by	1
2	Fumbles lost	1
2/32	Punts/Avg	2/16
3-15	Penalties-Yds	7-40

Score by quarters:		
Nazareth	7	0 0 6-13
Amherst	6	8 0 8-22

Scoring summary:
 A—Jerry Smith 90 kickoff return (run failed)
 N—Mike Huseman 49 run (Kevin Hoelting kick)
 A—Kevin Fluellen 16 pass from Doug Brandstatt (Smith pass from Brandstatt)
 A—Ronnie Price 3 run (Smith run)
 N—Billy Steffens 15 pass from Todd Hill (pass failed)

threat.

The Swifts then took the ball to the Amherst 25, but Schmucker was intercepted by lineman Brad Carter with 58 seconds left in the half. The Swifts intercepted a Bulldog pass two plays later, but Schmucker was sacked twice in the last 13 seconds to end the threat.

The Swifts saw two drives killed by lost fumbles in the third quarter. The opening drive of the half was stalled by a lost fumble at the Amherst 28 after Huseman had picked up 14 yards, while the second came with just 30 seconds left in the period at the Bulldog 4.

The last fumble was especially costly. The Swifts had recovered a fumble at the

Nazareth 24, and almost scored on a 53-yard pass from Schmucker to Hoelting.

Williams got the Bulldogs out of the hole with a 65-yard run to the Swift 35, before Ronnie Price broke three tackles for the three-yard touchdown six plays later. Smith ran for the two-point PAT on a reverse to put the Swifts down 22-7 with just 8:15 left.

The Swifts charged right back down the field, as Todd Hill hit fullback Frankie Huseman on a middle screen for 58 yards to the Amherst 18. The Swifts could get no closer than the 15, though, giving the ball up on downs with 6:30 to play.

The Swifts almost broke the

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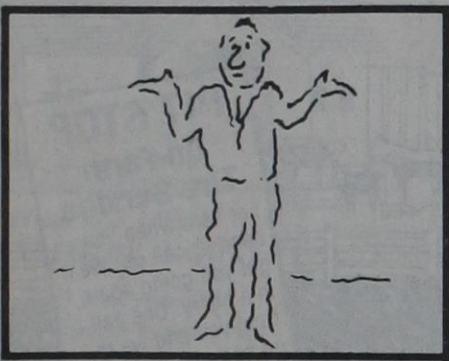
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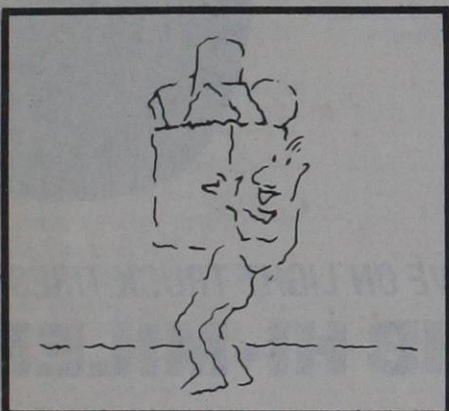
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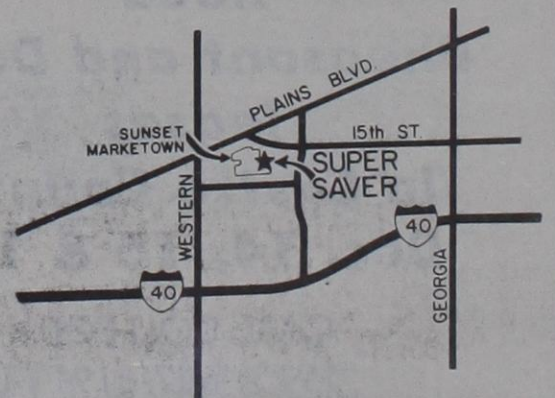
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VFW to host district meeting

State Veterans of Foreign Wars Commander Earnest Mudd and State VFW Auxiliary President Marie Blouin will address the District 13 VFW meeting this weekend at the Post Home in Dimmitt.

Members from 15 area posts will gather for the convention, which will begin with registration Saturday at 2 p.m. and conclude with a luncheon at noon Sunday.

The convention will include a dance, open to the public, Saturday night, and include a welcome address by Don Nelson Sunday morning, as well as addresses by Mudd and Blouin.

Mudd, a 40-year VFW member, entered the Army during World War II, and was discharged in Oct., 1945, then returned to active duty in Aug., 1948.

He was an infantry squad leader in Africa and Italy during WWII, and served with Finance and Accounting during the Korean War. Mudd retired as a Master Sergeant in

Jan., 1963. The Beaumont native moved to San Antonio in 1965. He was elected Post Commander in 1973-74, when James B. Sprague Memorial VFW Post 8541 grew to be the largest in the state.

Blouin, of Adkins, guides more than 42,000 Auxiliary members over the state. Among the activities she is heading include the special heart research project, with proceeds from the sale of special heart pins being dedicated to research efforts.

T. R. Dykes, Jr., of Plainview, is the District 13 commander, while Florene Leinen of Dimmitt is the District Auxiliary president.



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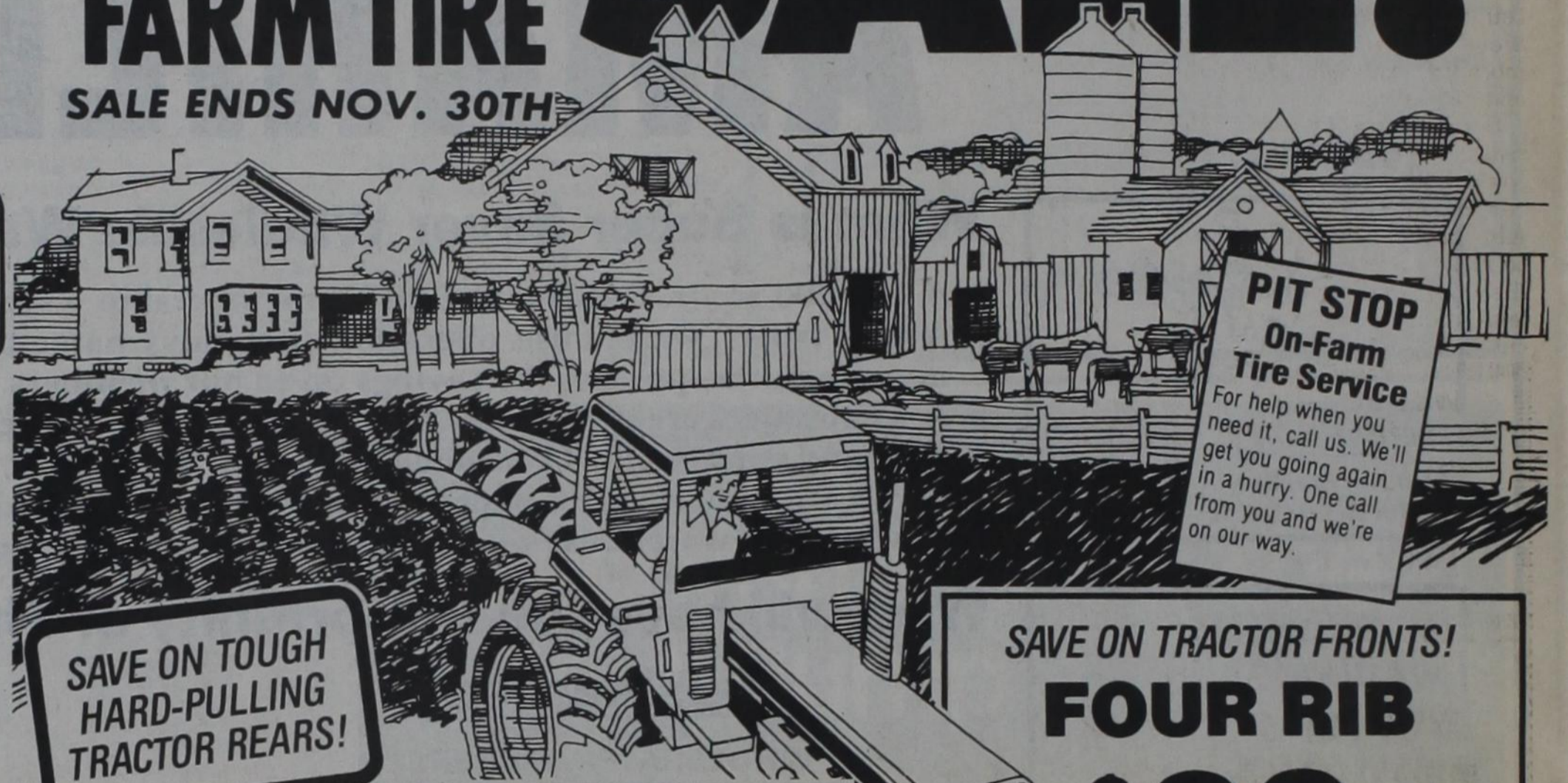
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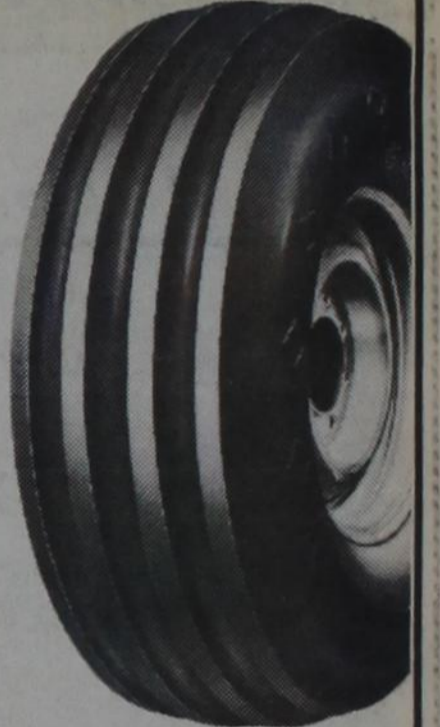
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MONDAY

7th Bobcats 26, Friona 23
8th Bobcats 20, Friona 16
9th Bobbies 52, Friona 29

Dimmitt 12 13 16 11-52
Friona 1 6 10 12-29
D-Shelly Nutt 15, Sydelle McDonald 10.

9th Bobcats 42, Lazbuddie 41 (OT)
Dimmitt 10 15 4 11 4-42
Lazbuddie 10 4 15 11 3-41
D-Rodrigo Jackson 18, Matt Bradley 9.

TUESDAY

JV Bobbies 39, Morton 27
Morton 4 10 8 5-27
Dimmitt 11 8 14 6-39
D-Linda Saenz 14, Kristy Petty 6.

Bobbies 42, Morton 51
Morton 15 4 16 16-51
Dimmitt 8 12 12 10-42
M-Renna Lynch 27, Cathy Miller 12;
D-Molly Waggoner 14, Lisa Nelson and Jill Smith 8.

Swiftettes 72, Olton 33
Olton 8 8 5 12-33
Nazareth 23 11 22 16-72
N-Ramona Heiman 26, Gail Birkenfeld and Traci Hill 10.

JV Swiftettes 50, Olton 28

Swifts 64, Olton 39

Olton 10 8 7 13-38
Nazareth 14 15 14 21-64
N-Kenny Kern 14, Todd Hill and Randy Leavitt 12.

Lady Longhorns 55, Petersburg 28
Petersburg 12 2 4 10-28
Hart 19 6 10 20-55
H-Gwen Wilson 25, Robbie Sarabia 14.

Longhorns 27, Petersburg 41
Petersburg 2 17 12 10-41
Hart 6 6 6 9-27
H-Paul Ramirez and Chris Rodriguez 6.

JV Longhorns 50, Petersburg 18

Harris Picks

Here are this week's picks by the Harris Rating Service:
Post 2 over Perryton, Kermit 7 over Idalou, Ballinger 5 over Iowa Park, Estacado 8 over Lakeview, Sweetwater 28 over Borger, Lee 7 over Andrews, Permian 21 over EP Austin, Abernathy 9 over Fritch, Memphis 19 over Hale Center, Wheeler 20 over Vega, Phillips 9 over Amherst.

More about

Swifts...

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punt return for a touchdown four plays later, going to the 30, then Hill hit Billy Steffens with an 18-yard pass. The Swifts couldn't cash in, though, giving the ball up on downs with just 2:25 left.

Amherst almost ran out the clock, but had to punt the ball with 30 seconds to play. The Swifts got a hand on the kick, which was recovered at the Amherst 15.

The Swifts fired three incomplete passes before Hill hit Steffens in the end zone with 6 seconds left. The pass for two points failed, leaving the Swifts down nine points, 22-13.

Amherst recovered the attempted inside kick.

Week's schedule

THURSDAY-Hart at Lockney.

FRIDAY-Hereford at Dimmitt, Abernathy at Nazareth.

SATURDAY-Morton at Dimmitt (JVB, VB), Dimmitt JV Girls at Lazbuddie Tournament.

TUESDAY-Dimmitt VG, JVG at Southland, Dimmitt VB, JVB at Levelland, Nazareth at Bovina, Kress at Hart.

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But according to News Editor John Brooks, the decorations originated in Mexico, where the word is "luminarias," so the original word should be used.

So I bow to this superior knowledge of Spanish, sacks and candles.

People throughout the world are mourning the death of George Mahon, our former congressman.

The man was a giant. To me, he was the penultimate public official — a man who loved the people back home, and his country; a man with a unique blend of wisdom, humor, morality, courage, foresight and dedication.

George Mahon was the reason I opposed the move toward limiting the terms of congressmen. Such a man, I felt, should be given the chance to make service in Congress a lifelong career. No arbitrary legislation should be passed to cut short such a career.

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But for all his power, he never lost his touch with the people back home or his respect for their individual worth and opinions. I never knew him to talk down to anyone, even when he vehemently disagreed with someone's opinions or demands. His respect for, and dedication to, the people he served were genuine.

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(Many years ago, shortly after the congressional districts were realigned and Castro County became the northern fringe of the 19th, Joe Nelson spotted a strange man walking in his sugarbeet field south of town. When Joe investigated, it turned out to be Mr. Mahon. He was on his way to a rally in Dimmitt, and had never had sugarbeets in his district before, and wanted to see for himself what they looked like.)

His unique qualities carried him above the level of politician, to the level of statesman.

Lubbock Mayor Alan Henry, a former assistant to Mr. Mahon, probably said it best: "George Mahon undoubtedly was the most respected congressman that our nation has known. It is doubtful if we will ever see another George Mahon. His sense of loyalty to our nation and his district was absolute. He used his awesome power wisely and well, but he knew when to pass it along graciously at the proper time."

EDC \$ SIGNS

This year's Pheasant Hunting Season is scheduled for Dec. 14 through Dec. 29.

It may be the one time of the year that our area enjoys its greatest popularity with the outside world. In the three months prior to the season, the Chamber of Commerce is deluged with inquiries from hunters far and near seeking available hunting spots. They inquire about motels, airports and other accommodations. Most of all, they want assistance in securing a hunting lease.

This year, several Dimmitt area farmers are making leases available. Most of the organized hunts sponsored by civic

groups in the area are already full. There is a demand for additional hunting land. Those farmers and land owners who are interested in leasing land for hunting can probably be successful. If a little preparation is made, the event can probably be profitable.

Those interested in offering hunting leases are required to secure a permit from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. The permit authorizes the land owner or farmer to manage a designated "shooting preserve." Applications for the permit are available at the Chamber of Commerce office. The application is a simple form that requires only a few minutes to complete. The application, along with a modest fee, is mailed to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and the permit is usually issued within a few days.

In addition to assisting you with the application for a permit, the Chamber of Commerce can also refer prospective hunters to you for your lease.

We encourage farmers and land owners to consider offering hunting leases and to advise the Chamber of your plans. You may call the Chamber of Commerce at 647-2524 or stop at the office at 115 West Bedford Street in Dimmitt.

More about Lights...

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Police calls

7-year-old Alex Perez of Dimmitt remains in critical condition at Northwest Texas Hospital, suffering from injuries he received Nov. 12 when his bicycle was struck by a pickup driven by a 19-year-old Friona man on North Broadway.

Perez remains in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at NWH, where he is being treated for a cracked vertebrae and a subdural hematoma.

A 17-year-old Dimmitt man was admitted to Central Plains MHMR Center in Plainview after he was picked up by police on suspicion of a drug overdose Friday. The suspect was originally taken to Plains Memorial Hospital. According to police reports, he became violent and had to be restrained. He was admitted to the center after being released from PMH Saturday.

A 1973 Chevrolet grain truck, driven by Dan Schmucker of Nazareth, sustained moderate damage in a two-vehicle accident early Tuesday morning.

Schmucker was travelling westbound on the 300 block of East Bedford in his truck with the right hand turn signal on, when his truck struck a Chevrolet Bison TTST, driven by Lonnie Wagley of Robeline, La.

Wagley was stopped at the stop sign at the 100 block of NE 3rd and Bedford and pulled out into the intersection in the path of the grain truck. He was cited for failure to yield the right of way.

Johnny Hucks told police that someone had broken into his garage during the past two weeks and had taken a Huffly BMX bicycle.

Senior Citizens

Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Quilting, crafts and table games are daily activities. A nutritious meal is served daily from 11:30 to 1 p.m.

Bridge will be played today and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge is played on Monday evenings.

Exercise classes are on Friday, Monday and Wednesday at 10 a.m.

There is a noontime Bible study on Monday.

Royce Pickens, Livingston Hearing Aid representative, will be at the Center on Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

There will be an evening of table games on Tuesday beginning at 6:30 p.m.

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

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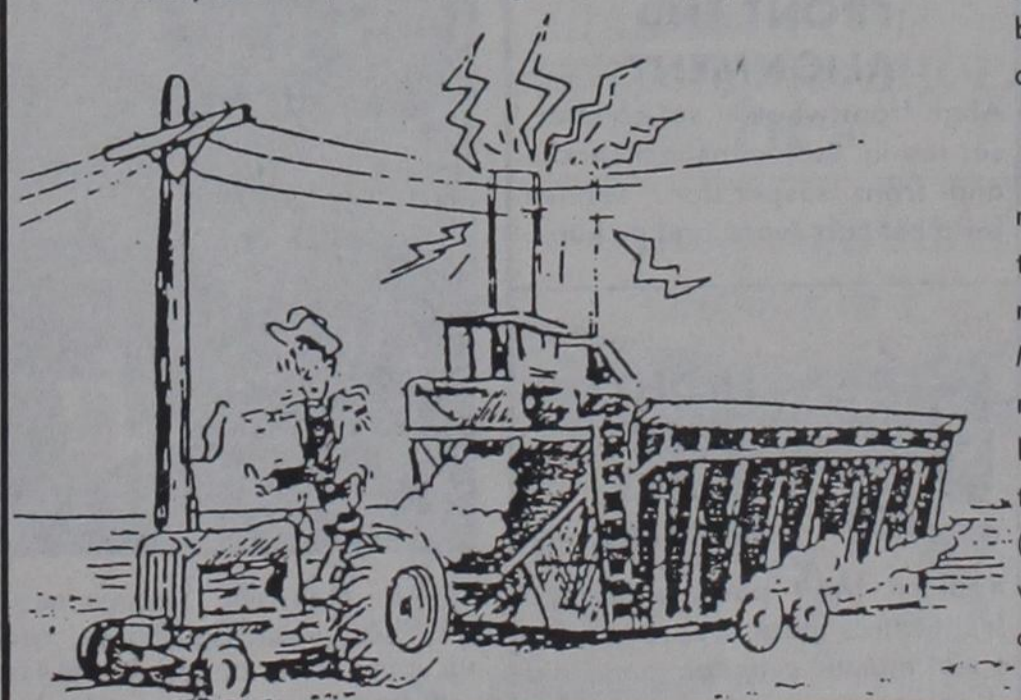
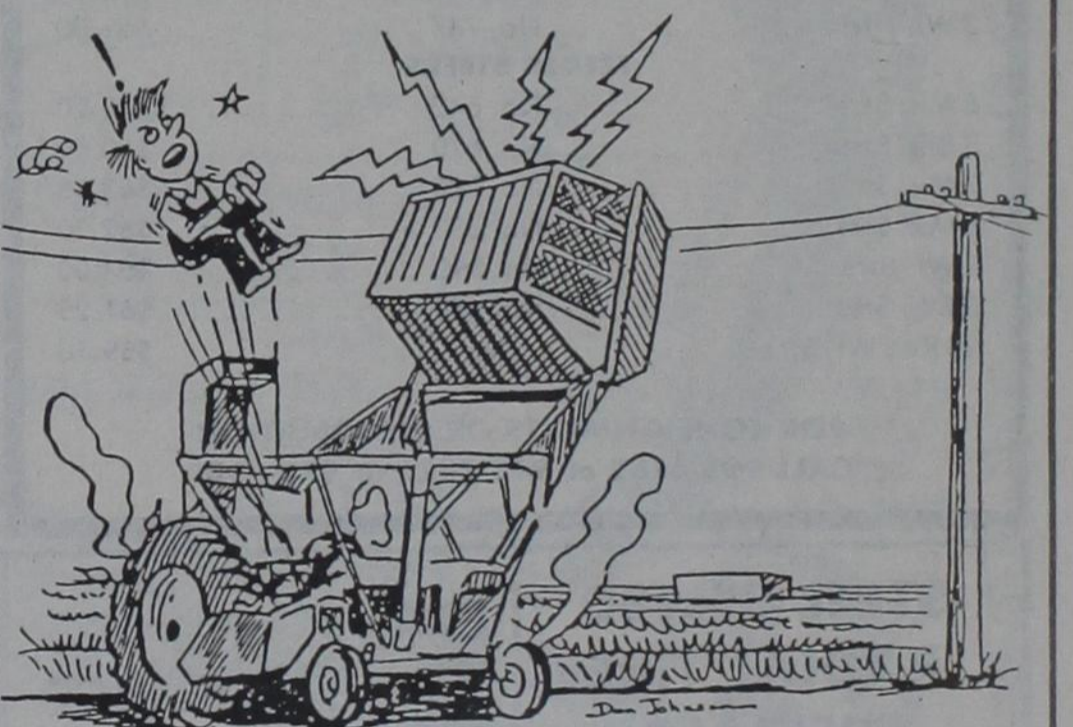
Cotton harvest is here and the Coop urges extreme caution when operating farm equipment near electric lines.

In recent years, many incidents have involved cotton module builders. The extended portion of the cotton module builder can easily come into contact with overhead electric lines if the operator is not careful. The same problem exists with overhead baskets on cotton strippers.

We urge farmers and their employees to be alert to these potential hazards and take every possible precaution to avoid serious injury or death. When moving a module builder, be sure the packer arm is lowered as far as it will go. When using a stripper with an overhead basket, be sure to check for overhead lines before dumping.

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Our Football Teams

Our county's three varsity football teams were all fortunate enough—and good enough—to post winning seasons this year.

Coach Rex Minshew's Nazareth Swifts compiled an excellent record of nine victories and two losses, finishing as zone champions.

Coach Mark Stroebel's Hart Longhorns posted a good 7-3 record and tied for runner-up honors in District 3-AA.

Coach Clifford Smith's Dimmitt Bobcats compiled a respectable 5-4-1 record.

The players and coaches are probably wishing they had won more games, or made the playoffs, or gone farther in the playoffs...because they played the game to win.

But looking back, they did well. They won a lot more than they lost, compiling an aggregate record of 21-9-1, and we're proud of them. Even if they had NOT had winning seasons, we would be proud of them for trying.

Football is a game that requires superb physical conditioning, all-out effort, concentration, cooperation and teamwork—just to be able to compete. Those are the ground rules of the game. It's a demanding sport. The players no doubt learned during the season that if they could put all of those factors together, they could sometimes win over another team that had more size or speed...but that if they slipped on any of these basic requirements, they could lose to a smaller, less talented team. They also learned that finesse is sometimes better than brute strength; that the harder you try, the bigger the thrill when you succeed; that the difference between winning and losing sometimes rests on a crazy bounce of the ball; that if you don't do your job, the whole team could suffer for it; that such unmeasurable factors as attitude and momentum are sometimes extremely important in determining the outcome of a game...

These are just a few of the lessons and realities that the game of football teaches. If the players learned their lessons well, these lessons will be useful—sometimes valuable—to them in the future.

Most of our players worked harder and put out more effort during the just-completed season than they've ever done in their lives, and we salute them for succeeding—but mostly for trying. They made it an enjoyable season for all of us.

Thanks, fellows, and congratulations.



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Obituaries

Michael Craig Hance

Michael Craig Hance, grandson of C. A. and Oleada Hance of Dimmitt, died in a car accident Saturday, Nov. 9, near Loomis, Calif., at the age of 22 years, 4 months and 17 days.

Funeral services were held at the Sands Foothill Chapel in Loomis at 10 a.m., Nov. 13, with Father Michael Dillon officiating. Burial followed in Newcastle Cemetery in Newcastle, Calif.

He was born in San Jose, Calif. June 22, 1963, and had been a resident of the Loomis-Rocklin area for 14 years, having lived in Rocklin for the past year. He was a graduate of Del-Ore High School in Loomis and at the time of his death was a student at Sierra College in Rocklin.

He is survived by his parents Harry Joe and Sue Hance of Rocklin; two brothers, Joe of Placerville, Calif., and Paul of Rocklin; two sisters, Renee Hance of Carmichael, Calif. and Terre of Rocklin; his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hance of Dimmitt and Lee Burrell of Auburn, Calif.; four aunts, Martha Isaacs of Dimmitt, Saundra Honea of Dumas, Jauneta Strelbel of San Jose, Calif., and Jewel Pierce of Fresno, Calif.; and several cousins.

Courtney Kay Inglad

Courtney Kay Inglad, 3-day-old infant daughter of Randy and Janis Inglad of Amarillo died Saturday.

Graveside services were held Monday in Llano Cemetery with the Rev. Van Earl Hughes, officiating. Arrangements were by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

The infant was born Wednesday.

Survivors include her parents; a sister, Stephanie of the home; her grandmothers Betty Inglad of Albuquerque, N.M., and LaVerta Fore of Dimmitt; and her great-grandmother, Blanche Warden of Liberal, Kan.

Craig Irons

Craig Irons, 28, of Bethany, Okla., died last Wednesday.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Roesch Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Bill Matthews, pastor of the Liberty Baptist Church officiating.

Burial followed in New Hope Cemetery in Meeker, Okla.

He was born Aug. 9, 1957 in Scottsbluff, Neb., and lived in Dimmitt for several years, graduating from Dimmitt High School in 1975. He served in the US Army for two years.

He was a construction worker and was killed on the job in McCloud, Okla. He was preceded in death by a sister, Crystal Kay Irons, in 1978.

Survivors include his fiancée, Susan Beaumont of Bethany; his parents, Patricia Mendez of Indio, Calif. and Charles Don and Rosie Irons of Meeker; one son, Cabel Ma Irons of Oklahoma City, Okla.; two sisters, Cheryl McConnell of Oklahoma City, Okla. and Candace Irons of Indio, Calif.; one brother, Charles Lynn Irons of Indio, Calif.; four step-brothers, Michael and Shawn Walker of Indio, Calif., Richard O'Neal of Portales, N.M. and Kenneth O'Neal of Tulsa, Okla.; one step-sister, Margo Roberts of Socorro, N.M.; a grandmother, Freda Gordon of Oshkosh, Neb.; several uncles including Al Irons of Hart; and several cousins including Bryan Irons of Dimmitt and Kent Irons of Hart.

Kinard Wray Liles

Kinard Wray Liles, 61, of Dimmitt, died Saturday.

Graveside services were held Tuesday in Castro Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Vernon O'Kelly, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements were by Foskey Funeral Home.

He was born in Peacock. He married Barbara Ludbert in 1946 in Mesa, Ariz. He moved to Dimmitt from Magnolia about 1½ years ago. He was a cutting horse trainer and was a member of the National Cutting Horse Association. He managed several feed yards in the Imperial, Calif. area and a ranch at Las Vegas, N.M. He was employed at Dimmitt Feed Yard at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Sue Laing of Boulder City, Nev.; three brothers, Pete of Afton, Billy of Clearfield, Utah and Arnell of Coos Bay, Ore.; and four grandchildren.

Ralph Smith

Ralph Smith, 53, of Happy, died last Thursday at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Tulia, with the pastor of FBC officiating.

Burial followed in the Happy Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

He was born in Paradise, Kan., and had been a Happy resident for 30 years. He married Sharon Cumby Sept. 7, 1980 in Dimmitt. He was the superintendent of the Happy Grain Elevator.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Judy Lawson of Woodward, Okla., and Stacy Smith of the home; two sons, Robert of Alabama and Tracy of the home; two stepsons, Travis Tate and Jeff Tate, both of Happy; a stepdaughter, Sarah Tate of Happy; his mother, Beulah Smith of Portis, Kan.; and five grandchildren.

William P. Yarbrough



The Defense Department recently identified nine servicemen from among 26 sets of remains turned over to the US on Aug. 14 by North Vietnam.

One of the identified servicemen was Navy Commander William P. Yarbrough, brother of Dena LaRue of Dimmitt.

Yarbrough, a Putnam native, was a bomber-navigator on a Navy A-6 Intruder that was

based on the aircraft carrier *Kitty Hawk*.

He had been listed as missing in action since Jan. 19, 1967, when his plane was reportedly shot down over Thanh Hoa in North Vietnam.

His plane was shot down just two weeks before he was scheduled to be sent home to take a desk job, said Mrs. LaRue.

The downed plane's pilot survived the incident and talked to Yarbrough's family after he was released from a POW camp. He said he had not seen Yarbrough leave the plane after the crash, but later, while in prison, he heard that Yarbrough was alive.

The family kept in touch with the Navy hoping to learn of news of Yarbrough, but after 1969, news were sketchy. They heard very little until the Defense Dept. said his remains might be among those returned by North Vietnam.

Mrs. LaRue said he had joined the service the summer after he graduated from high school. He was sent overseas during World War II, but was only there for the last two weeks. She also added that he had been decorated with several honors during his military career. He taught radar and electronics classes in base schools in Florida, West Virginia, California and others.

Yarbrough was born on May 25, 1923, and his date of death has been listed as Jan. 19, 1967, the day his plane was shot down.

Funeral services were held Nov. 8, 1985 at 10 a.m. in the Main Post Chapel at Fort Sam Houston with Chaplain Harrell Hicks and Chaplain Leonard Lee officiating.

Interment followed in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery by Sunset Funeral Home in San Antonio.

Survivors include his wife, Topsy Yarbrough of Austin; three sons, Butch of Arlington, Pat of Phoenix, Ariz. and Michael of Weatherford; two sisters, Mrs. LaRue of Dimmitt and Mrs. Nova Watson of Pasadena.

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Long, Brown pushing women's farm groups



Mildred Brown

During the past week, the leaders of two farm groups founded by and for women visited Dimmitt, hoping to start a new chapter for their organizations while also trying to help spread the word of their cause. Their cause is the same — agriculture — and their methods are fairly similar. Both are trying to get agriculture's point across without partisanship, abrasiveness, or politic-rhetoric.



Gen Long

"Texas is so diversified! I think we have a committee on every crop but tobacco. It keeps us busy."

It keeps Mildred Brown of Hale Center especially busy. Brown is Texas president of Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE). Brown was in Dimmitt Monday, meeting with area women, and hopes to form a chapter in the area in the near future.

"It's (agriculture) so diversified over the state, just like it is here. We have committees on a dozen different commodities, plus dairy, and we have issues chairmen, plus transportation and legislation. We cooperate with each other, writing letters for the entire organization."

"We've been working on the farm bill, we're worried about how the new tax laws will affect us, and we're especially concerned with the farm credit system. We think if the federal government does finance the farm credit system for this year, that, unless the farmer gets a better price, the system will have to be refinanced next year. It's just a bandaid situation, and we're trying to help."

WIFE has chapters in 24 states, but Brown believes Texas is by far the most influential state.

"We've had two of the five national WIFE presidents from Texas. June Saylor, who used to live in Muleshoe, and Nita Simpson of Seminole, were both national presidents. I think it's because we're so big in agriculture, number one in so many areas. Washington, Nebraska, Colorado and others are so limited in what they can grow. In Texas, we can grow anything, plus the dairy industry. We're so diversified."

Both women made reference to House Ag Committee Chairman Kika De La Garza. Brown ended with a quote that sums up the attitudes of both groups:

"If you walk out on a field and don't feel a

"I think two of the biggest things we've done is work to get the estate tax laws changed and help repeal the IRS provision on keeping mileage logs. But we're working hard to help agriculture in all aspects."

Gen Long, president of Texas Agri Women, bills the TAW as "an action organization of farm women, agribusiness women and consumers. Agriculture is going through a period of extreme stress, and, as agriwomen, we are very concerned."

"We are working on current agriculture news, market prices, market analysis, research, trade problems, water concerns, consumer education and many other items. Consumers must be educated."

"We have committees studying several farm bills to show differences on how they help the Texas farmer and/or if they help the consumer."

"TAW is sponsoring different workshops on computers, vocational agriculture and livestock information. We also hope to offer workshops for every commodity grown in Texas. Another goal is for us to have an ag fair for children with projects to include churning butter, hatching eggs and printing farm scenes on children's shirts."

"We must all work together, and that's what TAW intends to do, for TAW wants everyone to harvest the reward of a thriving farm economy. This is our state and all of us have a stake in its most productive resource, the family farm."

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The seminar is being sponsored by the Chamber and the Dimmitt Police Dept.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients In Hospital: Carlos Hernandez, W. T. Autry, John L. Thomas, Mary Lucy Garcia, Dugan Butler, Sharon Lynne Ward.

Patients Dismissed: Mary Ann Schulte, Wyette Maynard, Pat Bagley, Mary Dooley, Maria Hanners, Harlin Dodd, Derek Buckley, Myrtle Vice, R. L. Baker, Willie Mandrell, Modesta Sandoval, Lorraine Jones, Julian Rioz, Rosie Lara, Sharon Bridges, Becky Garcia, Georgia Mireles, Paula Lopez.

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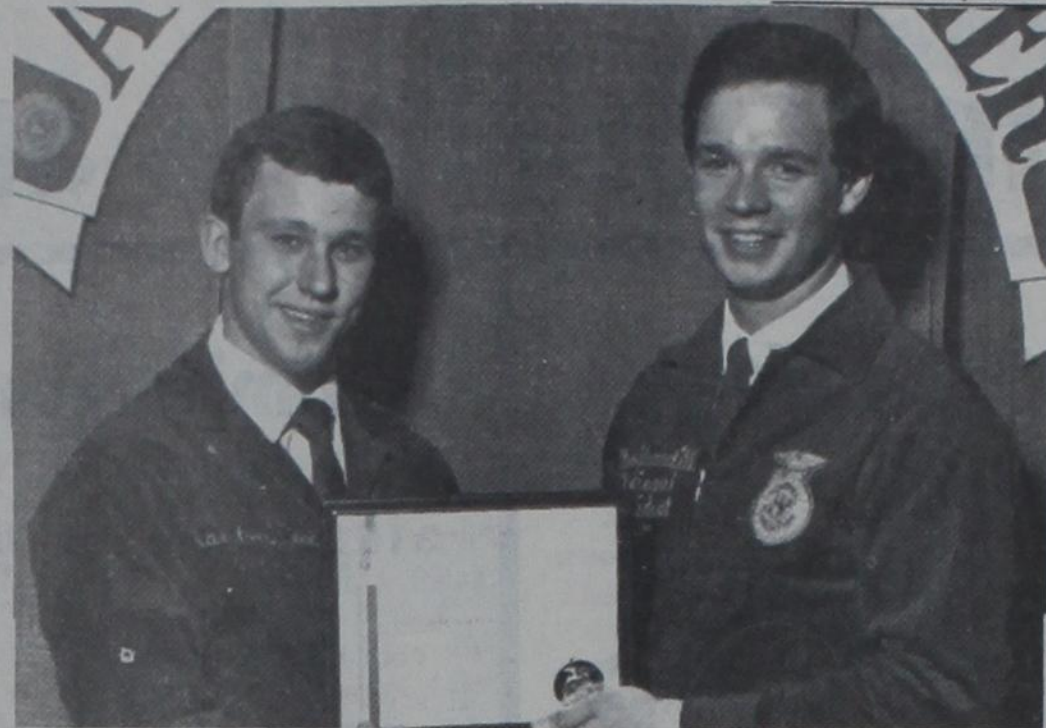
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Dance is set

The Dimmitt High School Senior Class will sponsor a dance Friday night after the basketball games at the Expo Building.

The DJ will be from Z-93, and admission will be \$3 a person or \$5 per couple. All high school and college youth in the county are invited.

Pastel demonstration on tap at meeting

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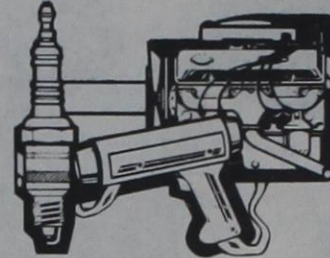
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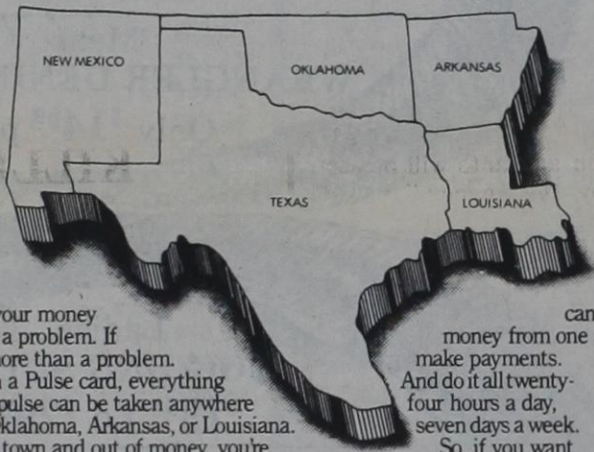
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Fire Dept. winners: West, Jameson, Boyd

Dimmitt's firemen took a new tack at their annual awards banquet at the fire station last Thursday night.

Instead of naming only a Fireman of the Year and Auxiliary Woman of the Year, they honored other individual members for their years of service and for their extra efforts on department projects during the year.

And instead of picking the Fireman of the Year only on the number of training sessions attended and fire calls made, the department gave a lot of weight this year to individual work on department projects — the circus, Harvest Days events, calendar projects, etc.

Then they chose two members to share the Fireman of the Year Award as co-winners: Richard West and Fire Marshall Steve Jameson.

West, 35, is employed by Steere Tank Lines and has been a volunteer fireman here 4½ years. He has attended two state firefighters' schools at Texas A&M (1982 and '83), and has been active in all fire department activities.

West is a native of Hereford. He and his wife, Peggy, have two sons, David, 10, and Dale, 5.

Jameson, the department's only fulltime employee, was honored for the way he does his job — especially as the department's training officer. A



AUXILIARY WOMAN OF THE YEAR
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native of Pasadena, Jameson, 34, has been a professional fireman 13 years. He came to Dimmitt as fire marshal in 1982 after serving as assistant fire marshal and arson investigator for the Pasadena Volunteer Fire Dept.

He has attended the annual firefighters' school at A&M 12 of the last 13 years.

Jameson and his wife, Jo

Ann, have three children — Tina, 15, Steve II, 12, and Dottie, 5.

County Judge Polly Simpson presented the Fireman of the

Year Awards. Two runners-up also were announced — Charles Lane and Ricky Hargrove.

Named the Fire Dept. Auxiliary Woman of the Year was

Margo Boyd, who serves as co-president of the wives' organization. The award was announced by Tami Griffitt, Auxiliary co-president.

Fire Chief Randy Griffitt announced that from September 1984 through September 1985, the department fought 48 fires — an average of almost one a week — and held 35 practices. The city-county fire loss was "real low this year, which is good news," Griffitt noted.

Mayor Wayne Collins presented service awards to 13 volunteer firemen who had reached milestone years with the department. They were:

15 Years — Merton Powell, Bob Murdock and Randy Small.

10 Years — Randy Griffitt, Francis Acker, Lynn West and Bill Conyers.

5 Years — Acie Boyd, Tommy Cleavinger, J. R. Rials, Lynn Buchanan, Neil Christian and Lonnie Strickland.

C. O. "Dutch" LaRue, a retired member of the department was recognized with a plaque for his work as the main salesman for Fire Dept. Calendar ads during the year.

Firemen and their wives enjoyed a barbecue dinner catered by Caison House of Hereford. The program included a videotape series on the Los Angeles Fire Dept. and a videotape of activities at the state firefighters' school, narrated by Assistant Fire Chief Tommy Cleavinger.

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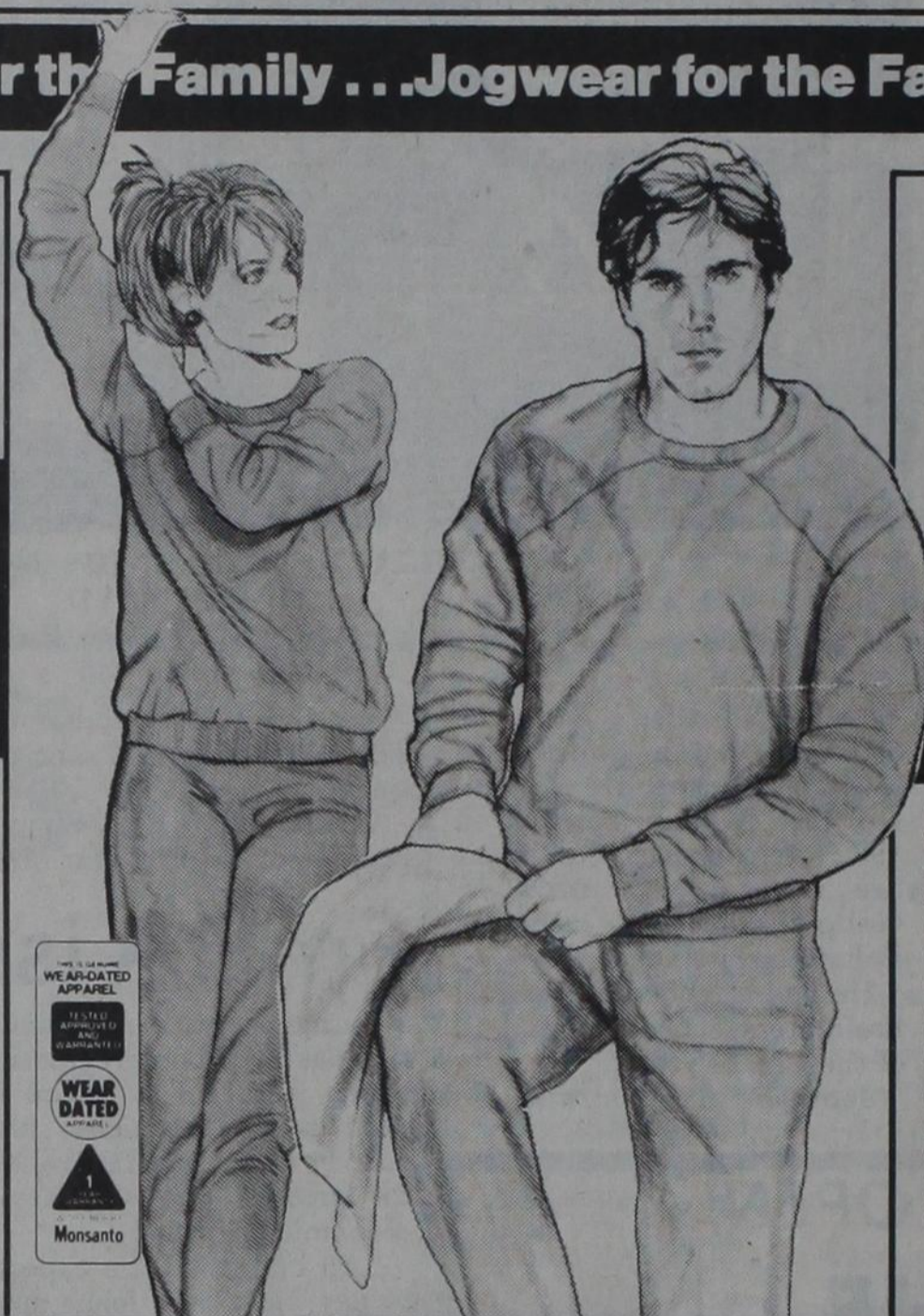
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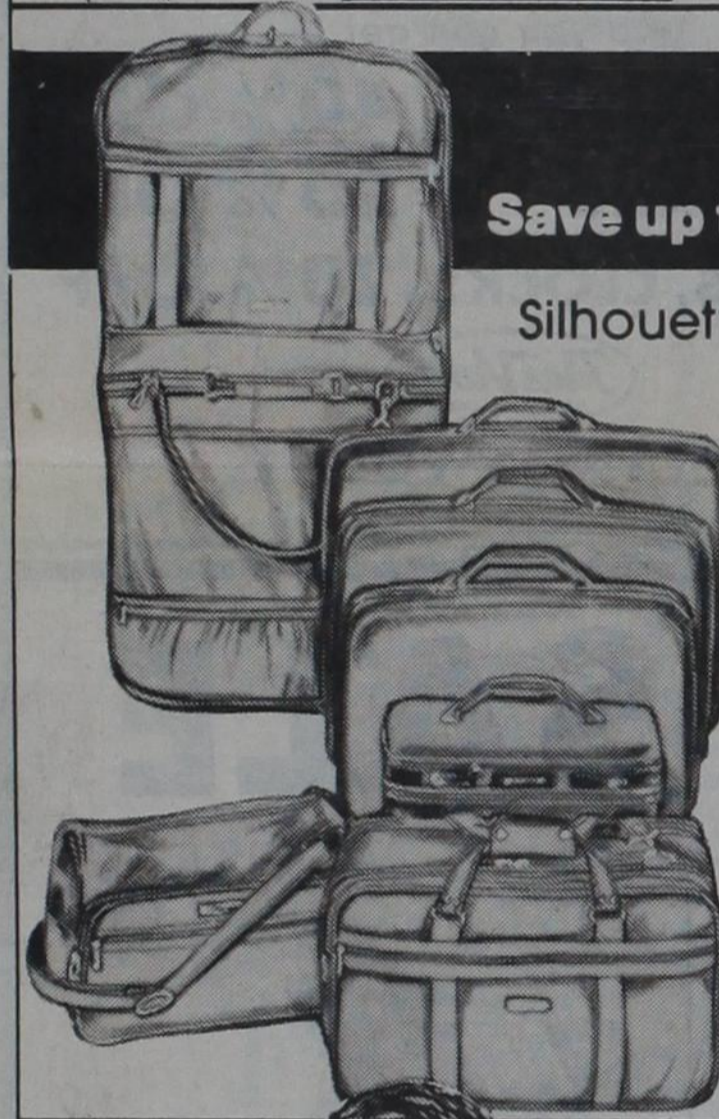
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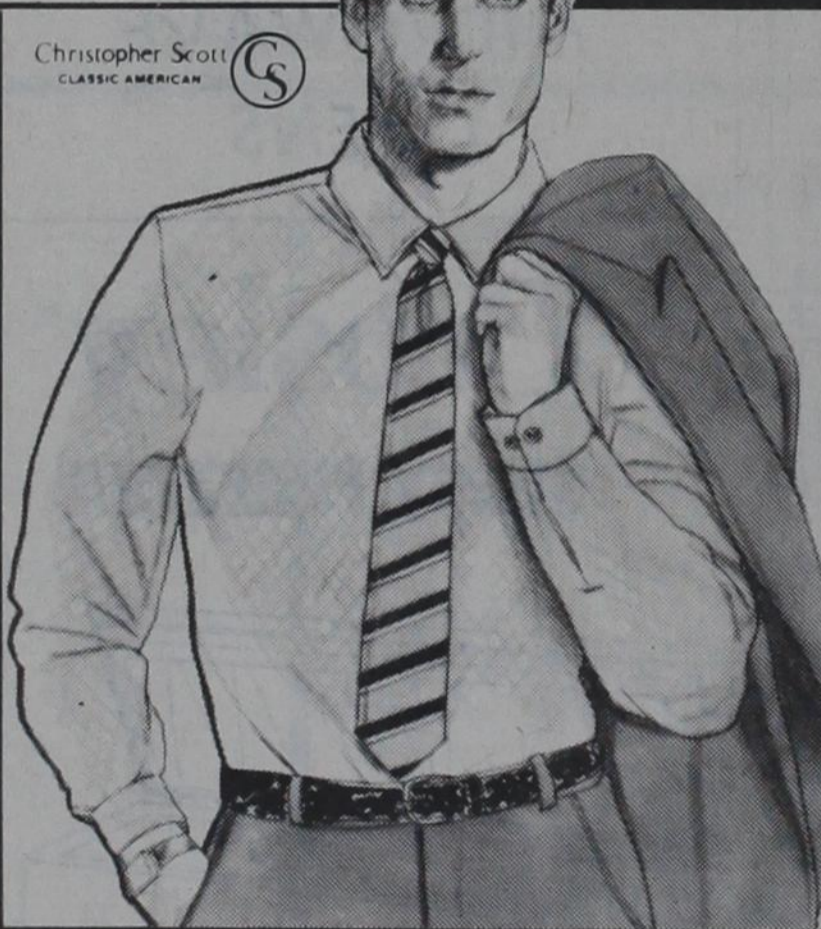
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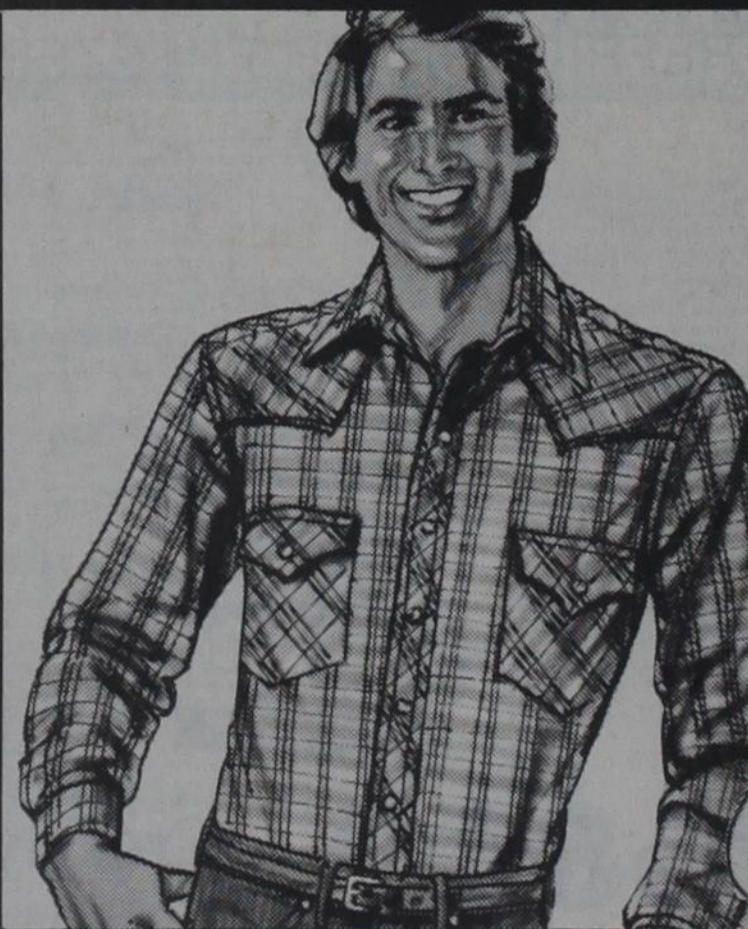


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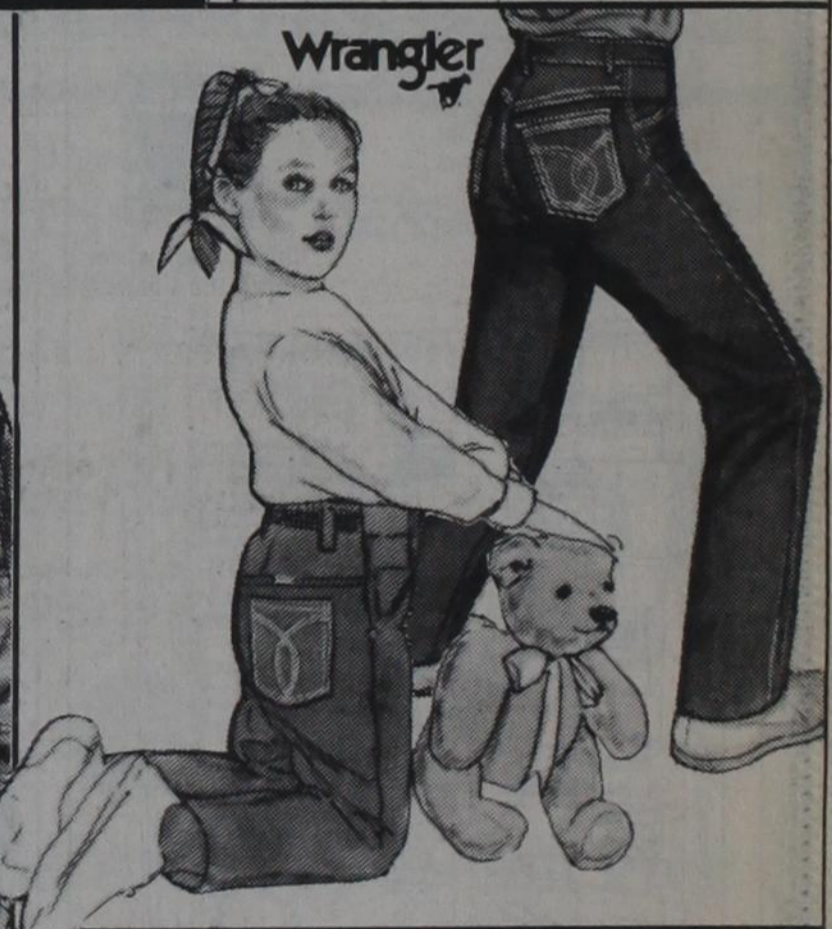
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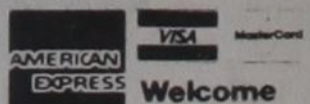
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