

# The Castro County News

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## City sets lower tax rate

The Dimmitt Board of Aldermen voted to set the city's 1984 ad valorem tax rate at 28.04 cents per \$100 valuation, three-tenths of a cent lower than the 1983 rate of 28.34.

The effective tax rate for the city is arrived at by adding together the rate needed to raise the same amount of maintenance and operation funds as was raised last year on the same property, and the rate needed to cover payments on general obligation bonds (or the interest and sinking fund).

Since the city has paid off all general obligation bonds, the rate is based solely on the amount needed to match last year's maintenance and operation funds, which would put the effective tax rate at 27.22 cents, according to Tax Appraisal District head Jerry Heller.

However, the aldermen voted to place the rate at 28.04 cents, which includes the 3 percent increase above the effective tax rate as allowed by law without holding a public hearing.

But the 28.04 rate won't quite raise the same amount of tax dollars as last year, coming approximately \$2,880 short, according to Director of Administration Jo Hamilton.

Mrs. Hamilton pointed out that the city will have an additional \$21,000 available in maintenance funds because of a bond payment

that was allowed for but doesn't have to be paid.

The aldermen voted to readjust the city's building permit fee schedule according to figures arrived at by City Manager Paul Catoe and Director of Public Works James Killough.

The schedule bases the fees on the value of the project rather than on its size.

For projects valued at \$1 to \$500 the fee will be a minimum \$5 charge. From \$501 up to \$2,000 the fee will be \$5 for the first \$500, plus 20 cents for each additional \$100 or fraction thereof, with a maximum fee of \$8.

Projects valued at \$2,001 to \$50,000 will incur a fee of \$8 for the first \$2,000, plus 40 cents for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, with a maximum fee of \$27.20.

With a value of \$50,000 to \$100,000 the project will incur a fee of \$27.20 for the first \$50,000, plus 30 cents for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, with a maximum fee of \$42.20.

Any projects valued at \$100,001 or more will have a fee of \$42.20 for the first \$100,000, plus 20 cents for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof.

Other fees such as for inspection outside of normal business hours and so forth are placed at \$10 and \$5.

The board voted to make the new fee schedule retroactive to Nov. 15, 1982 when the previous fee

schedule was passed. This will include making \$3,763.80-worth of refunds to individuals who obtained building permits within that period of time. The refunds will equal the difference between what they were charged on the old schedule and what they would have been charged on the new schedule.

In other business the

aldermen agreed to let the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. keep all of the \$3,500 the city allowed them toward the purchase of a truck for carrying lifesaving equipment, although the city's portion of the purchase price only came to \$3,000. The county paid the other half of the purchase price. The remainder, plus whatever

the firemen receive from selling a man lift that was on the truck, will be used to finish outfitting the truck.

Mrs. Hamilton informed the board that the insurance coverage for health and life for city employees is going to increase by more than 25 percent in the next coverage period.

## Deputies find Castro goods in Deaf Smith County raid

Castro County Sheriff's deputies have made at least one positive identification, with the possibility of several other identifications, of stolen merchandise that was recovered by Deaf Smith County Sheriff officials and the Texas Rangers Monday afternoon.

More than \$130,000 of suspected stolen merchandise was recovered in the raid on a barn owned by Robert Strain, a Deaf Smith County farmer who has been cooperating in the Deaf Smith Sheriff's Department's investigation.

Officers from sheriff's departments in at least 15 area counties were in Hereford Tuesday to see whether any of the items recovered in Monday's raid might have been taken from their area.

Items recovered included a computer, guns, radios, televisions, stereos, farm equipment, and planter boxes. Merchandise from as far as Stanton, in Morton County, has been recovered plus items from Castro, Deaf Smith, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Dawson, Lynn, Crosby and Briscoe counties.

Deaf Smith County Deputy Sheriff Dean Butcher said the investigation reveals operations of the suspected burglary ring in 10 counties and indicates seven suspects in the operation.

Originally, officials suspected that they had recovered approximately \$100,000 of stolen merchandise from six counties with three suspects.

Two semi-trailers full of

merchandise were picked up from a barn behind Strain's house eight miles northeast of Hereford after officers executed a search warrant around 4:30 p.m.

Butcher said he had been working on the case for the past two years utilizing tips provided by informants.

After Texas Rangers in Lubbock called Hereford Monday about another informant involved in the investigation, Rangers and Deaf Smith County Sheriff's officials pooled their information and asked for a search warrant.

## Jury charges one, three enter pleas

One Dimmitt man was found guilty and three other men entered guilty pleas recently in 242nd District Court with Judge Marvin Marshall presiding.

Ernest Smith Jr., 37, was found guilty of theft by sale of stolen property Monday afternoon.

A jury of 10 men and two women deliberated 15 minutes before reaching a verdict.

Smith was indicted for selling a tractor center link, belonging to Edd Wilson, to Lloyd Blanton of Castro County.

Investigation by Sheriff's deputies led to the recovery of several tractor links, including one belonging to George Elder

and that belonging to Wilson. The investigation was conducted during June, 1982. Sentencing will be later this month.

Alfredo Tenorio, 32, and Martin Estrada, 19, both entered guilty pleas Aug. 11 to the charges of burglarizing Farmers Grain in Hart April 9.

Tenorio and Estrada were sentenced to pay fines of \$1,250 each and received eight years probation.

Co-defendant Steve Tenorio is presently serving an eight-year sentence in the Texas Department of Corrections.

Also Aug. 11, Daniel Salinas, 24, of Dimmitt pleaded guilty to theft over \$200 and under \$10,000 by receiving stolen property taken in the Dec. 18, 1982 burglary of cars parked at Dimmitt High School.

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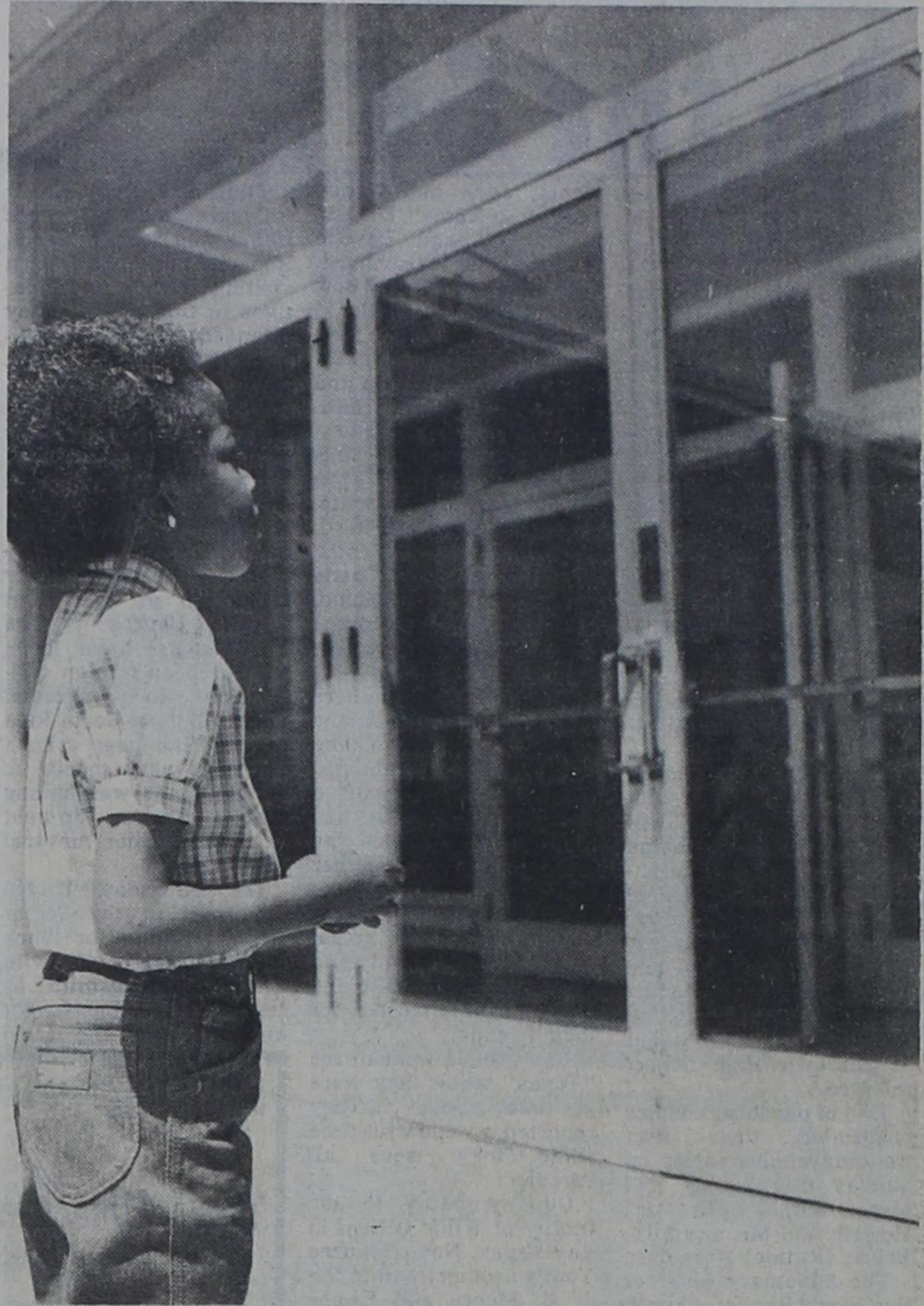
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**BACK TO SCHOOL TIME**—Priscilla Washington, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Washington of Dimmitt, prepares to start first grade this year. Priscilla and the rest of Dimmitt's students will begin school next Thursday. Nazareth students will begin school Friday and

Hart students will start Monday. Teachers at Nazareth and Hart have already started in-service, with Dimmitt's teachers having orientation today (Thursday) and Friday, and in-service Monday through Wednesday.

## School meal prices, guidelines are set

All three school systems in Castro County are maintaining the same school lunch and breakfast prices that were charged last school year, and state guidelines for determining family eligibility for reduced-price or free meals have been increased.

In Dimmitt, students in kindergarten through third grade will pay 80 cents for lunch; fourth through eighth grades will pay 85 cents; grades nine through 12 will pay 95 cents; adults will pay \$1.25; all reduced-price lunches will cost 40 cents; breakfast will cost 20 cents; and all reduced-price breakfasts will be 10 cents.

In Hart, all lunches are priced at 60 cents, with reduced-price lunches set at 40 cents. All breakfasts and reduced-price breakfasts are priced at 30 cents. For adults the cost is \$1.35 for lunch and 75 cents for breakfast.

Nazareth lunches cost 65 cents for kindergarten through sixth grade and 85 cents for seventh through 12th grades. Reduced-price lunches are 40 cents. Breakfast is priced at 35 cents for all students, with reduced-price breakfasts set at 25 cents.

The state issues guidelines each year to be used by all public schools for determining eligibility for reduced-price or free meals.

A family of one can earn up to \$6,318 per year to be eligible for free meals or up to \$8,991 to qualify for reduced-price meals. A family of two can earn up to \$8,502 to receive free meals or up to \$12,099 for reduced-price meals.

With three in a family, earnings can total \$10,686 to qualify for the free meal program or \$15,207 for the reduced-price meals. Four-member families can make up to \$12,870 per year and still receive free meals, or up to \$18,315 to receive reduced-price meals.

With five in a family, total earnings can be up to \$15,054 to qualify for free meals or up to \$21,423 for reduced-price meals. A family of six can make up to \$17,238 for free meals or up to \$24,531 for reduced-price meals.

Seven-member families can earn up to \$19,422 to be eligible for free meals or up to \$27,639 for reduced-price meals. With eight in a family, earnings can be as high as \$21,606 per year to qualify for free meals or as high as \$30,747 for reduced-price meals.

Each additional family member over eight allows the family an additional \$2,184 in earnings to qualify for free meals or an additional \$3,108 to qualify for reduced-price meals.

Applications for the free or reduced-price meal programs are available at the principal's office of each school. Also, the applications will be sent home with each student at the first of the school year.

DISD Business Manager Gene King said that complete information will be required for the applications to be considered. Information required includes total household income, name of all household members, social security numbers of all household members 21 years or older or a statement that the household member does not have a number, and the signature of an adult household member. Also, proof of income must be attached to the application.

King said that the

information on applications will be checked.

"We are required to check the information on 3 percent of the approved applications on file as of Oct. 31," King said, adding that all verifications must be completed within five months of the beginning of school.

If approved for meal benefits, a family must inform the school when household income increases by more than \$50 per month, or when household size changes.

Also, if a family becomes eligible for meal benefits at a later date, application may be made at any time within the school year.

If benefits are denied to an applicant, a hearing on the matter can be arranged by calling or writing Gene King at 608 West Halsell, Dimmitt, 79027, 647-3102.

Children who receive meal benefits are treated the same as children who pay for meals, and no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age or handicap. Information provided will be treated confidentially and will be used only to verify eligibility.

For more information or for help in filling out the application, contact the principal

## Ice cream supper is on tap tonight

The Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club will host its annual pre-season Public Ice Cream Supper tonight (Thursday) to introduce the Bobcats and their coaches to the fans.

The event will begin at 7:30 p.m. in Bobcat Stadium.

Booster Club members will prepare and serve dishes of homemade ice cream to everyone attending at a price of 25 cents per dish.

Head Football Coach Gene Griffin will introduce his coaching staff and varsity and junior varsity

players. Bernadette Griffin, cheerleaders' sponsor, will introduce Dimmitt High School's cheerleaders for 1983-84.

New officers of the Booster Club, elected at last Thursday night's organizational meeting, are Jerry Stump, president; Richard Bennett, vice-president; Dickie Holcomb, secretary; and Connie Nelson, treasurer.

At last Thursday night's meeting, members paid special tribute to Garner and Ysleta Ball for their work at the club's helm for the past two years.

## Moberg to spend year in Dimmitt

When school starts, Dimmitt seniors will see a new face among their classmates belonging to 16-year-old Nina Moberg of Helsinki, Finland.

Nina, who will turn 17 this fall, will be a senior at Dimmitt High School just as her mother was 22 years ago. Nina's mother, Pia Nasman Moberg, was

Dimmitt's first AFS student.

Nina is living with a former classmate of her mother's, Dickie Holcomb, and her son Brad.

Mrs. Holcomb and Mrs. Moberg first discussed plans to have Nina spend a year in Dimmitt at their 20th-year class reunion last October.

Although her mother came to Dimmitt through the AFS program, Nina is not in Texas through AFS.

"With the AFS program, the student cannot pick where they want to go, and Pia wanted Nina to spend a year here in Dimmitt," Mrs. Holcomb said. The switch from Finland

to Texas was not that difficult, Nina said. She has seen many of the recent movies and most of the current television shows.

"It is not as warm in Finland as it is here," Nina said, "and I imagine that Texas will not be as cold. But I guess spring and fall will be much the same."

Though classified as a senior here, Nina will have two more years of high school when she returns to Finland.

She is interested in languages and can speak fluent English, Swedish and Finnish, a little French, and has studied Russian.

Nina will take a basic senior class load while at Dimmitt, and hopes to join the school band.

Other activities that she enjoys include playing tennis, riding horses, playing her guitar and swimming.

During the time that Nina is in America, Mrs. Holcomb plans to take her to see Carlsbad Caverns, San Antonio, "Texas," a rodeo and possibly Oregon. Mrs. Holcomb also is planning to take her flying in a small plane.



**FINNISH STUDENT** Nina Moberg (center) will be attending Dimmitt High School this year. Moberg will be staying with Dickie Holcomb (right) and her son

Brad. Moberg's mother, a classmate of Dickie Holcomb's, was Dimmitt's first AFS student.

## Season ticket sales to begin Monday

Reserve seat ticket sales for Dimmitt High School football games will begin Monday at 8 a.m. in the Dimmitt School Administration Building at 608 W. Halsell.

Previous ticket holders will have until Sept. 2 at 4 p.m. to renew their tickets. Remaining tickets will go on sale Sept. 6 at 8 a.m. on a first-come basis. Reserve ticket holders must purchase tickets in person.

Season ticket prices are \$22.50 for seats on the upper level and \$17.50 for seats on the lower level for the five-game home schedule.

General admission to the games will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

## Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	93	58	
Friday	95	54	
Saturday	99	65	
Sunday	99	60	Tr.
Monday	98	59	
Tuesday	98	63	
Wednesday	98	67	
August Moisture			0.31
1983 Moisture			10.39

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# On the Go

With Maru Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Business really picked up on West Pine Street on Thursday, Aug. 11. The front porch and yard at 724 W. Pine was decorated with big banners, signs, yellow ribbons and balloons. The occasion was the homecoming of Cara Anne Higgs, one of Dimmitt's two summer exchange students. Cara arrived in Amarillo at 5:30 p.m. from Oytan, West Germany via Austin, Houston and New York City. She was weary but happy to be back home with family and friends. After Cara actually arrived in Dimmitt, several friends came by to see her and welcome her personally.

Castro County's second summer exchange student, Kyla Boozer, will also be returning home soon from Milano, Italy.

We warmly welcome Nina Moberg to our town. Nina arrived Tuesday, Aug. 9 from Finland and will live with Mrs. Dickie Holcomb and Brad at 1002 Pine. She will be a student at Dimmitt High School this year.

Two of our local couples celebrated their first wedding anniversaries on Sunday, Aug. 7: Mr. and Mrs. Gaines (Crystal) Howell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce (Ruthie) Ammons.

The Sanctuary Choir of the First Baptist Church gathered, along with family members, on Aug. 13 for an informal hamburger cookout. They had planned to eat outside, on the back lawn of the church. However, about supper time, the clouds rolled in, the wind blew, and a "few" drops of rain began. And, so, even though the "Chef" Garner Ball was able to grill the meat patties outside, the picnic was held in Fellowship Hall. Everyone had a great time visiting and sharing a supper of hamburgers, all the trimmings, chips and several flavors of homemade ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Teague entertained relatives from California to Maine and many places in between for two weeks. Some came early and others stayed longer, but there were 56 here at one time. Their children are: Vernell Byer from Cali-

fornia, Jack and Nancy Teague from Dexter, N.M., Bob and Lavelle Mapes from Walsenburg, Colo., Bill and Vella Bow from Maine. Most of the 15 grandchildren were here and nine of the 11 great grandchildren. Linda and Ronny Pagett from Hereford helped the Teagues' children plan all this celebration. There were others from Amarillo, Childress, Tulia, Hereford, Fort Worth and Yantis, Boston, Mass., Castle Rock, Colo., Edmond, Okla. Lucille (Damron) and Jack McCoy were here from Fort Worth.

While everyone was here they celebrated the Teagues' 60th wedding anniversary, birthdays, and they all enjoyed a family reunion. It had been 12 years since the children had been together and 20 years since all the others had been together. They had their meal catered for the family and then they served cake and punch in the afternoon for their friends.

Two groups went to see "Texas" while they were in this area. They reported a wonderful time while they were all together!

Our sympathy to the family of Willis O'Neal in Las Vegas, Nev. (Mauzee Yout's brother) and to the J. B. Moore and Elmer Youts family in the death of Thelma Moore's brother and Elmer's and Clara Gladden's nephew, Claude Youts.

Beth Hodges from Panhandle visited in Dimmitt Saturday with her mother Beral Hance and also with her brother, Congressman Kent Hance, Carol, Ron and Susan who were visiting here.

Truett and Johnnie Boothe celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon at the Senior Citizens Center. Their children, Aundrea, Sue and Mike and grandchildren hosted the occasion. Bessie Mae (Boothe) Bradley greeted all the guests. The serving table was the most elaborate I have ever seen, with a champagne colored table cloth with drapes centered with self material roses, a huge centerpiece of bronze mums and yellow daisies, and a three-tiered cake decorated with gold flowers and green leaves. Mrs. Joe Butler served golden fruit punch from a gold punch bowl. I visited with several members of the family and friends including Dan and Lois Boothe, Don and Judy Mobley, the Fries, Willis, the Woods, and Mrs. Jewell Stanton (Tommy's mother.)

Several went to Tulia on Sunday to hear Rev. Frank Pollard who preached at the First Baptist Church for the Sunday morning services. Mrs. Annie Hodges had tried to call me to invite me over but I was out of town all week.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bice from Tulia were visiting their daughter and family, Roger and Jeanette Malone. Also Mrs. McKinney from Tulia was

visiting Mrs. Ruby Sims. Congressman Kent Hance and family, Carol, Ron, and Susan, have been visiting friends and relatives in this area. They attended church on Sunday with Kent's mother, Beral Hance.

Rev. Mike and Christi (Pegram) Pennington and daughter Bethany, have been visiting Jim and Shirley Pegram and Kimberley. Rev. Pennington preached on Sunday night and Christi gave her testimony at the First Baptist Church. The Penningtons have been appointed as foreign missionaries to Venezuela. They will go to Costa Rica first for language school. Christi is very special to me since she was among the church group who went to El Salvador several years ago.

The Thursday Bridge Club met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge with Emily Clingsmith as hostess. Betty Cartwright won high score and Helen

Richardson won second high. Others playing were: Susie Reeves, Alice Collyer, Elizabeth Huckabay, Louise Mears, Cleo Forson, Johnnie Vannoy, Opha Burks, Oleda Schumacher, and Jo Gregory.

The Friday Bridge Club met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and bridge playing with Retta Cluck as hostess. Elizabeth Huckabay won high score and Betty Cartwright won second high. Others enjoying the day were: Gladiola Shipley, Josie Bradford, Opal Bearden, Cletha George

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Sunday—  
Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Bible Classes for all... 8:00 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 Sermón..... 11:00 a.m.  
Miercoles:  
Instruccion Biblica... 8:00 p.m.  
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Vernon O'Kelly, 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  
WCS... 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**  
Rev. Jackie Thompson, 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... 7:30 p.m.

**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
501 S.E. 3rd—Ph. 647-2402  
Rev. Kenneth Carroll, Pastor  
Sunday—  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Wednesday Services... 7:00 p.m.

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Nazareth — Ph. 945-2616  
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Pastor

Sunday Masses 8 a.m.—10 a.m.  
Saturday Obligation  
Mass..... 7:30 p.m.  
Week Day Masses... 8:00 a.m.  
Baptism last Sunday of each  
month

**ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC**  
**CHURCH** — Hart  
Very Rev. Harold L. Waldow,  
Pastor

Sunday Mass... 11:30 a.m.

**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.

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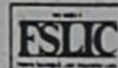
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*"Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore."*

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

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**LEE STREET**  
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Ronnie Travis, Pastor  
Phone 647-2300

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—  
Mid-Week Services... 8:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
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309 N.W. Fourth  
Wayne Mullin, Pastor  
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Sunday—  
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service... 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
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Roy E. Barringer, Minister  
Phone 647-5478

Sunday—  
Bible Study..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship and  
Lord's Supper..... 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Bible Study..... 7:00 p.m.

**MACEDONIA BAPTIST**  
**CHURCH**  
412 North East Street

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.  
Monday W.M.U..... 4:30 p.m.  
Tuesday Brotherhood... 7:55 p.m.  
Wednesday—  
Prayer Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.  
Sanctuary Choir..... Friday

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**  
**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor  
1001 W. Halsell—Ph. 647-4219

Sunday Masses:  
In English 8:00 a.m.  
In Spanish 10:00 a.m.  
Catechism 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses:  
In English 7:00 a.m.  
In Spanish 7:30 p.m.

Reconciliations:  
Friday..... 7:00 p.m.  
Baptism... by appointment  
Misas Dominical:

In Ingles 8:00 a.m.  
En Espanol 10:00 a.m.  
Doctrina 9:00 a.m.

Misas de Guardar:  
En Ingles 7:00 a.m.  
En Espanol 7:00 p.m.

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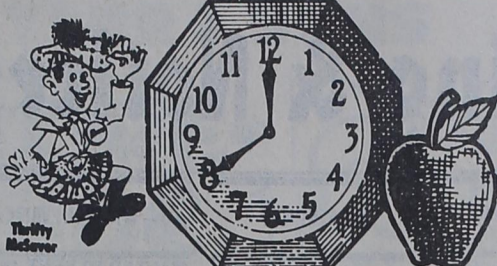
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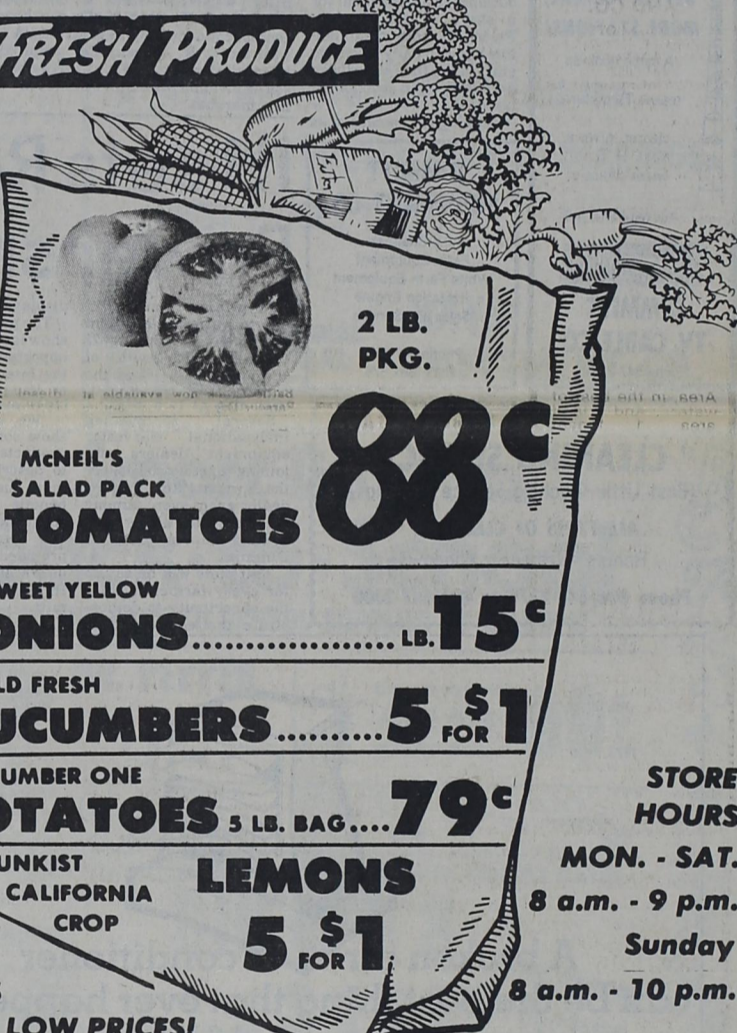
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# ABI Agriculture Business Industry

## Soybean outlook may be brighter

What a difference a little time makes, particularly when it has to do with the soybean outlook.

Suddenly the early season gloom that prevailed in the soybean industry has given way to prospects for improved prices for the 1983 crop.

What caused the sudden turnaround?

"It's the result of several factors, including smaller than expected soybean crop and dry

weather in the Midwest that has dampened grain prospects," points out Johnny Feagan, an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The U.S. soybean crop is now estimated at about 63.3 million acres, down 12 percent from earlier estimates. Yields from these acres will likely be down due to the hot, dry conditions that have plagued the Midwest, just as corn yields will likely suffer.

"Furthermore, this year's corn acreage could be the lowest in 10 years, and that could open the market door for soybeans," says Feagan. "With hog numbers up 11 percent and poultry numbers expected to increase this fall, feed demands should increase, thus strengthening soybean prices."

This year's reduced cotton crop due to PIK and weather related problems should also give a boost to soybeans since soybean oil and meal compete with cottonseed oil and meal for a share of the market. Prices of both commodities have already strengthened in the face of reduced acreages, the economist points out.

Although soybean stocks

loomed large at the beginning of the 1983 marketing year (Aug. 1, 1982), a small '83 crop plus increased domestic demand should reduce stocks at the start of the '84 marketing year by 30 to 40 percent.

"All this points to a

strong price increase for soybeans this winter and next spring," says Feagan.

Regarding exports, Feagan adds that world economic conditions and the strength of the U.S. dollar abroad will continue to have a major influence.



**BIKE WINNER**—Steve W. Jameson II, 9, proudly shows the Huffy BMX-36 bike that he won this week in a contest conducted by Levi Strauss & Co. in conjunction with the C. R. Anthony Co. Approximately 500 local youngsters registered for the free bicycle. Steve is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jameson; his dad is the city fire marshal.

## IH sets Red Power show

Area farmers are invited to attend a farm equipment show on Aug. 23 one-half mile south of Dimmitt on US 385 at the big red and white tent, beginning at 10 a.m.

Several surrounding International Harvester equipment dealers are joining together to sponsor the largest "Red Power" dealer event ever. Among the sponsoring dealerships is Hays Implement Co. of Dimmitt.

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A luncheon will be provided. For more information, contact Hays Implement Co. in Dimmitt.

## Hance asks USDA for extra cotton grades

U.S. Rep. Kent Hance, D-Texas, today asked Secretary of Agriculture John Block to reconsider the USDA decision to exclude additional grades of cotton from the USDA loan program.

Hance's request came as the USDA was preparing to announce two additional grades of cotton classification.

The USDA decision, wrote Hance in a letter to Block, "will eliminate the price incentives the addi-

tional grades offer. If the additional grades are ineligible for the loan protection benefits, the trial program will offer little assistance to the economically depressed cotton industry.

"It is my understanding that the major concern expressed by those who oppose loan protection for the additional grades is the increased government acquisition of cotton," continued Hance. "This argument is unfounded, since

less than 1.2 percent of each year's U.S. crop will be affected by the additional grades. This so-called 'below grade' benefit cotton has historically been discounted and has been of little benefit to the producer. By providing the two additional grades with loan protection, the USDA will provide a needed price protection to the nation's cotton farmer.

"I appreciate the efforts by the USDA to provide a more equitable program," added Hance, "but I believe the cotton farmers of this nation will be better served if loan eligibility is provided for the new additional cotton grades."

The Texas Democrat, whose congressional dis-

trict contains one of the most prolific cotton producing areas of the world, complimented Block and the USDA on the decision to provide two additional grades for the Universal Cotton Standards. "I believe these additional grades will be extremely beneficial," Hance said.

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## Harvest-aid program to boost cotton grades

Producing a good grade of cotton is about as important as a good yield, and this is where harvest-aid compounds come into the picture.

"Cotton grades are determined by color, trash content and preparation, and harvest-aid compounds can help producers get a better grade and consequently a better price," says Dr. Bob Metzger, a cotton specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

As cotton begins to mature, farmers who plan to stripper harvest should consider a harvest-aid program to achieve the highest grade possible, notes Metzger. He says that ginning costs can be reduced and grades improved by first dropping the leaves with a defoliant and then applying arsenic acid, sodium chlorate or

paraquat.

"In such a program, a key point is to avoid treating the crop too early," emphasizes the specialist. "Apply a desiccant to a mature crop that is at least 75 to 80 percent open. Use a defoliant when at least 65 percent of the bolls are open."

Harvest-aids are difficult to use on a poorly

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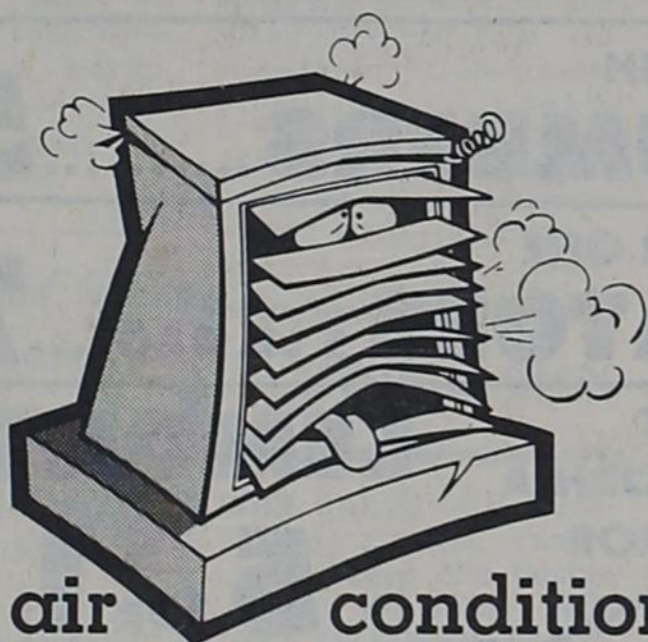
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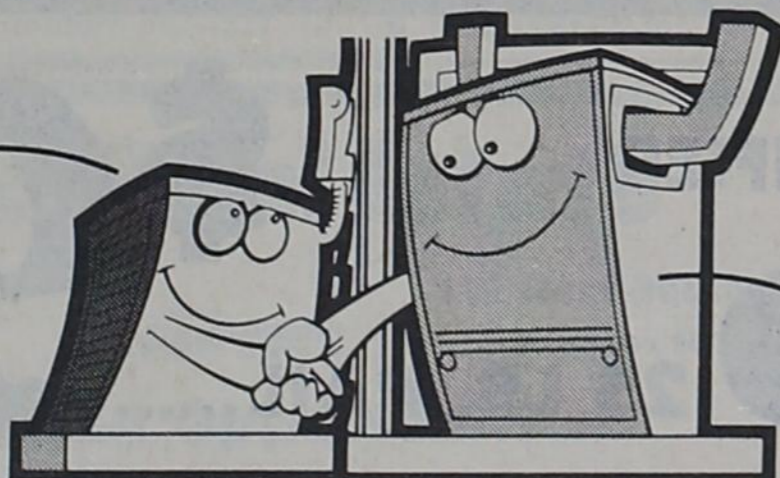
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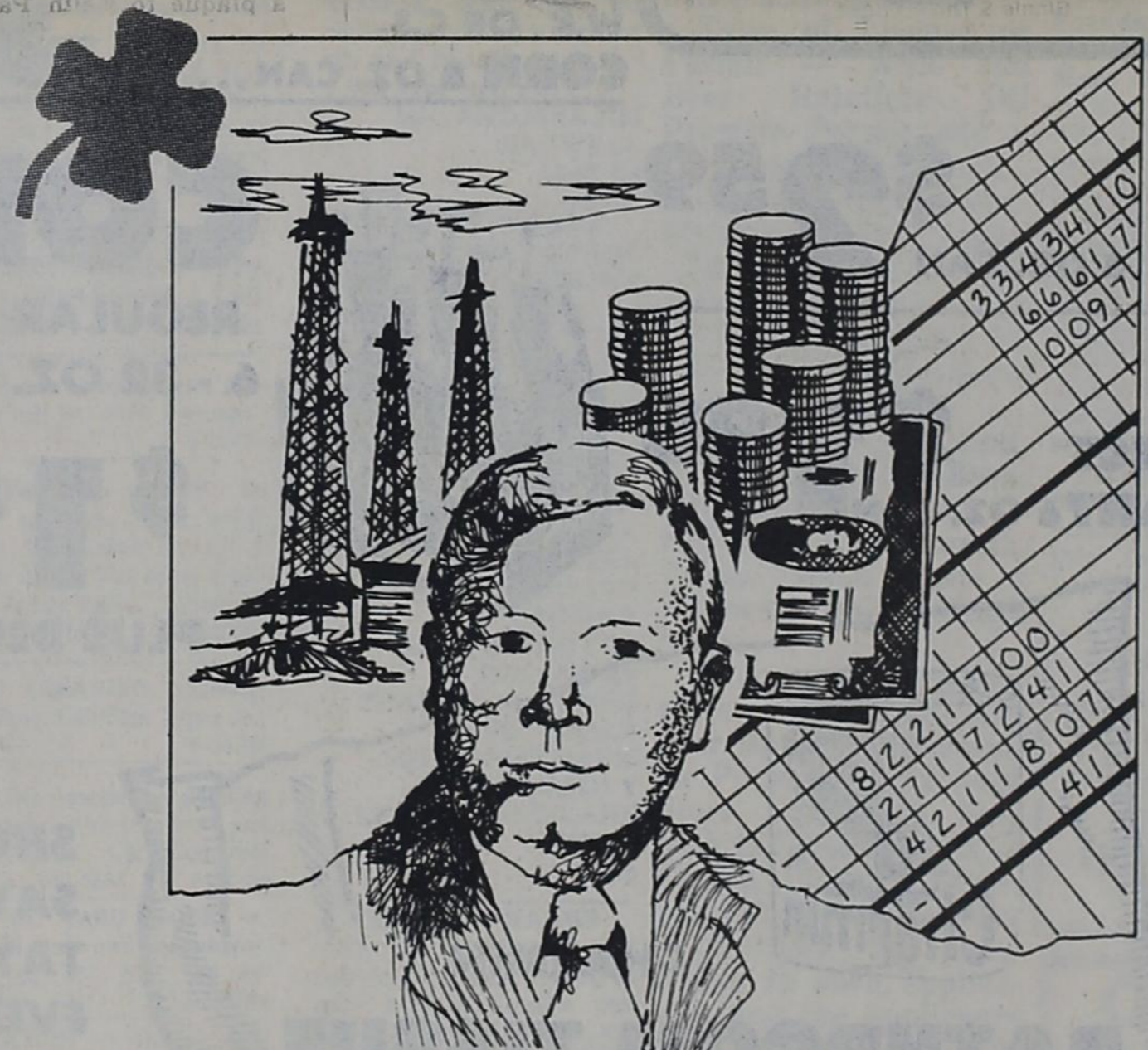
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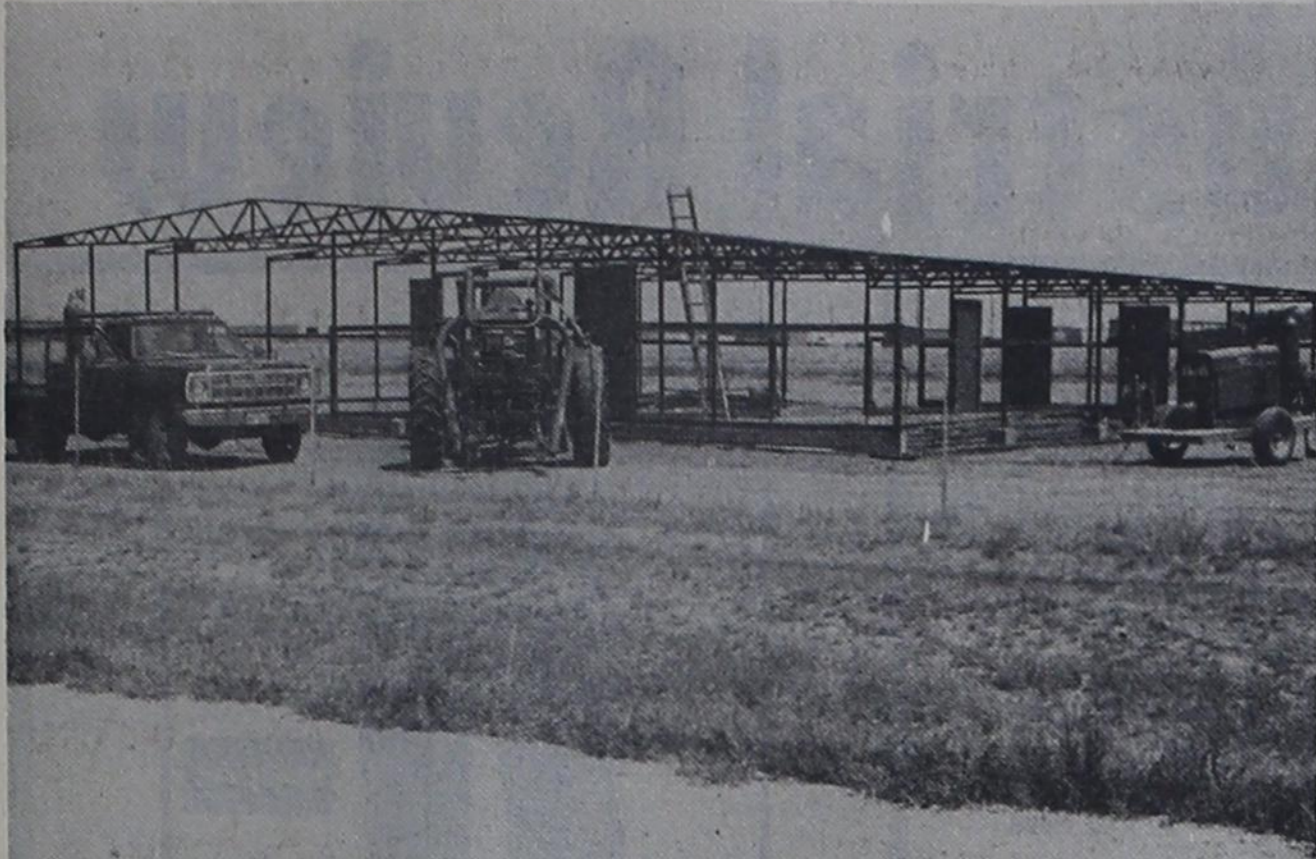
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**CONSTRUCTION IS UNDERWAY** on the new steer barn at the Dimmitt High School Ag Farm north of Dimmitt. Winston Waggoner was awarded the bid on the barn by the school board. Waggoner said the construction was "coming along real well," and is scheduled for completion in September.

## More about On the go

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and Cleo Forson. Bridgett Lowe from Levelland has been visiting her grandmother, Betty Cartwright, and her dad, Keith Lowe and family for two weeks. Bridgett plays basketball and her team won State for the District 4A School in 1983 for Levelland High School.

Several from Dimmitt attended the Foreign Mission Week in Glorieta, N.M.: Janet and Chris Stanford, Christian Braafladt, Barry Hill, Jason Garbaldi, Darlene, Debbie and Shawn Stanton, Mecca Wilkerson, Casey Gentry, Ronna Lewis, Bruce and Ruthie Ammons, Cora West, Dorothy Hopson, Irene Carpenter, Mary Edna Hendrix, and Irene's daughter, Joyce Autry from Rocky Ford, Colo. and three of her friends, Marge Butcher, Judy Frazier, and Beverly Thorton (Her husband is Rocky Ford's Interim Pastor.) and Bro. and Mrs. M. A. Pennington.

As we registered we were issued a "Passport to People" that listed all the missionaries and their conferences and the schedule for the week. Each day we had our passports stamped as we went to each new area: Africa, Asia, Europe and Middle East, and Latin America.

Barry Burnett (Johnny and Barbara's son) visited with us one afternoon. He said missionary kids have a culture shock when they come back to the States to attend college. Barry was six years old when his parents went to Belem, Brazil. He and his wife plan to finish their education and then return to a foreign country as missionaries. Barry carried the torch one night as they held a service for the 100 years that Baptists had sent missionaries to Brazil and they presented a plaque to Keith Parks, president of the Foreign Missions Board.

Ed and Betty Freeman left Dimmitt June 21 and returned August 2. They visited their oldest daughter and three grandchildren at Huron, S.D. They helped the cities of Ipswich and Roscoe, S.D. and the Powell Presbyterian Church, south of Ipswich, and the First Presbyterian Church of Roscoe celebrate their centennials. They also visited in Astoria, S.D.

Then they visited with their youngest daughter in Minneapolis, Minn., and enjoyed a family reunion at Edina. They also visited friends in Long Prairie, Elbow Lake, and Ottertail, Minn. They spent a week at Camp Dominion on Steamboat Lake, and a week with a nephew and his family on Lake Kabetogama. They attended Ed's high school graduating class' 50th reunion at Virginia, Minn. They attended church in the churches they both grew up in. They also visited a 93 year old aunt of Ed's in Hayward, Wis.

They brought back with them Craig Wright, who stayed with them for 11 days, and then returned to Minnesota to attend St. John's University at Collegeville.

By plane, car, motor home, and trailer 106 members of the Branson-Lust families gathered for a family reunion.

The festivities began with a hamburger supper in the home of James and Mildred Bradford Friday night, Aug. 5. Then Saturday and Sunday they convened to the Bethel Community Center for food, games, pictures and visiting. It was the first time all 15 first cousins had ever been together.

The honored members of the family were Grace Lust and Millie Lust of Dimmitt; their brother Ray Branson of Innesfail, Alberta, Canada and their sister, Lois Branson of Alhambra, Calif.

Those attending were, from Innisfail, Alberta: Ray and Lucille Branson, Charles and Dorothy Branson, and Herb and Freida Branson; from Marker-

ville, Alberta: Earl and Della Branson; from Calgary, Alberta: Audrey Branson, Wayne, Norma, Deanna and Don Branson, and David and Jenny Palmer; from Mississauga, Ontario: Jimmy and Gail Branson and from Surry, B.C., Merle, Jean and Jennifer Branson.

Also from Burnaby, B.C.: Loyal and Anne Branson; from Langley, B.C.: Ivan and Ina Branson; from Tempe, Ariz.: Keith, Ann and Tonya Cayton; from Lubbock: Kyle, Flo, Tanner and Tye Touchstone, and Jeff and Dacia Lust; from Midland: Troy, Linda, Alisha and Bruce Runyan; from Spade: Mack, Marilyn, Rhonda and Todd Vann and Jim and Judy Cooper; from Hart: Mack, Barbara, Steve and Leslie Steffy; from Alhambra, Calif.: Kent and Barbara Bradford; from Denton: Bob, Paula, Jaime and Scott Bradford; from Amarillo: Jean Bradford Charles and Fannie Beebe, Louise and Shara Stone.

Others attending were from Hermitage, Tenn.: Newt and Earline Settle; from Corsicana: Mark, Sabrina, Ryan and Haley Settle; from Austin: Larry and Mary Flynn; from Bryan: Brian, Denise, Jon Chris and Cameron Ference; from Muleshoe: Glenn, Barbara, David, Mark and Tim Lust; and from Dimmitt: Grace Lust, Millie Lust, James and Mildred Bradford, Jack, Susie and Laura Bradford, Jim Bradford, Houston and Doris Lust, Joe, Kathy Ryan, Zachary and Tiffany Lust, Charles, Sue, Casey, Coby and Carol Summers, Rex, Shanee, Cory and Cameron Lust and Josie Bradford.

Thirty-five members of the family attended "Texas" Monday night to conclude the reunion.

## SH86 work continues

Placing of flexible base on SH 86 from Dimmitt to the Farmer County line, by the contractor, Cooper and Woodruff, has reached the west edge of Dimmitt, according to Rhea E. Bradley, Supervising resident Engineer, of the Littlefield Residency, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Fifty percent of the asphalt surfacing has been completed all over the project, Mr. Bradley said. It is anticipated that all work on the project will be completed in September.

The public is urged to watch for barricades and

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## More about Harvest-aid program

(Continued from Page 6) fruited crop that has not cut out (stopped growing), says Metzger. If regrowth is a problem, he recommends using a material such as DROPP at 2 pounds per acre. Adding one-half pound of methyl parathion as a tank mix will increase the activity of DROPP and will also control late-migrating boll weevils.

The specialist advises farmers to follow this treatment with arsenic acid and then to wait until the crop dries sufficiently before harvesting.

"Farmers might also want to consider a relatively new harvest-aid compound to open cotton bolls — ethrel — which is marketed under the trade name PREP," says Metzger. He advises applying this compound when bolls are 50 to 60 percent open and following with a defoliant after five days or more.

"Harvest-aid compounds can play a big role in the quality of cotton farmers take to the gin. However, the condition of the crop at time of application and the weather are key factors in achieving good results," says Metzger.

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Monday there will be a Bible study at noon. Duplicate Bridge will be played in the evening.

Tuesday the Beltone Hearing Aid representative will be at the Center from 10 a.m. to noon. There will be a table game evening at 6:30 p.m.

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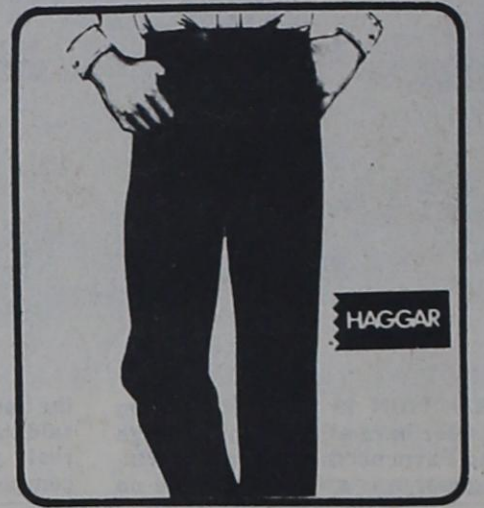
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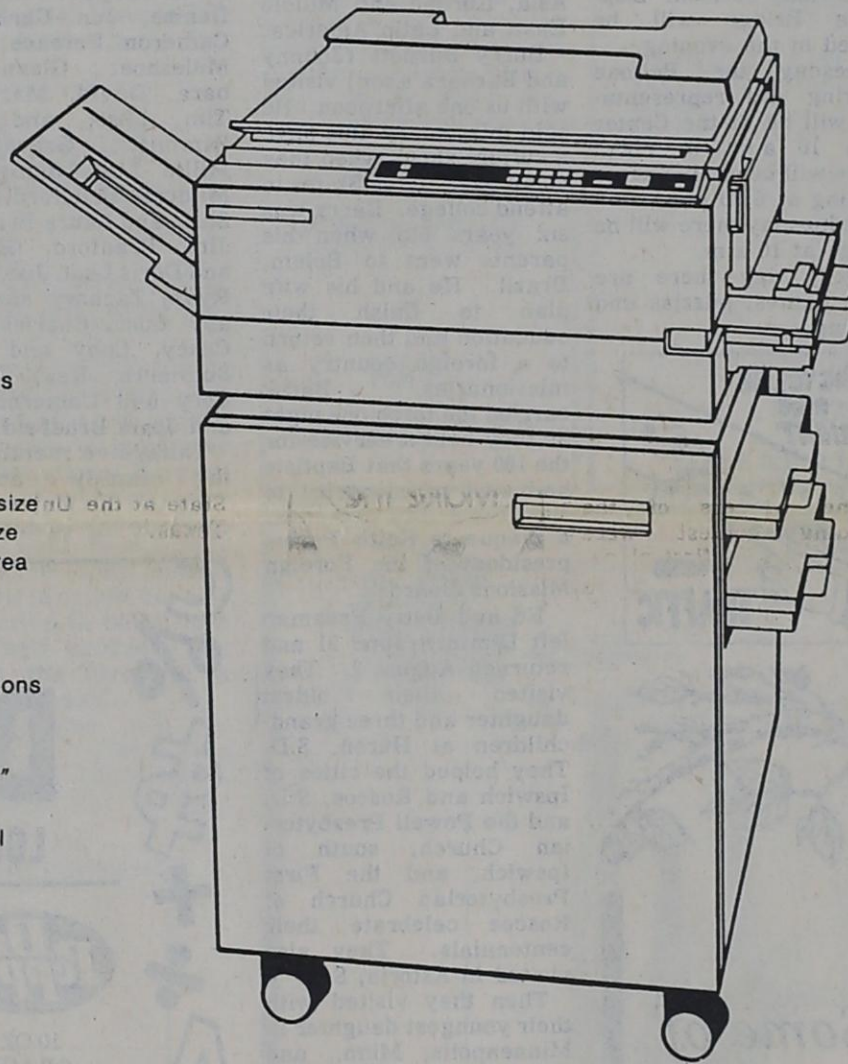
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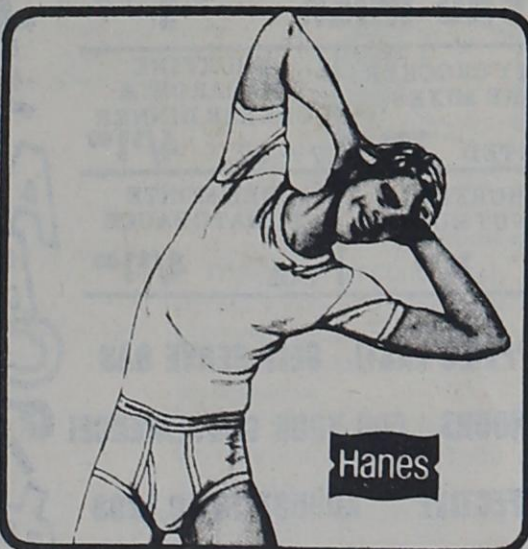
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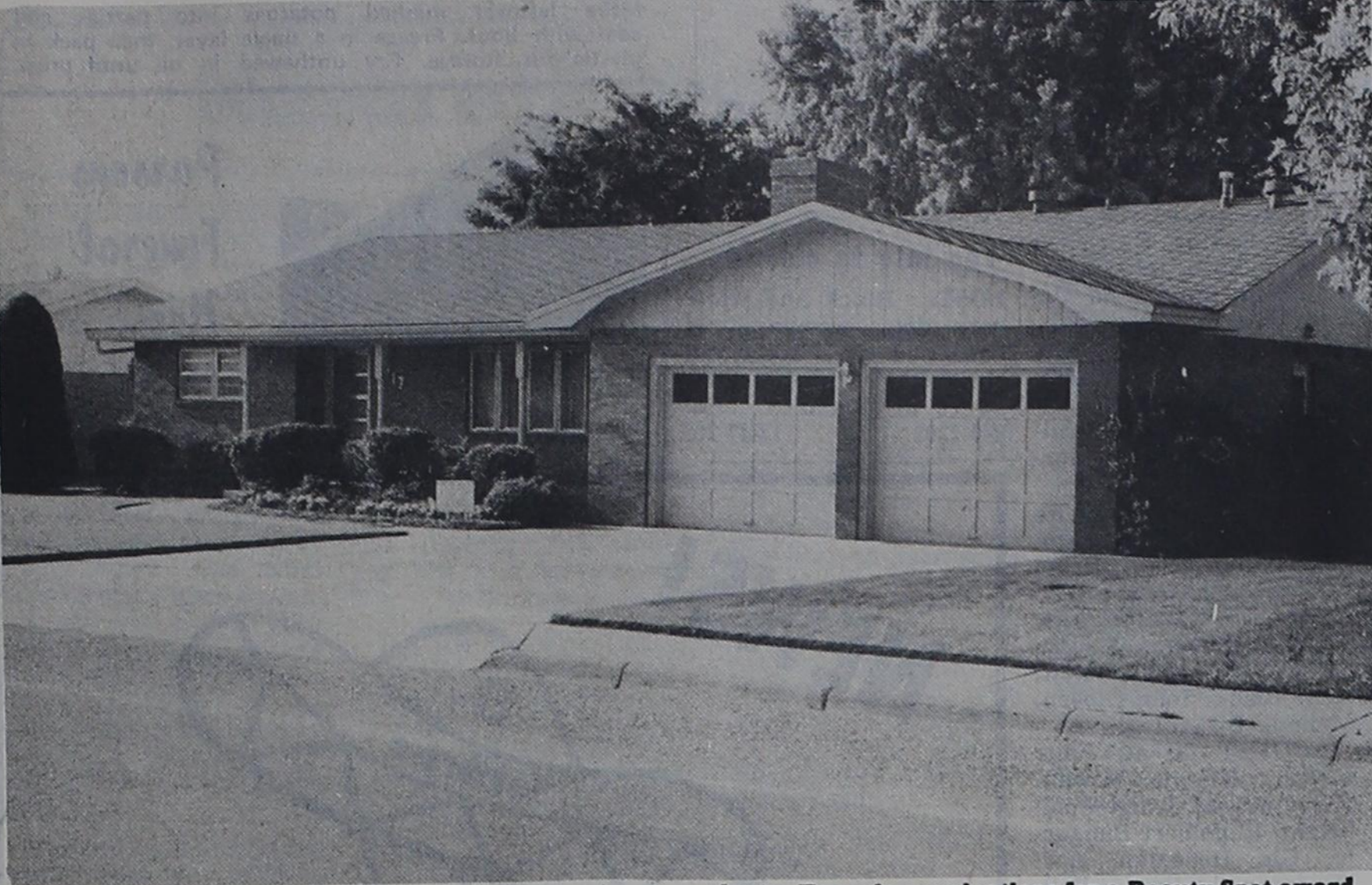


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**MDA canisters to be available at local Allsups**

Through Labor Day, September 5th, Allsup's Convenience Store will display Muscular Dystrophy collection canisters in all stores in New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma. This fund raising activity, along with many others, will help find causes and cures for 40 crippling neuromuscular disorders that affect the estimated one million Americans of all ages.

The programs of the Muscular Dystrophy Association are funded almost entirely by private contributions and corporations. MDA recently announced the first breakthrough in the treatment of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) — also known as Lou Gehrig's disease. While the drug, TRH, is classified as experimental, it is the first treatment that has ever resulted in significant improvement in ALS patients.

Again this year, Allsup's invites area youngsters to participate in the annual "Door Bell Brigade for MDA." Kids are encouraged to pick up collection kits at their local Allsup's store on August 27th and 28th. After collecting donations for MDA and "Jerry's Kids," return the collections to the store and each youngster will receive a free fountain drink of their choice.

**Hart school board sets budget meeting**

At its August 8 meeting, the Hart school board set a special meeting for August 30 at 7 p.m. for the purpose of final amendment of the 1982-83 budget and adoption of the 1983-84 budget.

The board selected Farmers State Bank of Hart as depository for the school for Sept. 1, 1983-Aug. 1, 1985.

John Mark Lewis was hired as band director for the coming year. He received his high school education from Southern Baptist Educational Center in Memphis, Tenn. He attended Memphis State University and received his bachelor's degree from Wayland Baptist University.

Mrs. Shirley Barnes presented the annual achievement report for accreditation, and the board approved the report.

David Knox, Dale Jahay and Peggy Neinast were employed as bus drivers for the coming year. In other business, the board approved transfer of Lavonna Powell into the school district, and set the prices for school lunches and breakfasts.

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**Presbyterian happenings**

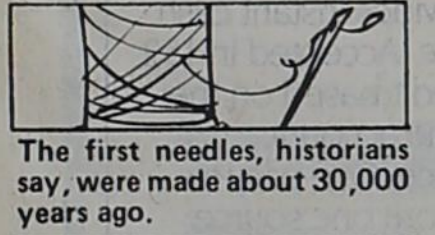
Nita Manning will be graduated from the Clarendon Junior College Vocational Nursing course on Friday, Aug. 26 at 7 p.m.

A Youth Council Convention for all the churches in Palo Duro Presbytery will be held at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Lubbock on Saturday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. Emily Cling-smith; all other classes will meet at the church.

"God's Discipline" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God on Sunday at 11 a.m.

"Shocking Mirrors: Stories About Immoral People Make Us See," a study of Luke 19:11-27; 16:1-9 will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study and praise service Wednesday at 7 p.m.



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**Happy anniversary!**

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**AUGUST 18** — Wesley and Debra Bennight, Dudley and Claudine Aven, Bob and Kay Berry, Joe and Imogene Drerup.

**AUGUST 19** — Goldman and Carole Dyer, Doug and Alice Wilhelm, Albert and Virgie Gerber.

**AUGUST 20** — Jim and Becky Killingsworth, Milton and Sandra Bagwell.

**AUGUST 21** — Tobin and Angela Touchstone, Larry and Connie Nelson-Daniel, Carl and Peggy Neinast, Marlon and Theresa Marble, Don and Nita Sanders, David and Retta Knox.

**AUGUST 22** — Bill and Dalia Gregory.

**AUGUST 23** — Rafael and Margaret Guajardo, Donny and Wanda Nelson, Sam and Rhonda Rutkowski, Rex and Shanee Lust, Marvin and Gwen Bryant, Laurence and Georgene Woods, Danny and Elodia Rodriguez, Jerry and Nancy Mathis.

**AUGUST 24** — Malcolm and Cyndy Reynolds, Donald and Katie Wright, Jimmy and Elaine Fewell, Charlie and Juanita Barker.

**AUGUST 25** — Tomie and Chris Maples, Roy and Christina Taack, Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins Sr., Rupert and Esperanza Martinez, Larry and Paige Hochstein.

**Summer reading program completed**

Rhoads Memorial Library concluded its Summer Reading Program this week.

The theme of the program this summer was "Lasso a Good Book." It featured films, weekly brain teasers and reading contests and a book mark designing contest sponsored by the Texas Panhandle Library System in Amarillo.

The two winners of the book mark contest were Jennifer Hanners and Diane Peralez. The library urges Castro County residents to be on the lookout for their bookmarks which have been printed up and will be distributed at the Tri State Fair in Amarillo in September at the library booth.

The winners of the reading contest were Diane Peralez first place, Bell Salazar second place, and Adolph Salazar third place. These three read

the most books or the most difficult books on their level.

Other readers who read an unusually large number of books this summer were Garland Coleman, Jennifer Hanners, Adam Cline, Arnold Peralez, Christy Killough, Edward Rivera, Mercy Saenz, Roy Salazar, La Tisha Smith, John Waggoner, Susan Waggoner and Robert and Teresa Wilhelm. Wendy Trayler also read so many books this summer that she gets honorable mention.

The library wishes to thank Pizza Hut, Mr. Burger, and KDHN Radio for their help and cooperation during the summer, said Librarian Brick Autry.



**Ramaekers joins Rotary**

Rotarians welcomed a new member into the club at their Friday meeting. Henry Ramaekers joined the club.

Boys State representative Mark Bruegel spoke to the club members about his experience at Boys State at the University of Texas.

Nineteen members and four guests were present at the meeting. Ed Freeman led the singing.



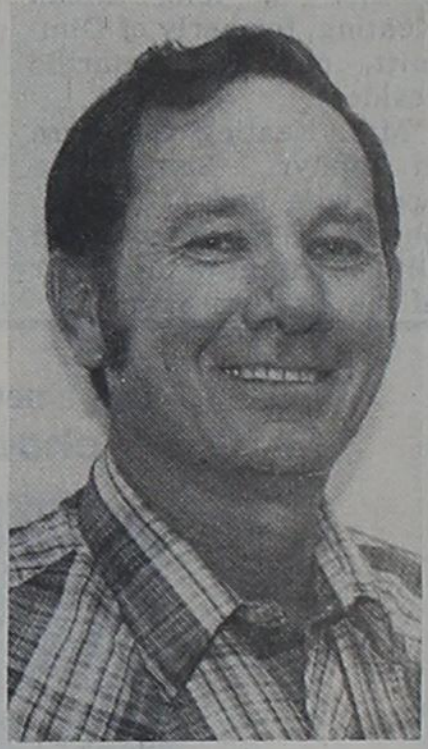
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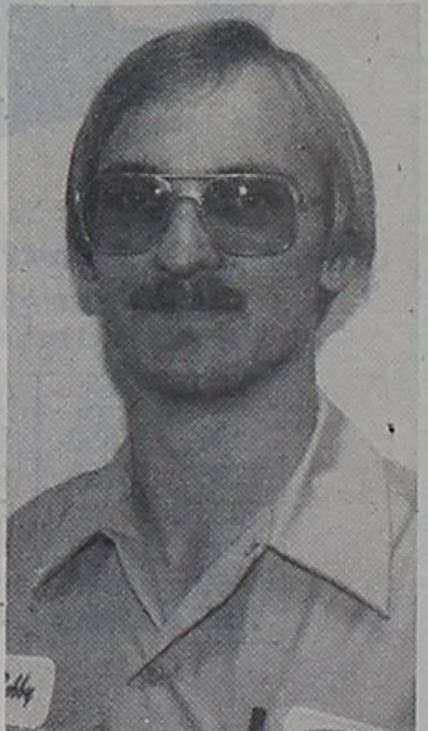
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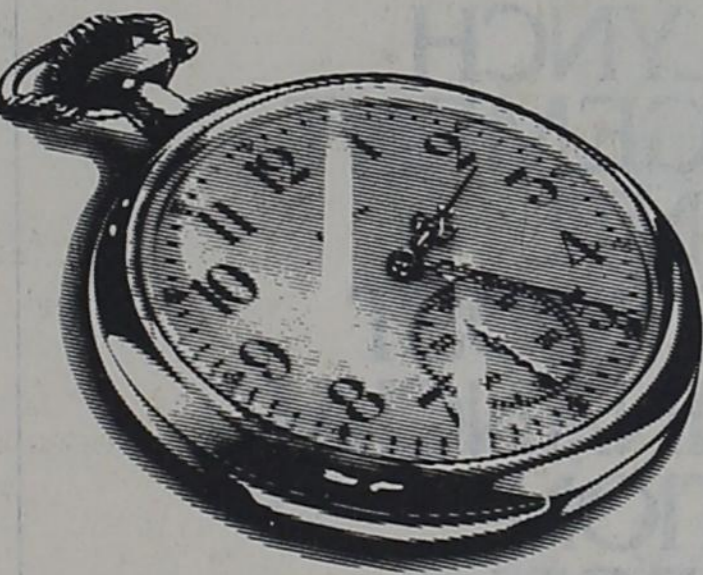
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# Obituaries

## Coleman Moseley

Services for Coleman Moseley, 51, of Lubbock were Monday in W. W. Rix Chapel of Lubbock with the Rev. Wayne O. Perry officiating. Burial was at Ralls Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Moseley was the brother of Leland Moseley of Nazareth. Mr. Moseley died Friday in Lubbock General Hospital after a sudden illness. Born in Cameron, he moved from Temple to Lubbock in 1950. He married Dot Harrison June 10, 1981, in Lubbock. He was a welder and a plumber most of his life. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Slaton and a Baptist.

Other survivors include his wife; a daughter, Kathy Gunn of Temple; four step-daughters, Cindie Hampton, Shelley Qualls, Kathy Massie and Michelle Thomas, all of Lubbock; two sons, Terry Coleman and Jimmy Dean, both of Temple; a stepson, James Thomas of Lubbock; five sisters, Opal Baxter of Sweetwater, Frances Miller of Omaha, Neb., Hazel Hazelwood of Amarillo and Lou O'Connor and Helen Copeland, both of Lubbock; two brothers, David Clyde Moseley Jr. of Crockett and Ernest Moseley of Davilla; and nine grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ricky Linker, Randy Linker, Toney Linker, Jerry Moseley, Robby Moseley and David Copeland.

## Gretta Keating

Services for Gretta Keating, 74, of Olton were Saturday at the First Baptist Church in Olton with the Rev. Richard Edwards, pastor of the Olton First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was at the Olton Cemetery under the direction of Parsons Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Keating was the mother of Max Glenn Keating, formerly of Dimmitt, now an Amarillo resident.

Mrs. Keating was born in Zephyr. She was a housewife and a Baptist. She was a member of the Olton Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

## John Gilbreath

Other survivors include her husband, W. M. "Mac" Keating; two brothers, T. H. Grimes of Denver City and J. V. Grimes of Breckenridge; and two grandchildren.

## Jimmy T. Gilbert

Services for Jimmy T. Gilbert of San Antonio, brother of Mrs. Wayne Jackson of Dimmitt, were Monday.

Mr. Gilbert died Aug. 11 after a brief illness.

Born May 22, 1933, in Lockney, he moved to Plainview in December of 1941 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilbert. He joined the Air Force in 1951 and retired in 1971. During his Air Force career, Mr. Gilbert served in France, Thailand and Germany. He married Carolyn Cooper in January of 1955 in Plainview.

Other survivors include his wife; three sons, Karl Wayne Gilbert of Missouri, David Lee Gilbert of the home, and Charles William Gilbert of Fort Sill, Okla.; a daughter, Bridget Ann Gilbert of San Antonio; a brother, Marion Orland Gilbert of Dallas; and a granddaughter.

## Claude D. Youts

Funeral services for Claude D. Youts, 64, of Granbury were held Saturday afternoon at Martin's Funeral Chapel in Granbury.

Mr. Youts died at his home last Thursday. He was a former resident of Dimmitt and was the son of the late Willard A. Youts of Dimmitt.

Burial was in Holly Hills Memorial Park in Granbury.

Born in 1919 in Seminole, Okla., Mr. Youts resided in Dimmitt in the 1930's. He was an Army veteran of World War II, and was a retired draftsman for

General Dynamics, where he had worked for 28 years.

Survivors include a son, Steve of Dallas; a sister, Mrs. J. B. Moore of Dimmitt; an uncle, Elmer Youts of Dimmitt; and an aunt, Clara Gladden of Dimmitt.

## John Gilbreath

Funeral services for John Gilbreath, 48, of Dimmitt were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Vernon O'Kelly officiating. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Mr. Gilbreath, a farmer-stockman, died of a heart attack Monday night at his home south of Dimmitt.

Born April 8, 1935, in Dimmitt, Mr. Gilbreath graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1953 and from the University of Texas in 1958. He was a member of Chi Phi fraternity at UT. He married Dorothy Barnett Nov. 1, 1958, in Olton.

He was a 40-year member of the First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt, and served on its board and various committees. He also served as president of the Grain Sorghum Producers Board, director on the Texas-New Mexico Sugarbeet Growers Board, president of the Dimmitt School Board, president of the Castro County Country Club, and member of the ASCS County Committee. He was an original stockholder in Estacado Industries Lamb-Feeding Division at Sunnyside, and was active in the Texas Corn Growers Association, Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association and other agri-business groups.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy; three sons, Coby of Dimmitt, Matt of Lubbock and Hal of Dimmitt; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. (Sam) Gilbreath of Dimmitt; and a brother, Zay, of Gruver.

Pallbearers were Ray Joe Riley, Jimmy Ross, Jackie Clark, Doug Higgins, Jim Cleavinger, Gabriel Montiel, Dewayne Brown and Bobby Jones.

Honorary pallbearers were Dale Winders, Truman Touchstone, Walt Hansen, Doyle Davis, Stanley Schaeffer, Elbert Harp, Bill Bennett, Jimmy Cluck and Charles Wales.

## Classifieds get results



**MARINE PFC DENNIS BURNAM** recently visited his parents, Carroll and Eileen Burnam of Dimmitt, after completing his nine-week training in Armor at Fort Knox, Ky. Burnam is now ranked Private First Class after being promoted Aug. 1. He is stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif. with the 1st Tank Battalion.



**PLAINS MEMORIAL** David and Dolores Diaz are the parents of a girl, Olga G. Diaz, born Aug. 13 at 9:20 p.m. The baby weighed 6 pounds, 14½ ounces, and was 20 inches long.

## OUT OF TOWN

A girl, JoLeigh Rosemary, was born to Don and Donna Franklin of Dimmitt Friday at Southpark Hospital in Lubbock. Born at 8 p.m., the infant weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces, and was 20½ inches long. She has two brothers, Tracy, 8, and Joshua, 20 months. Grandparents are Dean and Jo Condren of Levelland and Jim and Rosemary Franklin of Edmonson. She also has a great-grandmother, Gladys Sanders of Levelland.

Reyes Jr. and Angie Sandoval of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby boy, Reyes Matthew, born Aug. 13 at 8:40 p.m. at Central Plains Regional Hospital in Plainview. The infant weighed in at 7 pounds and 5 ounces and was 18 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Reyes Sandoval and Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Silva, all of Dimmitt.

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**AUGUST 20** — Faye Mohon, Jimmie Howell, Joyce Wright, Tangi Woolbright, Engelbert Bungarin, Gin Huseman, Lori Huseman, Jim Ball, Nancy Hatla.

**AUGUST 21** — Mrs. Sam Lane, Tanner Touchstone, Ava Dyer, Linda Birkenfeld, Tommy Kern, Matilda Anderle.

**AUGUST 22** — Kelli Small, Danny Heard, Susan Wise, Terry Ellison, John Garth, Barry Hill, Connie Martinez, Carolyn Harman, Jo Warren, Marylyn Higgins, Tilo Sarabia, Heather Schilling, Catherine Huseman.

**AUGUST 23** — Gregory Malone, Ned Smith, Alvin Frazier, Cheryl Robb, Oma Dee Heard, Carl Bruegel, Bea Gonzales, Lavern Wilhelm, Arnold Chris Birkenfeld, Nikki Schulte, Trampas Ball.

**AUGUST 24** — Earnest Mayhew, Scott Heck, Melanie Hoskins, Karissa Jahay, Evon Sarabia, Anne Burkhalter, Brendon Huseman, Lea Ann Huseman, Sandy Braddock.

**AUGUST 25** — Chris Maples, Brenda Andrews, Julie Hottel, Norvelle Birdwell, Zachary Bell, Jana Mapp, Eupha Dunn, Juanita Velasquez, Tim Foster, Denise Scoggin, Robert Lowrey III, Joel Birkenfeld, Leonard Hoelling, Kristi Altman, Rose Warren.



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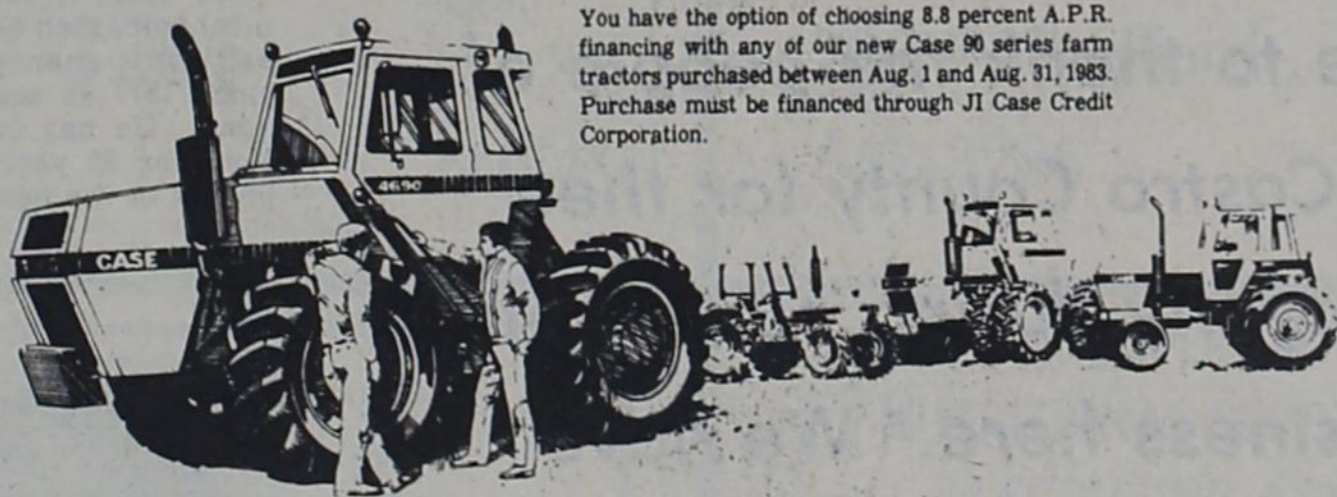


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# Nazareth News

By VIRGIE GERBER  
Lucille Drerup and Lucy Leinen drove to Ottawa, Ohio and attended a Drerup reunion.

Pam, Terrell and Chris Bogle of Center, Colo. are visiting with the LeRoy Pohlmeier families.

The Nazareth Community softball tournament was enjoyed last week by many fans. The team sponsored by Kern Plumbing won first place. They were coached by Jimmie Hochstein, Stanley Maurer and Glenn Ehly. Second place went to the Gerber Welding team coached by Kevin Gerber and Arnold Ehly.

Martha Schulte returned home Saturday after a second stay in St. Anthony's Hospital. She is doing fine.

Cornelia Annen is a patient in Houston at Methodist Hospital where she had triple by-pass heart surgery. She was moved out of intensive care on Thursday. Her room number is 741 — no. B — zip code 77030.

Florence and Hilda Heiman, Stanley and Helen Chado of Amarillo spent Tuesday here visiting relatives, the Joe Schmuckers and others.

The Knights of Columbus, Catholic Order of Foresters and Catholic Life Insurance sponsored the annual wiener roast at the Community Center. Many parents and children enjoyed the hot dogs and participated in games and races.

Mrs. Vincent Guggemos is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She

IF a hen eats onion grass, field garlic or even cabbage, its eggs will be highly flavored. However, commercial eggs are produced so that the bland natural flavor is retained.

had surgery and will be home the first part of the week.

Congratulations to Morris and Chele Wilcox on the birth of twin boys. They were born Aug. 11 in Plainview hospital and have been named Ryan Kade and Rylan Ky. Grandparents are LeRoy and Dorothy Pohlmeier and Mr. and Mrs. John Wilcox of Deming, N.M.

The Joe Rickwartz family hosted a family reunion at their home in Channing on Aug. 7. All of Joe and Georgie's 10 children and grandchildren were able to be there. Also attending were Elizabeth Rickwartz of Amarillo; Bernard and Irene Kleman of Tanglewood; Ervin and Phyllis Podzemny, their children and grandchildren of Amarillo; Chester and Vivian Jones and children of Wheeler; Jerome Egge-meyer of Denver, Colo.; Eugene and Phyllis Podzemny and children of Sedan, N.M.; Mrs. Philip Rickwartz and Bennett from Amarillo; Linda and

Wally Risser and children from Sedan, N.M. and Marie Brockman of Nazareth.

On Sunday afternoon, family members of the Joe Schmuckers and George Schachers drove to Amarillo to celebrate the 75th birthday of their brother-in-law and uncle Francis Woelfle, which took place at the Blessed Sacrament Hall. The event was hosted by his children. An enjoyable afternoon was spent visiting with family members. Out of town relatives and friends came from California, Dallas, Plains, Pampa, Plainview and Hereford.

Herman and Marilyn Birkenfeld, their son Darryl and daughter Darlene Schulte, attended the recent wedding of Tim Mattingly and Kimberly Hammack at Woodbine, Iowa. Tim is the son of Denis and Kathleen (Hoelting) Mattingly of Logan, Iowa. Enroute to Iowa, they stopped at Olpe, Kan. to visit with the Norbert Hoelting and George Bowers families.

## Motorists urged to use caution as school starts

The summer vacation will soon be over and thousands of youngsters will be starting back to school, many of those for the first time. Last year in Texas the pedestrian fatalities accounted for 732 traffic deaths, Major Vernon Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said.

"Motorists need to slow down as they drive through school zones and in and around school areas," Cawthon said.

"Those big yellow buses will also be back on our streets and highways, and Texas law requires the

driver of a vehicle meeting or overtaking a school bus displaying red flashing warning lights that is in the process of loading or unloading passengers to stop until the school bus starts moving, the red lights are no longer flashing, or the bus driver directs motorist to proceed.

"It is most important that drivers observe speed limits in school zones and the school bus loading laws for the protection of our children, because no one wants to be responsible for the death or injury of a young child," he said.



FINISHING FOURTH out of the 18 teams competing at the 4-H State Trap and Skeet Shoot were the two-man sub-junior team of Jay Gruhlkey (left) and Kevin Wheelless. The meet was held Aug. 4-4 in San Antonio.

## Senior trap shooters take fourth at state

Castro County's five-man senior trap shooting team placed fourth overall in the 4-H State Trap and Skeet Shoot held Aug. 4-6 in San Antonio. There were 15 teams competing in the meet.

Members of the five-man senior team are Bart Huseman, Kelly Ballard, Doug Schilling, Jerry Rickert and Scott Hays.

Ballard was the sixth highest scorer overall of the 70 4-H'ers who competed.

The two-man sub-junior team of Jay Gruhlkey and Kevin Wheelless finished fourth in their division. The two competed against 18 other teams.

Also competing in the meet were Danny Heard and Hal Gilbreath, who competed as a two-man

senior team; and Kerry Lewis and Mark West, who competed as a two-man junior team.

Accompanying the shooters to the meet were Assistant County Agent Menzies McWilliams, Perry Gruhlkey, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rickert (Jerry Rickert's parents).

## HOSPITAL NEWS

### Patients In Hospital:

Irene Blanton  
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Gertrude Clark  
Leona Daniel  
Mary Davila  
Walter Leal  
Ester Noble  
Janie Perez  
Bunia Shwen

### Patients Dismissed:

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Trinidad Carrasco  
Josephine Jackson  
Lillie Ivey  
Penetha Armstrong  
Leona Daniel  
Esther Galloup  
Anthony Kirby  
Dolores Diaz  
Celia Carlile



## Local 4-Hers win top honors at District Fashion Show

Four area 4-H'ers took top honors at the South Plains District 4-H Fashion Show Aug. 5 in the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Gwen Wilson of Hart received a blue ribbon in the senior division non-tailored category.

Special awards were given for the best outfits made of at least 50 percent cotton fabric. Four senior and four junior contestants received the award, including Melinda Wilson of Hart.

Named as top seamstresses in the junior division (ages 9 through 13) were Melissa Brockman of Nazareth in daytime tailored wear and Melinda Wilson of Hart in evening and specialty wear. Jennifer Brockman of Nazareth won a blue ribbon in active sportswear, and Bobbi Hochstein of Nazareth won a red ribbon in non-tailored daywear.

A total of 103 4-H'ers

participated in the district show. In observance of the 75th anniversary of the 4-H program in Texas, the theme for the fashion show was "Happy Birthday 4-H."

Mistress of ceremonies was Sheryl Simpson, a Castro County 4-H'er. Narrators were Lisa Nel-

son of the Castro County 4-H and Jason Schroeder of the Lamb County 4-H. Also helping with the show was Laura Nelson of Castro County.

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# People



Mr. and Mrs. Andy Powell

## Powells to be feted on 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Powell of Friona will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Friendship House in Friona.

The celebration will be hosted by their children, Jack Powell of Dumas, Don Powell of Olton, and Marlene Hall of Dimmitt. Mr. Powell married Leola Poteet of Olton at

Hale Center on Aug. 22, 1933. They have three children, five grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Powell is a retired dispatcher for the Friona police department. Mrs. Powell is a housewife. They have been Friona residents for more than 15 years, having lived in the area since their marriage.

## Couple establishes home in Cedar Hill

Mr. and Mrs. David Travis are at home in Cedar Hill after a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., following their Aug. 6 wedding.

The bride is the former Daneen Wilson, daughter of Hershel and Retha Wilson of Sunnyside. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Travis of Wills Point.

Rev. Ronnie Travis, pastor of Lee Street Baptist Church of Dimmitt, and the brother of the groom, performed the afternoon garden ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. He read from a 90-year-old Bible given to him by his great-grandmother.

The couple's path led through a rose trellis to a gazebo entwined with ivy and roses. It was made by the bride's brother, Lonnie Wilson, and brother-in-law, Doug Freeman.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a candlelight satin dress featuring a high neckline and yoke of illusion accented with Venice lace. The fitted bodice and full illusion sleeves were also accented with Venice lace. The wide cuffs featured satin-covered buttons. The gathered skirt swept into a chapel-length train with an edging of Venice lace.

Her hat, covered with silk crepe, anchored a fingertip-length veil of layered illusion. A lace fan backed her bouquet of candlelight roses, wedding bells and baby's breath with pink accents. Tucked in the bouquet was a lace-trimmed handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother, serving as something borrowed in following tradition. Something old was her Grandmother Epperson's first wedding ring set. Something new was her gown and something blue was a garter that had been worn by the bride's mother in her wedding. In her shoe were placed pennies minted in the years of the couple's births.

Maid of honor was Debbie Ulrich of Petersburg. Bridesmaid was Debbie Arnold of Dimmitt. They wore tea-length dresses of burgundy and rose, featuring square necklines, double-ruffled sleeves and ruffled hemlines, all edged with candlelight lace. Their candlelight-colored hats were complemented with sash bands matching their dresses. Each carried a lace parasol and each wore a pearl drop necklace, a gift from the bride.

Serving as flower girl was Sonya Freeman of Earth, niece of the bride. Her dress was fashioned similar to those of the bridal attendants, but was of a burgundy with small pink and blue flowered print. In her hair she wore roses of the bride's colors, tied with lace ribbon. She dropped rose petals from a lace parasol basket.

Wearing dresses identical to that of the flower girl were Lisa Travis of Dimmitt, niece of the groom, and Samantha Wilson of Springlake, niece of the bride. They carried lace parasols as they sang "Treasure." They also distributed the wedding scrolls from straw baskets trimmed with rose buds and lace ribbon.

The groom was attired in a candlelight tuxedo, accented by a boutonniere of a candlelight rose and baby's breath.

Ross Robinson of Cedar Hill served as best man. Groomsman was Eddie Coon, also of Cedar Hill. They wore black tuxedos with dusty blue shirts and burgundy rose boutonnieres.

Ringbearer Chris Travis of Dimmitt, nephew of the groom, also wore a black tuxedo. He carried a ring



MRS. DAVID TRAVIS  
... nee Daneen Wilson

pillow of damask highlighted by an embroidered letter "T" made by the bride.

Ushers were Doug Freeman of Earth, brother-in-law of the bride, and Dale Travis of Midlothian and Lynn Travis of Athens, brothers of the groom.

Renee Wilson of Springlake, sister-in-law of the bride, was the pianist. Sue Jones of Lubbock was the organist. Brother of the bride, Lonnie Wilson of Springlake, sang "That's The Way." Sister of the bride, Debi Freeman of Earth, sang "One In Christ."

Wedding guests were registered by Lori Travis of Wills Point, niece of the groom. The registry table was set with the bridal book, silver pen, rose buds and a silver-framed picture of the bride and groom.

Following the ceremony, a reception honoring the couple was held in the home of the bride's parents.

The bride's table was covered with a lace-edged candlelight linen cloth belonging to the bride's Grandmother Epperson. The bride's bouquet and parasol, along with a satin and lace-covered Bible given to her by the Sunnyside Women's Missionary Union, formed the centerpiece.

The four-tiered strawberry cake was made by Debi Freeman. It was iced and decorated in the bride's colors of burgundy, rose and dusty blue. A flower-filled gazebo ornamented the top. Renee Wilson served the cake, and strawberry fruit punch was served from a silver punch bowl by Kathy King of Lubbock.

The groom's table was covered by a candlelight linen cloth and centered with an anniversary candle made by the bride's mother. Also included were the ring pillow and the groom's boutonniere.

The sisters-in-law of the groom, Linda Travis of Midlothian and Janis Travis of Athens, served fruit from a watermelon bowl, made by Gerald and Pat Elkins of Sunnyside, and apricot tea made by Debbie Jones and served from a silver tea service belonging to the bride's Grandmother Wilson.

Birdseed bags were distributed from straw baskets by Jessica Wilson of Springlake and Angela Freeman of Earth, both nieces of the bride.

Members of the house party were Sherri Collins of Lubbock, Kaye King and Pat Elkins of Sunnyside, Ann Cox, Karen Hutson and Teresa Rainwater, all of Dimmitt. In charge of decorating

the garden were Emma Jean King, Kaye King, Renee Wilson and Debbie Jones. Renee Wilson and Debbie Jones also made all the flower arrangements.

Special guests at the wedding were Rev. and Mrs. Don Travis of Wills Point, brother and sister-in-law of the groom; and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Epperson of Wolforth and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson of Ropesville, grandparents of the bride.

## VETERAN'S SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH  
County Service Officer

See us to secure applications for "Certificates of Eligibility," etc.

The Veterans Administration increased the basic loan guarantee rate for single-family homes and condominiums by a half percent July 11 to 12.5 percent, said W. E. Welstead, Loan Guaranty Officer for the Waco VA Regional Office.

It was the second rate hike in one month and returned the basic rate to the level set last Oct. 13.

At the same time, the VA maximum interest rate for Graduated Payment Mortgage loans was increased to 12.75 percent.

Other current VA loan-guarantee rates: 14.5 percent for purchase of manufactured home units; 14 percent to buy both a mobile home and a lot; and 14 percent for loans to purchase a lot and the cost of necessary site preparations.

For a veteran buying a home with a 30-year, average GI loan of \$55,000, the rate increase of a half percent will raise the monthly payments by \$21 over the previous 12 percent rate.

The change, however, doesn't affect existing GI loans, whose interest rate remains the same for the life of the agreement.

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Mrs. Earl Lust

## Mrs. Lust celebrates birthday

Mrs. Earl Lust of Dimmitt celebrated her 90th birthday with an Open House in her home last Thursday. Her daughters, Mildred Bradford and Earline Settle, assisted by nieces-in-law Doris and Barbara Lust, served cake and punch to 64 guests during the day.

Special guests were her sisters, Millie Lust of Dimmitt and Lois Branson of Alhambra, Calif.; her brother, Ray Branson and his wife Lucille, of Innisfail, Alberta; her nephew Ivan Branson and his wife, Ina, of Vancouver; and her niece, Audrey Branson of Calgary, Alberta.



To clean a badly stained broiler pan, sprinkle heavily with dishwasher detergent or dry laundry detergent. Cover with dampened paper towels and let stand an hour or so.

## WTSU plans homecoming

Homecoming 1983 at West Texas State University will honor members of two graduating classes and members of the classes are being sought by the WTSU Alumni Association.

Members of the Class of 1933 and 1953 will celebrate 50 and 30 years during Homecoming on Saturday, Oct. 8.

Addresses of several members of the graduating class of 1953 have not been located, said Dwaine Mires, director of the WTSU Alumni Association. Persons with addresses for class members may contact the WTSU Alumni Association or Chester Dowell of Sunray. Dowell is a member of the Alumni Association Board of Directors and the Class of 1953.

Members of the Class of 1953 will meet at 3 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 8, at the WTSU Activities Center, following the annual meeting of the Alumni Association.

Other Homecoming activities will be a carnival, Pigskin Review performance, bonfire, parade, barbecue and 6 p.m. football game featuring the WTSU Buffaloes and Illinois State University Redbirds. The football game will be the first meeting of the universities and the first 6 p.m. game for Homecoming.

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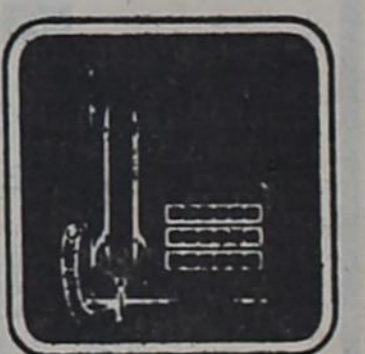
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The Castro County Crime Line is offering \$650 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for two area crimes.

A \$300 reward is being offered for information about the burglary of the supply room at Foley and Allen Cattle Co. sometime the night of Aug. 6.

Taken from the supply room at the feed lot, located 12 miles southwest of Dimmitt, were a bride, a breast collar, a set of red and white saddle blankets and a Bill Price brand adult's western saddle with 16-inch tree, full stamped brown finish, semi-square skirts, full double rigging, and leather-covered horn with silver horn plate.

The estimated value of the stolen items is \$1,110.

The reward has been raised from \$300 to \$350 for information regarding the damage done to the spraying equipment and an unoccupied house on the Ed Wilson farm, located 14 miles northwest of Dimmitt.

Early Aug. 7, someone started a tractor equipped with a spray tank on the front and drove it into an empty house located on the farm. Total damage was estimated at \$2,000.

The Crime Line number is 647-4711.

### SS rep here today

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be working at the Dimmitt courthouse from 10 a.m. to 12 noon today (Thursday).

You can handle most Social Security business by phoning 293-4371.

## Police calls

James Robert Kendrick, 32, of Dimmitt was picked up on a DWI warrant issued by Parmer County. Kendrick was also arraigned Wednesday morning and charged with felony possession of marijuana. Bond was set at \$2,000.

Arthur Dell Ray, 38, of Happy was picked up by the Sheriff's department Aug. 11 for a warrant issued from a Potter County Court for sexual abuse of a child.

Police officers arrested a 20-year-old Hart man and charged him with driving while intoxicated, no proof of liability insurance, no drivers license and failure to drive in a single lane.

The driver was reported to police by a deputy who was almost hit by the vehicle. After taking the breathalyzer test, he was

found to have an alcohol blood level of .23 percent.

Two Hereford men were arrested this past week for DWI and another Hereford man was jailed for 72 hours for driving while intoxicated.

### PD seeking volunteers

The Dimmitt Police Dept. is seeking the assistance of citizen volunteers to serve as school crosswalk guards.

Volunteers are needed for both the morning and afternoon periods.

Anyone interested in applying, or for further details, may contact the Dimmitt Police Dept.

# Allisons are living at College Station

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Allison are now at home in College Station following their Aug. 6 wedding and a honeymoon trip to Dallas.

The bride is the former Simona Schacher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schacher of Nazareth. The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. James Allison of Tulia.

The couple exchanged vows in a double-ring ceremony in the Holy Family Catholic Church of Nazareth with Rev. Harold Waldo, pastor, and Rev. Darrell Cory of the First Presbyterian Church of Tulia, officiating.

Maid of honor was Sharon Birkenfeld of Nazareth. Bridesmaids were Jeannie Birkenfeld and DeZane Schacher, sister of the bride, both of Nazareth; and Mary Jo Pope of Tulia, sister of the bride. Flower girl was Kristi Bell of Troy, niece of the groom.

Each feminine attendant wore a full-length gown of pink Japanese silk trimmed with white Alencon lace. Styled with a fitted bodice, the dresses featured round necklines outlined with two silk ruffles and one of lace. The full skirts were encircled with rows of tiny silk and lace ruffles. They wore pearl necklaces, and clusters of pink and burgundy roses in their hair.

Each carried a nosegay of pink and burgundy rose buds accented with white starflowers and trimmed with pink and burgundy silk streamers.

Best man was Kevin Allison of Tulia, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Amet Bonset of Dallas, Tom Martin of Houston, and Benny Schacker of Nazareth, brother of the bride. Ringbearer was Sam Hosch of Tulia. They all wore burgundy suits with pink shirts. The groom wore a white tuxedo



MRS. CRAIG ALLISON  
... She's the former Simona Schacher

with tails.

The church altar was decorated with arrangements of pink gladioli and red votive candles. A large basket of white and pink silk cherry blossoms decorated the sanctuary. The aisle was decorated with red votive candles in brass holders accented by burgundy and pink bows.

Ushers were Larry Rossi and Randy Pope of Tulia, and Hubert Brassaux and Mike Schwartzback of Houston. Candlelighters were Liz and Elaine Wilhelm of Nazareth, cousins of the bride.

Bottle." She was accompanied on the organ by Mary Lynn Olivera.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a traditional wedding gown of Chantilly lace, styled with a square neckline edged in scalloped lace and seed pearls. The fitted bodice was complemented by full bishop sleeves of the same lace. The full skirt featured five tiers of lace and ended in a chapel-length train. Her lace cap, trimmed in seed pearls, held a full-length veil of illusion edged with a wide border of lace.

Her bouquet was formed of white and pink silk roses that were carried atop a white pearl-covered prayer book that had been carried by her mother at her wedding. She wore a traditional blue garter and a six-pence in each shoe.

At the reception following the ceremony, the bride's table was covered with a rose-colored linen cloth edged in lace. Pink and burgundy candles added to the decorations. The four-tiered pedestal cake was frosted in white with pink rose buds and topped with a hand blown glass heart and wedding bells from Mexico.

The groom's chocolate cake was frosted in maroon and white in the form of the Texas A&M emblem. Both cakes were made by Nellie Wilhelm, aunt of the bride.

Serving the cake were Shana White and Michele Kleman of Tulia. Serving punch was Deanna Hoelting of Nazareth. Guests were registered by Jane Hicks of Dimmitt.

Guests were treated to supper and a dance. The bride is a graduate

of Nazareth High School. The groom is a senior at Texas A&M and is major-

### Wales graduates magna cum laude

Lisa Wales of Dimmitt graduated magna cum laude from Texas Tech University this year, receiving her bachelor of business administration degree in accounting.

Wales is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wales of the Bethel community, and a 1979 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

Wales will join the certified public accounting firm of Napier & Ratcliff,

P.C., in El Paso in mid-September.

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## Sunnyside News

By TEENY BOWDEN

Danny Quisenberry became the new manager of the Sunnyside Farm Store this week. He, Kelly and Daniel Slade will soon move to the Charles Axtell home. Charles, Diane, Paul, and Holly recently moved to Dimmitt.

Bill and Camille Tipton will soon move to near Earth where she will continue to teach at Springlake-Earth School, and he will enter South Plains College at Levelland to continue his education.

Ezell and Verba Sadler attended the funeral services for a cousin, Graden Dye, in Breckenridge Tuesday before coming home Tuesday night. They have been at Hubbard Lake near Breckenridge for a month vacationing with their granddaughters and other guests, and hosting reunions.

Mrs. Floid Ivey was dismissed from Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Friday morning. Their daughter, Hazel Pruitt of Lamesa came up Friday afternoon to stay with them a few days.

Gale Brown was admitted to the Littlefield hospital last Sunday night with a viral infection. Jared and Jason have divided their time with their grandparents, the Cliff Browns and the A. J. Joneses. Gale was dismissed Thursday. Lee Brown remained in the Littlefield hospital through Thursday night.

Verna Sadler is in her second week of a new Micro Term at Wayland Baptist University. She is taking communication, practice, and theory. Adis Robertson of Wayland spent last Sunday night with her and Gale.

Gale Sadler and Charles Axtell attended a computer seminar in Plainview Thursday sponsored by the Plainview Production Credit Association.

Bruce and Phyllis Bridges, Erin, Robin, and Jonathan left Tuesday evening for Ruidoso for a weeks vacation at his

parents' cabin there. L. B. and Teeny Bowden and Goldie Thompson attended the Bowden reunion in Vernon Sunday. They went down on Saturday.

**CORRECTION:** Jerry and Ann Cox and boys live in Dimmitt not Lubbock as reported last week.

Cliff and Naomi Brown, Jason and Jared visited in Lubbock last Sunday with Mrs. E. R. Brown and in the Littlefield hospital with Lee Brown.

Hal Gilbreath and Brandon Cox started their two-a-day practice sessions with the Dimmitt football team this week and had their first intersquad scrimmage Saturday.

Kevin Riley went back to the doctor Tuesday and got a good report. He is getting out quite a bit now. Kim Riley spent Wednesday night with Ray Joe, Jo Eddy, Kevin, and Jodie.

Louise Bradley, Sharon and Joel visited in Stanton last Sunday night through Thursday with Carl Dean and Terrie Carson, Deakon and Joshua while Louise attended ACE training for the New Covenant Christian Academy at Muleshoe. Teresa Stockard of Muleshoe accompanied them and was also a guest of the Carsons.

They attended the training each day in Midland and plan to teach in the Academy this fall. Jack and Justin stayed with Lee and also with Weldon and Irene Bradley in Dimmitt.

Carl Dean and Terrie Carson, Deakon and Joshua of Stanton spent Friday night through Sunday with Lillian Carson. They and Lee and Louise Bradley attended the funeral services for Barry Brent Sanders in Dimmitt Saturday morning. Lillian kept the children. Jack Bradley went home with the Carl Dean Carsons last Sunday. Lee went after him Friday.

Tracy Hatla was admitted to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday afternoon for surgery

Tuesday. He came home Thursday noon and was admitted to Lubbock General Hospital Sunday for tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Delay of Breckenridge spent Thursday and Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler. They all went to see the play "Texas" Thursday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Strauss Atkinson of Plainview were Sunday guests of Clyde and Judy Damron, Justin and Tracy.

Gale and Verna Sadler went to church in Sudan Sunday and were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Thurman Bryant of Richmond, Va.

Bob and Cindy Clatt, Jasmyne and Tyler of Lubbock came up Friday and spent the weekend with Gale and Verna Sadler and put up corn. They will be moving to Allen in North Dallas Tuesday where he will be employed at Skaggs.

## USDA to re-open cotton bid program

Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Administrator Everett Rank said the U.S. Department of Agriculture is making every effort to inform cotton growers of the re-opened cotton bid program, and to give them an opportunity to submit competitive bids through August 24.

The Department is mounting a publicity campaign and also will distribute a National Cotton Council worksheet to assist cotton producers. Recent legislation requires USDA to solicit bids from producers with more 1980, 1981, and 1982 crop cotton under loan than needed for their own payments in kind.

The National Cotton Council has filed comments on the cotton dust standard and will follow up with a final statement to the Occupational Safety and Health Administration on September 9.

Comments from the cotton organization were coordinated with testimony from the American Textile Manufacturers Institute and several private textile firms, the Council said. The cotton industry is making an effort to retain and strengthen OSHA's proposed exemption of the non-textile industries, and its proposed action level

## Hottel to be honored

Castro County Extension Agent Charles Hottel will be honored with an ice cream social Aug. 28 at 3 to 5 p.m. at the Dimmitt City Hall.

The retiring Hottel is being honored for this career with the Extension Service. Hottel has worked with the Extension Service since 1952 and has been in Dimmitt since 1958.

Everyone is invited to attend.

## Turner calls for Promenaders

The Dimmitt Promenaders met Aug. 9 with Scott Turner, the caller for the Hereford Country Singles, calling the tips. The group's regular caller, Johnny Gillenwater of Tullia, was on vacation.

The Promenaders meet the first, second and fourth Tuesday of every month. The first Tuesday, the group meets at South Hills Manor. The other meetings are at the old Case Building behind Central Plains Savings.

Cindy Reynolds was the caller at the Aug. 2 meeting at South Hills Manor.

Summer activities for the group have included dancing at Taylor & Sons grand re-opening and having the jailhouse booth during the Hart Days celebration.

Bill Henderson is the ticket chairman for the barbecue supper to be Sept. 17 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Expo Building in connection with Harvest Days.

The group will also host a street dance beginning at

8:30 p.m. Sept. 17, and a fair booth in connection with Harvest Days.

The Promenaders will dance at the Jerry Lewis

Telethon during the Labor Day weekend at the Expo building. The group will dance from 2-4 p.m. Sept. 5.

## Nazareth CYO to host dance

The Nazareth CYO is sponsoring a "back-to-school dance" Aug. 27 at the Nazareth Community Hall from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Music will be provided by the Chris Miller Band.

Admission price is \$3 per person. All proceeds will help finance CYO activities for the upcoming year. Everyone is invited to attend.

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- Representative Sales included:
- Emmitt Pittman — Kress — Blk. wf. hfr. — 495 lb. — \$57.50.
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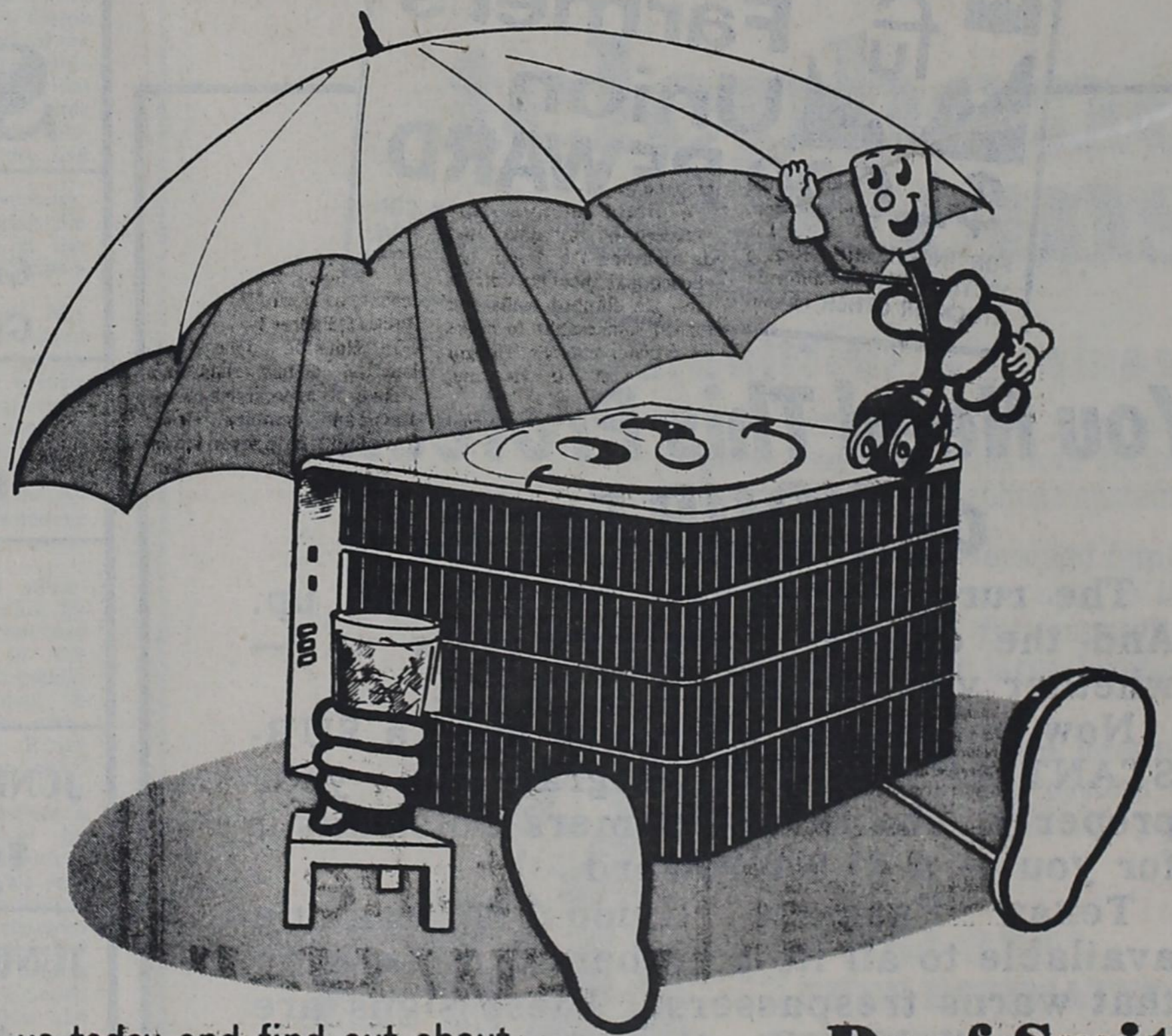
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# Sports



PREPARING FOR THE UPCOMING SEASON, the Dimmitt Bobcats had an intersquad scrimmage Saturday. The scrimmage gave the players the chance to practice their plays in a game-like setting, while it also

gave the coaches the chance to see the team's strong and weak points. Dimmitt will scrimmage against Kress at 6:30 p.m. Friday.

## Scrimmages set today, Friday

Local football players will test their techniques against outside competition for the first time when they scrimmage other schools tonight (Thursday) and Friday. Coach Mark Stroebel's

Hart Longhorns will try out their new Pro-I offense against the New Deal Lions today, starting at 6 p.m. in Longhorn Stadium.

Coach Ken Cole's Nazareth Swifts will travel to Claude today for a scrimmage that is set to begin at 6:45.

Friday evening, Coach Gene Griffin's Dimmitt Bobcats will cap their

second week of workouts when they host the Kress Kangaroos at 6 o'clock.

The scrimmages are open to the public.

All three squads will scrimmage again next week — Dimmitt at Farwell, Hart at Lazbuddie and Nazareth at home against Whiteface — then will kick off the 1983 season with away-from-home games Sept. 2.

### Hart hosts tournament

The Hart area tennis tournament is scheduled for Aug. 26, 27 and 28 at the Hart High School tennis courts.

Trophies will be awarded in A, B and C divisions

to first, second and consolation places.

To enter, contact Cindy Davis, 938-2572, or Rhonda Aven, 938-2111 by Monday. Entries are limited.

## DHS to get yearbooks

The 1983 edition of the Dimmitt High School Bobcat yearbooks will be available Aug. 24, the day students register for classes.

Beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing throughout the day, the yearbooks will be distributed in Room 27 at the high school.

Those who have already purchased a yearbook need to bring their receipt with them. Also, there will be approximately 30 extra yearbooks on sale for \$20 each, strictly on a first come — first served basis only.

"There will be absolutely NO early delivery, either on the previously purchased books or on the extra books," said yearbook sponsor J'Lynn Ryan. "And no phone calls, please."

## Lions to sell brooms Tuesday

The Dimmitt Lions Club will hold its annual Broom Sale Tuesday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. on the courthouse square.

Available at the sale will be industrial and home mops and brooms of all types, hand and floor brushes, rubber and simulated grass door mats, and oven mitts, scouring pads, washing machine bags, sponges, scourers, scrubbers, dust pans, pet dishes, fly swatters and deodorizers.

Most of the items are made by Lighthouses for the Blind and marketed by Caravan Sales for the Blind. Lions Clubs throughout the country help sell the products manufactured by blind persons. The club's proceeds will go to pay for its local service projects.

## Four local dragsters qualify for conference

Four drag racers from Dimmitt are eligible to enter the National Hot Rod Association Western Conference Championships to be held Saturday and Sunday at Amarillo Dragway.

Billy Harman, Jeff Moss, Troy Ellison and Robby Hottel are among the 183 Amarillo racers who will be eligible to join with other top racers from Ardmore, Lawton, Albuquerque, Lubbock, Liberal, Roswell, Wichita Falls, and Texas Raceway in Fort Worth in the race that will separate the teams for the Bracket Finals.

General admission for the events Saturday will be \$5 per carload, and \$5 per

person on Sunday, with children under 12 admitted free on the spectator side.

Pit passes are \$20 for two days, \$12 for one day and \$5 per day for children under 12. Car and driver entry fee is \$30.

On Saturday, the pit gate will open at 9 a.m., with running from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Camping will be allowed on Saturday night only.

Sunday, the pit gate will open at 8 a.m., with time trials from 9 to 11 a.m. Eliminations will start at 11:30 a.m.

Double points will be awarded for racers registered as competing for Amarillo Dragway.

Sept. 18 will be another racing event, which will feature "tie breaker points" to determine the

members of the 32-car team that will represent Amarillo Dragway at the Bracket Finals.

## Tennis Association to sponsor mixer

The Castro County Tennis Association is sponsoring a tennis mixer Sunday at 6 p.m. at the Dimmitt High School tennis courts.

Singles and couples are invited to the mixer, to draw for partners and play for prizes.

There will be no charge, and refreshments will be furnished by association members. For more information and RSVP contact Alice Triana, 647-5757, or Maria Barrios, 647-3307.

## Dance to help 'get in swing'

All high school and college age youth are invited to attend a dance sponsored by the Dimmitt FHA to help students "get back into the swing" of school.

The after-the-scrimmage dance will be at the County Expo Building Friday from 9 p.m. to midnight.

Music will be provided by Z-93. Admission will be \$3 per person and \$5 per couple.

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# 'USDA mismanagement increases farm costs'

Mismanagement by the US Dept. of Agriculture in early 1982 is responsible for much of the economic difficulty being faced by farmers and taxpayers, according to agricultural economists and farm organization representatives testifying before the House Subcommittee on Government Information, Justice, and Agriculture recently.

The subcommittee, chaired by Congressman Glenn English (D-OK) reviewed the efficiency and economy of commod-

ity program decisions made by the USDA during 1980-83.

Designed to hear a full spectrum of testimony from USDA representatives, agricultural economists from universities and the private sector, and members of farm organizations, the hearing revealed widespread agreement among witnesses that mismanagement by the USDA in early 1982 has contributed to lower farm income at the same time that the taxpayer cost for administering the farm programs has increased.

Commenting on the USDA's failure to act adequately in 1982, Dr. Abner Womack of the University of Missouri said, "Short term budget constraints that deny paid diversion puts US agriculture on an excess supply course that continuously builds stocks and runs farm prices at or near loan rate levels."

Womack provided the Subcommittee with an econometric model, tracing probable results if different courses of action had been taken by USDA. Womack's model indicat-

ed that a paid diversion program for 1982 would have increased farmers' incomes by nearly \$4 billion and would have reduced price-depressing surpluses by at least 385 million bushels of grain.

Agricultural economist Dr. Harold Breimyer joined Dr. Womack in pinpointing the USDA's failure to act in early 1982 as the main cause of present economic problems on the farm.

Breimyer ascribed USDA inaction to Office of Management and Budget Director David Stockman's financial approach to agricultural problems. Stockman's "tightfistedness was penny-wise and not merely pound-foolish, but was billion-dollar foolish," he said.

Dr. Breimyer testified that if the USDA had instituted an aggressive paid diversion program in early 1982, not only would prices have been higher for farmers and government payments less for taxpayers, but little or no Payment in Kind Program would have been needed in 1983.

Rice expert Dr. Eric Wailes of the University of Arkansas indicated that the 1982 program rice analysis numbers had been adjusted to meet political goals.

"Since the outcome of this analysis defies economic logic, the question must be posed as to why the selected option clearly came to the wrong conclusions regarding the market outcome and con-

sequently the wrong implications for producers' income and treasury costs," Wailes said. He asked, "Could it be that these conclusions — erroneous as they obviously were — were the only conclusions that yielded a politically acceptable circumstance for a previously determined policy decision?"

"The Administration's management of the rice program has been a disaster for the rice farmers of our nation," said Government Operations Committee Chairman Jack Brooks (D-TX). "Since the decisions of 1982, rice stocks have boomed, prices have declined, and farmers have been squeezed to the limit." Brooks, who was unable to participate in the hearing, represents one of the major rice growing districts of the nation.

Testimony by National Farm Coalition Vice-Chairman Elbert Harp of Abernathy also pointed to the lack of action by USDA as being the cause of present problems. The National Farm Coalition consists of 21 farm organizations such as the National Association of Wheat Growers, National Rural Electric Cooperative, American Agriculture Movement, Grange, National Farmers Organization, National Milk Producers Federation, and Grain Sorghum Producers Association.

"I hate to say I told you (USDA) so, but we did," Harp said. "We believe

that a major part of these costs could have been avoided through more prudent utilization of acreage controls and other authorities available to the Secretary of Agriculture. We stress the importance of acreage cutbacks when inventory buildup occurs. Such programs were not applied. It was this neglect in administering an effective supply management program which necessitated the PIK Program."

Breimyer laid USDA inaction at the doorstep of Agriculture Secretary John Block's opposition to supply management. He drew general lessons from the specific example of agricultural management by this Administration.

"The first mistake is that administration of farm programs was in unsympathetic hands," said Breimyer. "Therein lies what should be an unwritten rule of government: 1980 embargo, other countries' export subsidies, and accelerated crop yields.

Subcommittee Chairman English agreed with Ahalt that all of these caused problems and were factors in the overall problem, but said other secretaries of agriculture have faced many of the same problems.

"The ultimate test of each secretary's administration must be: What did he do to improve the situation with the tools he had to work with?" English said. "In this

regard, Secretary Block seems to have been an hour late and a dollar short for the last year and a half."

English also said that since the objective of the

farm program is to keep market prices above support levels, it is fair to say "the bigger the government payment, the bigger the failure of the farm program for the taxpayers

and the farmers."

English said also that the subcommittee will prepare a report on the cause of the giant increases in farm costs over the past two years.

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## Target freeze price fails, but Block lowers loan level

Agriculture Secretary John Block recently lost his bid to plan a target freeze price for 1984 wheat. Block was trying to secure a Congressional freeze of the target wheat price at \$4.30.

The failure of the freeze is partially attributed to the Senate filibuster started by Sen. John Melcher of Montana several weeks ago.

Though a price freeze must be approved by Congress, Block still has the discretionary power to lower or raise the loan level on wheat and grain.

With this power, Secretary Block recently lowered the loan level from \$3.45 to \$3.30.

"The problem is that the loan serves as a floor on the prices," Carl King, president of the Texas Corn Growers Association, said.

Block is also seeking a 25 percent diversion of PIK acres.

"Lowering the loan level and not paying the first 25 percent diversion will cut

the PIK program in two," King said. "If they get their way, the first 25 percent of the diverted acreage will be without pay."

For example, if a farmer were to not plant 50 percent of his regular acreage, he would only receive compensation for 25 percent. If a farmer laid out 35 percent of his regular acreage, he would be paid for only 10 percent.

With the current PIK program a farmer is paid for approximately 80 percent of his normal yields. With the new reduction, he would be paid for only 75 percent of his normal yields.

Such a move has not yet been approved by Congress.

"That just means that farmers won't participate in the voluntary programs, which means more surplus and more of a government outlay for storage and taxpayers money, and that the farmers will get a smaller price for his product," King said.

"What Congress doesn't

realize is that when they broke the American farmer, they broke the backbone of the economy."

King predicted that it is now up to Congress to make any reforms of the situation, which he said will be an uphill battle for the farmers. King added that Congressman Kent Hance is interested in reviving the Congressional Farm Crisis Group to help improve the agriculture situation.

## LGA has play day

The High Plains Ladies Golf Association met Aug. 10 at the Farwell Country Club for their monthly play day.

Attending from Dimmitt were Mozelle Lilley, Neva Hickey, Amy Glover, Betty McClure, Joyce Rickerd and Bernice Hill.

Lilley won low net with an 83 and Glover won low putts with 31. Both ladies played in the second flight.

At the luncheon following play, new officers were elected for the 1984 term. McClure was named reporter.

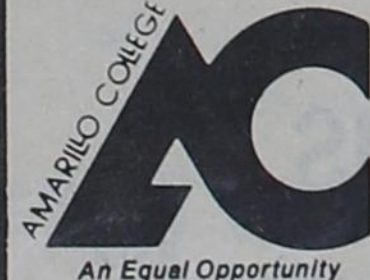
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Business Law II	7:00 - 9:45	Tu
Computer Concepts	7:00 - 9:45	Th
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Program Tech & Log	7:00 - 9:45	TBA
Basic Program Language	7:00 - 9:45	Tu
Freshman Composition I	7:00 - 9:45	Th
Freshman Composition II	7:00 - 9:45	M
Introduction to Literature	7:00 - 9:45	Th
Government of the U.S.	7:00 - 9:45	Th
History of the U.S. I	7:00 - 9:45	M
Principles of Nutrition	4:00 - 6:45	W
Personnel Management	8:30 - 9:00	Th
Mid-Management Seminar	9:10 - 10:00	Th
Vocational Nursing Skills I	TBA	TBA*
Basic Nursing	TBA	TBA*
Pharmacology	TBA	TBA*
Geriatrics	TBA	TBA*
General Psychology	7:00 - 9:45	Tu
College Reading Techniques	7:00 - 9:45	M
Real Estate Principles	8:30 - 9:15	M
Interpersonal Communication	7:00 - 9:45	Tu
Human Anatomy & Physiology I	7:00 - 8:40	M
Laboratory	7:00 - 9:45	Tu

All Classes Meet In Hereford High School Except Those Marked With An \*  
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