

THE ST. LOUIS ARCH was one of the main tourist attractions seen by Bobcat Band members and more than 130 Dimmitt residents who accompanied them to the Six Flags Over Mid-America Concert Contest last week. This photo of the famous Arch was taken by M. L. Simpson from a Mississippi riverboat.

Band rates high; so does the trip

Competing with nine other invited bands from six states, Dimmitt High School's Bobcat Band received a Division I rating in the Six Flags Over Mid-America Concert Contest at St. Louis last weekend.

WITH THREE judges writing commendatory notes, one vote was cast for Dimmitt as the outstanding band in its class. The other two votes were given the band from Springfield, Minn., which DHS Director Ralph Smith described as "a superlative band."

Smith said the Dimmitt bandsmen "did an excellent job" of playing their three contest selections after a rehearsal en route and another after they reached St. Louis. Bands from Indiana, Illi-

nois, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Texas competed.

A JUDGE'S note told the Dimmitt band members, "You would be a credit to any school in a community in any state . . . A superior performance."

Another noted, "Beautiful throughout, an excellent group."

Smith said he was pleased with the trip, not only at the good showing of the band in contest, but at arrangements which gave the students the opportunity to see the St. Louis Cardinals in a major league baseball game, take a paddle-wheel trip on the Mississippi River, go up in the famous St. Louis Arch and visit Grant's Farm.



FROM THE OBSERVATION DECK of the riverboat Huck Finn, Bobcat Band members survey the mighty Mississippi River and the St. Louis skyline. At railing in foreground, from left, are Melissa Moore, Kathy Wales and Randy Smithson. The six-day, five-bus tour ended Sunday evening. (Photo by M. L. Simpson)

Republicans pick chairman and delegates

Castro County Republicans elected Deanne Clark county chairman for the coming two years at the GOP county convention Saturday night.

MEETING in Ye Old Inn, local Republicans named Mrs. Clark to succeed Helene McFarland as county chairman.

Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Clark were chosen as the county's delegates to the state Republican convention.

The county convention adopted resolutions opposing deficit spending, export controls on farm commodities, total federalization of grain inspection, US foreign policy in Africa, grain grading standards and the sale of the Panama Canal, and calling for repeal of the Equal Rights Amendment.

O.B. Winkle's funeral held

Funeral services for O. B. Winkle, 65, of Lubbock, former Dimmitt resident, were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church here by Rev. Jimmy Hardy of the Melody Park Baptist Church of Lubbock, assisted by Rev. John Street, local pastor.

BURIAL was in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of the Dennis Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Harley Dyer and C. J. Maples of Dimmitt; and Lloyd Box, T. D. Newton, Pat Patterson and Clarence Holman, all of Lubbock.

Honorary pallbearers were J. B. Blackwell, R. C. Lay, Julian Falcon, Woodrow Jones, Dero Cates and Julian Acevedo.

Mr. Winkle, who resided in Dimmitt 47 years and operated a welding shop here before he moved to Lubbock, died Monday morning in a Lubbock hospital. He was a native of Wilbarger County.

SURVIVORS include his wife, Lillian Irene; a daughter, Dorothy Weathers of Astor, Pa.; two sons, Gary of Lubbock and Eddie of Wichita, Kan.; a stepdaughter, Thelma Lee Smith of Dimmitt; two stepsons, Tommy Roberson of Oklahoma City and Ed Roberson of Port Townsend, Wash.; 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Pre-registration scheduled Friday for pre-schoolers

Pre-registration of kindergarten and first grade children for the 1976-77 school year in Dimmitt will be held at Helen Richardson Elementary School from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday.

CHILDREN who are presently enrolled in the Dimmitt School kindergarten do not need to pre-register for first grade, Principal Elmer Berryhill said.

Children who will be 5 years of age on or before next Sept. 1 are eligible for kindergarten. Dimmitt Public Schools offer kindergarten for older 5-year-olds the first semester, with the younger children attending the second semester.

Parents are urged to register all 5-year-old children this week regardless of the birthdate, Berryhill said.

The child who is to be registered should accompany the parent for registration. The birth certificate and health record of each child should be brought to the school.



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Gas users see tough fight

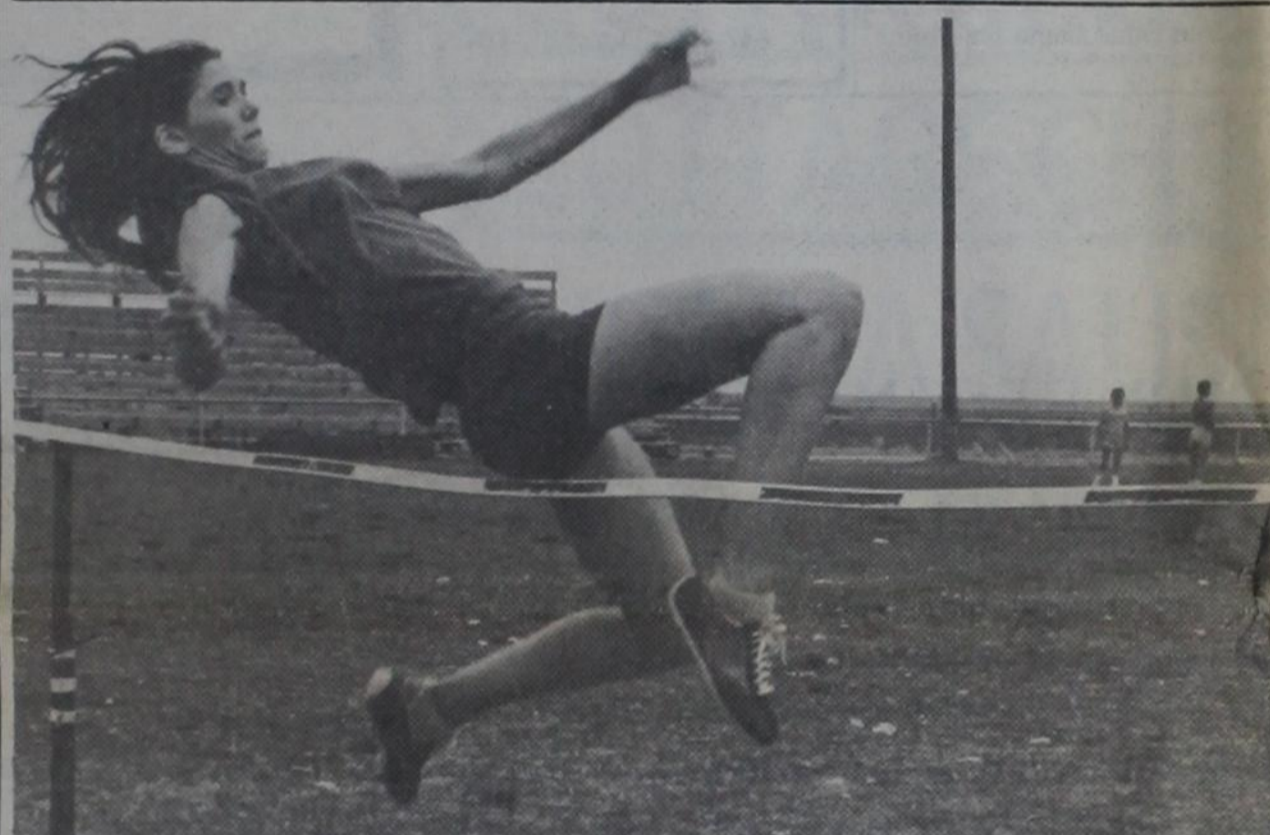


Photo by Shelly Cross

ELAINE SCHULTE SAILS OVER HIGH-JUMP BAR . . . She set a new state mark Saturday in Austin

NHS girl breaks state record

Elaine Schulte of Nazareth broke the state record in the Class B girls' high jump by five inches at Austin Saturday and explained her feat by saying, "It was a nice day and I felt like jumping."

She bettered the record of 5 feet that was set last year by Kathy Hermes of Lindsay, by jumping five feet, five inches. Fine weather for the state

track meet at Austin did help the girl athletes, said Schulte and her NHS teammates, Judy Steffens, who placed fifth in the discus throw, and Cindy Schacher, eighth in the triple jump (hop-step-jump).

Last year's record setter and Sylvia Tellez of Anthony tied for second in the high jump as they also surpassed Hermes' 1975 mark with 5-2 jumps, and

Jane Phillips of Newcastle equalled the previous state record but had to settle for fourth place.

Steffens' distance in the discus throw was 103-9.

The record-breaking performance by Miss Schulte capped a brilliant high-school sports career. The tall senior has been an all-state basketball forward the past two years.

Better Weather, Inc., gets permit, takes off

Better Weather, Inc., was granted its permit Friday by the Texas Water Development Board to operate a weather modification program in portions of Castro, Lamb, Bailey and Parmer Counties.

ISSUANCE of the permit—which cleared BWI for takeoff on its \$173,000 program—followed hearings in Lubbock, Littlefield, Plainview and Austin. The hearings were marked by opposition from dryland farmers who claimed the cloud-seeding program reduced their rainfall. BWI spokesmen claimed the hail-suppression technique of seeding storm clouds with silver iodide tended to increase rainfall.

The weather modification group had applied for a four-year permit. BWI President James Welch said he felt the opposition voiced at the hearings was the reason the Water Development Board issued only a one-year permit, which will be in force until May 7, 1977.

"The favorable ruling we got came as a result of the Lubbock hearing in March, which was an adjudicative hearing with sworn testimony," Welch said.

THE LUBBOCK hearing was conducted by Royston Lanning, general counsel for the Texas Water Development Board. In his report issued in Austin last week, Lanning made the following three basic findings:

"The proposed operations will not dissipate clouds, and, in fact, probably cannot dissipate them by silver iodide seeding.

"The operations will not prevent the natural course of developing rain from the clouds in the areas where the operations are to be conducted, but may

change the form of precipitation from hail to rain, and will probably increase the rainfall.

"THERE WILL be no material detriment to persons or property in the area of the proposed operations from diminished rainfall, but there may be benefits from the elimination of hail."

Welch reported this week that "the major part of the money we need is on hand, but we lack about \$15,000 raising the total sum of \$173,000, which is the cost of the six-month program."

He urged all farmers and landowners in the target area who have not contributed toward the weather modification program to leave their checks at the First State Bank of Dimmitt. BWI is asking for a fee of \$1.25 per cultivated acre.

"WE'LL draw the final boundaries of the target area this week," Welch said.

He added that any community within the 2,500-sq. mi. target area that doesn't "pay its way" in fees may be left out of the program.

Better Weather, Inc., will operate three planes again this year out of Littlefield, where the corporation's radar is based.

THE PROGRAM officially started Friday, with the issuance of the permit, and Welch said BWI is "ready to seed clouds today if any come up."

"Regulatory authority by the state is the answer to the problem," State Sen. Max Sherman of Amarillo said. "You need someone to talk to the gas companies on your behalf."

"WE NEED equity—we've got to have higher beef prices, higher commodity prices and lower gas prices," said Pecos farmer Mike Burkholder.

"At the state level, we've got to work for the abolishment of the pass-through clause," said attorney John Aikin of Hereford. "And at the federal level, I think a change in administrations is imperative."

"We need a special gas rate for irrigation purposes," Dimmitt farmer Carl King said. "I think our odds are better in Washington than in Austin."

THESE WERE some of the options proposed last Thursday night when a big crowd of farmers who use natural gas to power their irrigation wells gathered here to seek a way out of their gas-cost dilemma.

The meeting, sponsored by the Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association, lasted 2½ hours. And area farmers were no more optimistic when they left the County Expo Center than they had been when they walked in.

Ray Joe Riley of Dimmitt spelled out the problem by reporting the "startling" findings of a new cost survey conducted by Texas A&M:

THE SURVEY shows that with a \$1.30 gas rate, based on normal pumping efficiency, the fuel cost for irrigating a crop of corn here would amount to

2,000% to 3,000% of the net income on that crop," Riley said.

The report concluded that the gas-cost situation in the Trans-Pecos area is "immediate and serious," and added, "However, the High Plains situation is rapidly approaching that same stage."

One of the meeting's stated purposes was to urge a special session of the Legislature to consider the gas-cost problem. But Sen. Sherman held out no hope that a special session would be called, or that it would do any good if it were.

"IT ISN'T just a matter of calling a special session," Sherman advised. "You have to be prepared for what you want to accomplish and how you want to follow through when the session starts. But you'd better be prepared for other developments, too—adverse ones which you may not want, or bad legislation. I'm hesitant about a special session because some of the worst legislation we've ever had has come out of special sessions."

He added that any legislation adopted in a special legislative session couldn't go into effect until mid-September at the earliest, and advised the frustrated gas users to marshal their forces, agree on their plan of action, and be ready when the next regular session of the Legislature convenes in January.

King, who helped organize the meeting, said gas users might get more help at the federal level than from the state government.

"I TALKED to Gov. Briscoe in Austin . . . and he was surprised to learn that we were operating up here under an unregulated monopoly," King reported. "Ray Joe and I are scheduled to testify at hearings in Washington in June. We're going to attack this thing, and the association is going to have to have your dues to do it."

The PIGUA is asking dues of \$5 per well to carry on its fight.

Demos choose state delegates

Three delegates supporting Jimmy Carter as the Democratic presidential candidate, and one uncommitted delegate to the Texas Democratic Convention were elected at the Castro County party convention Saturday.

CARL KING, county Demo chairman, was named as an uncommitted delegate and was chosen chairman of the county delegation to the state meeting June 16 at Houston, where he will serve on the credentials committee.

B. M. Nelson, Reta Welch and Oscar Wylie are the delegates committed to Carter. Alternates from Castro County will be Viola Nelson, Frances King, James Welch, Charles Axtell, Doris Wylie and Diane Axtell. All the alternates are believed to be Carter supporters.

The county convention also approved two resolutions to be submitted to the state meeting, and defeated one.

A RESOLUTION urging the Legislature and the Texas Railroad Commission to take action to stop the pass-through clause on natural gas prices was approved. So was an anti-abortion, or "Right to Life," resolution.

A resolution proposing repeal of the Equal Rights Amendment was defeated.

Little Girl cagers from Hart advance

Hart's Little Girls Basketball All-Stars, playing in the state tournament at Slaton this week, will have both major and minor teams in action this evening (Thursday) in the Slaton High School gym.

THE MAJOR All-Stars will meet Sundown in the state quarterfinals at 7 p.m. If they win they will play in the semifinals Saturday.

In the Minor Division, Rhonda Aven's Hart girls lost their first game Monday night to Cooper by a 27-7 score but defeated Wilson 38-4 Tuesday in the losers' bracket, to get another chance in the tourney. Their game today will begin at 5:30 p.m.

The Hart Majors, coached by Newton Rowland, defeated Lockney 32-7 in their first game.

26 will graduate at NHS Wednesday

Nazareth High School will hold commencement exercises at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday in the school cafeteria, where diplomas will be awarded to 26 seniors.

REV. JOE Tash of Amarillo will give the commencement address and the honor grads of the Class of '76 will also speak. Vera Birkenfeld is valedictorian and Theresa Kern is salutatorian.

Supt. Joe King will present special awards before class members receive their diplomas from Ed Ramaekers, president of the Nazareth School Board. Processional and recessional music will be by Shirley Peggram.

Serving as ushers for the program will be Rosemary Schulte, Cyrella Brockman, Gail Kleman, Clyde Birkenfeld, Derwin Huseman and Danny Gerber.

Monsoon season

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

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Friday	64	37	
Saturday	61	30	
Sunday	66	32	.02
Monday	76	44	
Tuesday	82	47	
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1976 Moisture			1.72

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CLASS members in addition to the honor students are Donna Acker, Norman Acker, Floyd Birkenfeld, Robert Birkenfeld, Paul Brockman, Glenn Dobmeier, Wayne Ehly, Joel Gerber, Jane Guggemos, Belinda Heck, Beverly Heck, Deanna Heiman.

Also Carol Hochstein, Mark Hoelting, Darrell Huseman, Shirley Maurer, Wanda Schacher, Kenneth Schilling, Elaine Schulte, Bruce Schulte, Stanley Warren, Angela Wilhelm, Christine Wilhelm and Henry Wilhelm.

Watson to speak at sports banquet

Most Valuable Player awards in every sport will be presented to highlight the annual Dimmitt High School Athletic Banquet at 8 p.m. Friday in the Dimmitt High School cafeteria.

WINNERS of the Most Valuable Player awards are selected by team members in each sport. Letter winners in all sports will be recognized by coaches at the banquet.

The speaker will be Johnny Ray Watson, former basketball player at McMurry College and one-time all-stater at Lorenzo High School, who now is a full-time evangelist and singer.

Banquet tickets are priced at \$3 each and will be available at the door.



EDWIN 'GOOSE' RAMEY accepts the US Weather Service's prestigious Edward H. Stoll Award from Meteorologist Bill Crouch of Lubbock, in a ceremony in Ramey's home last Wednesday. Ramey, the dean of weather statisticians in this area, has recorded Dimmitt's day-to-day temperatures and rainfall totals "officially since 1923 and unofficially since 1911."

Ramey receives top USWS award

Edwin "Goose" Ramey, who has recorded every rainfall and snowfall here since 1911, received the highest award available to volunteer weather observers last Wednesday.

IN A ceremony in Ramey's home, US Weather Service officials presented him with the Edward H. Stoll Award, named for a Nebraska volunteer observer who holds the national record for length of service.

The Stoll Award was created just this year for volunteer weather observers who have completed at least half a century of service. Only five to 10 individuals in the US reach that

milestone each year. Previously, the highest award for a cooperative weather observer was the John Campanius Holm Award, which Ramey received in September 1969.

Presenting the new award to Ramey were Meteorologist Bill Crouch and Substation Network Specialist Vernon Hudson, both from the US Weather Service station in Lubbock. Also on hand were many of Ramey's friends and neighbors, who were served cookies, punch and coffee by his niece, Mrs. Donald Wright, after the presentation.

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Shelly's chatter

Ethingtons tour Europe after Manchester speech

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Don and Ann Ethington and daughter Elaine are home from a five-week trip to Europe. Don was invited to talk and show films of the pollution abatement system used at Goodpasture, Inc. This control is for the nitric acid plants. This program was at Salford University in Manchester, England. After the three days there, they toured the British Isles, on to France, gay Paree, on to Venice where they had rides in the gondolas. Altogether they were in 15 countries. Had fun in Egypt where they saw the Pyramids, rode the camels, everything they could do. Went to Jordan where the special pilot for King Hussein took them places. He was a young American man from Oregon. They got within 20 miles of Judea or Israel, couldn't go on because of their wrong passports. Ann reports all the countries very pretty at this time of year. They are glad to be home.

brate grandmother Clara's birthday.
LITTLE month-old Jennifer Royal of Lubbock was christened and dedicated to Jesus Sunday at the morning service at the Methodist Church. Her parents are Susan and Gary. The grands are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Royal and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benson. Other guests of the Benseons were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Botts and Valery and Scott and Gladys, kin Mr. and Mrs. Deward Robinson, all of Hereford.

Well, well! Some birthday girls celebrated with one big dinner one day this week. Myrtle Lois Moran, Mary King of Lubbock and Juanita Blaine of Plainview were taken out by Raymond King, Russel Moran and Vera Webb. They all went on to hear the very good symphony orchestra at the auditorium. Vera says the music was the older type, celebrating the Bicentennial, the kind she likes best. The birthdays were in April, but just now getting to it.

Nancy Cranford of Pensacola, Fla. flew in for a visit with her dad Jim Ramsey, who has been in the hospital for some time. He is doing fine now with a new heart pacemaker. Of course Nancy will visit her mother Ruby and sister Brenda Andrews and Oleda Hance and the rest of the kin.

JOHN H. Coke of Detroit, Mich., and Hartwell of Clarksville, Tenn. were here last week for a visit with cousins Mrs. Ruby Coke and Gwen Buckley and Katy and Donald Wright. The family all got together at Jimmy and Gwen Buckley's house for a meal and visit.

Doyle and Betty Hoover made the Sunday dinner for her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Elms and kin Billy and Rita Elms of Amherst. You know Betty is secretary at the Methodist Church, but is a Presbyterian. She is quite a good pianist and helps out with the 76'ers. Doyle and Betty have a new house on West Estes Street, the red one just off the Clovis Highway.

Mrs. Swain Burkett and Mrs. Sam Gilbreath will be hostesses at the Spring Garden Club Luncheon at the Hereford Country Club May 19. Do call Mrs. Bill Behrends soon if you have guests and how many. See you there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Willard of Kress were guests of son Dee Willard and Mrs. Willard Sunday for Mothers' Day.

DID YOU year that Carl King fell or something from a horse. Now he has three broken ribs and had a stay in the hospital. His mother Mrs. L. King of Lubbock has been visiting with him and Frances.

Our son Rex has been in the hospital for a checkup. He is okay, just worked too hard in his garden and on my house repairs.
V. C. and Dorothy Hopson were hosts at a party Friday evening for a few games of bridge. She served the best strawberry pie, dips and coffee to Bill and Cheryl Glidewell, Durward and Betty Patterson, Cindy Daniels and Myrtle Shelly. And the boys were the good players. V. C. and Durward got

the big scores.
Friday bridge met as usual at the country club. Cletha George served the cake and pickup foods with Glenn's sandwiches for lunch. Playing were Jan Quenze, Dorothy Elder, Billy Cluck, Bobbie Danner, Myrtle, Jeanie Miller (the high score winner), Retta Cluck. Most of the regular players were out of town — several to Missouri to the band deal.

JO GREGORY, Lois Scott, Retta and Billie Cluck spent a day in Amarillo just for fun and a meal out. Of course these ladies do their shopping in the home town of Dimmitt.

Oneta Gray and son Timmy and daughter Rondee Gray of Brownwood were Mothers' Day guests of mom Jetti and Ray Shelly Jr.

Walter Maynard and little son Wyyette flew to Dallas a while back where they met husband and dad Wade. They had a vacation time in the big city, saw some shows, found good restaurants to eat in. They visited Wade's sister Sharon Swearingen. All made the art and crafts shop at Will Rogers Center. Walter is assistant to the manager at South Hills Manor.

David and Maxine Slaughter and children Sandra, Joy, Sherri and John had a good vacation trip a while back to a lake. They fished a little and visited much. David is a deputy sheriff and Maxine is a nurse's aide at South Hills Manor Nursing Home.

VAN HOPSON and Lee

Stokes spent the weekend in San Angelo visiting friends Roger Underwood and Robert Horton who are in school at San Angelo State College. Van and Lee are students at WTSU at Canyon. I heard mama Dorothy say she hopes he is studying while at WT, maybe he is.

Myrtle Behrends went to Lubbock to stay a few days with her sister Vera Duree who got her foot tangled in a phone cord and fell and broke a leg.

Helen Richardson and guests Elmer and Helen Berryhill spent the weekend in Ruidoso at Helen's place. Elmer says they just loafed around and ate food. You do get hungry in those hills.

Sandy and Margie Parsons had all the family home for dinner Sunday, Mothers' Day. These names I got. Deanne McGowan, Donna, Sherri, who lives in Buffalo, Okla. and Sandy's boys Paul and Sandy K. Parsons.

Mrs. Truett Boothe attended a birthday party Thursday in Friona honoring Mrs. Weatherly. This was in the home of Mrs. Pete Busky. A good time visiting old friends and Sunday Johnny and Truett had dinner and attended church at Friona with their daughter Andrea and George Fry. That was at the Baptist Church.

SENATOR Kent and Carol Hance and children Ron and Susan of Lubbock were Mothers' Day guests of Beral Hance. That was for dinner and church at the Baptist Church. In the afternoon the Hances went to Hereford to see mother Nancy Hays.

Beral was telling us about their special Mothers' Day program at the Baptist Church. All the young parents and their babies were introduced by the pastor John Street and there were three sets of twins with parents, the young Edwards, the Willards and Tommy and Chris Maples.

And at the Methodist Church Myrtle Shelly received a rose for the most children, all seven of 'em. Vera Webb, mother of Allan, and Susan Royal received roses for the oldest and youngest children. That was nice too.

MONDAY the five Home Demonstration Clubs had their special luncheon at the Expo building. Irene Keating is the teaching agent. Special guests were Mrs. Katherine Crawford, district agent, and Jane Cline from College Station. Other specials were Mayor and Mrs. Elmer Youts and all the commissioners and their ladies. The 76'ers singers under the direction of Jim Massey presented the dinner music. The woman of the year for their clubs is Donna Allen, a member of Town and Country Club. She works at Consumers, has one son and her husband John Allen is with Goodpasture, Inc. Door prizes were given. Sharon Wilke and little son of Lubbock were Sunday guests of her parents Roy and Mozelle Lilley. Sharon is with one of the banks there.

Mrs. Alva Tisdale lives across the street from me, and I saw by the cars that her children came home for Moms' Day.

Bob and Paula Bradford are home from the University at Commerce to visit his folks James and Mildred and Kent and Mary Jo Birdwell. Bob is working on his Doctor's in psychology. The Bradfords had ice cream Sunday afternoon with Jack and Susie Bradford.

Bess Jones is very ill with blood clots in the lung. She is at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, as is Maurine Henderson who had to go back for more treatment for the recent surgery she had.

HAROLD AND Shirley Stephens went to Amarillo to take his mother Mrs. Ozro Stephens out to dinner. The cafes were so crowded it was a problem getting fed.

EDWIN RAMEY was given a special pin by Bill Croach and Vernon Hudson last Tuesday afternoon for being the Castro County weatherman for more than 50 years. Bill is meteorologist in charge of the weather forecast station in Lubbock and Vernon is sub-station network specialist, or national weather forecaster at the station in

Lubbock. Mr. Ramey was official weather recorder here in 1911, official since 1923. He told of the bad, bad freezing weather in 1918 when so many cattle died. Vernon says that

Mr. Ramey is the best of all out of 900 reporters, and at his house Donald Wright, a nephew, and Katy served coffee and cookies to many friends, the

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Thanks

I would like to thank the voters of Castro County who supported me in my bid for Sheriff. I will do my best in serving as your deputy until the 1st of January.

Tom Finley

DR. JAMES E. WOHLGEMUTH

OPTOMETRIST

300 West Bedford

Ph. 647-4464 Dimmitt, Tex.

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

IGLESIA BAUTISTA
JOE BAILES MEMORIAL
300 N.E. 7th
Pastor Van Earl Hughes
Secretaria Sara Salinas
Tesorero Gabriel Montiel
Estudios Biblico..... 10:00 a.m.
El Sermon..... 11:00 a.m.
BIENVENIDOS A TODOS!

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.


FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Marvin Roark, Pastor
Jim Massey, Music & Education
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... 9:30 a.m.
WCS..... 9:30 a.m.
Choir..... 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
William E. Summers, 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.

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

WORSHIP BEGINS IN THE HOME

Our home is more than just a pretty structure, of course it does provide comfort, but beyond that, it is a place where joy abounds... it is a place where love is abundant, it is a place of cooperation, and it is a place where the Lord is worshiped. From the home, our relationship with God is carried over into the church. It is there that my family is able to share worshipping the Lord with others. Ours would not be a full life, if we did not participate in worship at home and church. Attend church this week and join us in worshipping the Lord.



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

CHURCH OF CHRIST
S.W. 4th at Bedford
Viggo Ulrich, 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 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.

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

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Bobby Gordon, 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.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
600 Western Drive
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... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Study..... 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
5th and Halsell
Jim Hedrick, Pastor
Sunday—
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.
NYPS..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m.

LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO
East Halsell St.
Pastor, Gustavo Ornelas
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SAYS WHO?—Carl King [left], director of the Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association, left his hospital bed for an hour last Thursday night to attend the PIGUA area-wide meeting at the County Expo Center. When he arrived he found this decorated cake waiting for him—a gift from Les Watson of Springlake [right]. King was hospitalized with three broken ribs as the result of being thrown from a horse—an accident which he claimed wasn't his fault. The cake, which was inscribed, "Carl King, Cowboy," was made by Watson's daughter.

More about SHEFFY'S



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GINNS, the Gabels, the Ira Browns, Edith Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Draper of Hereford, Louie Allen and Jerry Marvin Hanners, Don Nelson, Don Gregory, Deputy Sheriff David Slaughter and Myrtle Sheffy. Don and Jerry will tell you all the details and stories of Dimmitt's Ramey twins.

Lena Allen has been in Holmsdell for a few weeks to help care for the new granddaughter Alysia, daughter of Tommie and Bob Almond. They have another daughter, 3½ year old Andrea. Louie says two of the prettiest east of the Mississippi River.

THE YWCA members of Amarillo were hostesses Tuesday at their annual luncheon and style show at their building on Jackson St. near the park.

Very good food and a well presented show from one of the better department stores there. All the daytime dresses were well below the knees. The suits featured the short bolero jackets, several print silk afternoon dresses were shown. The evening dresses were pretty, especially the terra cotta chiffon with big flowing sleeves. 600 ladies were there and we enjoyed the organ music presented by our Lilly Marie Howard. Going from here were Opal Bearden, Myrna Cowsett and Myrtle Sheffy and Opal's daughter Kay who lives in Amarillo. Opal stayed over there for a visit. We chatted with Effie Mae Mills who sends greetings to Jim and Elizabeth Golding and Frances Cooke who was a former neighbor of Sal and Mary Alice DiCuffa. This was at the ranch in New Mexico.

Wednesday my sisters came over for dinner and they shop Dimmitt stores. They are Bower and her husband Bill Sikes, Mary or Mrs. Roland Moore of Vigo, east of Tulia and Ethel Gillham of Claude. And Janie Sheffy came by for

dinner. "Much talk, too."

SUNDAY dinner guests of E. B. and Evelyn Noble and Jan were Evelyn's mother, Lily Kunitka, E. B.'s father, Ester Noble, Dave Noble of Lubbock and his friend, Ralf Backhaus of Frankfort, Germany. Dave and Ralf met when Dave was stationed in Frankfort while in the service, and arrived Saturday in Lubbock for a two-week visit with Dave.

Ralf was amazed at the size of homes and lots here, and said the typical Dimmitt home would cost over \$100,000 in Germany. Ralf, who is with Scandanavian Air Service, said he's telling everyone in Europe that the US is the most economical country to visit for vacation now.

DAN KNOX, process engineer at the Amstar Plant, found himself walking down the same hallway as President Ford at a Dallas motel recently. Dan was there for a meeting and the President was there for a campaign speech. President Ford got to shake Dan's hand.

Mrs. O. K. Howe was a guest of her children Jerry and Buddy Byrnes and her grandson Alan Howe at the big family picnic in Clovis Park Sunday. This is an annual affair of the E. C. Hudsons of Earth, her sister Mattie Jo and family from Olton, the Warren Jones from near Earth and Jackie and Stanley Byrnes and baby from here. Poppy and James Head and boys of Hereford and Jerry gave Mrs. Howe a special gift, a cookbook for people "that can't stand to cook" by Lorraine Gifford. This book tells which utensils will be needed so you can work without needless walking.

On the go

Mrs. Bob Mooney visited her daughter Janice and Gerald Davis and family in Amarillo last week. She also visited daughter Jane Ann. One day they all went to visit sister and daughter Judy Moore and family. Judy has a new baby boy. Jane Ann spent Mothers Day in Dimmitt with her mother.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION TO: DOLPHUS SMITH KELLEY, RESPONDENT, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 64th District Court of Castro County at the Court-house thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 28th day of June A.D. 1976, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 7th day of June A.D. 1974, in this cause, numbered 3960 on the docket of said court and styled in THE INTEREST OF DAVID MICHAEL KELLEY, A CHILD.

returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Dimmitt, Texas, this 10th day of May A.D. 1976.

ATTEST: ZONELL MAPLES Clerk, 64th District Court Castro County, Texas
By JOY JONES, Deputy (SEAL) 15-32-4tc

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LEGAL NOTICE
GEORGE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, a partnership doing business in Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, hereby gives notice in accordance with Article 1302-2.02, V.A.T.S., of its intention to incorporate under the name of GEORGE & GEORGE BUILDERS, INC., and to continue operation of such business under the corporate name. 15-30-4tc

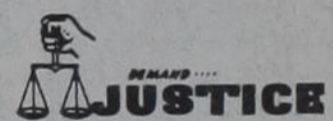
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Residents busy in politics, gas fight, anti-hail plan

By TEENY BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Axtell, Ray Joe Riley and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Castro County Democratic Convention in Dimmitt Saturday afternoon. Mr. Axtell was one of the four alternate delegates selected to attend the State Convention in June.

RAY JOE RILEY gave a report on farm costs according to a study prepared by Texas A&M University at the Gas Users Association meeting in Dimmitt Thursday night. Others attending were Larry Sadler, Jackie Clark and John Gilbreath.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, their son, Wade Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parson, Mrs. Lillian Carson and Embree Roy Sadler attended the Zig Ziegler conference in Dimmitt Saturday.

Gerald Graham, Gale Sadler and L. B. Bowden attended the hail suppression meeting in Earth Monday night. The permit was not granted by the State Water Board until late Friday, but the program went into effect immediately.

MRS. RAYMOND JONES attended an all-day preparation meeting for Bible leaders at Plains Baptist Assembly near Floydada Tuesday. She will teach the Bible study to the girls at Acteen camp.

Mrs. Hershel Wilson was dismissed from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Friday night.

Gerald Graham was in Amarillo Monday for his medical check-up. He was dismissed, but encouraged to keep up his exercises.

L. B. Bowden was in Amarillo Tuesday and Wednesday for tests and kidney X-rays. He got a good report on the tests.

Jerri Kay Clark won first place in pole bending and third place in barrel racing for the Castro County 4-H Club at the Deaf Smith County Junior 4-H Horse Club Show in Hereford last Saturday.

Joe Fuller, a tenor with the Springlake-Earth High School Madrigal Group, won a III rating with his solo at the Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo last Wednesday through this Tuesday. The group won a I Division rating.

COBY Gilbreath received a corn special award and Lyle Shive a special agribusiness award in the Dimmitt FFA Awards Banquet last Friday

night. Coby also received a crop production award.

Carnation corsages were presented to the youngest and oldest mothers present in the Sunday morning worship services. Mrs. Lonnie Wilson received the red corsage for the youngest mother present and Mrs. Beulah Newton of Earth received the white corsage as the oldest mother present. She and her daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. Garner Ball of Hart, were visitors in the morning services.

Gene, Tammy and Rhonda Ross were baptized after the regular services Sunday morning.

Baptist Men had their monthly breakfast at the church Tuesday morning.

MR. AND MRS. Tiny Walling and Shane of Bovina spent the day Sunday with her par-

ents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks visited last weekend at White River City with their son Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wayne Holbrooks and family.

Mrs. Lillie McGill of Olton, mother of Tom McGill, passed away in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview Sunday night. She had been very ill for about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Chris and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson and Natalie of Olton spent Mothers Day with her

parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pierce of Littlefield and attended the church services there with them.

MR. AND MRS. Eddie Haydon, Kelly, Kim and Jeanne spent the weekend in Weatherford with his mother Mrs. Raymond Haydon.

Jeannie Haydon and Lupe Saucedas won first place in doubles for the Springlake-Earth seventh grade in the tennis match at Kress Monday. Kevin Riley won second place in singles for the eighth grade.

Mrs. Sadie Lawrence of Dallas and Mrs. Johnny Lawrence of Yuma, Ariz. visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey a few days. They also visited in Amarillo with Mrs. Jewell Barnard. Mrs. Sadie Lawrence is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Ivey and Mrs. Barnard. Mrs. Johnny Lawrence is Sadie's daughter-in-law.

Mrs. Floyd Ivey visited in Dimmitt Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Inez Johnson. She also visited in Plains Memorial Hospital with Mrs. Melvin Summers.

CARL BRADLEY, Charles Axtell, Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and Mrs. Gale Sadler participated with the 76'er choir in Dimmitt Monday night.

Mrs. Charlie Hall Jones was hostess for a bridal shower honoring Karen Smith of Springlake, bride-elect of Eddie Alair, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tinsley of Canyon and Mrs. Carmen Pigg and children of Dimmitt visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and Lyle.

May 18th at 9 a.m. a group will meet at the church to help make puppets for VBS. Bring your portable sewing machine, scrap material, buttons or whatever you have that might be used and help out with the project. If you have none of these things bring your scissors and willing hands.

Community meeting will be Monday night at 8 p.m. Be sure to come since it is an important meeting. Plans for the Bicentennial observances will be discussed. Bring cookies.

Schulte, Huseman win Swift Awards

Seniors Elaine Schulte and Darrell Huseman won the coveted Swift Awards at Nazareth High School's 1975-76 All-Sports Banquet Monday night. THE SWIFT Awards, presented annually to one boy and one girl, are based on character, leadership, scholarship and participation in at least two sports.

Miss Schulte has been an all-stater in basketball two years, and this year led the Swifts to the state tournament. And Saturday, she set a new state record in the girls' high jump.

Huseman was captain of the Swift football team this year, was a basketball starter, and coached a Little Dribblers basketball team.

TOP award winners in individual sports were:

Football—Joel Gerber, all-district, all-South Plains linebacker; presented by Coach Les Cowan.

Junior varsity girls' basketball—Lenora Huseman and Germaine Pohlmeier, co-captains; presented by Coach Beverly McDaniel.

Girls' basketball—All six starters on the regional championship team, each of whom earned individual honors: Elaine Schulte, all-district, all-South Plains, all-state tournament, consensus all-state; Vera Birkenfeld, all-district, all-South Plains, all-state tournament; Cindy Schacher, all-district; Cheryl Hartman, all-district; Rosie Schulte, all-district; Rachelle Pohlmeier, honorable mention all-district; presented by Coach Cathy Wilson.

Boys' basketball—Royce Huseman, unanimous all-district; Derwin Huseman, honorable mention all-district; presented by Coach Bud Birks.

Girls' track—Elaine Schulte, state champion in high jump; Judy Steffens, fifth in state in discus; Cindy Schacher, eighth in state in triple jump; and regional qualifiers Cheryl Hartman, Beverly Heck, Colleen Gerber, Carol Hochstein, Shirley Maurer, Germaine Pohlmeier and Karen Schulte; presented by Coach Cathy Wilson.

BOYS' track—Clyde Birken-

feld, regional qualifier in mile run; presented by Coach Les Cowan.

Girls' tennis—Rosie Schulte and Rachelle Pohlmeier, district champions in doubles; Glenda Gerber, district champion in singles; presented by Coach Jackie Bridges.

Boys' tennis—Danny Gerber, state qualifier in singles, and Larry Ramaekers, fourth in region in singles; presented by Coach Bud Birks.

Scholastic Awards—Vera Birkenfeld and Tony Brockman; presented by Supt. Joe King.

SPEAKER at the banquet was School Supt. Pete Wilson of Petersburg, father of Coach Cathy Wilson. He commended NHS's athletes for "a banner year in athletics" and for being "good students first, and good athletes with discipline and sterling character."

Wilson also commented, "I'm impressed with so many things you have here at Nazareth. I'm impressed with your community—with your cohesion, your spirit, your friendliness."

Wilson, who won two state championships as a coach, reminded the Swifts that athletic competition "is uncomfortable and inconvenient. It's mighty uncomfortable to be at the top, and it's mighty inconvenient to work hard enough to be a winner."

"ATHLETICS are honest," he said. "There's no place for a phony or a fake. The coach and teammates find out who can and who can't, who will and who won't."

Master of ceremonies was Jerry Marvin of KDHN Radio, Dimmitt.

Supt. King praised the school's younger players in helping NHS have a banner year in athletics—especially girls' basketball and tennis.

"I feel that as long as we have good young kids who are pushing our starters, it makes for a better team and gives depth to the team," he said. "I think this is one of the main reasons our girls went to state."

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By Bob Hill
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There is a generation that has never known a major recession, never known what it is to be laid off with no chance of being rehired or even getting a job in another city or industry, never known the hopeless feeling or worried concern over where the next grocery check is coming from.

That generation grew up in the 1950's and 60's. It was a generation known for rebelliousness, restiveness, and sharply different values than their parents.

These workers were reared in a time of rising prosperity and their attitudes were developed in the dramatic social change years of the 60's. Workers who grew up in the depression years were willing to accept the job conditions, the authority of the foreman and the boring routine of the assembly-line, in exchange for a steady paycheck.

The younger workers have challenged the authority of the bosses, demanded new freedoms at work and thoroughly confused management and older fellow workers.

BUT THE 1974-75 recession has hit the younger workers the hardest as a group. They lacked seniority and were laid off. They lacked job training and were bumped out of work by the more skilled.

They showed a streak of unwelcome independence and were pushed out into the ranks of the unemployed to compete with each new year's crop of high school graduates where an unemployment rate of 20 percent is routine. All of this has caused some change in attitudes.

It doesn't mean that they suddenly come to attention and say "Yes, sir" and "No, sir" and salute, but if they don't like the job, chances are they will stay and try to change it rather than head for new horizons.

What are the young workers seeking today? More satisfying jobs, greater participation in decisions affecting their lives (the Army found this true in Vietnam) and a greater independence in their lives. Putting it another way, less authority.

Is the change in attitude permanent? Yes, it is. There may be a softening in attitudes when jobs are hard to find, but the great shift in social values which involved civil rights and the political upheavals of the 60's, the anti-war protests, the environment and women's liberation, won't change.

SSA representative will be here Monday

Service to area residents who have business with the Social Security Administration will be available Monday at the Castro County Courthouse, where an SSA representative will be working after 9 a.m.

A REPRESENTATIVE from the SSA office at Plainview comes to Dimmitt regularly on the first, third and fourth Mondays each month. Visits or telephone calls to the Plainview office are other means of obtaining SSA service.

GENIUS begins great works; labor alone finishes them. —Joubert.



MIKE BURKHOLDER, prominent Pecos farmer, tells of the 514% increase in irrigation-gas costs in Reeves County since last year, during an area-wide meeting sponsored by the Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association at the Castro County Expo Center last Thursday night. Seated, from left, are Jay Boston of Hereford, Ray Joe Riley of Dimmitt and State Sen. Max Sherman of Amarillo, who were also on the program. The FIGUA called for a special session of the legislature to consider abolishment of the pass-through clause and regulation of irrigation-gas rates. But Sherman said he was "hesitant" about holding a special session "because some of the worst legislation we've ever had has come out of special sessions."

Pecos farmer says Gas prices killing Reeves County farms

A prominent Pecos farmer told members of the Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association here last Thursday night that a 514% increase in irrigation-gas costs is forcing farmers in his area out of business.

"ONLY TEN of the 800 cotton allotments in Reeves County will be planted this year," Mike Burkholder of Pecos told the area-wide meeting of irrigation gas users. "Our farmers are pulling their wells and selling their machinery. The concrete ditches are blowing full of sand. A few are trying sprinkler systems and conservation efforts, but I'm not optimistic about these efforts."

"We in Reeves County are sitting on top of one of the largest gas fields in the world," Burkholder continued, "but I'm paying \$1.85 for my irrigation gas while some of my friends in Arizona are getting their gas for 65 cents out of the same lines that come out of my field."

Burkholder, who is president of the Trans-Pecos Cotton Association and a member of the National Cotton Advisory Board, has helped lead the fight against higher irrigation-gas costs in his region.

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Display hours will be from 5 to 10 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 9 p.m. Sunday.

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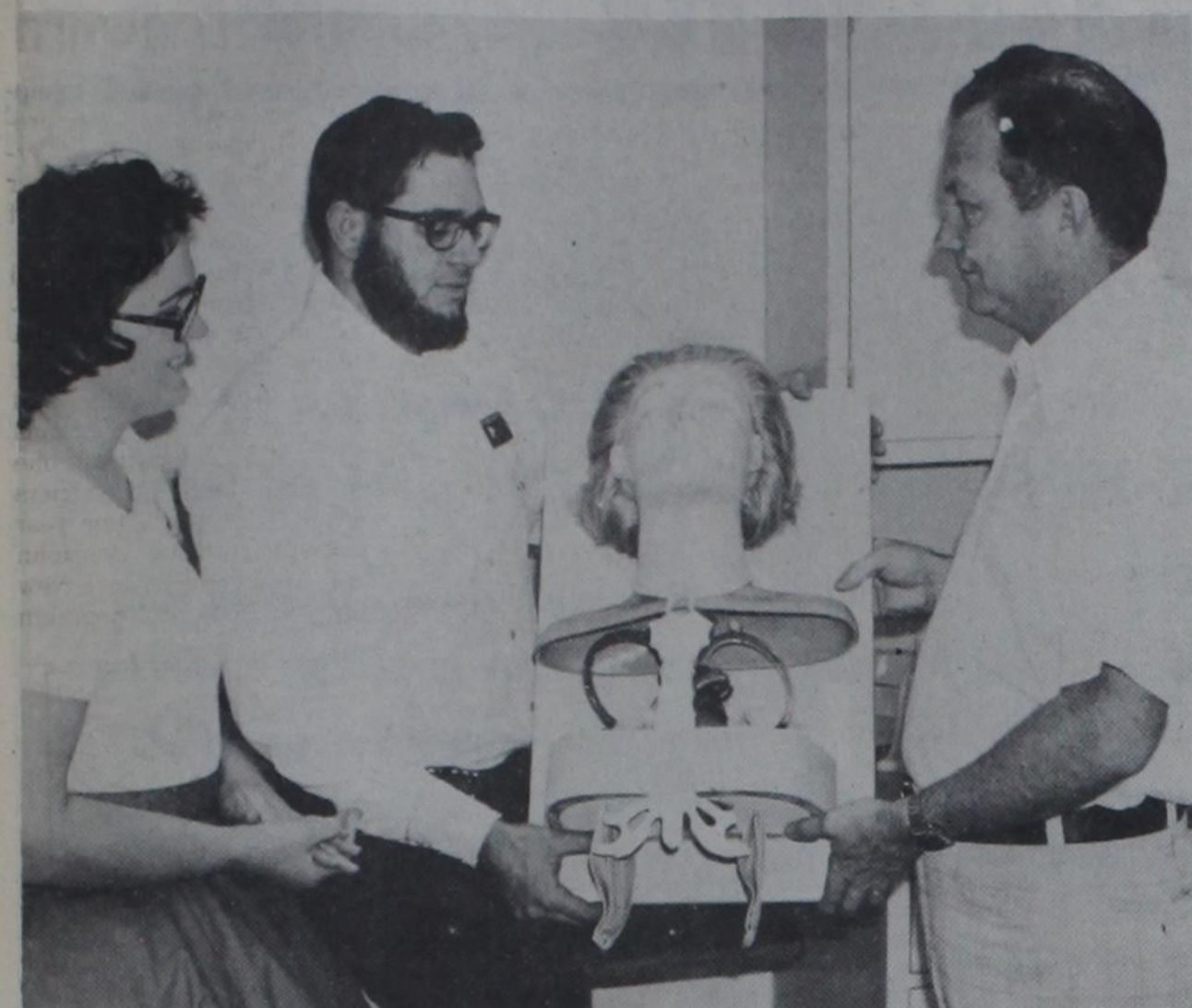
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Heart Association elects officers



MAY WE INTRODUCE—Larry and Cathy Cole of the Dimmitt Promenaders square dance club present "Resuci-Ann," a heart-and-lung training model, to Dr. B. H. Lee, new president of the Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association, at the local chapter's meeting last week. "Resuci-Ann"

was scientifically designed to simulate heart and lung functions for training nurses and first-aid volunteers in lifesaving techniques. The training model was purchased with money which the Dimmitt Promenaders earned in this year's "Square 'Em Up for the Heart Fund" benefit dance.

Citations for service given the past year were presented at the meeting of the Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association last Thursday, when officers for the coming year were introduced.

DR. BILL LEE will be the new president, Randall Craig vice-president, Jerrold Welborn program chairman, Betty Huckabay secretary-treasurer, Beral Hance public information chairman, Mrs. J. R. Matthews campaign chairman and Delores Ivey memorials chairman.

Board members are Susie Bradford, Barbara Keel, Carol Lantz, Mitzi Brockman, Allan Bradley and the retiring president, Dr. Bill Murphy, who was presented a certificate of appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cole were recognized for their service as chairmen of the second annual Heart Fund Square Dance which raised \$720 for the organization.

CERTIFICATES were also given to Mrs. Matthews and Sue Summers, who were in charge of Heart Sunday; Don Nelson of the Castro County News and Jerry Marvin of Radio Station KDHN, for publicity given the Heart Association.

Delegates were appointed to attend a regional meeting in Lubbock next Wednesday at the Big Texan Restaurant.

Joyce White of Lubbock, Region 2 director, was present at the meeting. Craig presided and announced the next board meeting for June 10.

More about

Gas prices killing ...

[Continued from Page 6]

through. "We're now on a nine-month contract, month-to-month, and we have to put up the amount we pay in our peak month as a deposit. And the gas company can revoke the contract on 10 days' notice."

Burkholder said a few farmers in the Pecos area switched to electric wells, which could be operated for two cents per kilowatt-hour, "which amounted to \$1 gas."

"**BUT THEN** they got hit with a fuel-adjustment clause and found themselves paying three to four cents per kilowatt-hour," he said. "Some of them are paying \$5,000 to \$6,000 per month now to irrigate with electric motors."

Most people looking at these fuel costs would assume that a gas shortage exists in Texas, Burkholder said, "but there's no shortage of natural gas in Texas—in fact, there's an abundance."

The solution to the farmer's fuel-cost dilemma, Burkholder said, must come through higher commodity prices and lower gas prices. But he was pessimistic about both of these eventualities.

HE SAID the gas-cost spiral dates back to a landmark decision by the Texas Railroad Commission, which allowed the financially troubled Lavaca Gas Co. to pay higher well-head prices for its gas and "pass through" the cost to its customers in Austin, San Antonio and other cities in that area. The "pass through" provision, he said, eliminates competitive

bidding and economical gas production, and gives gas companies "a license to steal."

"Our problem is the age-old one of agriculture—we're not able to pass through our cost increases," Burkholder said. "I wish we could. We've got to have higher beef prices, higher commodity prices and lower gas prices. . . . We've got to have equity in gas rates. We're paying three times as much for our own state's gas as farmers in the North are paying."

But because of the "pass through" provision and the fact that gas suppliers are answerable to no state regulatory agency on the prices they can charge for irrigation gas, Burkholder said he doesn't see any relief in sight for the farmer—even through the Legislature.

HOMEOWNERS in urban areas downstate are on the verge of revolt because of the higher residential gas rates brought on by the "pass through" provision, Burkholder said, and the Legislature is likely to sacrifice farmers in order to placate these urban residents.

"I can already see it coming," Burkholder said. "The consumers are going to scream their heads off at us. There's going to be an uprising over residential rates. And since agriculture uses so much gas, the oil and gas lobbies will resist any regulation of intrastate gas right down to the wire, then will tell the Legislature, 'We'll agree to sell widows and old folks gas at below cost if you'll just leave agricultural gas alone, because those rich farmers can afford it.'"

"And the farms are going to dry up."

● **On the go**

Mrs. James Wohlgenuth attended funeral services for her grandmother in Fritch last week.

JUSTICE consists in doing no injury to men; decency in giving them no offense. —Cicero.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration in the Estate of Danny Gayle George, now deceased, was granted to Bobby Jean George, Administratrix. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby requested to present same to: Mrs. Bobby Jean George, c/o Hance, Thompson and Thomas, Attorneys at Law, P. O. Box 10113, Suite 200 Texas Commerce Bank Bldg., Lubbock, Texas 79408, within the time prescribed by law.

LIFE is a quarry, out of which we are to mold and chisel and complete a character. —Goethe.



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

MAY 19 — Danny and Brenda Bruton.

MAY 20 — Tommy and Linda Martin.



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MAY 13 — Tommie Sue Petty, Stanley Schaeffer, Milton Bagwell, Howard Schulte.

MAY 14 — Ann Mayhew, Sue Merritt, Paula Patterson, Kyle Bagwell, Larry Powell, LaDawn Schmucker, Melissa Kaye Brockman.

MAY 15 — Kelly Bagley, Mark Hoelting.

MAY 16 — Johnny Dalton.

MAY 17 — Brent Sanders, Loretta Book, Nicholas Book, Charles Heck.

MAY 18 — Tom Cameron, Albert Marvin Schoenberger.

MAY 19 — Jean Petty, David Read, Dusty Dobbs, Gary Bruegel, Erlene Fritz, Norma Schacher, Vicky Lange, Robert Schacher, Cory Hoelting.

MAY 20 — Pamela Patterson, Marge Cleavinger, Karen Schulte, Jim Hoelting, Tom Hoelting, Larry Bell.



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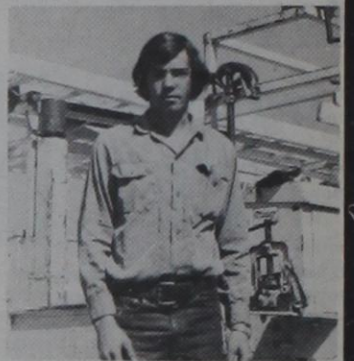
*The ball nears the plate; he swings and he misses.
There's a groan from the crowd, with some boos
and hisses.
A thoughtless voice cries, "Strike out the bum!"
Tears fill his eyes; the game's no longer fun.*

*Remember—he's just a little boy who stands all
alone,
So open your heart and give him a break,
For it's moments like this a man you can make.
Keep this in mind when you hear someone forget:
He's just a little boy, and not a man yet.*

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Welder



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Frank is 19, has lived in Dimmitt five years, and
graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1975. He
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Frank excelled in industrial arts in DHS. He
placed first at the state level in the Power
Mechanics written exam when he was a junior, and
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School. He quarterbacked the
football team and was on the
1968 basketball team that went
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After graduating from DHS
in 1970, he attended WTSU two
years. He joined Goodpasture,
Inc., in January 1975.

His main hobby is working
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has coached Minor League
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Country music show booked here Sunday

The "Family Funtime Country Music Show" will be staged in the Dimmitt High School auditorium Sunday afternoon, sponsored by the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.

The show will begin at 2:30 p.m., and if the performance is a sellout, a second

show will be presented. Tickets will be on sale at the door, priced at \$1.50 for children under 13 and \$3 for adults.

Tickets which will be given to children have been purchased by Dimmitt merchants and individuals.

Four from here to get degrees at AC Monday

Three students from Dimmitt and one from Nazareth will be among the graduates from Amarillo College in its commencement exercises Monday evening in the Amarillo Civic Center Auditorium.

KAREN SEELY, Charles Campbell and M. C. McClenney, all to receive associate in applied science degrees, are graduates of Dimmitt High School. Campbell is a spring honor graduate at AC.

Victor Kern, who graduated from high school at Nazareth, will be awarded an associate in applied science degree in electronics engineering technology. Kern is a summer graduate.

Miss Seely is also a summer graduate, in medical laboratory technology.

Campbell will receive his associate degree in air conditioning and McClenney in automotive mechanics.

Other stage and television entertainers in the show are Sam Baxter, Junior Blevins, Big Mama Barb, B. C. Bruce, Stompin' Ed and J. D. Robinson. There will be acts by a sharp-shooting cowboy, Indian dancers and others.

RICE producers in the US are faced with an uncertain market due to record domestic and world rice production last year. US rice stocks on Aug. 1 could be five times the level of last summer due to a 14 percent increase in production last year coupled with an almost 16 percent decrease in exports due to strong foreign competition.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: BEDFORD TOWN AND LAND COMPANY, and if defunct, the stockholders of said Bedford Town and Land Company, E. S. JONES, and if ever married, MRS. E. S. JONES; E. F. HALSELL, and if ever married, MRS. E. F. HALSELL; G. M. ETTER, and if ever married, MRS. G. M. ETTER; R. R. DULIN, and if ever married, MRS. R. R. DULIN; A. R. ANDREWS, and if ever married, MRS. A. R. ANDREWS; J. B. STINSON, and if ever married, MRS. J. B. STINSON; R. L. BELSHER, and if ever married, MRS. R. L. BELSHER; W. H. BEAN, and if ever married, MRS. W. H. BEAN; W. C. DIMMITT, and if ever married, MRS. W. C. DIMMITT; H. G. BEDFORD, and if ever married, MRS. H. G. BEDFORD; J. W. HINTON, and if ever married, MRS. J. W. HINTON; H. G. BEDFORD, Trustee, and R. R. DULIN, Trustee, and their respective successors as trustees of the Bedford Town and Land Company; CLEM IVY, and if ever married, MRS. CLEM IVY; C. J. IVY, and if married, MRS. C. J. IVY; C. H. IVY, and if ever married, MRS. C. H. IVY; P. W. BEAN, and if ever married, MRS. P. W. BEAN; VIRGINIA SHIRLEY and husband, T. E. SHIRLEY; PAULINE HAILE and husband, E. M. HAILE; HARRIETTE SHIRLEY ETZEL, and if ever married, her husband; KARL SHIRLEY and wife, RUBY SHIRLEY; THORNTON SHIRLEY, and if ever married, MRS. THORNTON SHIRLEY; KARL WILSON SHIRLEY, and if ever married, MRS. KARL WILSON SHIRLEY; LILLIAN CLINKINBEARD and husband, A. L. CLINKINBEARD, JR., and if ever married, MRS. A. L. CLINKINBEARD, JR.; DOROTHY CLINKINBEARD, and if ever married, her husband; MONCRIEF-LENOIR MANUFACTURING CO., and if a defunct corporation, the unknown stockholders of said corporation; BLAIR AND HUGHES COMPANY, and if a defunct corporation, the unknown stockholders of said corporation; FRANK L. ATEN, and if ever married, MRS. FRANK L. ATEN; I. E. PRITCHETT, and if ever married, MRS. I. E. PRITCHETT; G. B. BULLARD, and if ever married, MRS. G. B. BULLARD; OLIVER RAMSEY, and if ever married, MRS. OLIVER RAMSEY, and any or all persons owning or claiming any interest in the property hereinafter described, and if any or all of the above named parties are deceased, the heirs, unknown

and legal representatives of all and each of them, all of whom are defendants: Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Castro County, Texas, in the Courthouse thereof in Dimmitt, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 21st day of June, 1976, then and there to answer in writing Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on the 3rd day of May, 1976, in this cause numbered 4219 on the docket of said court and styled THE FIRST STATE BANK OF DIMMITT, DIMMITT, TEXAS, VS. BEDFORD TOWN AND LAND COMPANY, ET AL, a brief statement of the nature of said suit being as follows:

Suit in statutory form of trespass to try title, and for costs by The First State Bank of Dimmitt, Dimmitt, Texas, Plaintiff, against those persons who are first named in this Citation and to whom it is directed, as Defendants, and the unknown spouses and heirs and legal representatives of the said named persons and each of them, the names and residences of whom are alleged to be unknown to the plaintiff, the plaintiff suing for title and possession of the following described real estate lying and being situated in Castro County, Texas, to-wit:

Lots Number Eight (8), Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-two (22) and Twenty-three (23), all in Block Number One Hundred and One (101), in the Original Town of Dimmitt in Castro County, Texas, as shown by recorded map and plat thereof.

Plaintiff alleges that it is entitled to the title and the possession of said property, claiming under the five, the ten and the twenty-five year Statutes of Limitations, and Plaintiff further prays that the cloud cast on the title to the property above described by defendants be removed and said title vested in the plaintiff, all as is more fully shown by plaintiff's

petition on file in this suit. The Officer executing this process shall promptly serve the same according to law and make due return as the law directs, and if this process be not served within ninety days from the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved. ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Dimmitt, Texas, this 3rd day of May, 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
Clerk of the District Court,
Castro County, Texas
By Joy Jones, Deputy
(SEAL) 15-31-4tc

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LITTLE LEAGUE

MONDAY — Tigers vs. Cards, 6 p.m. at Pony League Park; Astros vs. Braves, 6 p.m. Yankees vs. Dodgers, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY — Braves vs. Dodgers, 6 p.m. at Pony League Park; Cards vs. Astros, 6 p.m.; Tigers vs. Yankees, 8 p.m.

MINOR LEAGUE
All Games Played in Little League Park

TUESDAY — Dodgers vs. Cards, 6 p.m.; Yankees vs. Astros, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY — Astros vs. Cards, 6 p.m.; Dodgers vs. Yankees, 8 p.m.

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15—LEGAL NOTICES
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: J. J. PORTER and, if married, the spouse of J. J. Porter, MRS. J. J. PORTER, and, if either or both be deceased, the heirs and legal representatives of such of them

as may be deceased, DEFENDANTS in the hereinafter styled and numbered cause; You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Castro County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse of said County in the City of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, at or

before 10:00 A.M. of Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 A.M. of Monday, the 28th day of June, 1976, and answer the petition of SWAIN BURKETT in Cause No. 4223, styled SWAIN BURKETT vs. J. J. PORTER, ET AL, in which SWAIN BURKETT is Plaintiff and the parties to whom this writ is directed are Defendants; and which petition was filed in said Court on the 10th day of May, 1976, and the nature of which said suit is as follows:

Traspas to try title for title and possession of the following described real estate situated in Castro County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lot Nine (9), in Block Ninety-six (96), of the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, according to the map or plat of said Original Town recorded in Vol. 3, page 240, Deed Records of Castro County, Texas.

Plaintiff also claims title by virtue of the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Original Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS, ZONELL MAPLES, Clerk of the District Court of Castro County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office in the City of Dimmitt, this the 10th day of May, A.D. 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
 Zonell Maples, District Clerk
 Castro County, Texas
 By ELSIE MOORE
 Deputy

ISSUED this 10th day of May, A.D. 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
 Zonell Maples, District Clerk
 Castro County, Texas
 By ELSIE MOORE
 Deputy
 (SEAL) 15-32-4tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: Isaac Ortegon, Respondent, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 64th District Court of Castro County at the Courthouse thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 7th day of June A.D. 1976, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 20th day of April A.D. 1976, in this cause, numbered 4213 on the docket of said court and styled In the Matter of the Marriage of Lydia Ortegon and Isaac Ortegon.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: a Petition to dissolve the marriage of Lydia Ortegon and Isaac Ortegon as is more fully show by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this

writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Dimmitt, Texas, this the 20th day of April A.D. 1976.

Attest: Zonell Maples, Clerk,
 64th District Court
 Castro County, Texas
 By Joy Jones, Deputy
 15-29-4tc
 (SEAL)

What's cooking at the schools

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt Schools for May 17-21.
MONDAY — Beef and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.
TUESDAY — Pinto beans with ham, spinach, beets, peanut butter cake, cornbread, milk.
WEDNESDAY — Barbecue

on bun, French fries, corn, gelatin with fruit, milk.
THURSDAY — Fried chicken, potato salad, asparagus, peanut butter cups, rolls, butter, milk.
FRIDAY — Macaroni and cheese, Vienna sausage, sweet potatoes, fruit salad, rolls, butter, milk.

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Plaintiff also claims title by virtue of the five, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Original Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS, ZONELL MAPLES, Clerk of the District Court of Castro County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office in the City of Dimmitt, this the 10th day of May, A.D. 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
 Zonell Maples, District Clerk
 Castro County, Texas
 By ELSIE MOORE
 Deputy

ISSUED this 10th day of May, A.D. 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
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GOODYEAR

View from the Library

By **CARLTON MOYERS**
 Librarian

Read any best-sellers lately? Until just recently the library hasn't kept an ample supply of fresh-from-the-oven, hot-off-the-press best sellers. Well, the famine of the past six months is over. We're currently stocking up and plan to add new books as they make the list.

ONE COPY of "The Final Days" is here. We're making a list of those who want to read it and will call them each time the book comes in. What's your pleasure?

"Ring a Bell '76" is the theme of our summer reading program, scheduled to begin on June 10. Complete details will be publicized before school is out. We would like to have a party or two for participants, films, and other goodies. Lots of fun for all with reading as the underlying purpose.

Does the theme "Great Issues in American Life" appeal to anyone as a focus for group discussion? How about Tuesday night openings? Or closing on Saturday and opening on Monday? Rumor has it we may get some help in the form of high school students under a Manpower Training Act.

EVER SEEN this one? Printing—a ditto device. Printing—a ditto device. Printing—a ditto device. All you copycats remember to have pictures made of your favorite pages on our machine. Great for announcements.

Read any good, used books lately? We have some for sale. Don't forget your copy of "Castro County History," soon to be a collector's item, sought after by all those who know value, and in need of a \$5 item. Also, "This Land We Hold" by Mrs. Bowden, a few copies available.

THIS IS Carlton at the book store saying thanks for listening. For your information—come to the library. That's Rhoads Memorial Library. And that's all today, folks. (Kinda harts mah fangers ta play all them thar letters on this heah machine) Bye now, y'all come, y'hear?

THREE-FOURTHS of all US households have clothes washers—either wringer or automatic. But only about half have dryers, reports Mrs. Janice Carberry, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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GATEWAY TO THE WEST—Travis Hampton studies the Mississippi River, the St. Louis skyline and the city's famous Golden Arch, billed as "The Gateway to the West," during the Bobcat Band's charter-boat ride on the famous river last Wednesday afternoon. Many of the Dimmitt students and parents took the ride on the arch the following day. (Photo by M. L. Simpson Jr.)

Middle School announces 7th, 8th honor students

Honor students in Dimmitt Middle School, with David Nelson as valedictorian and Norris Cole as salutatorian of the eighth grade class, were announced this week by Principal Emmett Broderson.

THE SON of Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson, the valedictorian has an average of 96.24, while the salutatorian's grade average is 95.6. Cole is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cole.

Debbie Dobbs, with a 94.28 average, is high for girls in the class.

Others in the eighth grade who are on the honor roll with

averages above 90 are Kevin Ginn, Katrina Bruegel, Jimmy Butler, Vicki Cleveland, Lori Dyer, Barry Glenn, Vickie Gordon, Keri Huffines, Jeffery Lindsey, Elsa Montes, Mary Roark, Robin Ryan and Claud Schilling.

HONOR students in the seventh grade this year are Tammy Ross, with a 94.08 grade average; Crystal Fitzgearld, 93.72; Beth West, 92.76; and Lee Schilling, 92.68.

Others with averages above 90 are Kyle Collins, Deanna Merritt, Terry Mixson, Brenda Parker, Todd Touchstone and

Shelly Watts.

Promotion exercises in the Middle School will be held at 1:30 p.m. May 27.

An awards assembly to honor seventh and eighth grade students who have done outstanding work in each subject is scheduled at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

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Nazareth

Bishop speaks at Baccalaureate

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

Baccalaureate services and mass were held Sunday morning at 8 o'clock in Holy Family Church for the seniors and eighth grade graduates. Bishop Lawrence DeFalco read the mass and gave a very inspiring sermon. After mass the graduates, teachers and parents all had breakfast at the school cafeteria. In the afternoon the seniors packed a lunch and went on an outing to McKenzie Lake.

MRS. REGINA Steffens and children, also Mr. and Mrs. Bud Steffens, went to Slaton to attend the wedding of Ruth Melcher.

A carload of friends and old acquaintances from Devine stopped by and spent the weekend with the Lon Brockmans while on a couple of weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence Schacher returned home over the weekend after spending several weeks visiting with the Virgil Davises in California and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Payne in Phoenix, Ariz.

Helen Burt spent several days in Plainview with her sister-in-law Mrs. Frank Stultz.

THE MEMBERS of the Stork family got together and met at the Leroy Pohlmeier home Sunday. 54 members of the family were present.

The Nazareth seniors left at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning on a trip to Colorado.

Susan and Nick Geouge and baby Sarah from North Carolina visited in the home of her parents the Eugene Hochsteins last week. Nick's brother Edward joined them and will return to North Carolina with them. Lorraine Abert of San Antonio drove up to visit with Susan while she was here.

Others visiting with them were Elaine Bush of Levelland, Rose Ann Wethington of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Wethington of Dumas and Juanita Barker of Pampa.

Geraldine Eckert of San Antonio visited in the Eugene Hochstein home and went to Nebraska with them for the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Herfkens.

THE PHIL Brockman family of Muleshoe spent Sunday in Nazareth with the Clarence Schultes and Agnes Brockman. Those enjoying dinner Sunday with the James Wilhelms were the Tom Brockman family of Friona, the Regina Steffens

family, the Charlie Barkers of Pampa and Agnes Brockman. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Birkenfeld left by bus Friday to visit relatives and friends in Farmington, N.M.

Kimberly Wilhelm, bride-elect of Raymond Huseman, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of her aunt Mrs. James Wilhelm Friday, May 7. Hostesses were Mrs. James Wilhelm, Mrs. Jerry Wilhelm, Mrs. Leola Ramaekers, Mrs. Michele Schmucker, Mrs. Evie Albracht and Misses Gaylene Wilhelm and Anna Huseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hillard of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hooper.

THE DENNIS Hoelting family of Denver came to spend Mothers' Day with his mother Mrs. Greg Hoelting and family. Classmates and girl friends of Kimberly Wilhelm honored her with a lingerie shower in the home of Mary Beth Ramaekers.

Mrs. Ronnie Hooper was honored with a pink and blue shower by a group of relatives and friends Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Florance Albracht had dinner on Sunday with the Vincent Ramaekers of Umbarger.

ON MOTHERS' Day evening the Florance Albracht family, the Greg Hoeltings and Dennis Hoeltings had a get together in the home of Ralph Albracht.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Albracht, Mrs. Florance Albracht heard the nationally-known speaker Zig Ziglar in the Dimmitt School auditorium Saturday and found his speech interesting and helpful.

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Wooten earns CC certificate

Dudley Wooten of Dimmitt received a Certificate in Ranch Operations at the Clarendon College commencement exercises Friday. He was one of 10 students in the college's Ranch Operations program to graduate this spring.

Wooten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wooten of Dimmitt.

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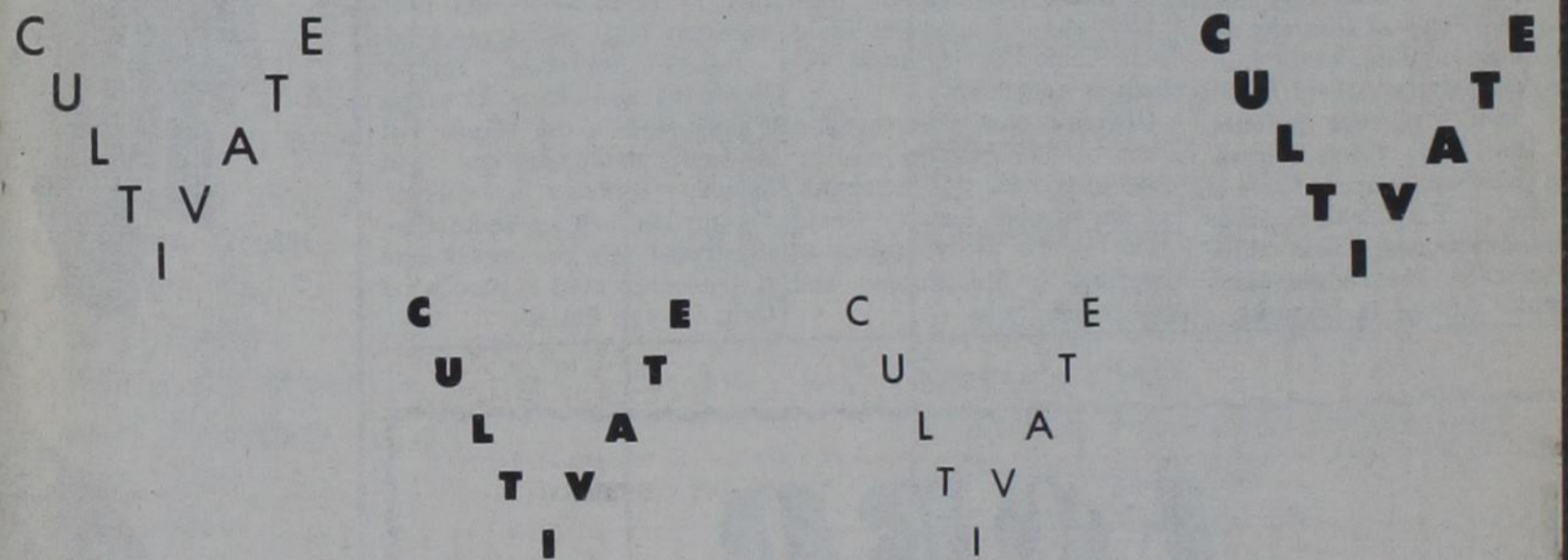
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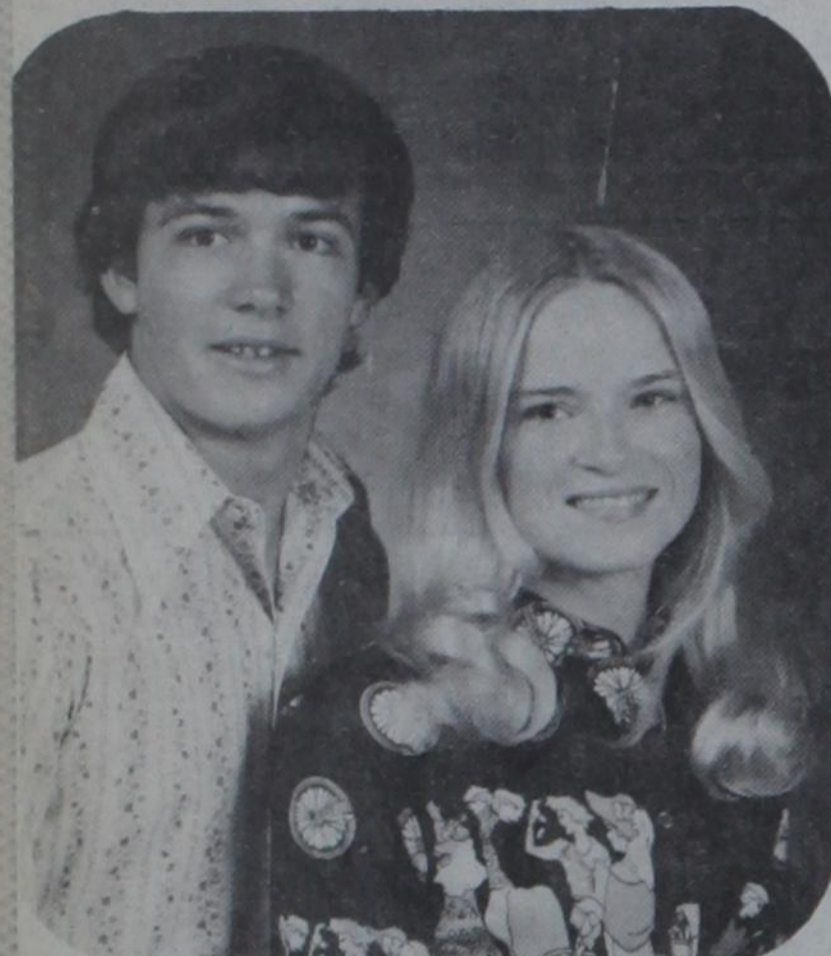
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KATHY LYNN NELSON AND JOHN C. COOK
... To be married at Childress

June vows planned

Wedding plans for Kathy Lynn Nelson of Childress and John Carlan Cook of Dimmitt, both students in Clarendon Junior College, are announced by her mother, Mrs. J. T. Gilbert of Childress.

THE WEDDING will take place at 3 p.m. June 6 in the First Baptist Church of Childress and a reception will follow

in the church fellowship hall. Family members and friends of the couple are invited.

Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cook of Dimmitt, is a 1975 graduate of Dimmitt High School. Miss Nelson graduated from Childress High in 1974.

Junior food fun program is announced

A "Food Fun for Juniors" program will be held in Dimmitt this summer, sponsored by the Deaf Smith Electric Co-op. It will be open to young girls in a week of classes held in the Dimmitt High School home-making department.

BASIC instruction in food preparation, table setting and etiquette will be offered with Janice Wood as instructor.

The girls will learn such things as cooking terms, kitchen safety, importance of well balanced meals, how to plan a party and be a good hostess.

Miss Wood is summer home services advisor for the DSEC. A graduate of Adrian High School, she is a senior at Texas Tech, majoring in home economics education.

GIRLS interested in the program, or their parents, are invited to contact the homemaking department here or David Pruitt at the DSEC office in Hereford for information and application forms.



BRIDE-ELECT—Shelly Ann Brownfield of Dell City and Alan Lee Shive of Dimmitt are to be married June 5 in a ceremony at the Brownfield Ranch near Dell City, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brownfield, have announced. Shive is the son of Mrs. Noah Spencer of Sunnyside and Eldon Shive of Amarillo. The couple plans to make a home in Dimmitt.

Small Talk

By SUE COLEMAN

You've probably heard that Edna Reinhardt missed the DHS band trip last week for the first time in 22 years. A pesky infection landed her in the hospital a few days, just timed so she couldn't go to St. Louis. But she's out and about now.

READING an interview with one of those celebrities of the entertainment world who acts like an authority on ecology, pollution and such things, including over-population, I noted his remark that he and his wife are greatly concerned over whether to have children, considering the state of the world, etc.

Then he added that it's an agonizing decision now for all young couples, members of the first generation, he said, which can actually choose the size of their families.

THE YOUNG man ought to check back about 50 years. Lots of couples in the 1920's and 30's chose to have no children, or one or two, without making any public fuss about their decisions. They were just happy that contraceptive methods had reached the point where such a choice was practical.

It wasn't until the World War II years that larger families became common again; I almost said "became stylish" and that's about the right word. Many parents choosing four or more children then had been the "only children" who were numerous the past generation.

Now the pendulum has swung again and families are often down to the minimum. But it's nothing new.

Happy Helpers elect officers

Installation of officers for Happy Helpers 4-H Club of Easter was held May 11 at the Easter Community Building with a covered dish supper for families of the club members.

PRESIDENT for the coming year is Kylene Behrends. Laura Downing is vice-president; Tammy Behrends, treasurer; council delegates are Kylene Behrends and Laura Downing; ritual chairman and song leader, DeeDee Dobbins; reporter, Shelley Frye; recreation, Karen Markley and Vonda Richards; telephone committee, Sandy and Terri Harkins.

The members have been busy in recent weeks with photography and sewing projects.

Kylene Behrends, Tammy Behrends and Laura Downing participated in the recent 4-H method demonstration and speaking contests in Lubbock. Tammy and Laura presented an illustrated talk on horses and Kylene presented a speech on Gen. George Patton.

Legal Secretaries win state award

The Deaf Smith-Castro Counties Legal Secretaries Association won for the second straight year the Chapter Achievement Contest Award, Group A (chapters with less than 30 members) given by the Texas Association of Legal Secretaries during its 21st annual meeting in Abilene May 1.

BARBARA WHEAT accepted the certificate and check for \$15 for the chapter.

Mildred Sheffy of Hereford, president of the local chapter, was appointed Chapter Achievement chairman for next year.

Attending the Abilene convention as delegates from the local chapter were Barbara Wheat of Dimmitt, Mary Pagett and Mrs. Sheffy of Hereford, Ruth Wynne of Amarillo and Katie Hale of Tulia.

Tops Club to host speaker on drug use

Husbands of Tops Club members will be special guests at a program Monday evening after the regular club meeting, when Phil Sciombato of the Hereford Police Department will be the speaker.

HIS ADDRESS will concern drug use in general, and his own experience with drug users, especially youths of this area. The program will be given at the courthouse.

At this week's meeting a new member was enrolled and a program was presented by Ann Pevehouse on the subject of losing excess weight, the club's purpose.

Karen Moss was cited as Top Loser of the Week as she recorded a 3 pound 12 ounce weight loss. Patricia Powell, the KOPS Queen of the week, had lost 2 pounds 8 ounces.

The May meeting of the chapter was held in the Chancellor Room of the First National Bank at Tulia May 3. Mattie Evans, Tulia attorney,

reviewed the book, "A Lawyer Reviews the Illegal Trial of Jesus," which was followed by a short business meeting.

The next meeting of the

chapter will be held in Hereford June 1 in the Community Room of the First National Bank, with a salad supper and program covering Small Claims

Courts, followed by initiation of new members. Guests may make reservations with Mildred Fuhrmann or Virginia Dickson of Hereford.

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Piano Guild auditions are slated

Performing in annual auditions of the National Guild of Piano Teachers next week will be 49 piano pupils of Dwight Joiner, Faun Welker and Mrs. Leon Sanders.

THE AUDITIONS will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in the First United Methodist Church.

Dr. Robert Reynolds of Weatherford, Okla. will be the adjudicator. He is with the music department of Southwestern State College.

Pupils taking part in the Guild auditions play selections prescribed for their age and years of piano study, for evaluation by a qualified judge.

TO MARRY—Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Goldsmith announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Calvia D'Wan, to Michael Ray Overby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brasher of Plainview. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to the wedding May 22 in the First Christian Church, 910 Kokomo, Plainview. Miss Goldsmith is a 1975 graduate of Dimmitt High and is employed in a Plainview floral shop. Her fiancé farms near that city.



Weavers organize guild in Panhandle

The Palo Duro Handweavers Guild has lately been organized, open to all Panhandle residents who are interested in spinning and weaving arts.

Its next meeting is announced for 7:30 p.m. May 27 in the home of Mrs. Michael Price, 321 Sunset, Amarillo. The Guild will have a booth at Panhandle Festival '76, a Bicentennial celebration at the Amarillo Tri-State Fairgrounds June 11-13, to display work of members and give demonstrations.

Information about the Guild and its meetings may be obtained from Palo Duro Handweavers Guild, Box 2267, Amarillo, 79105.

Nazareth CDA group goes to convention

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Acker, Mrs. Phillip Acker, Nancy Acker and Cornelia Annen were in Dallas recently for the 30th bi-annual state convention of the Texas Courts of the Catholic Daughters of America, representing the Nazareth group.

THE WOMEN from Nazareth will report on the convention with ideas for next year's meetings and functions.

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Donna Allen named HD Woman of Year

Donna Allen, president of the Town and Country Home Demonstration Club, was announced as the Home Demonstration Council's "Woman of the Year" for 1976 Monday.

SHE WAS presented the county award at the annual spring luncheon of the Home Demonstration Council at the County Expo Center. Members from all HD clubs in the county attended.

In presenting the award—an engraved silver tray—Extension Agent Irene Keating said that Mrs. Allen has been active in HD work since she first moved to Dimmitt, and that she "has become acquainted with many people here and has demonstrated a lot of leadership."

Mrs. Allen was one of the charter members of Dimmitt's Town and Country HD Club, and has been active in sales for the HD Council's Community Birthday Calendar.

MRS. ALLEN'S club was the originator this year of the 76'ers, Castro County's Bicentennial chorus. The 50-voice chorus, directed by Jim Massey, presented a musical program at Monday's luncheon, singing "This Is My Country," "God Bless America" and "Make Mine Country Style." Other finalists for the Woman of the Year award, Mrs. Keating announced, were Susie Bradford of the Flagg HD Club, Doris Lust of the Bethel HD Club, and Karen Williamson of the Hart HD Club.

Tables at the luncheon were decorated with stuffed calico hens on excelsior nests, plus roosters and chicks, with table covers of Colonial print designs. The table decorations were provided by the Hart HD Club.

LUNCHEON speaker was Susan Ryan of New Zealand, Dimmitt High School's American Field Service exchange student this year. She described her home country, the New Zealand school year and her impressions of the U.S.

Special guests, in addition to the 76'ers, included June Cline of College Station, organizational specialist for the Extension Service, and Catherine Crawford of Lubbock, District 2 Extension agent.

Doris Lust, chairman of the County HD Council, was mistress of ceremonies. The county's HD club women presented gifts to Mrs. Keating and Beral Hance, Extension Service secretary here, in appreciation of their assistance with HD activities during the year.

Mrs. Hansen given Girl of Year title

Virginia Hansen was recognized as Girl of the Year in Alpha Epsilon Tau Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi at the Founders Supper is surprise farewell occasion

A surprise salad supper was given by the Catholic Daughters of Holy Family Church at Nazareth, in honor of Sister Adrian Wewers who is leaving Nazareth.

SISTER Adrian was presented a shoulder-strap purse with expressions of appreciation for her devoted membership in the Nazareth group, and good wishes for her work in the coming year.

Approximately 40 members and their husbands and other guests were served a salad supper and ice cream.

Day supper in Sue Caddell's home last week.

AWARDS were presented to officers and committee chairmen who have served the past year, as officers for 1976-77 were installed.

Jan Edwards became president, Sandra Potts vice-president, Delores Golden secretary, Mary Jo Brown treasurer and Walter Maynard parliamentarian.

LINDA Parker was welcomed as a member by transfer. A salad supper was served to 19 chapter members.

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John and Vonda Wilson flew to Sharon Springs, Kan. recently to visit John's brother Paul and family.

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MR. AND MRS. Harlan Barber visited their son Virgil in Lubbock last weekend and helped him move from his rented apartment into a house which he has bought. His new address is 3120 22nd Street, Lubbock. Virgil is in the landscaping business with headquarters in Lubbock.

Mrs. D. F. Yandell, Mrs. Olin Parris and their mother Mrs. George Parker returned home the last of the week from a few days visiting relatives. Mrs. Parker's sisters Mrs. Flora Wallace of Ardmore, Okla. and Mrs. Dovie Isbell of Tahoka had visited here for two weeks so the local ladies took them home and also visited a brother J. H. Stalcup and Mrs. Stalcup who live at Lake Buchanan near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks returned home last week from a month's vacation of fishing and other activities in the Rockport vicinity.

THE KENNETH FRYE home was the scene for a shower on Saturday afternoon honoring Beverly Nixon who is to be married May 29 to Gerald Harder. The wedding will take place in Frio Baptist Church.

Other hostesses for the shower included Mmes. Bill Struve, Earl Harkins, Frank Robbins, T. L. Sparkman Jr., Tommy Sparkman, Eugene Baldwin, Jerry Richardson, Andy Axe, Floyd Cole, Ruby Crawford and Ronnie Andrews.

The honoree's chosen colors of coral and white were used for the daisy table centerpiece, for corsages and refreshment table colors.

Nazareth woman's mother is buried

Funeral services for Mrs. Stella Louise Rinehart, 75, of Amarillo, mother of Mrs. Jackie Smith of Nazareth, were conducted last Thursday at Fairview Assembly of God Church in Amarillo.

REV. William Summers, pastor of the Dimmitt Assembly of God, and Rev. A. L. Beggs, Fairview church pastor, officiated. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery at Amarillo.

Mrs. Rinehart died Sunday in Dimmitt. She is survived by three daughters, Coleen Cockman and Fern Wattell of Ventura, Calif., and Mrs. Smith; two sons, Eugene and Wayne Thomas, both residing in California; three sisters, 15 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Her husband, Henry Thomas Rinehart, died in 1965.



Mr. and Mrs. Art Cano of Dimmitt are the parents of a boy, Michael, born May 5. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Santos Perez Jr. are the parents of a boy, Santos III. Born May 3, he weighed 8 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces.

Castro County Country Club

We had a workday last Monday in preparation for our upcoming tournaments. The men worked all day, trimming trees, mowing grass and cleaning up around the clubhouse.

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For The Work You Have Done As Commissioner Of Precinct 3

JIMMIE HOWELL

Friends of JIMMIE HOWELL

HECE students honor employers

Girls in the Home Economics Cooperative Education (HECE) program in Dimmitt High School honored their employers with an appreciation luncheon Tuesday.

THE STUDENTS are hired to work half-days while they attend school. Jobs are related to their training in homemaking classes.

Many of the girls save the money they earn to help pay college expenses, Estella Hotel, program coordinator, explained. Most are far enough ahead in school credits to finish diploma requirements with half-day schedules.

Four of the girls are employed as housekeeping management assistants—Becky McDermitt at the Soil Conservation Service office, Pam Heard in Dr. Charles Vandiver's dental office. Lupe Flores in the Lonnie Bell residence and Kim Griffitt at the Amstar Plant.

CONSUMER aide jobs are held by Eva Montes at Gibson's, Dora Ortiz at TG&Y and Jan Weatherford at Parsons Drug. Teresa Garza is a food service employee at Mr. Burger, and Luisa Espinoza is a dietetic aide at South Hills Manor.

Norma Wall Baldrige works as a fabric coordinator at TG&Y and Esther Espinoza as a fashion coordinator at the C. R. Anthony Co.

Citations of appreciation were presented to the employers.

More about Ramey . . .

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OFFICIALLY, Ramey has been a cooperative observer for the US Weather Service since 1923. But in fact, he has been logging Dimmitt's rainfall statistics since 1911—that's 23,973 days—and his records dating back to that time are considered official by the US Weather Service.

After accepting the award, Ramey commented that being a weather observer is an enjoyable hobby but that it "can get you into court once in a while" to testify on weather conditions on any given day.

"Our winter moisture—December, January and February—are the rains that do us the most good here," he said, "but those are our dry months."

HE NOTED that Dimmitt started the Bicentennial year by setting a new, if dubious, record:

"In all of my years of keeping the weather here, we've had entire months in which we didn't have a measurable amount of moisture," he said. "But this past January and February was the first time we've ever had two months running in which we didn't have any measurable amount of moisture."

People are always willing to argue about which blizzard was the worst. But the dean of the area's weather observers puts that argument to rest.

"The biggest snow storm and worst blizzard we've ever

County has light agenda

Purchase of a Chevrolet pickup for the county's new assistant agricultural agent to use was approved by the commissioners court in a Monday session with a light agenda.

BIDS WERE received from both the Chevrolet and Ford dealers here, with Reeve-Fleming Chevrolet submitting the low bid of \$4,628.57.

Commissioners also: —Agreed to place two 110-watt radio units already owned by the county in fire trucks at Hart and Nazareth.

—Approved acceptance of the county health officer's staff into the county group health insurance program at his expense.

—Approved a small change in the health insurance plan under which county employees have group insurance with Bankers Life Co.

had here was on the 17th, 18th and 19th of November, 1906," he said. "The snow blew for 72 hours just like the worst dirt-storm you were ever in. The mercury never did get very low; if it had, it would have frozen everything to death. As it was, it starved a lot of stock to death."

Weather observation is just one of Ramey's hobbies. He's also a beekeeper and a student of wild Canadian geese, the US treasury and local history. And he's the area's leading authority in those fields, too.

House will be 'warmed'

A housewarming for Robert and Frances Duke at their new home, 1011 Lee St., is planned from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Sunday and their friends are invited to call.

HOSTS for the evening will be members of the Wesleyan class of the First United Methodist Church, which the Dukes attend, and several teachers who are associated with Mrs. Duke in her work with the Dimmitt School System.

Jaw Breakers top Rainbows

In Little Girls' Basketball action Friday, the Jaw Brakers defeated the Rainbows, Purple People Eaters were victorious over the Minute Girls and the Red Robins won over the Twisters.

Winners in the games May 4 were the Blue Bears over the Minute Girls, Super Sonics over the Robins, Twisters over the Rainbows, and Jaw Brakers over the People Eaters.

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HOSPITAL NEWS

PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL

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Martha Sadler
Rex Sheffy
Arlene Spraberry
Quincy Standmire
Vella Turner
Mary Ruth White
Ethel Womack
Jess Wood

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

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Orval Sharp
Maurine Henderson
M. L. Adams
Consuelo Perez
Minnie McClure
W. E. Kirkpatrick
James Richardson
Dorothy Jean Walker
John Hampton
Jerry Walker
Edna Reinhardt
Rafael Ravilla Jr.
LaWanda Dahlquist
Ermina Cano
Barbara Broadstreet
Juanita Summers
Teresa Flores
Joe Flores
Carl King
Martin Power

HE that shoots best may sometimes miss the mark; but he that shoots not at all can never hit it. —Feltham.

Lions select Beth Cleveland

Beth Cleveland, Dimmitt High School junior, was chosen Dimmitt Lions Club Sweetheart for next year, from three candidates who were introduced at the club lunch Tuesday.

CINDY DOBBS and Cinde Sides were the other candidates for the title.

Miss Cleveland will succeed Connie Nelson as the civic club's sweetheart.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Cleveland, the new Lions sweetheart is 16 years old and has been in the high school band two years. She is a twirler and a member of the Lyre Club.

One of her duties as Sweetheart of the Lions will be serving as pianist. She has been the high school FHA pianist two years and also is pianist at the First United Methodist Church.

An all-district forward in girls basketball, she also has served as secretary for the National Honor Society in DHS this year.

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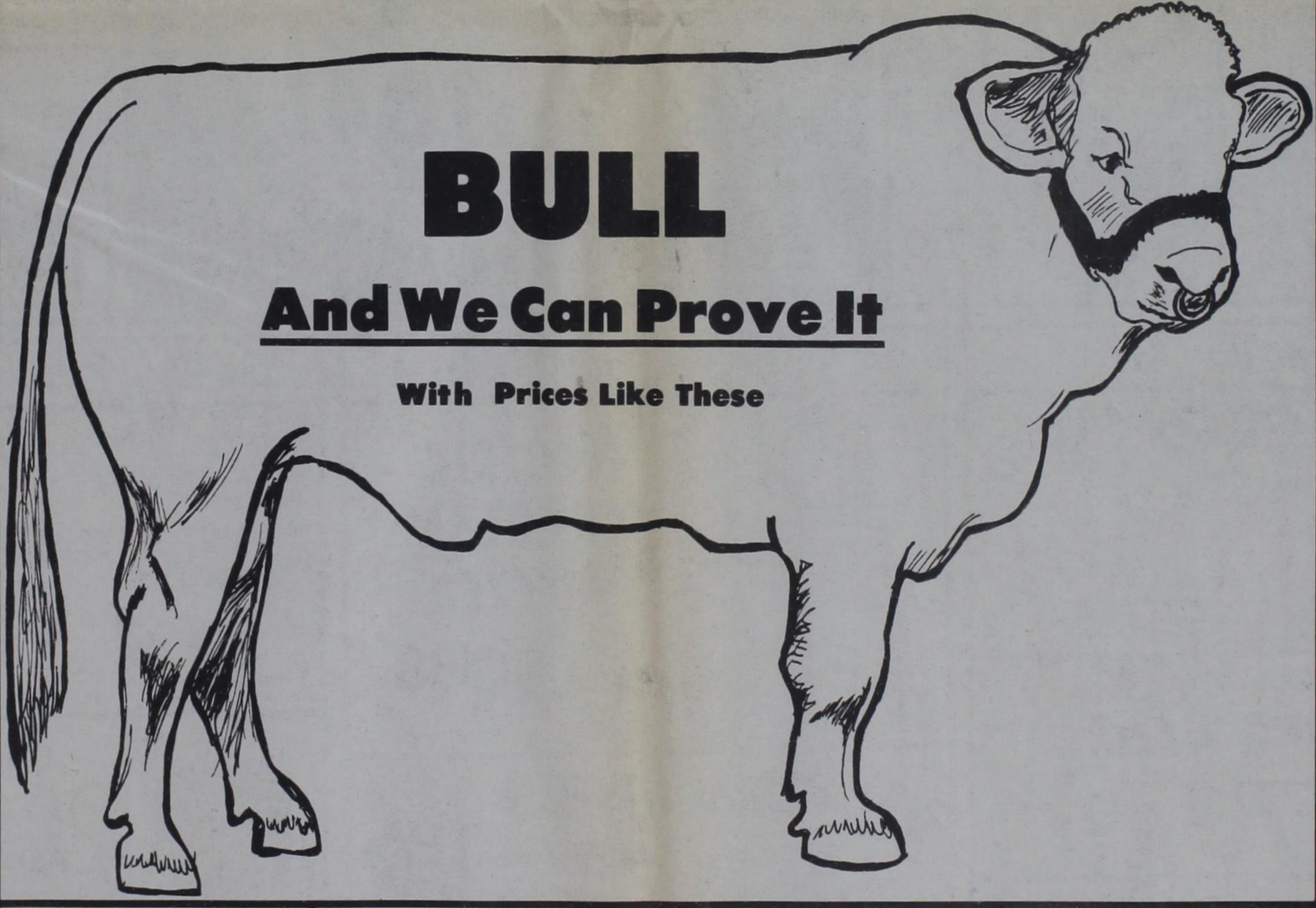
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