

# School board ponders state guidelines

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Some changes will come, some things will remain the same, but the lasting effects of House Bill 246 on the Dimmitt Independent School District will be felt for many years to come.

"It will possibly take additional personnel (to fulfill the requirements of the guidelines)," Supt. Robert Ryan told the school board Monday night. "But we don't know for sure yet."

Besides adding physical education in kindergarten through second grade, and making any state-listed course available to 10 or more students requesting one, the schools must determine the essential elements of each subject and decide on ways of showing that students have mastered them.

The schools must also determine methods to "remediate" (or help catch up) the students who do not display mastery of those elements. Also, a system must be devised to keep records of what a student has mastered. A grade of 70 will be the minimum for passing.

The State Board of Education issued the guidelines in March for school districts to follow in implementing the provisions of HB 246.

The guidelines provide for a general graduation track and an advanced track, with the general track requiring 21 units of credit and the advanced program requiring 22 units of credit, including two units of foreign language study. Provision was also made for an advanced diploma with honors, which would require 22 credits, five of which would have to be from courses designated as honor courses (those modified by accelerating, providing greater depth, and expanding the courses and their essential elements).

The guidelines spell out what portion of each school day must be spent in each subject area in each grade level. For the seventh and eighth grades, science courses must devote 40% of the instructional time to laboratory or field activities and a half-unit (one semester course) of computer literacy must be taught.

An area of the guidelines that may bring the greatest hardship to smaller school districts is the requirement that each school district must offer the secondary grade

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## City hears requests for 'sharing' funds

Dimmitt's federal Revenue Sharing pie will be smaller during the coming year, but local service groups are asking the city to cut a lot more slices out of it.

Administrative Supervisor Jo Hamilton reported to the

Board of Aldermen Monday night that the city has been allocated \$93,658 in federal RS funds for the current fiscal year — \$12,602 less than last year.

But the number of service organizations requesting RS funds at Monday night's meeting was almost double last year's number. The city board heard eight requests totaling \$52,205.70.

Two of those requests came from city departments. Public Works Director James Killough requested \$21,000 to buy a sewer-pipe purging machine that uses water pressure, and Police Chief Don Franklin asked for \$21,000 to build a state-approved animal control shelter.

The other requests came from six public-service organizations that are eligible to receive Revenue Sharing funds.

Three organizations requested the same amount they had received last year. They were the Central Plains Mental Health/Mental Retardation Center, which asked for \$3,600 to help pay costs of its local outreach center; the Castro County Senior Citizens, \$2,500 for

upkeep expenses; and the Castro County Museum, \$2,000 for utilities.

Three other groups asked to be added to the Revenue Sharing list this year. They were the new Dimmitt Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol, which requested \$4,105.70 to buy necessary start-up equipment for the squadron; the Boy Scouts, who asked for \$1,500 to buy an underground sprinkler system to upgrade the Scout Hut property; and the Mayor's Council on City Beautification, which asked for \$2,500 to pay for shrubs, planter boxes and incidental expenses.

The city could meet all the requests and still have \$41,450 left over from the year's allocation, but that might lead to a budget deficit this year. City officials are hoping to put as much Revenue Sharing money as possible into the expensive summer paving program.

"It's my feeling at this time that we will probably have a deficit this year, with the paving program," City Manager Paul Catoe told the aldermen.

The city is obligated for \$92,045 of the paving project's cost — \$48,857 for seal coating and \$43,188 for the city's 10% share of the cost of new paving — plus the total cost of paving around a city-owned park.

Last year the city allocated \$8,600 of its Revenue Sharing money to four service groups and spent the remaining \$97,600 on seal coating.

On behalf of an elderly neighbor on Social Security, a woman asked the board if Revenue Sharing funds could be used to help people who can't afford street paving.

City Attorney Jack Edwards answered, "The only thing the city could do would be to allocate part of the funds to the paving project as a whole . . . to benefit all citizens equally."

Upon a motion by Alderman Wayne Collins, the board tabled all the fund requests pending adoption of the 1984-85 city budget. The budget adoption process is expected to begin with the aldermen's April 23 meeting.

In other action Monday night, the city's governing board:

— Witnessed the swearing-in by County Judge Polly Simpson of the three incumbents on the city board who were re-elected Saturday — David Behrends, Ann Armstrong and Joyce Hunter.

— Amended the city's insurance bid specifications and ordered the package to be submitted to local agents.

— Adopted a motion by Behrends to lease the three public ambulances to the Castro County Hospital District for \$1 per year each, mainly for insurance purposes.

— Denied a homeowner's request to install a street light at city expense on Highway 86 near Western Drive.

### Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	NA		
Friday	58	32	
Saturday	80	53	
Sunday	72	40	.23
Monday	70	40	
Tuesday	78	39	.02
Wednesday	62	41	
April Moisture			0.50
1984 Moisture			2.58

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GETTING THE MOVES DOWN in rehearsal are these members of the Dimmitt High School Show Choir [from left] Darla Young, Lynn Roland and LeAnn Webb. The three

will hold the spotlight in several numbers at the Show Choir Jamboree set for tonight [Thursday] at 8 in the high school auditorium.

## Jamboree scheduled tonight

A multi-media display of color slides will highlight the Dimmitt High School Show Choir Jamboree set for tonight (Thursday) at 8 in the high school auditorium. Admission will be \$2 per person.

Colorful costumes, sets and special lighting will add to the feeling of a music video as the show choir presents selections of pop, rock and some country music, according to director

Doug Henry. Show Choir members Lynn Roland, LeAnn Webb and Darla Young will perform the numbers "Why Do Fools Fall in Love?," "The Wayward Wind," "Then Came You," "One Fine Day," "Breaking Up is Hard to Do," "How Do You Keep the Music Playing?," "Fantasy," "I Won't Hold You Back," and several selections from "The Wiz." Solos and duets will in-

clude LeAnn Webb singing "Babe" and "Make Believe"; Lynn Roland singing "Two Less Lonely People in the World," and joining Kyla Jones in "Friends Forever"; and Darla Young singing "A Little Good News."

Members of the Dimmitt High School Choir will add to the entertainment, including Rhonda Heath singing "What's Forever For?," Albert Valdez singing

"Lookin' For Love," and Ray Sanchez joining Kayla Jones to sing "Tonight I'll Celebrate My Love."

The Show Choir will give a video presentation of "Girls Just Want to Have Fun," and a robot dance will illustrate the song "Freak-A-Zoid" by The Midnight Star.

"This is going to be a really exciting show, and we feel the special effects will certainly make it worth seeing," Henry said.

## Voters favor all incumbents

In Saturday's elections in the county, all incumbents seeking re-election were returned to office by the voters.

The closest race in the county and the nearest any incumbent came to losing a race was in the Dimmitt City Aldermen's election.

Incumbent Joyce Hunter won by only two votes over George Lamberth, with 218 to 216, a little back from front-running incumbents David Behrends with 300 votes and Ann Armstrong with 243 votes. Roger Allison received 143 votes. Nine other names were inserted as write-ins. A total of 434 ballots were cast.

A fairly close race was run in the Hart school board election with two positions to fill. Incumbent Harold Bob Bennett received 201 votes, far outdistancing Danny

Rodriguez, who took a seat with 141 votes, only 20 votes ahead of James Jackson with 121 votes. Other candidates were LaWanda Wilson with 81 votes and Freddy Upshaw with 78 votes.

In the Dimmitt School board election incumbents Don Gregory and Monty Boozer were returned to office with 356 and 348 votes, respectively. Connie Martinez received 146 votes.

There were two write-ins. Although there were only three candidates running for the three open positions on the Nazareth school board, two candidates had a strong

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## Students win science awards

Twenty-two students from Dimmitt schools garnered 29 awards at the second annual High Plains Regional Science and Engineering Fair held over the weekend at West Texas State University at Canyon.

Dimmitt High School sophomore Sue Crozier was named alternate to the 35th Annual International Science and Engineering Fair to be held May 8-13 in Columbus, Ohio. Her microbiology project received seven awards, besides taking first place in its category.

"The Antiseptic Qualities of Honey" studied how honey inhibits the growth of bacteria. The project received special awards from the American Society of

Microbiology, the Entomology Society, the US Air Force, the US Army, the US Marine Corps, and the US Navy. It also received the Regional Microbiology Award.

Crozier is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crozier of Dimmitt.

Other first place winners are DHS student Kyla Boozer with her physics project, and Dimmitt Middle School fourth grader Kristi Sims with her individual biological project.

Boozer's project, "Flyash Waste Into Profit" studied the uses of the coal by-product, determining its chemical composition and measuring the benefits in concrete products. Her pro-

ject also won the NASA Special Award. Boozer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Boozer.

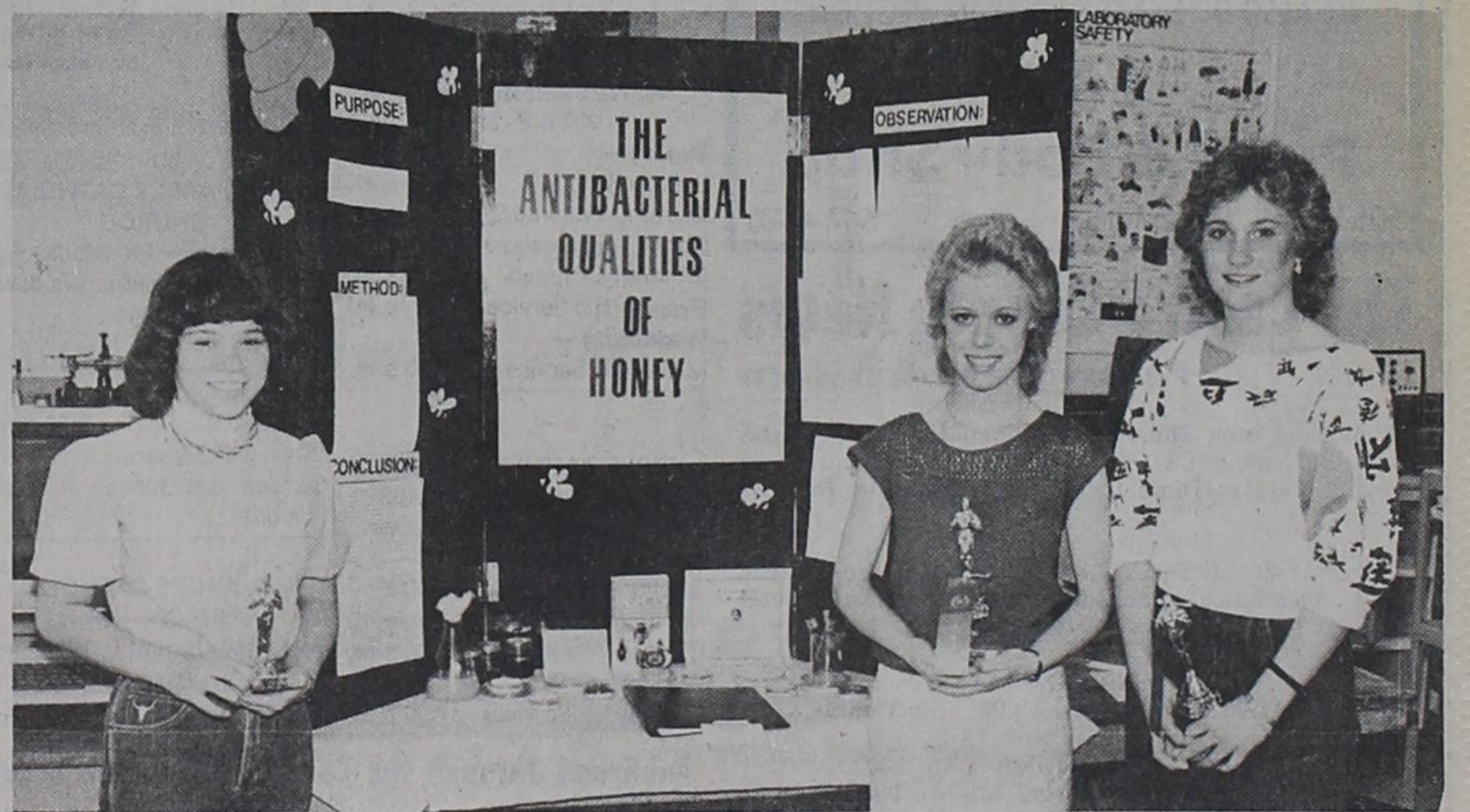
Sims' project, "How Effective are Various Mouthwashes Against Oral Bacterial Growth?" studied four different solutions and their effects on bacteria, using a microscope. Sims is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Sims.

Other high school winners were Tiffany Braafladt with a third in zoology, Mark Coker with a fifth place in physics, Laura Nelson with a sixth in behavioral and social sciences, and Chad Thompson with a seventh in engineering.

In the junior high division, Deborah Mohon took second

and Channin Ross took seventh in individual biological projects; Wayne Schacher won second and Ty O'Kelly won sixth in individual physical; Brian Stewart and Jason Griffith placed fourth in group physical; James Killingsworth and Joe Yokum placed fifth in group biological; and Jeff Catoe took fifth in individual Earth and space.

In the elementary division, Jennifer Hanners won second and Holly Axtell won seventh in individual biological projects; Richard and Steven Campbell took third in group biological; and Fabian Longoria and Chris Cowen took sixth in group physics projects.



FIRST PLACE WINNERS at the High Plains Regional Science and Engineering Fair held over the weekend at West Texas State University in Canyon included these three from the Dimmitt schools. They are [from left] Kristi Sims,

Sue Crozier and Kyla Boozer, along with Crozier's project that was named an alternate to the International Science and Engineering Fair set for May in Columbus, Ohio.

## Note will be burned

The Castro County Senior Citizens moved into their present building at 218 W. Jones in Dimmitt in July of 1978, and tonight (Thursday) there will be a mortgage and note burning celebration at the Center.

Along with the celebration, a barbecue supper will be served from 6:30 to 8:30, with tickets priced at \$4.50 for adults and \$2 for children.

Barbecue and all the trimmings will be served, along with peach and cherry cobbler.

The public is invited to join the celebration and eat at the supper. Also, table games will be played during the evening.



WOMAN OF THE YEAR FAYE MOHON

Presented by Teresa Nutt (left).

## Faye Mohon wins 'Homemaker' title

Faye Mohon was named Castro County Extension Homemakers Club "Woman of the Year" at the annual E. H. Spring Supper Tuesday night in the courthouse basement assembly room.

Also, Becky Benton and Kennon Howell were named recipients of the 1984 E. H. scholarship awards.

The "Woman of the Year" honoree was selected from among three nominees. Other nominees were Sue Boozer of the Bethel E. H. club, and Clara Patton of the Town & Country E. H. Club.

Mohon is a member of the Sundowners E. H. club, and has held every office in the club, currently serving as its president. She is also chairman of the E. H. Council and served as vice chairman for two years. She has attended several district and state meetings as a voting delegate, and has led several demonstrations for her club. She works with 4-H, as well as school and church youth programs.

In community work she has been involved with the March of Dimes, the Cancer Society, Muscular Dystrophy, St. Jude's Bike-a-thon, and the CUFUPU campaign. She was presented with an

engraved plaque by Teresa Nutt, CEA-HE.

Benton is a member of the Bethel 4-H Club and has carried on projects in livestock, clothing, foods and nutrition, community service and handicrafts. She has served as vice president, secretary, treasurer, reporter and recreation leader for her club. She is the daughter of Robert and Marty Benton of Bethel.

Howell is also a member of the Bethel club, as well as the Castro County 4-H Horse Club, which he served as president and as delegate to the Llano Estacado Horse Association.

He was named County Gold Star Boy in 1980-81, and has gone to state in horse showing, horse judging and trap shooting. He is the son of Jimmie and Sue Howell of Bethel.

The scholarship winners were announced by Oneida Hutto.

Special speaker for the evening was Carlos Calvert, local humorist, who was introduced by Margaret Womack. Guests were welcomed by Carolyn Sides, and the invocation was given by Faye Mohon. Forty people attended the event.



# On the Go

With Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

This past weekend was a very special time for several Dimmitt ladies. Teresa Rainwater, Betty Freeman, Shirley Wise, Shelly Rice, Leasa Thomas, Linda Shannon, Geneva Cobbs, Joy Jones, Susana Dobbs, and Julie Urey of Hart, attended the fifth annual women's spiritual life retreat at the Episcopal Retreat Center north of Amarillo. This retreat is sponsored by the Evangelical Fellowship of the Northwest Texas Conference of Methodist Churches but draws women of all denominations and all ages.

The theme of the retreat was "Hang In There," based on First Peter, led by Veda Wyatt of Tula, wife of Kenneth Wyatt, the western artist. Among others of the steering committee, Mary Parks, wife of the District Superintendent of the Plainview district was small groups chairman. Approximately 166 women registered to attend this year's retreat. The ladies from Dimmitt enjoyed a wonderful reunion with Sharon Hoyle of Perryton, formerly of Dimmitt.

The encouragement and challenge is given to any lady to be looking forward to and attending next year's retreat. It is a very renewing, refreshing time of study and sharing.

Minnie Simpkins celebrated her 90th birthday April 1. Minnie shared birthday cake and punch with her family and friends. The party was at South Hills Manor where she lives.

Minnie has five children, three of which shared the day with her: J. B. Raper and

Mary Woodburn of Dimmitt and Joyce Angel of Amarillo. Out-of-town guests were four grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, five nieces, two nephews, a nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bleeker of Dimmitt.

Another niece of Dallas was unable to be with her, because her plane was unable to land in Amarillo because of the weather. Minnie wishes to thank her friends for the lovely gifts and birthday cards and for making her birthday a happy one.

The Dimmitt Clean Up Campaign or better known as CUFUPU '84 is gearing up for success! We must spread the word, so Sue Broderson's art students made a batch of posters to put up around town. The students with Mrs. Broderson's help did a great job. Here is a list of students who made posters: Ray Cameron, Bobby Martinez, Adrian Espinosa, John Howendobler, Tammy Jordan, Mauricio Martinez, Deanna Mullin, Charlie Perez, Vidal Perez, Sotero Ramos, Mike Trevino, Sylvia Vasquez, Suzanne Ward.

James and Mildred Bradford entertained members of their family for a few days. Kent was here from Davis, Calif., Jim came in from Dallas, and Jean from Amarillo. Josie Bradford's nephew, Herbert Boswell and his wife, Irene, were here from Lubbock.

Josie Bradford and Jennie Reitzer attended the 70th wedding anniversary celebration of Josie's brother and wife, Johnny and Ethyl Roden of Hobbs, N.M.

Juanita Blaine and Ruth Cox from Plainview were in town visiting Allan and Peggy Webb and Juanita's sister, Vera Webb. Johnny and Becky Webb and baby Brandon were among the family guests.

John Sisemore from Shreveport, La., was the guest leader for the 1984 Adult Sunday School growth clinic that was held on Tuesday evening at the Bacon

Heights Baptist Church in Lubbock. Mr. Sisemore said to build churches we need to reach families. Reach adults to reach families and reach families to grow a church. Mr. Sisemore said he wanted to live 110 years — he would like to live to be 100 years old and then live another 10 years just to tell about it! Those attending from Dimmitt were: Rev. John and Dorothy Street, Elmer and Mauzee Yount, Milton and Sandra Bagwell, Blackie Blackwood, V. C. Hopson, Irene Carpenter, Ruth Hays, and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Geneva Justice and I attended the open house for ber of Commerce. Delores Heller is doing a great job as manager and Sue Caddell is her efficient secretary. Several of the board members were there: Jim and Becky Killingsworth, George Sides.

The Community Concert Board members met at Rhoads Memorial Library Thursday evening with Nolan Froehner presiding over the meeting. Rev. Ed Freeman opened the meeting with a prayer and Mrs. Conrad read the minutes from the previous meeting.

Walter Maynard gave the treasurer's report. Plans were made for a membership campaign for the 1984-85 season. Other board members present were: Woodrow and Alyce Killingsworth, Irene Carpenter, Oleta Gollehon, Zeldia Ellison, Beral Hance, Dwight Joiner, Joyce Higgs, Cody

Myers, and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Wanda Murdock and I went to Amarillo on Saturday to watch Debbie Murdock play in a softball tournament. We watched three games and nearly froze! We met several of Debbie's friends and Beth Welch, a former Dimmitt resident, watched the games with us. Debbie's team, Nick's Chicks, won the tournament and besides the big trophy, each player won an individual trophy. Some other girls teams were: Amarillo A's, Audio Outlets, and Mr. Gattis. There were four teams playing at one time at three different ball parks. There were boys teams also.

Johnny and Janet Stanford were guests of their daughter, Tammy, at the Black Diamond Formal dinner given by the Alpha Delta Phi Sorority on Saturday evening at the new Sheraton Hotel in Amarillo. Tammy is president of the chapter at WTSU in Canyon and her escort at the dinner was Barry Evans from Kress. Laura Ricken-

brode's escort was Phil King and Rita Ramos and date were among the members and guests from Dimmitt.

My sister, Lynna Cloer, from Tula and I went to Dallas recently to visit my daughter, Sue and David Vaughan and Brent. We went to Tyler for the Azalia Trail but the cold weather last winter damaged most of the Azalias as well as most of the shrubs in the Dallas area. Some of the shrubs were brown when they were usually green this time of year. Sue invited a friend, Sandy Kon and her daughter, Na-

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**Sunday—**  
Bible Study... 10:00 a.m.  
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Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Bible Classes for all... 8:00 p.m.

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300 N.E. 7th  
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Secretaria Sara Salinas  
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**Domingo:**  
Estudios Biblicos... 10:00 a.m.  
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Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 10:45 a.m.  
MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi... 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
General Meeting  
WCS... 9:30 a.m.  
Choir... 7:30 p.m.

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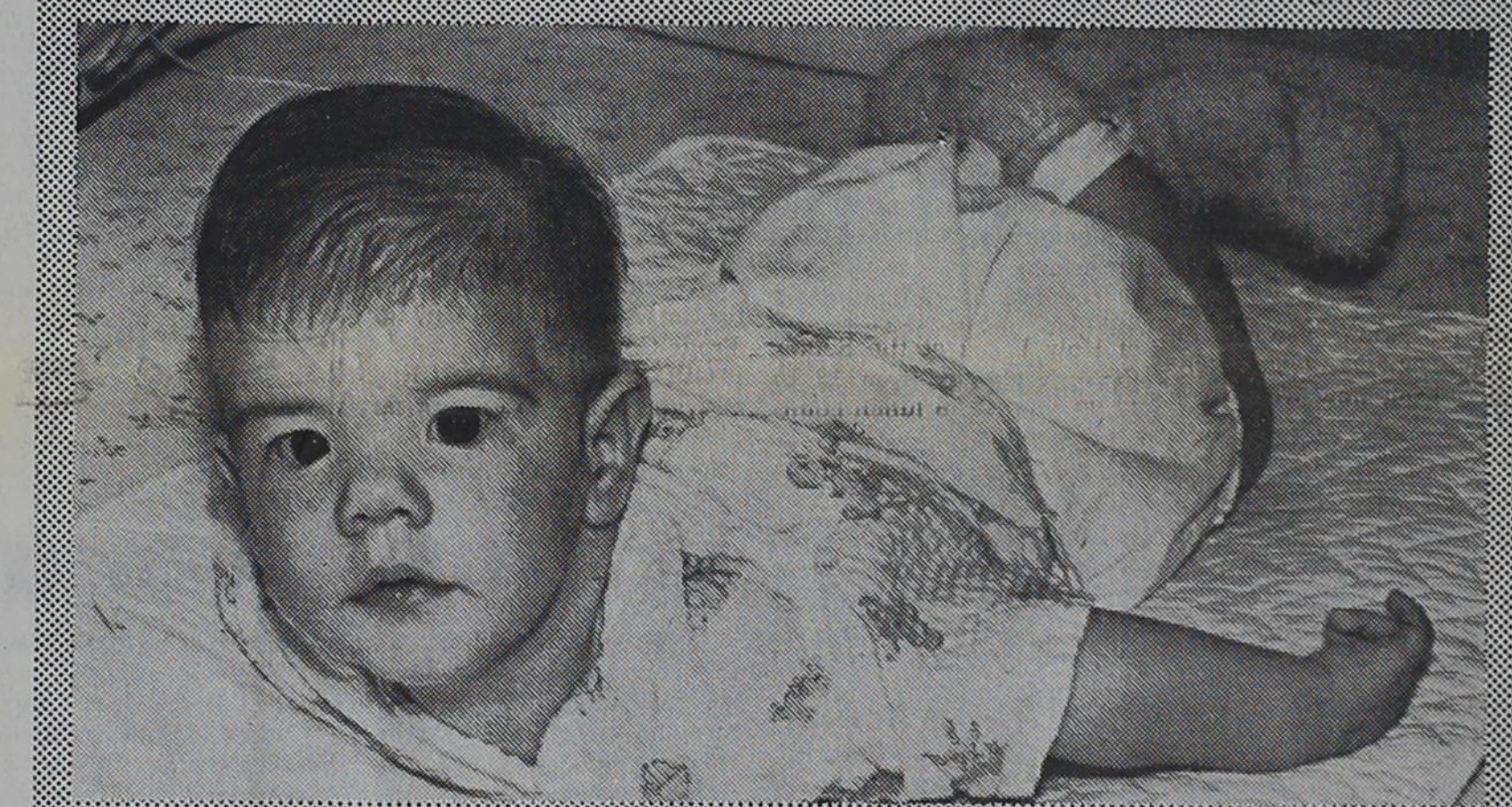
**Sunday—**  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Prayer Meeting... 7:30 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal... 8:10 p.m.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Tom Mullins, Pastor  
Merle Skelton, Assoc.  
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.

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**Sunday—**  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Wednesday Services... 7:00 p.m.



## John Doe ?

During the last war Kildray was the name of the man who had been there. John Doe, the encyclopedia tells us, is the name used in legal documents to describe a person whose real name is unknown.

You do not know the name of this darling baby, and his name may be unknown to us, but in his eyes dwell love and trust. His eyes are like doe-eyes. Yet the male deer is a young buck, rather than a doe, and he is known for his swift running and his ability to jump to high places.

Our prayer for this young man is this:  
May the Lord strengthen and stablish you. Then as Isaiah says in the 6th verse of the 33rd Chapter, *wisdom and knowledge shall be the stability of thy times, and strength of salvation: the fear of the Lord is his treasure.*"

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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Morning Worship... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Bible Class for all... 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Mid-Week Services... 7:30 p.m.

**SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST  
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Sunday—  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Prayer Service... 7:30 p.m.

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Common Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
**Wednesday—**  
Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Sermon... 11:00 a.m.  
Lord's Supper and Feet Washing... 11:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Services... 7:30 p.m.

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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.

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Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Service... 7:00 p.m.

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

**MACEDONIA BAPTIST  
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**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

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In Spanish 10:00 a.m.  
Catechism 9:00 a.m.  
Holy Day Masses:  
In English 7:00 a.m.  
In Spanish 7:30 p.m.

**Reconciliation:**  
Friday... 7:00 p.m.  
**Baptism by appointment**  
**Misas Dominicales:**  
En Ingles 8:00 a.m.  
En Espanol 10:00 a.m.  
Doctrina 9:00 a.m.

**Misas de Guardar:**  
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# On the go

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tasha, to go with us to Tyler and we ate lunch at Potpourri's Tea Room. We went in several little shops on one street that had antiques and crafts of all kinds. We saw a few beautiful flowers like tulips, Jonquils, and Hyacinths and pansies, but the Wisteria was damaged like the Azalias. We came back by Pine Cove, a Christian camp for boys where Brent has gone for a few summers and last year he was old enough to go to the Pine Cove Ranch. We stopped in Canton to see Frank and Virginia Stringer and their daughter and family, Linda and Bill Tomberlin, and boys, Jonathan and Micah, who are Sue and David's neighbors from Dallas. We drove around in Canton to see all the booths at the flea market that they have every first Monday.

Back in Dallas we had lunch with Zig Ziegler and his "Little red head" at the Wonderful World of Cooking Tea Room. (The Zieglers were at another table!)

The Thursday bridge club met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge with Jo Gregory as hostess. Johnny Vannoy won high score and Oleda Schumacher won second high. Others playing were: Cleo Forson, Susie Reeves, Emily Clingsmith, Elizabeth Huckabay, Louise Mears, Jean Christian, Beash Bradford, Ferne Dickey, and Sal DiCuffa.

On Friday Betty Cartwright was hostess to the Friday bridge club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Dorothy Elder won second high score and Gladiola Shipley won high score. Others playing were: Retta Cluck, Cletha George, Opha Burks,

Jean Christian, and Cleo Forson.

Jack and Carolyn Thompson celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary on April 10 and Dan and Oma Dee Heard will be celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary on April 17. Congratulations to these couples.

The Baptist churches all through the South were giving away Bibles on Sunday, April 8. The F.B.C. here in Dimmitt met after church services for a sack lunch and went out to designated areas to visit and distribute Bibles. It was a beautiful afternoon and we enjoyed it very much. We met the assistant pastor and his wife, Merle and Dee Skelton, of the Assembly of God Church. The pastor's wife, Mrs. Tom Mullins, was there visiting, and we were

glad to meet all of them. Rev. Tom Mullins was out of town attending the funeral of his grandmother.

Some girls in the neighborhood had a lemonade stand so we stopped to get a drink but we didn't have any money with us, so the girls said they would charge it, but Joe and Joyce Higgs came by and paid for our lemonade! We also visited with Debbie (Ringo) Harris and her little daughter Jennifer. The Ringo's lived here several years ago.

Dimmitt residents in out-of-town hospitals: In Amarillo C. A. Hance in Northwest, Joe Pybus (Doug's father) in High Plains, Gideon Howell in St. Anthonys, Ronald Morgan in High Plains, and Billie Kirby's niece, Jan Leonhard is in Lubbock Methodist. John Merritt may be going home this week.

Mary Lloyd, area representative for the Community Concerts, will be here for the Banquet on April 30 at the Colonial Inn.

Our sympathy to the family of Ilene (McElroy) Bennight who died in Madill, Okla.

Gene and Connie Ivey, Frances Frazier, and Gene's sister, Lucile Hicks, from Littlefield had a wonderful trip through the Southern states. They went by Fort Worth and visited Laurel and family and another daughter, Raneal and Gene Perry and family were there. The Ivey's went to Vicksburg and toured the Civil War Battleground, the Agricultural Museum in Jackson, Miss., the Bellingrath Gardens in Mobile, Ala., the beautiful capitol at Tampa, Fla., the Silver Beach at Denson, Fla., Disney World at Orlando,

Fla., the Underwater Show at Wickes Washes Springs, Fla., and visited relatives all between. They saw the flowers, azalias, Wisteria, Dogwood, Red Bud, and lots of tall green trees. The orange trees in Florida had all been damaged by the cold weather last winter.

Odie Mundell from Roswell, N.M. and Cora West went to Olustee, Okla. to a school reunion. There were three schools involved — a breakfast at the Pleasant Valley school, a singing at the Harmony school and at

the Olustee school alumni celebration it was Cora's 50th class reunion. They met Odie's sister, Wilma Crutchfield and daughter Leta Tubbs.

Coyce and Carolyn Wilkerson and son, Coyce Leon, from Amarillo visited Faye and Dub Cline over the weekend.

Gene Ivey's nephew, Truman Ivey and daughter, Melony from Mesquite visited the Ivey's last week. Melony tried out for band and choir at WTSU while she was out here.

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## Well permits show increase

The 15 water well permits issued in Castro County for the first two months of 1984 represent a 187% increase over the eight permits issued in all of 1983, according to information released by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1.

The number of permits issued district-wide also shows an increase. The 15-county service area issued 127 permits in 1983, while in the first two months of this year, 94 permit applications have been received, an increase of 74% in comparison with the whole 12-month total from the previous year.

Ken Carver, division director for the district, indicated that this upswing in permit activity could in part be attributed to the PIK program last year which brought some measure of profit back to the farming community. He also suggested that as a result of this small profit margin, farmers are beginning to upgrade their irrigation systems, including replacing older wells and drilling new wells.

Landowners or operators in Castro County who are interested in applying for a water well permit should

contact the water district's county secretary, Dolores Baldrige, at Box 146, Dimmitt, 79027, or phone (806) 647-2155.

## Ministerial Alliance

Castro County Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a Praise Service on Palm Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church. Each church in the county has been invited to furnish two or three musical numbers for the service. The Rev. Edward D. Freeman, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, is the chairman. The offering will help in the Ministerial Alliance's ministry to indigent local and transient people.

Holy Week services will be held Monday through Friday of Holy Week at the Senior Citizens Center from 12 to 12:30 p.m. The lunch counter at the Center will be closed during services, but will be open for the half hour preceding and following the service. Speakers for the services include:

Monday — Terry Griffith, minister of the First Christian Church; Tuesday — Tom Mullins, pastor of the Assembly of God; Wednesday — Steve Ulrey, pastor of Hart Methodist Church; next Thursday — Ronnie Travis, pastor of Lee Street Baptist; and next Friday — Van Earl Hughes, pastor of Primera Iglesia Bautista.

Edward Freeman will lead a study of II Corinthians, chapter 11, on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church.

## Little Dribblers Schedule

**TODAY (THURSDAY)**  
GIRLS MAJOR LEAGUE  
5:30 Mustangs-Frogs, 6:30 Aggies-Owls, 7:30 Longhorns-Raiders.  
GIRLS MINOR LEAGUE  
5:30 Longhorns-Bears, 6:30 Frogs-Mustangs, 7:30 Aggies-Cougars.  
BOYS MAJOR AND MINOR LEAGUES  
8:30 Bears-Aggies.

**FRIDAY**  
GIRLS MAJOR LEAGUE  
8:30 Bears-Aggies, 9:30 Girls Minor League  
8:30 Owls-Bears.  
BOYS MAJOR AND MINOR LEAGUES  
5:30 Mustangs-Frogs, 6:30 Aggies-Owls, 7:30 Longhorns-Raiders.

**MONDAY**  
GIRLS MAJOR LEAGUE  
5:30 Owls-Bears, 6:30 Raiders-Mustangs, 7:30 Frogs-Cougars.  
GIRLS MINOR LEAGUE  
4:30 Frogs-Owls, 5:30 Longhorns-Raiders, 6:30 Broncos-Bears, 7:30 Cougars-Mustangs.

**TUESDAY**  
BOYS MAJOR AND MINOR LEAGUES  
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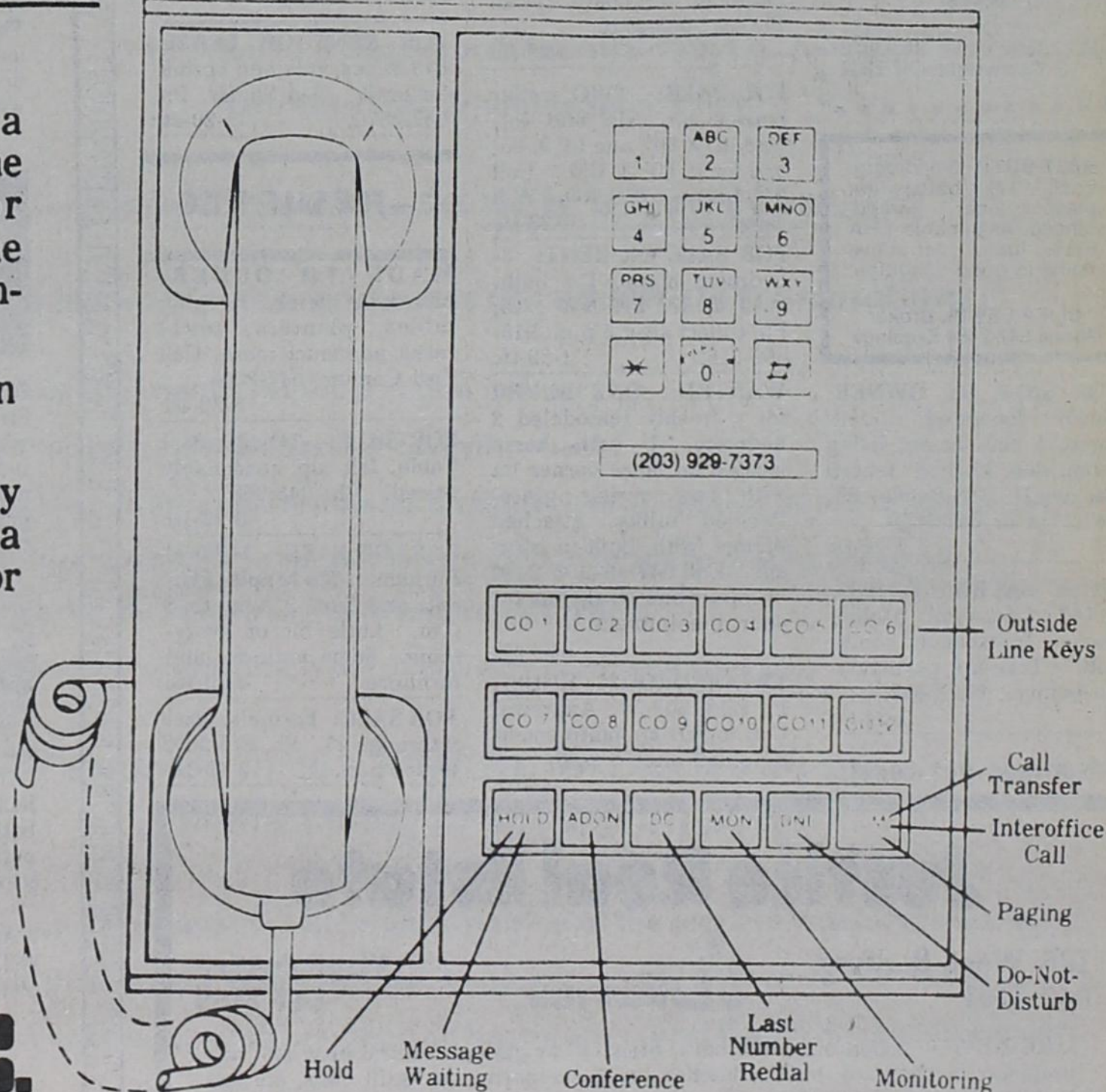
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## 15—LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**  
Bids are being accepted on the following item: One Used Model UDC-4, 4/Glass Door Reach-In Refrigerator, self-contained, complete with 3/4-H.P. 220-Volt compressor, Case #6026-4; Unit #82E-23072. Equipment may be inspected at Bryant's Sales & Service, 121 Southeast Third, Dimmitt, Texas. Terms of sale will be: Cash — Sale to the highest bidder as is — NO WARRANTIES, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, AS TO FITNESS, USE, OR MERCHANTABILITY — Seller reserves the right to bid. Seller reserves the right to refuse any and all bids. Bids may be submitted via certified mail, or may be hand-delivered, to the offices of Rex Easterwood, Attorney, 607 North Main, P.O. Box 273, Hereford, Texas 79045 so as to arrive by 4:00 p.m. on May 7, 1984. 15-29-3tc



South American Indians called the rubber tree *cahuchu*, which means weeping wood. The drops of oozing latex made them think of big white tears.

## David Dale to sing in Dimmitt

The First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt will present David Dale of Lubbock in concert Sunday, at 6:30 p.m.  
Dale is a young gospel singer-songwriter who uses his guitar and music to minister to people spiritually.  
Many of the songs he will

## Ilene Bennight

Services for Ilene McElroy Bennight, 72, of Dimmitt were held Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt with the Rev. Vernon O'Kelly, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens in Dimmitt under direction of Parsons-Foskey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bennight died Sunday morning in Madill, Okla. She was born Feb. 4, 1912 in Castro County and had been a lifetime resident. Her husband W. R. McElroy preceded her in death in 1973. She married Levi Bennight in Hart in 1974. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Levi; two daughters, Linda McElroy of Dimmitt and Charlotte McElroy of Ojai, Calif.; three sisters, Mable Dixon of Amarillo, Sue Smyer of Pueblo, Colo., and Dorothy Dearman of Arlington; two brothers, Bill Cooper of Wenden, Ariz., and John Cooper of Canon City, Colo.; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Bill Glidewell, Don Carpenter, Harley Dyer, Donnie Carpenter, Dale Maxwell, Bob Murdock, Woodrow Nelson, Alvin Frazier, and C. J. Johnson.

## Dovie Louise Bland

Funeral services for Dovie Louise Bland, 79, of Plainview, the mother of three Castro County residents were held Saturday in the Lemons Memorial Chapel in Plainview with Rev. H. R. Summers, pastor of the First Assembly of God in Plainview, officiating.

Burial was at Parklawn Memorial Garden under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bland died at 12:15

a.m. last Thursday at Central Plains Regional Hospital in Plainview.

Born in Tennessee, she moved to Waxahachie in 1926. On June 1, 1946, she married Albert Lucian Bland in Vernon. They moved to Plainview in 1952 from Frederick, Okla. Mrs. Bland had worked at Luster's Laundry in Plainview. She was a member of the First Assembly of God.

She is survived by a daughter, Dorothy Yates of Dimmitt; three sons, James Terry of Hart, Holden of Dimmitt, and Henry of Clarendon; 14 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

## Herman Boles

Funeral services for Rev. Herman "Don" Boles, 74, of Lubbock, a former Dimmitt Presbyterian pastor, were held Wednesday at Covenant Presbyterian Church of Lubbock with Rev. Davis Price, pastor, Rev. Jerry Boles, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Lubbock after a short illness.

Born Jan. 11, 1910 in Wellington, he married the former Lois Jewell Pond on April 9, 1944 in Anton. He had pastored churches in Dimmitt, Muleshoe, Joshua, El Paso, and Louisville, Ky., besides a 13-year ministry at Wichita Falls' Christ United Presbyterian Church, from which he retired. He had also served as a missionary in Sitka, Alaska. He moved to Lubbock in 1978.

Before entering the ministry, Rev. Boles was a radio personality from 1937 to 1952. He is survived by his wife, four sons, a daughter, a brother, a sister, and 18 grandchildren.

## Wrenella Rodgers

Services for Wrenella Rodgers, 48, of Hart were held Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hart with Rev. Jack Lee, pastor, and Rev. Ronnie Travis, pastor of the Lee Street Baptist Church in Dimmitt, officiating.

Burial was in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Parsons-Foskey Funeral Home of Olton.

She died at 5 p.m. Saturday at Central Plains Regional Hospital in Plainview after a lengthy illness.

Born Aug. 17, 1935 in Roaring Springs, she had lived in the Hart area for 30 years. She married J. D. Rodgers Aug. 23, 1952 in Jayard.

She has been a member of the Baptist Church for many years.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, John of Plainview, and Roy and Christopher, both of Hart;

two daughters, Sharron Key of Olton and Rovena Romans of San Diego, Calif.; her mother, Evadean Pierce of Spur; two sisters, Sue Kautz of Arlington and Norma Halterman of Delores, Colo.; and 15 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: J. D. Myrick, Ralph Cole, Bud Steiert, Joe Bailey, Bob Taylor, and Jimmy Ray Davis. Honorary pallbearers were: Jim Black, Glen Black, Luie Cross, J. C. Miller, Miles Cox and R. A. Futrell.

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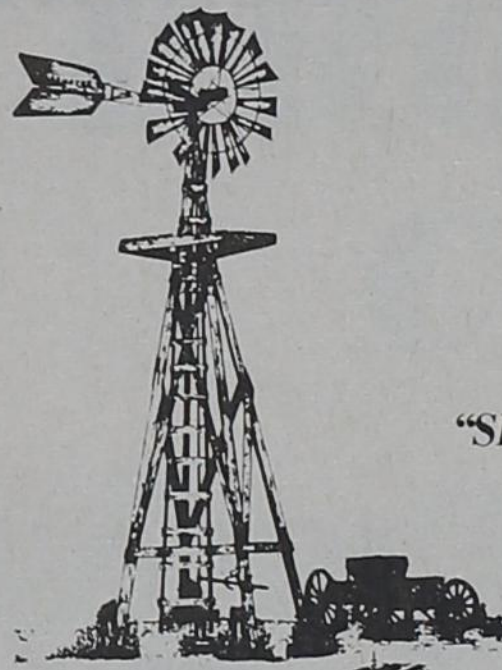
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# ABI Agriculture Business Industry

## Farmers to plant more in '84

"More in '84" seems to be the trend as farmers across the country gear up to plant spring crops.

"More crop acres will bring good news to agribusiness industries and livestock and poultry producers, but crop producers may find lower prices at harvest-time," says Dr. Carl Anderson, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Increased crop acres will give a boost to agribusiness industries furnishing supplies and services to farmers, including farm machinery. The agribusiness sector suffered a major setback in business in 1983 due to the PIK program and adverse weather, notes Anderson.

A big increase in feedgrain and oilseed acreage will benefit the livestock industry

by lowering feeding costs. A decline in feed costs should boost feeder calf prices this fall, says the economist.

"Crop farmers, on the other hand, need to sharpen their marketing skills and try to avoid getting caught with all their crop to sell at lower prices at harvest-time," notes Anderson. "Increased crop production will likely weaken market prices late in the year."

"Overall, agricultural income is expected to improve somewhat over the depressed level in 1983," believes the economist. "Increased marketings, slightly higher average prices and higher government target prices will probably add up to a little more money for Texas farmers and ranchers this year."

According to farmers' planting intentions as compiled by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, crop acreages are expected to increase by these percentages: corn, 36; cotton, 35; sorghum, 26; rice, 29; spring wheat, 18; and soybeans, 3. Winter wheat acreage is up slightly from 1983. Peanut producers, operating under a farm program that sets marketing quotas, intend to plant the same acreage as last year.

"Texas producers also will plant more acreage to crops, but the pattern of increase is somewhat different than the nation as a whole," notes Anderson. Texas farmers will expand corn, rice and soybean acreage faster — corn, 48 percent; rice, 41 and soybeans, 8 — while cotton acreage will increase 25 percent and grain sorghum, 16, lagging behind U.S. increases.

"The USDA prospective plantings report appears in line with economic expectations for acreage except for cotton and grain sorghum intentions, which are too low when compared with recent plantings," contends Anderson.

Intended cotton plantings of 10.7 million acres seem at least a million acres lower than previous plantings

would suggest, the economist points out. The U.S. has a 15.5 million acre base for farm program purposes. U.S. cotton acreage was 14.3 in 1981 and 7.5 million of that was in Texas.

Yet, planting intentions show only 5 million acres in Texas in 1984. A survey by the National Cotton Council indicates a Texas acreage of 5.7 million acres, which

seems more reasonable, Anderson says.

Planting intentions also point to only 4 million acres of sorghum in Texas compared with 6 million two years ago. Again, the economist believes this figure is too low.

"The prospective plantings report is conducted early in the year to provide producers with data they can

use in making informed production and marketing plans," Anderson points out.

"Even with the extremely low estimates for cotton and sorghum, the report clearly points to a big rebound in crop production this year. Facing increased production, farmers should develop a marketing plan that considers the risk associated with the possibility of lower prices later in the year."

## Deadlines for crop insurance are near

Some Texas farmers have until mid- to late-April to decide on insurance for their 1984 crops.

Although sign-up time is past for farmers in South Texas and in some other areas depending on the crop, farmers in the plains and parts of north central Texas have until April 30 to insure cotton, but all other crops must be insured by April 15.

Basically, farmers have a choice among three different kinds of insurance, points out Dr. Ashley Lovell of Stephenville, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

A farmer can choose to insure his crops for 50, 65 or 75% of the average yield and can select from several price levels. The premium will depend on the percent coverage and price election as well as the risk area where the farm is located. Average historical yields are deter-

mined for each risk area and are used in calculating insurance premiums and coverage levels.

Farmers with high yield histories can now secure higher coverage under the Individual Yield Coverage Plan, adds Lovell.

He reminds farmers that the base premium rates they pay vary with each crop and risk area. However, these premiums are all subsidized by the government, depending on the coverage level.

In general, crop insurance is a good alternative for managing risk, contends the economist.

A farmer will collect on his insurance if the actual physical yield falls short of the guaranteed yield coverage he selected earlier. The indemnity per acre is determined by the actual yield minus the yield coverage selected multiplied by the price option selected and

adjusted by the producer's share.

Policies can be purchased through private insurance companies. The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation helps to market the policies and reinsures them.

Crop insurance does not cover neglect or theft but does cover unavoidable losses due to adverse weather, points out Lovell. It provides protection for physical quantity and quality losses on a specific crop.

Farmers insuring their 1984 crops will receive their premium bills around harvest time, notes Lovell. Then they have 30 days to pay or the government will start charging interest on the unpaid balance.

A farmer insuring his crops this year will automatically be reinsured from year to year unless premiums go unpaid or he cancels the policy.

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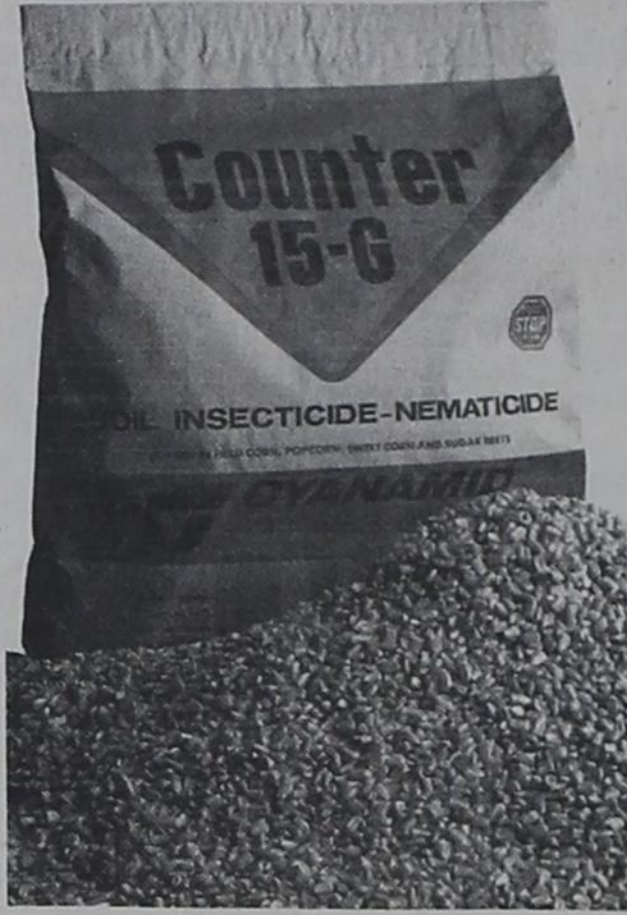
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## New realty office opens in Dimmitt

Killingsworth Realty, a division of Killingsworth Construction Co. has opened a new realty office in Dimmitt.

The office will be headed by Jim Killingsworth, who has been a licensed broker for three years. The office will deal in all phases of real estate, homes, commercial property, farms and ranches.

Offices for the realty business will be upstairs in the Killingsworth Construction Co. building.

"The Killingsworth phone number will be the same for the realty office as it is for our other operations, so people won't have to learn a new number. We're having an extra line installed on the same number to accommodate the realty office," Killingsworth said.

"I feel that our background in the construction business should give us the ability to judge the advantages and disadvantages of floor plans, current costs for improvement and construction, and other phases of the market," Killingsworth said.

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**SIGNS OF PROGRESS**—Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce directors hold up the big "Welcome" sign to launch the chamber's open house in its new office Thursday. Eighty-four visited the CoC office during the day. From left are Arlie Petty, George Lamberth, Don Sheffy, Virgil Justice, Calvin Marsh, President George Sides, Secretary Sue Caddell, Bob Caddell, Manager Delores Heller, and Past President Jim Killingsworth.

NEARLY \$22 million in estimated flood damages was prevented in Texas in 1983 through efforts of the US Army Corps of Engineers.

### Crime Line offers \$150

Crime Line is offering \$150 reward this week for information about an incident which occurred April 6.

A pickup belonging to Kent Kirby was broken into and several items stolen.

Someone broke in the rear window of the pickup and took a .22 Remington semi-automatic rifle and a Realistic CB radio. The vehicle was parked at a local business when the incident took place, sometime between 9 and 10:30 p.m. The estimated damage and value of the stolen property is \$300.

Anyone having information about this theft should call Crime Line at 647-4711.

### Dimmitt FFA teams compete

The Dimmitt FFA entered several teams in the West Texas State University judging contests Saturday and won several placings. They also plan to enter the judging contests set for Friday at South Plains College at Levelland, and will enter the district and area eliminations Saturday.

Saturday at WTSU, the dairy products judging team placed fourth, the grass judging team placed fourth, and the livestock judging team placed eleventh. Ricky McKay was eighth-high in individual scoring.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to list the names of the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic and Republican Primary Elections May 5.

#### DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

For Commissioner Pct. 1 Ed Bennett (incumbent)

For Tax Assessor-Collector Billy Hackleman (incumbent)

For Sheriff Lonny Rhynes (incumbent)

For Commissioner Pct. 3 Jeff Robertson

Jimmie Howell (incumbent)

For Representative, Congress 19th District Gary D. Condra

Delwin Jones

John Jack Selby

Thomas M. Richards

For State Senator Bill Sarpallius (incumbent)

For County-District Attorney Jimmy F. Davis (incumbent)

(Political Adv. Pd. by the candidates)

## Commissioners' meeting ranges from hot to cold

In Commissioners court Monday, county commissioners discussed heating and cooling problems in the courthouse, approved the payment of several bills, and discussed insurance coverage changes.

Representatives from Honeywell and Marvin Bryant of Bryant Sales and Service met with commissioners to discuss the heating and cooling system in the courthouse.

Commissioners are interested in getting thermostat and fan controls in each office, to better control the temperature.

Commissioners will write up specifications and advertise for bids later.

Commissioners also approved the payment of several bills including: \$2,068.38 and \$2,559.52 to West Texas Culvert for Precincts 1 and 2; \$2,011.93 to West Texas Electric (precinct 1); \$2,063.47 to Dimmitt Consumers (precinct 3); \$6,986.93 for Appraisal District budget; and \$3,872.69 for liability insurance in the National Sheriff's Association.

The court also approved the payment of expenses for several county employees, including \$450 for a four day training session County Auditor Reeford Burrous attended, and \$352.82 in expenses for a seminar County Judge Polly Simpson

attended.

Keith Lowe met with commissioners to discuss the insurance premium increase in the county's policy. The premium went from \$18,900 last year to \$24,600 this year. Lowe, who handles the county's insurance said the increase is due to new equipment, an increase in state rates, and to take care of gaps in coverage.

Commissioners voted to contact the Texas State Library to inventory and dispose of obsolete records in the courthouse.

Work has been stopped on the communications building at the courthouse to give the builder an opportunity to obtain liability insurance. If he does not commissioners will again take bids on the building.

County tax-assessor collector Billy Hackleman

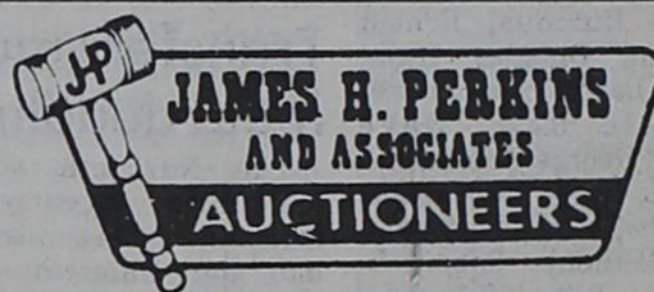
reported to commissioners that the county now has 4,707 registered voters. His office has paid the county \$73,672.16 for collections for license fees and titles.

Commissioners voted to include the tax-assessor collector, treasurer, auditor, district attorney, and the judge in the errors and omissions insurance protection.

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### Annen speaks to Rotarians

Jerry Annen of Dimmitt, an employee of Dillon Gage, Inc., spoke to the Rotary Club Friday about his company and its functions.

Annen told the group about commodities futures, and explained about margin calls and leverage. He cautioned potential investors to investigate any broker before spending money with them.

Annen also announced that his firm is now in the securities market.

Club committees are currently considering candidates for RYLA Camp and for the annual Rotary scholarship.

A progress report was given on Paul Dannevik, who recently had back surgery. He is reportedly doing fine. Paul is the son of club member Bill Dannevik.

Twenty-three club members and the club sweetheart were present at the meeting.

### Transfers must meet deadline

The Nazareth schools announced recently that students wishing to transfer into the Nazareth school district for the 1984-85 school year need to pick up a transfer form at the superintendent's office.

The forms must be filled out and returned no later than May 1.

For those who have filled out a form in the past, it is not necessary to do so again, a spokesperson said.

### Free clinic set

The Texas Dept. of Health is offering a free immunization clinic in Dimmitt Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the city hall assembly room.

Vaccines will be given that offer protection against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, and mumps.

There is no charge for the vaccines.

Another clinic is set for April 25 at Hart Elementary School from 9 to 11 a.m.

### Social Security in Castro County

By TERRY J. CLEMENTS

A person whose Social Security check does not arrive on the day it is expected should wait for two more mail deliveries before contacting any Social Security office. This will take care of a good share of delayed checks. If the check still has not arrived after 2 days, the people at the office can begin action.

The most common cause of failure to receive a check is failure to report a change of address. Many people fail to notify Social Security when they move, even though they rely on their Social Security checks as their primary source of income.

Some people think it is enough to report their change of address to the post office. The post office, however, will forward mail to the person's new address for just one year. After that they will send the check back to the US Treasury.

If the person's check is returned and the new address provided, it usually takes about four or five days for a new check to be sent. If the check was not returned, a stop order will be put on it and the matter will be transferred to Washington, D.C., to see if the check has been cashed.

If it has not been cashed, a new check will be sent right away. This process can take up to three weeks. If it has been cashed, a new check cannot be sent until the person who cashed the check is identified.

Even though a person's check is deposited directly into his or her account in a financial institution, he or she should notify Social Security of any change in address.

If you need to contact our office our telephone number is 293-4371. If you need to visit our office our address is 1401-B West 5th Street in Plainview.

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**45¢**  
12 OZ. BTL.

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**SWIFT VIENNA SAUSAGE**  
**279¢**  
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**79¢ EACH**  
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**FROZEN FOOD SPECIALS**  
**ASSORTED FLAVORS SHURFRESH ICE CREAM**  
**\$1.29**  
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SHURFINE FROZEN **CUT CORN** 20 OZ. PKG. **89¢**  
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**PLAINS COTTAGE CHEESE** 24 OZ. CTN. **\$1.19**  
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SHURFRESH BTRMLK/SWTMLK **BISCUITS** 6 8 OZ. CANS **\$1.00**  
SHURFRESH HALFMOON CHEDDAR **CHEESE** 16 OZ. PKG. **\$1.99**  
SHURFRESH CINNAMON **ROLLS** 9 ½ OZ. CAN **89¢**  
SHURFRESH IND. SLI. WRPD. AMERICAN **CHEESE FOOD** 12 OZ. PKG. **\$1.29**  
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**RIGHT GUARD** 3 OZ. DEODORANT BRONZE, 2 ½ OZ. ANTI-PERSPIRANT **\$1.69** CAN

**TYLENOL** EXTRA STRENGTH **TYLENOL CAPSULES** **\$3.69** 50 CT. BTL.

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SHURFINE **APPLESAUCE** 2 16 OZ. CANS **79¢**  
SHURFINE MANDARIN **ORANGES** 2 11 OZ. CANS **99¢**  
SHURFINE FRUIT COCKTAIL OR BARTLETT **PEARS** 16 OZ. CAN **69¢**



### Happy anniversary!

### Bullock's rep to be here

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that Lloyd Allred from his Lubbock Field Office will be at the Castro County Courthouse in the County Commissioner's room on Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the courthouse the third Wednesday of each month.

### Coaches' meeting set for tonight

Anyone who would like to coach or assist in the upcoming Kids, Inc. baseball program is urged to attend a meeting set for today (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. at the Dimmitt City Hall meeting room.

### Coaches' meeting set for tonight

Those wanting to help but who are unable to attend the meeting need to contact Kids, Inc. representative Jerry Stump at 647-2631 sometime before the meeting.

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SUGAR LOAF **PINEAPPLE** EACH **79¢**

TASTY ACORN **SQUASH** LB. **29¢**

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- SHURFINE ALUMINUM **FOIL** 12x25 ROLL **59¢**
- SHURFINE GARBAGE **BAGS** 30 CT. PKG. **79¢**
- SHURFINE LAWN & LEAF **BAGS** 10 CT. PKG. **\$1.99**
- SYLVANIA 60/75/100 WATT **LIGHT BULBS** 2 CT. PKG. **99¢**

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- SHURFINE SWEET **RELISH** 8 OZ. JAR **59¢**
- SHURFINE **MUSTARD** 2 16 OZ. JARS **89¢**
- SHURFINE BLACK **PEPPER** 2 OZ. CAN **39¢**
- ASSORTED SHURFINE **BAG CANDY** 2 BAGS **\$1.00**

## VETERAN'S SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH  
County Service Officer

Certain unemployed veterans may now be eligible to participate in a new program to train for jobs.

Unemployed veterans of either the Vietnam Era or the Korean Conflict may be trained for jobs in programs approved under the Emergency Veterans' Job Training Act of 1983 (Public Law 98-77). By payments being made directly to the employers by the Veterans Administration, the law makes it more attractive to hire veterans.

To qualify, veterans must have been unemployed for at least 15 of the last 20 weeks. The maximum period of training is nine months, except for veterans with service-connected disabilities rated 30% or more, or who are shown to have serious employment handicapping service-connected disabilities which are rated less than 30%. These disabled veterans can be trained for up to 15 months, if necessary.

Veterans who want to begin a program of training under this new law must apply by completing VA Form 22-8932, available at any VA office. Upon receipt of the form, and a copy of veteran's DD Form 214, the VA will determine eligibility. If entitled, veteran will be furnished with a Certificate of Eligibility, which he takes to the employer who is willing to train him for a new job.

Additional information on this new program for training unemployed veterans may be obtained from the Veterans Employment Representative at the Texas Employment Commission, or VA Counsellor. Both have offices at the Federal Building in the 1200 block in Lubbock. The toll-free telephone number to inquire about this or any other VA benefit is 1-800-792-3271.

Your County Service Officer can help claimants for any VA or Texas benefit for veterans or their survivors. Our office number is 647-4666 and home number is 647-4368.

The toll free information number for the Texas Land Board is 1-800-252-VETS.

## Presbyterian happenings

Sunday is Palm Sunday. There is a Sunday Church School class every Sunday for everyone, at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible class meets at the home of Mrs. Emily Clingsmith; all other classes meet at the church.

"Jesus and the Children in the Temple" will be Pastor Freeman's children's sermon, and "Hosanna! Discerning the Lord's Body" will be his adult sermon at the morning service at 11. There will be a women's trio singing for the service.

Our church will have three numbers in the joint praise service at the First United Methodist Church at 2:30 p.m.

"The Light" will be the theme of the Holy Wednesday service Wednesday at 7 p.m.

"The Sacrament of the Commonplace" will be the theme of the Maundy Thursday service next Thursday at 7 p.m. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

Jimmy Davis will speak on "How an Attorney Looks at the Trial and Crucifixion of Jesus" on Good Friday at 7 p.m.

Here are the lunch menus for the Dimmitt schools for the week of April 16-20.

MONDAY — Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, blackeyed peas, peanut-butter bars, milk.

TUESDAY — Beef tacos, shredded lettuce, whole-kernel corn, apricots, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chicken-fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, honey-butter, milk.

THURSDAY — Beef stew, cornbread, peaches, prune cake, milk.

FRIDAY — Fish burgers, cole slaw, tater tots, Easter cake, milk.

## What's Cooking?

Here are the breakfast and lunch menus for the Hart schools for the week of April 16-20.

MONDAY — Breakfast: Frosted flakes, banana, milk. Lunch: Enchilada casserole, tortillas, tossed salad, Mexican hominy, pineapple cake, milk.

TUESDAY — Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, orange juice, milk. Lunch: Cheeseburgers on homemade bun, tossed salad, French fries, apple sauce, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Breakfast: Buttered toast, jelly, apple juice, milk. Lunch: Turkey and dressing, sliced bread, green beans, buttered corn, peach cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Breakfast: Fruit Loops, peaches, milk. Lunch: Sandwiches, tossed salad, potatoes, chips, cookies, milk.

FRIDAY — No school. Good Friday.

## Senior Citizens

Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones and is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Membership is open to anyone who is fifty years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, color, race, national origin, ethnic background, religion, denominational preference, political party, economic status, or handicap.

There is a nutritious meal served each day from 11:30 to 1 p.m.

Bridge is played at the Center on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings at 10. Duplicate Bridge is played on Monday evenings.

The Hi Plains Hearing Aid representative will be at the Center today (Thursday) from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

There will be a mortgage and note burning Supper at the Center tonight (Thursday) at 6. Barbecue and all the trimmings will be served with tickets for adults at \$4.50 and for children at \$2. Table games will be played throughout the evening. Come and help us celebrate.

Exercise class is held every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10 a.m.

Holy Week services will be conducted by the Castro County Ministerial Alliance at the Center, Monday through Friday, from 12 noon at 12:30 p.m. The lunch counter will be closed during the service, but will be open for the half hour preceding and the half hour following the service. Speakers are: Monday, Terry Griffith; Tuesday, Tom Mullins; Wednesday, Steve Ulrey; Thursday, Ronnie Travis; Friday, Van Earl Hughes.

Quilting, crafts, and table games are daily activities at the Center.

Here are the lunch menus for the Nazareth schools for the week of April 16-20.

MONDAY — Barbecue on a bun, corn, cauliflower, apple crisps, milk.

TUESDAY — Roast, whipped potatoes, gravy, blackeyed peas, hot rolls, chocolate cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pizza, tossed salad, green beans, peach cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Tacos, lettuce, peas, hot buttered bread, pears, milk.

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New technology is making misers out of many old furnaces.

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# People

## Bailey is new deputy in sheriff's office



Jerry Bailey

Jerry Bailey, 39, has joined the Castro County Sheriff's Dept. as a deputy. A native of Tacoma, Wash., Bailey has lived in

Texas 14 years and has been in law enforcement seven years, mainly with the Littlefield Police Dept. and as police chief at Sudan.

Later he helped build the Tolk Station power plant between Earth and Muleshoe, and most recently has been a driver for Steere Tank Lines while serving as a part-time peace officer for the City of Earth.

He and his wife, Vicki, and their two sons — Curtis, 13, and Stephen Paul, 2 — moved to Dimmitt last week from Sudan. They live at 803 W. Bedford St.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey both enjoy working with ceramics. He also enjoys fishing "when I can find the time."

Bailey has taken state and federal courses in criminal investigation, accident investigation, drug investigation and enforcement, and crime prevention.



**INVESTMENT DRESSING** will be the subject of one of the new Lunch & Learn meeting series, sponsored by the Castro County Extension Service. The series starts Tuesday with "Organizing Your Life." Members of the planning committee for the

series [from left] Martha Jo Hyman, local fashion merchandiser, Teresa Nutt, CEAHE, and Polly Simpson, Castro County Judge, view one of the outfits that will be used in the May 1 "Investment Dressing" program that will be led by Nutt.

## Tischler is honored



Toby Tischler

Toby Tischler, a senior at Dimmitt High School, has been named a 1984 United States National Achievement Academy Award winner in band, leadership and leadership service.

Tischler was nominated by John Thomas, counsellor, and Cody Myers, band director. She will appear in the academy official yearbook, published annually.

Criteria for selection include academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and

cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

Tischler is the daughter of Delton and Sue Tischler. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Tischler of Lubbock and Riley and Lillian Prisk of Clifton.



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From Invitation to Reception. Come by and let Martha help you with your wedding, anniversary, or party plans.

## Lunch & Learn series set for local women

Teresa Nutt, Castro County Extension Agent-Home Economist, recently announced that a new "Lunch & Learn" series has been planned especially for local women.

Tuesday will be the first meeting, beginning at 12:10 p.m. and lasting until about 1:50 p.m. in the basement assembly room at the courthouse. All are invited to attend and bring a sack lunch. Drinks will be provided. There is no charge.

Bonnie Piernot will be the

speaker for Tuesday's session on "Organizing Your Life."

On the following Tuesdays, series subjects will include "Appearance Counts," "Investment Dressing," "Fitness Counts," and "Food and

Meal Management for the Busy Lifestyle." Speakers will include Ann Henderson and Teresa Nutt.

Members of the planning committee for the series include Nutt, Martha Jo Hyman, and County Judge Polly Simpson.

## Hansen, Cole to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hansen of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Deborah, to Phillip Cole, son of Jack Cole of Lampasas.

The couple plan a May 12 wedding in the home of the bride-elect's parents.

Miss Hansen is a graduate of Dimmitt High School. Cole is a graduate of Lubbock High School. Both attended Texas Tech University.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

#### Patients In Hospital:

- Modesta Sandoval
- Froilan Reyna
- Ray Sheffy Jr.
- Joy Baker
- E. P. Calhoun
- Melodye Neely
- Ramona Murillo
- Rosa Sifuentez

#### Patients Dismissed:

- Karen Casas
- Enequina Quintero
- Joe Evans
- Jose Flores
- Tricia Lewis
- Juanita Rios
- Leonardo Mendoza
- Mary Sue Smithson
- Phillip Thrasher
- Amanda Gonzales
- Elena Rodriguez
- Joe Silva
- David Talamantez
- LaTonya Finch
- John Merritt
- Keri Jo Jack

## McWilliams is honored

Teresa Lynn McWilliams, bride-elect of James Abner Roberts, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Billy Clark of Dimmitt.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Clark, the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Diana McWilliams, and the mother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Linda Roberts of Lubbock.

Special guests were Mrs. Louise Roberts and Mrs. Helen Smith, grandmothers of the groom-to-be; Mrs. Peggy Sharrock, aunt of the bride-elect; and Leigh Ann Sharrock, cousin of the bride-elect.

Covered with a white linen and lace cloth, the serving table featured appointments of crystal and brass. A spring bouquet of silk flowers in the bride's chosen colors completed the table setting. Cookies and punch were served.

Sharing hostess duties were 16 women, who presented corsages to the honored guests. Hostess gift to the couple was a coffee maker and crystal glasses.

The pair will wed April 20 in Trinity Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

## Tour is planned

A tour of the American Cotton Growers denim plant in Littlefield has been planned by the Family Living Committee of the Castro County Extension Office.

The tour is planned for April 26. Departure from Dimmitt is set for 9 a.m., with the tour scheduled at 10 a.m. Those wishing to go may meet at the east side of the courthouse.

If you are interested in going, call Teresa Nutt at the county extension office at 647-4115.



Some oak trees still thriving in England may have been seen by the Saxon kings, more than 900 years ago.

### Police calls

Law enforcement officers arrested six men and one woman this week in the county.

Three men were arrested for public intoxication, two were from Earth.

A Lubbock man (25) and a Silverton man (29) were arrested for driving while their license was suspended.

A 32-year-old Hereford man was arrested Sunday for DWI, speeding, and resisting arrest.

Tuesday a 19-year-old Hereford woman was arrested for theft by check.

A juvenile was apprehended April 6 in connection with the breaking of a glass door at Dimmitt Middle School. He has been turned over to juvenile authorities.

A minor traffic accident was reported last Thursday, when the driver of a pickup lost control of the vehicle and collided with a parked car. No one was injured.

You are invited to a

Baby Shower  
honoring  
**Sandra McLean**  
Saturday, April 21, 1984  
3 to 5 p.m.  
in the home of  
**Jackie Byrnes**  
1622 Sunset Circle

You are invited to a  
Bridal Shower  
honoring  
**Sharla Street**  
bride-elect of  
**Michael Blanton**  
Saturday, April 21, 1984  
2:30 to 4 p.m.  
in the home of  
**Mrs. Charles Vandiver**  
707 W. Lee  
Selections: Cobbo, The Village Shop,  
Parsons and Mana's



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Saturday, April 21, 1984  
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in the home of  
**Mrs. Stan Byrnes**  
1622 Sunset Circle  
Selections at: Cobbo, Parsons Drug and  
The Village Shop



## DKG installs new officers

Iota Zeta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma had DKG area coordinator Mrs. Lucy Faye Smith of Muleshoe to perform the installation of the new slate of officers at the annual spring banquet Monday night.

Also, three new members were initiated. They are Charlotte Nordell, Yvonna Yanstory and Jaquetta Glass.

The new officers will serve two-year terms. They are Gainell Minnick, president; Mary Nell King, first vice president; Verbie Nelson, second vice president; Faye Walker, recording secretary; Dorothy Street, treasurer; Shirley Reese, parliamentarian; and June Parker, corresponding secretary.

Shirley Schacher was announced as the recipient of the 1984-85 recruitment grant from the chapter, and will receive \$200 for each of two semesters, according to Shirley Barnes.

NATIONALLY, some 60 million Americans belong to about 40,000 cooperatives.



Daisy Langford

Centrie Mayberry

Katie Ivey

## March, April Feature Teachers are honored

The Dimmitt Classroom Teachers' Association has named three Feature Teacher honorees — two for March and one for April.

Daisy Langford, a teacher's aide, and Centrie Mayberry, a special education Plan A Resource teacher, were honored for March; and Katie Ivey, a sixth grade social studies teacher, was honored for April.

Langford started teaching in 1969. She works as a teacher's aide in kindergarten, first and second grades.

Born in Plainview, she graduated from Plainview High School, and moved to Dimmitt in 1954. She married Marshall "Corkey"

Langford, and they have four sons. They attend the Methodist Church.

Their sons are Gary of Dimmitt, who is married to the former Linda Malone; Larry of Dallas; Paul of Lubbock, who married the former Cindy Rhodes of Boerne; and Karl, who is a student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Their grandchildren are Jeremy and Amber Langford.

Having moved to Dimmitt in 1958, Mayberry first worked for the Dimmitt school system in 1969 as a data collector in the Follow Through program at Richardson Elementary.

In 1975, Mayberry became a teachers' aide, serving in that capacity until 1980, when she returned to college to earn her bachelor's degree in elementary education from West Texas State University. Concentrating in special education, she completed her studies in December of 1981.

In January of 1982, she returned to Richardson Elementary as a reading resource teacher and is now in her second year as a Plan A resource.

Raised in McCurtain County, Okla., she attended school in grades 1-12 there. On Nov. 7, 1951, she married Ellis Mayberry. They lived in Floyd County before moving to Dimmitt. Ellis is a mechanic at M's Garage in Dimmitt.

The pair have three children and one grandchild. The children are Zenitha, an R.N. at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo; Robert, a salesman for American Business Telephone in Dallas; and Thompson, a student at WTSU and employed at Southwestern Public Service Co. in Canyon.

Ivey is in her second year

of teaching in the Dimmitt schools. Living in the area for six years, she lives in the Easter community with her husband, Paul, and son, Jimmy, 4.

Raised in Brooklyn, Iowa, Ivey graduated from the University of Iowa in 1969 with her bachelor's degree carrying a double major of history and political science. She is taking post graduate courses at WTSU to earn her secondary certification.

Her hobbies include reading and writing.

## AHA raises \$1,600 in drive

The local chapter of the American Heart Association met recently in their regular monthly meeting to report on the Castro County residential drive and make plans for the events coming in the near future.

The drive was recently completed with approximately \$1,600.00 raised.

Members of the local board would like to encourage anyone, that may have been missed during the residential drive, who desires to make a contribution to the American Heart Association please do so at the First State Bank.

Plans were made for the annual tennis tournament that will be held April 30 and May 1 through 6. The fees are \$8 per event and you may pick up registration forms at the First State Bank or from Joe King. If you desire more information you may contact Joe King at 647-4587 or 647-2118.

The next regular meeting will be in May with the installation of new officers and board members.

## IA Club qualifies for state

The Dimmitt Industrial Arts Club entered the written regional competitions at South Plains College in Levelland Saturday, and will send at least 12 entrants in 10 events to the state level of competition.

First, second and third place winners from the regional contest will go to the state contests.

Winners from regional are listed below by events. Judging was not complete in the Technical Writing division but results were to be forwarded this week.

DRAFTING I — 1. Mark Bruegel. 3. Robert Green. DRAFTING I (on site) — 1. Robert Green. 2. Mark Bruegel. WOODWORKING I — 1. Trampas Moke. 2. Mark Bruegel. 4. Jesus Yanez.

WOODWORKING II — 3. Tammy McMillon. 4. Alex Lopez.

METALS I — 1. Scott Lane. 2. Hal Gilbreath. METALS II — 2. David Stephens.

POWER I — 1. Jesus Yanez. 2. Mike Stanford. 3. Mike Schinkus. 4. Wade Elliott.

POWER II — 1. David Stephens. 2. Pete Roberts. TECHNICAL SPEAKING — 1. Joyce Schilling. 2. Mark Bruegel.

CHAPTER CONDUCTING — 1. Team of J.P. Spencer, Mike Stanford, Scott Lane, Trampas Moke, Joyce Schilling and David Stephens.

## Students receive first communion

Immaculate Conception Church held First Communion services Sunday for 44 second and third grade students.

Father Raphael Chen officiated. The students were instructed by Mrs. Bea Acker and Mrs. Ramona Lopez.

The following students received their First Holy Communion: Anthony Brito, Rachel Rivera, Janie Robles, Crystal Rodriguez, Selma Montalvo, Rachel Salinas, Stace McDaniel, David Vargas, Christina Luna. Virginia Torres, Michelle Perez,

Mario Vela, Connie Castaneda, Kathy Villareal, Mona Liza Rivera, Lalo Flores, Terrie Flores, Liza Guajardo, Ernie Guzman, Jeremy Nino, Mel Rivera, Arturo Ortega, Suzanne Lopez, Orlando Rodriguez, Mary Garcia, Maria Guajardo, Katrina Acker, Jimmy Casas, Ricky Rodriguez, Umberto Torres, David Rodriguez, Lesa Nino, Oralia Navarro, Liza Gonzales, Nora Rosado, Timmy Anes, Irma Vela, Michael Acevado, Cecy Luna, Michelle Cabrera, Louisa Garcia, Rafael Vasquez, Richard Villegas and Fedincio Pena.

## Bike-a-Thon set Saturday

The Wheels for Life Bike-a-Thon to raise funds for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital is set for Saturday at the Dimmitt High School track.

The ride will begin at 1 p.m., continuing until 5 p.m. Riders have lined up sponsors who have pledged a certain amount per mile completed.

Sponsors and riders may still sign up by calling 647-3710 or by contacting Elaine Thompson, organizer of the event.

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# Nazareth

By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

We are proud of our Nazareth High School band who received its first Division I (superior) rating ever in concert performance at the Region XVI North Zone band competition in Plainview. The 45 member band was the only Class A group to receive a I rating in concert. And a special thanks to band director Bernie Tackitt.

Mayor Tommy Hoelting received 75 votes and councilman Carroll Gerber 65 in the city election on Saturday. In the school board race, Alphonse Kleman 156 votes, Ralph Albracht 140 votes and J. C. Pohlmeier 123.

Congratulations to the F. P. Schachers on their 55th wedding anniversary. An "open house" was held for them at the Senior Citizen Center Sunday afternoon.

The Second Annual American Legion Pool Tournament was held this weekend — proceeds to be used for Boys

State. The finals were Sunday afternoon with Olin Schulte winning first in singles and Kevin Gerber second. Julius Birkenfeld and Kevin Gerber won first in doubles, Stanley Maurer and Keith Gerber second. Refreshments and barbecued sausage sandwiches were enjoyed by many.

The teens of both Nazareth and Hart attended a Lenten Retreat Sunday afternoon with Dr. Jordan Grooms of Amarillo as director. The theme was "Focus on Christ" for teenagers, seventh through twelfth grade. It was held in Holy Family CCD building. The retreat ended with barbecued hamburgers made by the American Legion. A special thanks to them.

Congratulations to Greg and Glenda Birkenfeld on the birth of a son, Jason Mark, on April 8th in North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Grandparents are Herman and Marilyn Birkenfeld and Albert and Virgie Gerber.

Robert and Donya Pohlmeier of Elk City, Okla. spent the weekend here with the Philip Pohlmeiers.

Marvin and Darlene Schulte visited with Martha Schulte this weekend. Mamie Lueb of Boulder, Colo. came home with them to spend several weeks.

Congratulations to Calvin and Michelle Schulte of Lubbock on the birth of a daughter, Candace Dawn, on April 7 in a Lubbock hospital. Grandparents are Gilbert and Dolly Schulte and Luke and Mona Acker.

Serena, daughter of the Leslie Birkenfelds, is home and doing fine after being treated several days in Northwest Texas Hospital.

A Lenten evening of prayer and reflection in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament for ministers of Communion from both parish churches of Hart and Nazareth was held Sunday evening in Holy Family Church.

Holy Week Mass and Service Schedule for Holy Family Church is:

Palm Sunday: 7:30 p.m. Saturday evening Mass with the blessing of palms and the Passion play in Holy Family Church. Palms will be blessed in the CCD Building. There will be no 8:00 a.m.

Mass as recommended by the liturgy committee.

9:30 a.m. Mass with the blessing of palms and the solemn Passion play in Holy Family Church. Palms will be blessed in the CCD building. Please note the time change — 30 minutes earlier.

11:30 a.m. Mass in St. Johns Church of Hart with the blessing of palms in the parish hall and the solemn Passion play.

Tuesday of Holy Week: 7:30 p.m. Private confessions in St. Johns of Hart.

Wednesday of Holy Week: 7:30 p.m. Private confessions in Holy Family, Nazareth.

Holy Thursday, Mass of the Lord's Supper: 8:00 p.m. Mass in Holy Family Church. Includes washing of the feet of men and women chosen to represent the twelve apostles, re-promising of vows for the pastor, sisters, deacons, and communion ministers, the ceremony of blessed bread to be shared and eaten on Good Friday, and the vigil before the Eucharist until midnight.

Good Friday: 12:00 noon Stations of the Cross.

8:00 p.m. Solemn Passion — Veneration of the Cross and Communion Service.

Holy Saturday: 8:00 p.m. The Solemn Easter Vigil and first Mass of Easter in Holy Family Church. The lighting of the new fire and carving of the Pascal candle. Baptisms and our renewal of baptismal promises.

Easter Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Mass in Holy Family Church. 11:30 a.m. Mass in St. Johns.

## More about Voters...

(Continued from Page 1) showing with write-ins. Alphonse Kleman received 156 votes, Ralph Albracht got 140, and J. C. Pohlmeier took 123. Seventy write-ins were given to Imogene Dreyer and 53 went to Lavern Wilhelm. Fourteen other names were also listed as write-ins.

The Nazareth city election returned unopposed Mayor Tommy Hoelting to office with 75 votes of confidence, with a single write-in vote cast; and registered five write-ins along with the 65 votes received by unopposed incumbent city commissioner Carroll Gerber.

Hart's city election included only one city commissioner race, with unopposed incumbent Ronnie Truelock receiving 186 votes. Five write-ins were cast.

In the Castro County Hospital District election, there were two unopposed incumbents. In the tally from Dimmitt's ballots, Marguerite McLain received 392 votes and Jerome Brockman got 386. Results from the Hart and Nazareth boxes were unavailable Wednesday morning, according to Plains Memorial Hospital Administrator Marshall Cook.

## Castro County names Spelling Bee champs

Michelle Schulte of Nazareth won the senior division of the Castro County Spelling Bee recently in Dimmitt, and will advance to the 36th Annual Regional Bee April 28 at West Texas State University in Canyon.

Junior winner was Kristi Sims of Dimmitt.

The winners of both divisions will be honored at a Champions' Luncheon the day of the regional competition. Families and friends are invited to attend.

Schulte, an eighth grader, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Schulte. She was the junior winner last year.

Sims is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Sims of Dimmitt. She is a fourth grader.

Senior runner up was Shana Birkenfeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Birkenfeld of Nazareth.



Michelle Schulte Junior winner was Kristi Sims of Dimmitt. Senior runner up was Shana Birkenfeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Birkenfeld of Nazareth.

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A volleyball tournament, sponsored by the Peace Officers Association was held this weekend in Dimmitt with Hereford, Amarillo, Dimmitt and Nazareth teams participating. The team of Stanley Maurer, Larry Hochstein, Patti Kern, Virgil Huseman, Dianne Hochstein and Sharon Brockman won first place and the team of Doyle and Rosie Kleman, Danny and Karen Gerber, Sandee Hoelting and Gary Kleman won second.

Rose Hindman was surprised with a birthday party Sunday afternoon. Those attending were Dolly Schulte, Dorothy Schulte, Norita Hoelting, Toby Gerber, Joan Durbin and Ann Schulte.

The Christian Mothers Society had a bake sale Saturday at Thriftway in Dimmitt. Proceeds went to Pro-Life.

A special childrens mass was celebrated Sunday morning in Holy Family Church with children of the third, fourth and fifth grade participating in the hymns and Scripture reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Guggemos spent Sunday in Friona with their family, Mick and Jane Gerber.

The Nazareth School Activity Fund will sponsor a mixed volleyball tournament April 11, 12 and 13. Proceeds will go toward a new trophy case at school.

Three-Two Slow Pitch Softball tournament, sponsored by the Catholic Daughters, will be held Sunday, April 15. Couples interested in playing need to contact Kathy Birkenfeld at the post office 945-2531. Proceeds will benefit the Catholic Daughters functions and charities.

Cince and Lisa Schulte spent the weekend with Martha Schulte at Craig Hospital in Englewood, Colo. She seems to be steadily improving.

**Last week's news**

Glenda Birkenfeld was the honoree at a baby shower Sunday afternoon at the Tullia home of Tricia Rose. Many useful and pretty gifts were received from the friends and relatives who attended.

**Screening set next Thursday**

The Dimmitt Independent School District will sponsor a free Early Childhood Screening of Pre-school children (ages 3-5), next Thursday.

To take part in the screening, bring your pre-schoolers to the Middle School Library, 805 W. Jones, between the hours of 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., April 19.

The screening is used to locate children who may need special education pre-school programs to help them to succeed in regular kindergarten programs.

Each child will be screened for fine motor, gross motor, conceptual and communication skills.

A counselor, trained in the identification of children with special education needs will review the screening results with the parent or guardian of each child screened. A parent or guardian must accompany each child participating in the screening. The total screening process should take about one hour.

For additional information, contact the Director of Special Education for the Castro County Cooperative for Comprehensive Education in Dimmitt, Texas at 647-3103.

**More about Voters...**

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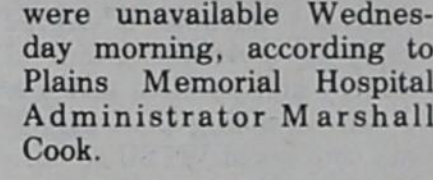
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Because of the long popularity of the American Field Service here, many Dimmitt mothers are fortunate enough to have "daughters" all over the world. Our models this week are Sue Boozer, her daughter Kyla, and her "AFS daughter," Anja Blester.

Kyla (left) is wearing an ensemble of Madras print separates by Pandora. Sue models a double-breasted wrap in taupe and white stripes, by Act I. Anja is wearing a chemise with a drop waist, in a light blue stripe-and-screen pattern, by Act I. The girls are having fun with straw Easter bonnets designed for little girls by Harold Lehman.

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# Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703



19TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT CANDIDATE Thomas M. Richards [center] visits with Castro County residents Ed Wilson and Aural Davis at a coffee Monday

at City Hall in Dimmitt. Richards is contending with four other democrats for the party spot to be decided May 5.

## More about

### School board...

(Continued from Page 1)

level 9-12 courses listed by the state, and must keep records showing that students have had the opportunity to take these courses every year or at least every other year.

For courses where 10 or more students indicate they will participate, or for courses required for graduation, the district must make the course available. Where fewer than 10 students indicate interest in a course, the school district must use Texas Education Agency (TEA) approved options to make the course available in an alternate way. Schools are required to prove that they have done so.

"For example, if one student wishes to take Latin, the district must use every approved means at its disposal to make that course available for that student," Ryan said. "If the approved option arrived at is for the student to take the course by correspondence, then the district must bear the cost of the correspondence course."

Another new requirement is that out-of-state transfer students will be required to meet all the graduation requirements of this state before being allowed to graduate.

If the requirements from their former state are not as stringent, then the student must take sufficient courses to "make up the difference." Implementation of the new guidelines for the kindergarten through sixth grade level will begin with the 1984-85 school year and be fully operational the 1985-86 school year.

Secondary grades 7-12 will fully implement the new

guidelines beginning with the 1985-86 school year.

Each school district is required to submit a plan by Aug. 31, 1984 to the Division of School Accreditation, showing how the guidelines will be implemented in that district.

The guidelines specify that two or more districts may arrange for the cooperative use of personnel, facilities or materials and equipment.

State Board of Education member Marge West of Amarillo said recently, "It's a very rigid plan. And it is putting a great deal of pressure on small school districts."

Small school districts are going to have real difficulty providing the new required high school curriculum, she said, adding that some have felt that the guidelines will bring about consolidation of many smaller schools.

The Region XVI organization of Texas Association of School Administrators (TASA) requested that the board express its opinions on the proposals recently aired in the first draft report of the Select Committee on Public Education (SCOPE), headed by H. Ross Perot.

The Dimmitt board is in favor of continuing to elect the members of the State Board of Education, rather than having them appointed, as recommended by SCOPE. The board also favored letting the University Interscholastic League continue as an independent organization, rather than placing it under the authority of the state board of education.

Continued state funding for vocational education was favored, but pre-kindergarten education for 4-year-olds was disapproved.

Annual achievement testing of students was okayed, but competency testing for all professional educators was approved only on the basis of testing in a teacher's subject area and level.

The board disapproved of extending the school day or the school year, and rejected the idea of using a common school calendar statewide.

Board members felt that they could regain some measure of local control by going to a basic funding grant, rather than remaining with the current funding formulas that dictate how certain state monies can be spent.

The board also favored establishing a career ladder program.

Board members appointed Bill Harman to serve on the board of directors of the Castro County Appraisal District, replacing Charles Nutt, who resigned.

The school calendar for 1984-85 was approved. The 175-day school year will begin Aug. 20 for teachers and Aug. 23 for students. Graduation will be held May 24, 1985, a Friday; but the last day of school will not be until Monday, May 27, 1985, followed by an inservice day for teachers.

Other in service days are planned for Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Jan. 14 and Feb. 15. Spring break will be March 11-15. The Christmas holidays will begin Dec. 19, with classes resuming Jan. 2.

The bid for the schools' all risk property and liability insurance was awarded to the Texas Association of School Boards for their three-year policy with a premium of \$39,918, to be paid in annual installments.

Thirty members of the church participated in the Texas Scripture Distribution / Prospect Discovery Day Sunday afternoon by making a religious survey of the entire community and placing a New Testament in every home in the community of those who were at home. They will visit the other homes sometime during the week or next Sunday. They had dinner together at the church and assigned the zones to be covered, and distributed packets with the necessary survey cards and maps of the zone. Dr. Strauss Atkinson joined them after the services at Bledsoe. Cliff Brown served as the overall chairman, Teeny and L. B. Bowden as the Territorial chairman, Gale and Verna Sadler as the Packet and Materials chairmen, Noah and Ruth Spencer as the Scripture Distribution chairmen, and Naomi Brown as Processing chairman. Bennie Villarreal and his department covered the entire community contacting all the Spanish-speaking homes in the community. Judy Damron and Lanette Ethridge stayed at the church with the children. Naomi Brown stayed at the church to process the results as they came in.

Jan Leonard, daughter of Orville and Rowena Cleavenger, was rushed to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last Sunday night after suffering a brain aneurysm. Her husband, Randall, started to the hospital with her when the severe headache began, but by the time he got to Springlake he realized she needed an ambulance so he started to Earth and before he got there she stopped breathing. He called for help and gave her CPR until the ambulance arrived. She is holding her own, but is in isolation — no visitors — to keep her as quiet as possible. They hope to get by 10 days without surgery. Randall's mother is staying with Stacy and Heidi as Rowena is staying at the hospital.

Gene Carson was dismissed from a Wichita, Kan. hospital Monday and is doing great. They did not have to go into the muscles, and the skin graft, though painful, is doing well. Lillian Carson came home Thursday, after spending from last Friday until Wednesday with the grandchildren while Bonnie stayed in Wichita with Gene. Maurice Carson of Hart flew up for the surgery and came home the next day.

L. B. and Teeny Bowden and Verba Sadler attended the funeral services for a cousin, Doug Louder, in Canyon Tuesday afternoon. His older sister lost her husband in Cisco on Thursday. His services were Saturday and Doug, the youngest in the family died Sunday.

A trace of rain was received Monday and Saturday.

Embee Roy and Willie Mae Sadler, Ruth Spencer, and Teeny Bowden attended the meeting in Dimmitt Saturday morning of those interested in a non-profit

nursing home for Castro County.

Clay Bingham of Plainview a senior at Wayland Baptist University, filled the pulpit Sunday morning while Dr. Strauss Atkinson was in a revival at Bledsoe. Milburn Haydon had charge of the Wednesday night services while Dr. Atkinson was away. He had dinner at the church.

Ezell and Verba Sadler were treated to a steak supper at K-Bobs in Hereford Tuesday night to show appreciation for her help in the concession stand at the Blue Grass Concert held there recently.

Mrs. L. E. Wilson of Ropesville spent most of the week with her son, Hershel and Retha Wilson. Retha took her home Saturday.

Brett Duncan, a student at Wayland Baptist University, helped Gale Sadler with his farm work Saturday. He comes most Saturdays for breakfast and stays until dark. His father pastors a church in New Mexico.

Randy Powell was honored on his birthday last Friday with a fish supper at Kress by his grandparents, Ezell and Verba Sadler. Larry and Sharon Sadler, Stacy and Laura also went to help him celebrate.

Clyde and Lucille Akers of Lubbock spent last weekend with Mrs. John Spencer in South Hills Manor. Noah and Ruth visited with them at the home last Sunday afternoon.

Jake and Ruth King of Hereford visited Monday afternoon with Ezell and Verba Sadler on their way home from a trip to the Big Bend with other members of the rock club and spending last weekend with David and Gay Sadler, Melody and Karla in Hobbs.

Alex Kiplagat Bolt, Joel Ngetich, and Billy Konchellah, Wayland students from Kenya visited Saturday with Gale and Verna Sadler. Joel and Billy will be running in the Summer Olympics representing Kenya. This was their first time to visit a farm in Texas and eat a home cooked meal. In rural Kenya, their diet consisted of beef roasted over an oven fire and a corn mush.

Sharon, Jack, and Justin Bradley and Shannon Ott

participated in a track meet in Clovis Saturday. Jack and Justin were on a relay team which won third place in the mile relay and third in the 400 meter relay. Shannon and Sharon were on a relay team which won first in the mile relay and first in the 400 meter relay. Shannon won first place in the 220 meter run and Sharon won third in the 100 meter dash.

Brandon and Cinnamon were at W.T.S.U. Saturday to participate in the Dairy Judging Contest. Their team won fourth place with dairy products.

Debbie Niles and JoLaine Schurig of Amarillo visited in the Sunday morning services to hear Clay Bingham

preach. They attended the same church in Amarillo that his parents attended. They stayed for dinner at the church to visit with Clay Bingham.

Chanin Ross participated in the track meet at Aber-

nathy Saturday, in triple jump, 200 meter dash, 400 meter relay and one mile relay, but hasn't received the results.

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# Sports

## Dimmitt teams are 3rd in Jr. Relays

Dimmitt's 7th, 8th and 9th grade boys track teams all placed third Saturday in their divisions of the Jr. Bobcat Relays Track Meet held in Dimmitt.

Dimmitt 9th graders compiled 131 points to place third in that division behind Littlefield (145) and Stanton (140).

The 7th Bobcats had 113 points for their third place finish. Muleshoe won that division with 147 points. Plainview was second with 129.

In the 8th grade division, Friona won with 139 points, Plainview was second with 96 and Dimmitt third with 84.

Here are the results of the three divisions:

### Jr. Bobcat Relays

#### SATURDAY AT DHS

#### Seventh Division

TEAM TOTALS — 1. Muleshoe 147; 2. Plainview 129; 3. Dimmitt 113; 4. Friona 68; 5. Littlefield 28; 6. Hart 11.

POLE VAULT — 1. Rodriguez, Plainview.

SHOT PUT — 1. Prentiss Washington, Dimmitt, 37-4 1/4; 2. Rodrigo Jackson, Dimmitt 37-4; 6. Kyle Shelton, Dimmitt 34-2 1/4.

440 RELAY — 1. Plainview 51.09; 3. Dimmitt 52.61; 4. Hart 55.68.

120 HURDLES — 1. Sanders, Muleshoe 19.37; 4. Genero Catano, Dimmitt 20.20; 5. Josh Gonzales, Dimmitt 20.22.

440 DASH — 1. Trimmell, Friona 62.35; 4. Britt Boozer, Dimmitt, 66.08; 6. Ray Perez, Dimmitt 68.34.

HIGH JUMP — 1. Price, Plainview, 5-2; 3. Henry Hernandez, Dimmitt 4-8.

LONG JUMP — 1. Olivas, Muleshoe 16-11; 3. H. Hernandez, Dimmitt 16-2; 6.

Arce, Dimmitt 15-9.

DISCUS — 1. Rodrigo Jackson, Dimmitt 123-0; 2. Wally Godino, Dimmitt 99-4; 4. Paul Espinosa, Dimmitt 96-0.

880 DASH — Sandoval, Muleshoe 2:21.42.

100 M DASH — 1. Price, Plainview 12.24; 3. H. Hernandez, Dimmitt, 12.95;

5. Emilio Arce, Dimmitt 13.48; 6. Reyna, Hart 13.69.

330 HURDLES — 1. Wooten, Muleshoe 47.43; 3. Richard Moreno, Dimmitt, 49.33.

220 DASH — 1. A. Price, Plainview 26.54; 4. Kevin Petty, Dimmitt 28.66; 5. Junior Correa, Dimmitt 28.70.

MILE RELAY — 1. Muleshoe, 4:22.15; 2. Dimmitt 4:28.88; 6. Hart 4:57.28.

MILE MEDLEY — 1. Muleshoe 5:02.05; 3. Dimmitt, 5:23.83.

MILE RUN — 1. Sandoval, Muleshoe 5:36.56.

WEIGHT MANS 100 — 1. Williams, Plainview 14.41; 3. Jay Grubikay, Dimmitt 15.62.

8th Division

TEAM TOTALS — 1. Friona 139; 2. Plainview 96; 3. Dimmitt 84; 4. Muleshoe 78; 5. Littlefield 63; 6. Hart 31.

POLE VAULT — 1. Mendoza, Friona 9-6.

SHOT PUT — 1. Ansley, Plainview 43-2; 2. Valdez, Hart 38-6; 6. Medrano, Hart 35-6 1/4.

440 RELAY — 1. Littlefield, 49.31; 3. Hart 53.43; 4. Dimmitt 54.30.

120 HURDLES — 1. Frye, Friona 17.36; 3. Jeremy Warren, Dimmitt 17.76; 4. James Alexander, Dimmitt 18.45; 6. Greg Gentry, Dimmitt 18.88.

440 DASH — 1. Ansley, Plainview 56.16.

HIGH JUMP — 1. J. Alexander, Dimmitt 5-4; 6. J. Warren, Dimmitt 5-2.

LONG JUMP — 1. Nails, Plainview 18-8; 4. Johnny Flores, Dimmitt 17-5.

DISCUS — 1. Ziegenfuss, Muleshoe 112-11; 3. Lucio Martinez, Dimmitt 101-5; 5. Scott Seva, Dimmitt 97-5.

880 DASH — 1. Agundis, Muleshoe 2:19.65; 3. Kevin Reed, Dimmitt 2:24.07; 4. Joe Velasquez, Dimmitt 2:26.33; 6. Gonzales, Hart 2:27.50.

100 M DASH — 1. Williams, Littlefield 11.92.

330 HURDLES — 1. J. Warren, Dimmitt 44.67; 4. J. Alexander, Dimmitt 46.26; 6. Jason Smothermon, Dimmitt 50.01.

220 DASH — 1. Ansley, Plainview 25.22; 5. Moreales, Hart 27.81; 6. Longoria, Hart 28.00.

MILE RELAY — 1. Friona 3:59.20; 4. Dimmitt, 4:26.02; 5. Hart 4:26.79.

MILE MEDLEY — 1. Muleshoe 4:48.25; 4. Dimmitt 5:07.19.

MILE RUN — 1. Garcia, Muleshoe 5:36.66; 2. K. Reed, Dimmitt 5:39.26; 6. Joe Velasquez, Dimmitt 6:01.25.

WEIGHT MANS 100 — 1. Harris, Littlefield 13.54; 2. Johnny Creek, Dimmitt 13.66.

9th Division

TEAM TOTALS — 1. Littlefield 145; 2. Stanton 140; 3. Dimmitt 131.

POLE VAULT — 1. Gary Leatherwood, Dimmitt 10-0; 2. John Wait, Dimmitt 9-6.

SHOT PUT — 1. Milton Carrasco, Dimmitt 48-0; 2. Todd Durham, Dimmitt 41-10; 5. Ruben Valdez, Dimmitt 37-2.

TWO MILE RUN — 1. Danny Perez, Dimmitt 11:55.38; 3. Scott Killough, Dimmitt 12:43.42; 5. Jacinto Lopez, Dimmitt 12:56.61.

880 DASH — 1. Albert Valdez, Dimmitt 2:19.65; 5. Mendoza, Dimmitt 2:26.96.

100 M DASH — 1. Hazzard, Stanton 12.16; 3. Milton Carrasco, Dimmitt 12.46.

220 DASH — 1. Fuentes, Stanton 26.98; 2. M. Carrasco, Dimmitt 27.05.

MILE RELAY — 1. Stanton 4:12.10; 3. Dimmitt 4:34.32.

HIGH JUMP — 1. Davidson, Littlefield 4-11.

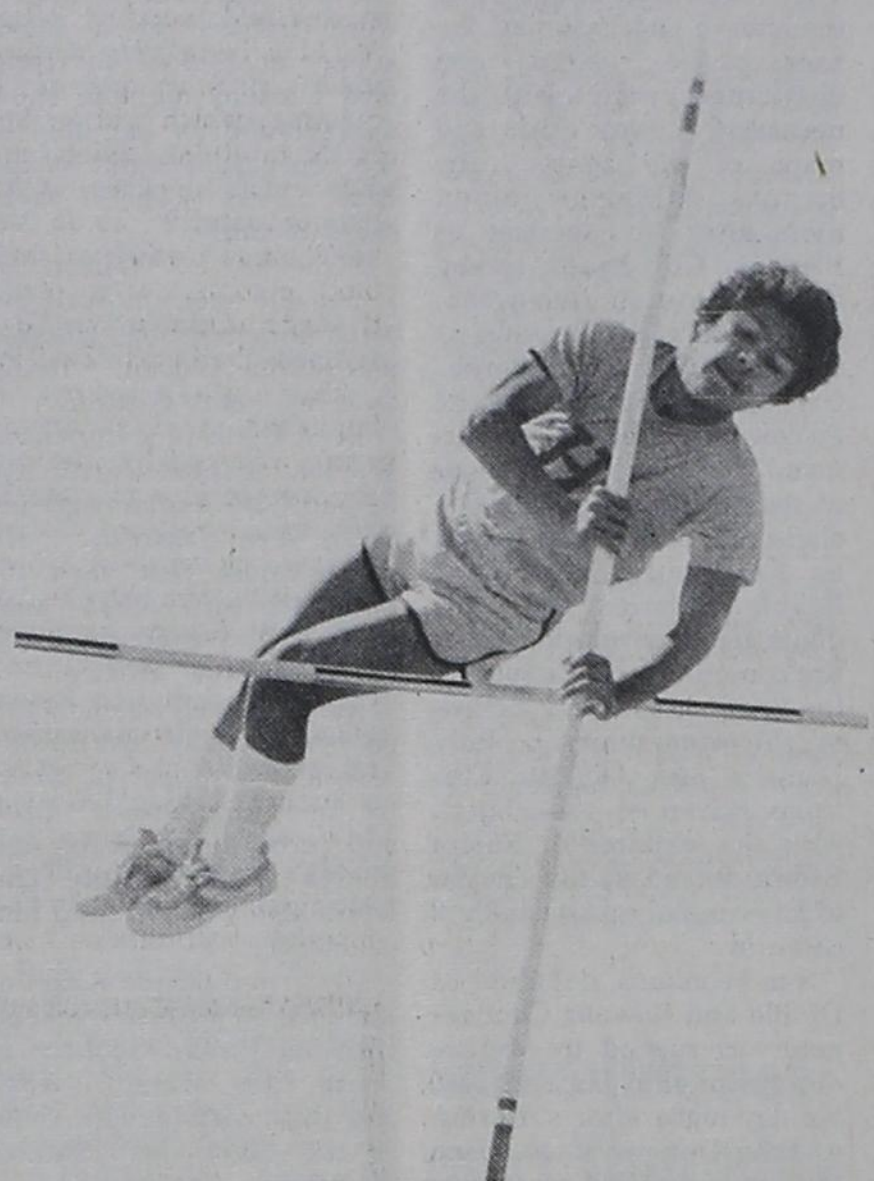
LONG JUMP — 1. Hazzard, Stanton 18-9.

DISCUS — 1. T. Durham, Dimmitt 138-8; 5. M. Carrasco, Dimmitt 92-9.

440 RELAY — 1. Stanton 49.95.



ALBERT VALDEZ of Dimmitt wins the eighth grade mile run in the Junior Bobcat Relays Saturday with a time of 5 minutes, 49.93 seconds, 1 1/2 seconds ahead of Littlefield's Hernandez.



DANNY VALDEZ of Hart clears the 8-ft. mark in the eighth grade pole vault in the annual Junior Bobcat Relays here Saturday. Three vaulters tied the meet record of 9-6 in the event.

### Jr. High girls track results

#### DISTRICT 3-A TRACK 7TH, 8TH GIRLS AT ABERNATHY

7TH GRADE RESULTS  
TEAM — Dimmitt, 4th, 49 points.  
SHOT — 2. Lupe Gonzales; 3. Irma Ogas.  
LONG JUMP — 5. Reyli Black.  
100 M HURDLES — 6. Sharon Ellison.  
200 M DASH — 2. Sydelle McDonald; 5. Maggie Paxton.  
440 M RELAY — 6. Ann Morris, Maggie Paxton, Reyli Black, Jo Hyman.  
800 M RELAY — 6. Sharon Ellison, M. Paxton, N. Martinez, S. McDonald.  
MILE RELAY — 3. A. Morris, Beth Sams, Trisha Zimmer, S. McDonald.

#### 8TH GRADE RESULTS

TEAM — Dimmitt, 5th, 43 1/2 points.  
DISCUS — 1. Suzanne Mendez; 6. Anita Evans.  
SHOT — 5. S. Mendez.  
100 M DASH — 3. Bernice Ewing.  
200 M DASH — 5. Toni Gabel.  
400 M DASH — 5. Bernice Ewing.  
400 M RELAY — 4. Bernice Ewing, Stacy Wilson, Channin Ross, Johnnie Chavers.  
800 M RELAY — 4. J. Chavers, Kristi Petty, B. Ewing, T. Gabel.  
MILE RELAY — 5. C. Ross, K. Petty, D. Schulte, T. Gabel.

## NHS doubles teams dominate district

Nazareth's doubles teams finished first and second and as a team the Swiftettes finished first, last week in the District 3-A girls tennis tournament held in Plainview.

The Swiftettes earned 45 points for the team title.

Leona Gerber and Ramona Heiman raced to the finals without losing a game. There they met teammates LaDawn Schmucker and Renee Ramaekers. Gerber and Heiman won the championship match 6-3, 6-0. Both teams will compete in the regional tournament next Wednesday and Thursday in Levelland.

In singles, Nazareth's CeCe Kern won third place with a 6-3, 6-1 decision over a player from Cotton Center.

Sheila Acker of Nazareth won the JV singles title. Traci Hill and Stephanie Brockman finished first and second, respectively, in the junior high singles division. Missy Brockman and Kelly Hoelting finished second in junior high doubles, and Jenny Brockman and Bobbi Hochstein won third place in that division.

#### DISTRICT 3-1A TENNIS RESULTS GIRLS-APRIL 3

GIRLS SINGLES  
QUARTERFINALS — CeCe Kern, Naz. def. McGehee, Laz. 6-0, 6-0.  
SEMIFINALS — Missy Fisher, Sudan def. Kern 2-6, 6-3, 7-5.  
THIRD PLACE — Kern def. Lee, CC, 6-3, 6-1.  
GIRLS DOUBLES  
QUARTERFINALS — Leona Gerber-Ramona Heiman, Naz. def. Engleking-Crim, Laz. 6-0, 6-0; LaDawn Schmucker-Renee Ramaekers, Naz. def. Collins-Jarman, Laz. 6-1, 6-1.  
SEMIFINALS — Gerber-Heiman, Naz. def. Watson-Martinez, Lkvw. 6-0, 6-0; Schmucker-Ramaekers, Naz.

#### District 2-3A boys golf results

##### AT ABERNATHY

TEAM TOTALS — 1. Muleshoe, 345; 2. Friona, 350; 3. (tie) Tulia A and Tulia B, 353; 5. Abernathy, 362; 6. Friona B, 384; 7. Muleshoe B, 385; 8. Abernathy B, 391; 9. Littlefield, 411; 10. Littlefield B, 429; 11. Dimmitt, 438; 12. Dimmitt B, 450.  
DIMMITT — Mark Standlee, 111; Brad Holcomb, 105; Blake Brown, 109; Todd Braafladt, 115; Nathan Nelson, 113.  
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REGIONAL QUALIFIERS from Dimmitt High School in girls' track are [from left] senior Toby Tischler, discus; sophomore Stephanie Killingsworth, 200-meter dash; freshman Molly Waggoner, 800-meter dash; and sophomore

Nadine Guana, 100-meter dash. The four girls will compete in the Region I-AAA girls' track and field meet Monday and Tuesday in Odessa.

**Bobbies have four going to regional**

Four Dimmitt Bobbies qualified for regional Saturday in the District 2-3A track meet held in Abernathy. As a team, the Bobbies finished fifth with 59 points. Toby Tischler, Molly Waggoner, Stephanie Killingsworth and Nadine Guana; all qualified for the regional meet next week. Waggoner won the 800 meter run in 2:32.12. Tischler tossed the discus 106-1 for a second place finish, and Killingsworth ran a 27.31 200 meter race for a second place finish. Nadine Guana of Dimmitt finished third in the 100 dash in a time of 13.13. Guana will run at the regional meet, since the Tulia runner who won the meet will not compete in that event.

- DISTRICT 2-3A TRACK GIRLS — SATURDAY AT ABERNATHY**
- TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Tulia, 188; 2. Littlefield, 105; 3. Friona, 92; 4. Muleshoe, 60; 5. Dimmitt, 59; 6. Abernathy, 54.
- DISCUS** — 1. Wynetter Jackson, Friona 118-1/2; 2. Toby Tischler, Dimmitt, 106-1; 3. Lorette Goodwin, Tulia 103-8.
- 800** — 1. Molly Waggoner, Dimmitt, 2:32.12; 2. Lacey Osborne, Friona, 2:33.19; 3. Michelle Chavez, Tulia, 2:38.85.
- 200** — 1. CoCo Hurd, Tulia 26.16; 2. Stephanie Killingsworth, Dimmitt, 27.31; 3. Lisa Black, Muleshoe 28.31.
- 100** — 1. CoCo Hurd,

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**Nazareth is second in 3-A track meet**

Shari Schilling and Leona Gerber each finished second in two events Saturday leading Nazareth to a second place team finish in the District 3-A Track meet held in Sudan. Schilling was second in the high jump and the 400 meter run, while Gerber placed second in the 3200 and 1600 meter runs. Nazareth finished the meet with 115 points, second to Sudan's 124 1/2. Valley was third with 85 points. Renee Ramaekers finished third behind Gerber in both the 3200 and 1600 runs. McPherson of Happy won both of those events. Schilling finished third in the 800 meter run. Sister Kelly Schilling was third in the high jump. Here are the Nazareth results:

**DISTRICT 3-A GIRLS TRACK SATURDAY**

**TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Sudan, 124 1/2; 2. Nazareth, 115; 3. Valley, 85; 4. Amherst, 79 1/2; 5. Happy, 56; 6. Lazbuddie, 50; 7. Silverton, 34; 8. Cotton Center, 1.

**3200 RUN** — 1. McPherson, Happy 12:51.3; 2. Leona Gerber, Naz. 13:05.0; 3. Ramaekers, Naz. 13:09.5.

**800 RUN** — 1. Harrison, Sudan 2:37.3; 2. Nix, Sudan 2:40.0; 3. Shari Schilling, Naz. 2:41.3.

**100 H** — 1. Ferguson, Happy, 16.8; 2. Cowlan, Amherst, 18.1; 3. Gerber, Naz. 18.4.

**400 RUN** — 1. Masten, Sudan, 62.4; 2. Shari Schilling, Naz. 62.9; 3. Schmucker, Naz. 65.5.

**1600 RUN** — 1. McPherson, Happy 5:53.0; 2. Gerber, Naz. 6:09.6; 3. Ramaekers, Naz. 6:10.1.

**HIGH JUMP** — 1. Fluellen, Amherst 4-10; 2. S. Schilling, Naz. 4-8; 3. K. Schilling, 4-6.

**TRIPLE JUMP** — 1. Harrison, Sudan 35-2; 2. Fisher, Sudan, 34-1/2; 3. Gerber, Naz. 33-10/4.

**Hart netters win district**

Hart High School doubles teams placed first and second and the school won the team championship Saturday in the District 5-2A tennis meet. Risha Ammons and Cristi Rowland of Hart defeated teammates Marcella Carrasco and Lori Sarabia, 6-4, 7-5 in the doubles finals. Both teams qualify for regional competition. Susan Montiel of Hart placed third in the singles division. Hart's JV team won the team total with 45 points. Neomi Ponce defeated teammate Traci Jeffcoat in the singles finals. Mary Kay Mapp and Gayla Kittrell won the doubles title.

- DISTRICT 5-2A TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Hart, 40; 2. Kress, 20; 3. Farwell, 15.
- THIRD PLACE SINGLES**  
Susan Montiel, Hart def. York, 6-1, 6-2.
- CHAMPIONSHIP DOUBLES**  
Risha Ammons-Cristi Rowland, Hart def. Marcella Carrasco-Lori Sarabia, Hart 6-4, 7-5.
- JV TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Hart, 45; 2. Olton, 25; 3. Kress, 5.
- FIRST PLACE SINGLES** — Neomi Ponce, Hart.
- SECOND PLACE SINGLES** — Traci Jeffcoat, Hart.
- FIRST PLACE DOUBLES** — Mary Kay Mapp-Gayla Kittrell, Hart.

- FIFTH PLACE DOUBLES**  
Shelly Heck-Tracy Peterson, Hart.
- Hart runner qualifies for region**  
Lupe Mijares of Hart finished second in two distance running events Saturday in the District 5-2A girls meet held at Springlake-Earth. The Hart team finished fifth in total points, earning 59. Kress won the meet with 175. Mijares placed second in the 3200 meter run and in the 1600 meter run, qualifying for regional in both events. She ran a 13:14.08 in the 3200 meter run, finishing just a fraction of a second behind a first place finisher from Olton. In the 1600 meter race, Mijares ran a 6:12.01, again behind the Olton runner. Here are the Hart results:
- TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Kress, 175; 2. Olton, 112; 3. Springlake-Earth, 97; 4. Bovina, 88; 5. Hart, 59; 6. Farwell, 20.
- HART RESULTS**  
**3200 METER** — 2. Lupe Mijares, Hart 13:14.08.  
**1600 METER** — 2. Lupe Mijares, Hart 6:12.01. 3. Sandra Carrasco, Hart, 2:49.46.  
**MILE RELAY** — 4. Dolores Perez, Risha Ammons, Tammy Menchaca, Mijares, 5:51.72.  
**800 METER RELAY** — 5. Hart, 2:17.98 Perez, Debbie Scott, Ammons, Menchaca.  
**100 METER LOW HURDLES** — 3. Neomi Ponce, Hart 18.12.  
**SHOT PUT** — 4. Stephanie Lee, 29-1 1/2.  
**DISCUS** — 6. Stephanie Lee, Hart, 80-4 1/2.  
**8TH GRADE TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Olton, 163; 2. Springlake-Earth, 134; 3. Bovina, 108; 4. Farwell, 90; 5. Kress, 25; 6. Hart, 10.  
**7TH GRADE TEAM TOTALS** — 1. Kress, 165; 2. Olton, 122 1/2; 3. Springlake-Earth, 91; 4. Bovina, 40; 5. Hart, 36; 6. Farwell, 29 1/2.

**Legionnaires to meet in Nazareth**

Texas American Legion and Legion Auxiliary members from a 28-county area in north Texas will gather in Nazareth Saturday for the annual Spring Convention of the state Legion's 18th District. Veteran's benefits will be the subject of an address by state field service officer Michael Palmquist of Waco at 2 p.m. the day of the meeting, which will be held at Nazareth's Legion Post 528. The speaker at the banquet later in the day will be Thomas Godfrey of Midland, commander of one of the organization's four Texas regions, the Fourth Division. The day's activities will begin with registration at 9 a.m., followed by memorial services at 11 a.m. On the agenda later in the day will be the election of district officers for the 1984-86 year and final reports of current officers. The last order of business will be the election of delegates and alternates to the National Convention, to be held in Salt Lake City, Utah in August. Henry D. Gregory of Memphis, 18th District Commander will give special recognition to posts which have shown outstanding membership recruitment this year. Posts and their commanders to be recognized are: Borger 671, Carl M. McAndrews; Darrouzett 635, Roger T. Paul; Nazareth 528, Herman Birkenfeld; Wheeler 138, Bobby Vanpool; Miami 106, J. D. Paris; Shamrock 68, Raymond M. Harkins; Vega, 168 Loyd Glass and Silverton 290, Fred A. Strange. The convention will conclude on the evening of April 14 with a country-western dance at the Post.

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GOING TO REGIONAL will be these three students from Dimmitt High School who recently competed in the District UIL literary events. [From left] Mary Flores won second in shorthand, Brandon Cox took third in ready writing, and Debra Sava won second in the journalism feature writing event. The regional competition will be held Friday in Lubbock.

## CAP squadron Texas Farmers Union formed here will have banquet

The Civil Air Patrol now has a Dimmitt-based squadron — one of only two squadrons in the Texas Panhandle.

The new Dimmitt CAP Squadron was formed last Thursday night with Jerry Annen, a certified flight instructor, as its commander.

The unit has sent its charter application, and expects to have a minimum of 15 members by the time the charter is approved, according to CAP Group I Commander Dale Maxwell.

Dimmitt's CAP squadron will become operational after approval of its charter and completion of beginning training, Maxwell said — a process which he estimated would take up to 60 days. The unit has applied for \$4,100 in federal Revenue Sharing funds to buy its basic communications equipment, supplies and cadet training materials.

The squadron will have regular meetings the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month.

The South Plains region of the Texas Farmers Union will hold their annual District Banquet Friday, Melvin Lowrey, District II Director, has announced.

The banquet will be held at the Farmers Coop Complex in Lubbock at 3800 South E.

"Each district in the state brings their membership together once a year for a program that we intend to be both informative and fun. Our state president, Mike Moeller is a main feature of the evening, and we try to have timely items for all farmers and ranchers, not just our members," said Lowrey today.

"Of special interest at our banquet this year will be the address of the new National Farmers Union president, Cy Carpenter of Minnesota. Cy has just assumed office after

being elected to the spot at the National convention held last month in New Orleans," continued Lowrey.

Information on all TFU activities and insurance programs will be available at the District II banquet. All interested parties are invited to attend.

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Biologist Floyd Potter of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department said by the time bluebonnets bloom along

roadways and fields, snakes and other reptiles are emerging from their winter dens.

"The great majority of Texas snakes, both as to kinds and numbers, are non-poisonous," said Potter.

The poisonous snakes native to Texas are the various subspecies of rattlesnake, cottonmouth, copperhead and coral snake.

Potter offers a few tips for avoiding snakebite. "When you walk through areas where snakes might be, go slowly to give snakes a chance to move out of your way. Watch where you put your hands and feet, because most snakebites occur on extremities after a person fails to watch where he or she is stepping or climbing," he said.

The TP&WD offers two publications on poisonous snakes which include identification, snakebite prevention and first aid. One is a free leaflet entitled "Watch Your Step." Another is a color-illustrated booklet entitled "Poisonous Snakes of Texas," (Bulletin #31) which costs \$2.70. To obtain either of the publications, write the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, TX 78744.

## Lions elect Jim Naylor

The Dimmitt Lions Club has elected Jim Naylor as its president for the coming year.

Naylor was elected last week to succeed Chuck Braafladt as Boss Lion. He and other newly elected officers will take office June 1.

Others elected were Marvin Bryant, Garner Ball and Jerry Stump, vice-presidents; Carl Collyer, secretary; Bill Conyers, treasurer; Robert Ryan, tail twister; Joe Higgs, Lion tamer; and Calvin Marsh, Marlos May, Joe King and J. R. Brown, directors.

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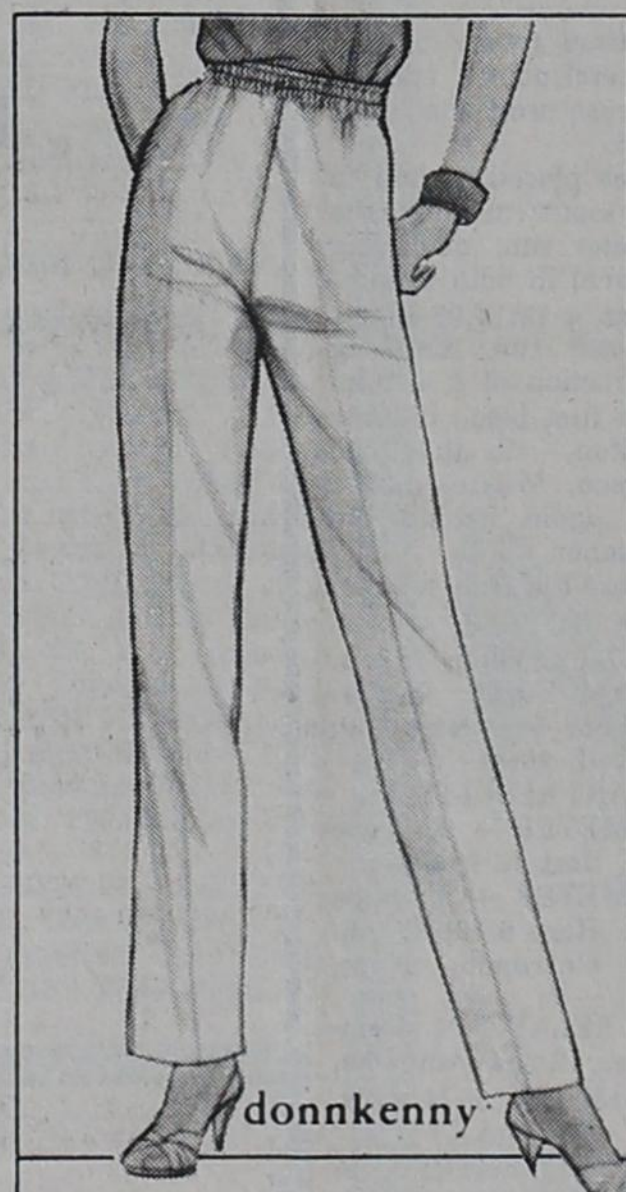
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