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Schools set sign-up dates

about dimmitt and castro county
by b. m. n.

The good rains Monday night were just what the doctor ordered—money. With every increase in the price of gas, every drop of rain becomes more valuable. We have one of the finest crops ever in the making and with anything near favorable weather conditions the tillers of the soil just break even or maybe make a little profit. If there was some way that the Texas Railroad Commission could make their cost pass-through ruling apply to crops that farmers produce they would undoubtedly fare better in the vaulted free market place. As it is now the farmer is a lonely figure in the so-called free market place.



TAKE THE DAY OFF—That's all the operators of this grader and loader could do Tuesday as a new parking lot for the Bedford Street Church of Christ—in the process of being graded and leveled for paving—was turned into a mud field. A good, soaking rain

deposited an official 1.23 inches of moisture in Dimmitt Monday evening and Tuesday morning, with larger amounts falling in other parts of the county. As a result, many farmers got to shut off their expensive wells and take the day off, too.

Grins greet crop-soaker

Moisture ranging from half an inch to 4 1/2 inches soaked into Castro County ground from rains that fell Monday and Tuesday, giving August a chance to make up the deficit in rainfall that has marked the year so far.

NO DAMAGE was reported from the thundershowers here, although there was "a lot of lightning and some gusty wind" in the south part of the county. Amounts varied widely over the area, but rain was general and warmly welcomed by farmers and ranchers.

The official Dimmitt reading was 1.23 inches at Radio Station KDHN.

Heaviest fall was at the

Kemp Farms west of Dimmitt, 4.5 inches, and 3.5 inches recorded at the George Sides place seven miles west. Easter Grain Co. had 3.2 inches in its gauge, and an even three inches fell at the Bob Anthony place five miles southwest of Flagg.

OTHER readings west of town included 2.5 inches at Flagg Grain, an inch at Tam Anne Fertilizer and also at the Charles Wales farm about 15 miles southwest of Dimmitt, with 1.5 inches at the Milton Bagwells' place nearby.

Reports from the Sunnyside community ranged from 1.7 inches in L. B. Bowden's gauge to estimates of three inches or more in and around the business area, according to Sunnyside Grain and Supply.

John Gilbreath, 12 miles southeast of Dimmitt, recorded more than two inches.

At Hart, Farmers Grain registered only .60 of an inch, and at Nazareth there was a 1.7 inch reading at Dimmitt Agri Industries, Inc.

The rain continued north of Dimmitt in varying amounts, and Frio Draw was running almost brimful Tuesday morning.

SPEED LIMIT now 25 on 12th

The city commission Monday night voted to reduce the speed limit along Twelfth Street to 25 mph at the request of residents of the neighborhood.

RICHARD SCHACHER and Jerry Schinkus presented a petition signed by 55 residents of Twelfth Street, urging the reduction in the speed limit because of the number of children playing in the area.

The speed limit on city streets is 30 mph unless otherwise posted.

City commissioners agreed to reduce the speed limit as requested, to post Speed Zone signs and to request the Police Dept. to patrol the street to enforce the new speed limit.

Farther north, some of the heaviest rain in the entire system was a Hereford, with about 5.5 inches. Tierra Blanca Creek through that city was over its banks.

Shut 'em down!
[Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours.]

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	91	58	Tr.
Friday	88	58	
Saturday	89	59	
Sunday	88	60	
Monday	86	57	
Tuesday	84	60	.96
Wednesday	81	64	.26
August Moisture			1.22
1976 Moisture			9.14

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer

Funeral rites held here for Joe Martinez

Funeral mass for Joe V. Martinez, 72, resident of Dimmitt for 24 years, was conducted Monday afternoon in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church by Rev. Raphael Chen, pastor.

BURIAL was in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home. Sons of Mr. Martinez were the active pallbearers.

An employee of the City of Dimmitt sanitation department, Mr. Martinez died Friday afternoon in a Lubbock hospital. He was a native Texan, born at Campbellton.

Surviving him are his wife, Florencia; five daughters, Lucie Lopez, Rebecca Marquez and Maria Falcon, all of Dimmitt, Anita Carranco of Lubbock and Sara Aguirre of Abilene; seven sons, Santos and Johnny of Dimmitt, Bernardo of Hereford, Genaro of Lubbock, Margito of Breckenridge, Jose A. of Fort Morgan, Colo., and Lalo of Florida.

Also surviving are 43 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Summer vacation is near an end for pupils and teachers in Castro County schools, with classes due to begin Aug. 19 at both Dimmitt and Nazareth, and Aug. 23 at Hart.

PRE-REGISTRATION schedules have been announced in all three of the public schools, and in-service training time for teachers is set up as another preliminary to the term.

New students who come to Dimmitt from other schools are advised by Supt. Charlie White to report before registration dates to the principal's office of the school they will attend, to assure that transcripts and other records are in order for proper placement.

Parents whose children have not been immunized against childhood diseases as required by state law are urged to have this done before school begins. A free immunization clinic is scheduled Aug. 13 from 9 a.m. until noon in the gray building of the Dimmitt Medical and Surgical Clinic, 405 NW Third St.

In-service training for Dimmitt teachers will be held in the high school Aug. 16-18, featuring addresses by State Sen. Kent Hance of Lubbock and an educator-lecturer from Wichita, Kan., Hope Shackelford.

THE PROGRAMS will begin at 8:15 a.m. Aug. 15 with an informal coffee and visiting session.

Pupil registration is set at 9 a.m. Aug. 19 at the respective school buildings. At Dimmitt High, seniors are to register at 9 a.m. and freshmen at 2:30 p.m.

Fourth through sixth grade pupils at Dimmitt Middle School will register in the morning or from 1 to 4 p.m.; those in the eighth grade at 9 a.m. and seventh graders at 10:30.

TEACHERS at Nazareth will also have their in-service sessions Aug. 16 to 18, but high school students are to register Aug. 12, Supt. Joe King announced. Seniors are to report at 9:30 a.m., juniors at 11 a.m., sophomores at 1 p.m. and freshmen at 2 p.m.

All students who will be new to the Nazareth school system are asked to report at 3 p.m. that day.

Teachers, aides and secretaries in the Hart school system have been notified by Supt. Ted Averitt to report at 8:30 a.m. Aug. 17. In-service training [See SCHOOLS SET, Page 12]

Season tickets go on sale Monday

Season tickets to Dimmitt High School's varsity football games will go on sale Monday in the School Administration Building on Halsell Street.

THE BOBCATS will open their season Sept. 3 against Crosbyton here, and will play five home games.

Those wishing to buy season tickets should see Sarita Cleavinger, school administration receptionist, Supt. Charlie White said. Season tickets are \$11.25 each, and payment must accompany the order.

Those who had season tickets last year will have priority until Aug. 30, then reserved seats will be allotted on a first-come, first-served basis, White said.



PILOT BOB WOODRING ESCAPED WITHOUT SERIOUS INJURY
... After setting this damaged plane down in corn field

Pilot killed Thursday as spray planes collide

Spray-plane pilot Gale Pierce, 45, of Anahuac was killed at 7:20 last Thursday morning when his plane crashed and burned after colliding with another spray plane north of Easter.

THE TWO planes, both Cessna Ag Wagons leased to the American Dusting Co. of Hereford, were applying Sevin to a field of corn on the Elmer Kimball farm when the fatal mishap occurred. They had started their spray run at daylight.

Piloting the second plane was Bob Woodring, 40, of Anadarko, Okla. He managed to set his damaged plane down in a nearby corn field after the mid-air collision and escaped serious injury.

Reports at the scene indicated that one plane was finishing a run over the corn field and the other was dressing the end of the field when the collision occurred, knocking the tail section off of Pierce's plane. The plane stayed in the air 400 yards southward and cleared a highline wire and section road before crashing into a milo field.

Firemen at the scene said the gas in Pierce's plane evidently exploded on impact. The pilot was believed to have been killed instantly.

Fire-fighting units from both Hereford and Dimmitt responded to the call, along with county and state law officers and a city-county ambulance crew from Dimmitt.

Justice of the Peace Marshall Young of Dimmitt pronounced Pierce dead at the scene.

FUNERAL services for Pierce were conducted Saturday morning in the Sterling Funeral Home Chapel in Dayton. Burial was in the Anahuac Cemetery.

Born in 1931 in Beaumont, Pierce had been a Hereford resident since July 7. He served in the US Army in the Korean Conflict, and was a member of the United Methodist Church and the Civil Air Patrol.

He is survived by his wife, Lee Ann; two sons, Victor and Allan, both of Winnie; four daughters, Morene Warmack of Vidor, Nita Gail Humphrey and Rexann Ward of Winnie, and Vikki Sumner of Houston; and two grandchildren.

Tax Equalization Board sets hearing

The City of Dimmitt's Tax Equalization Board will hold a public hearing Tuesday from 1 to 4:30 p.m. in the city hall auditorium to hear any residents who have questions regarding city taxes on their real or personal property.

Members of the Tax Equalization Board are Mrs. Bill Behrends, Pete Garza and Goodwin Miller.



SCATTERED WRECKAGE OF CRASHED PLANE
... Pilot Gale Pierce believed killed on impact

Roundup, Hart Days schedules completed

Final plans are laid for the annual Roundup in Dimmitt and Hart Days at Hart, to be held simultaneously this year with a theme celebrating the nation's Bicentennial and the county's Centennial.

MOST activities will be Aug. 12, 13 and 14.

The Roundup Parade route has been mapped and entries are ahead of last year's at this stage, Chamber of Commerce Manager Elvon DeVaney said Wednesday. Rodeo riders are ready for chutes to open next Thursday night and other events are spotted through the week.

A last look at the Hart program outline was taken by a large group of interested residents who met in the school

band hall Monday evening, and activities are set to begin at 6 p.m. Friday with hamburger booths and games for family fun, a street dance and the 1976 Miss Hart Pageant.

All organizations in the county are invited to enter Roundup Parade floats and are reminded that each one is to fly at least one US flag. Advance notice to the CoC office is requested so the order of march can be planned.

Starting at the County Expo Building, the parade will go west on Jones Street to Third or Fourth, then turn across to Bedford and back to the downtown area, according to Gary Hufhines, president of the sponsoring Dimmitt Lions Club.

Entertainment will be supplied all week by the Jest Amusement Co. Carnival, and the first rodeo performance will be next Thursday. The Dimmitt Rodeo Association will stage the three-day rodeo and a dance will follow each performance, Lee Roy Wood, president, has announced.

Castro County Old Settlers will have their annual reunion in the Expo Building Saturday morning, Aug. 14, closing with a lunch and program.

KIDS DAY is Friday, Aug. 13, with a pet show, games and contests on the courthouse lawn and a bicycle marathon followed by a watermelon feed in the afternoon.

Crowning of Miss Hart in the 9 p.m. pageant Friday, Aug. 13, will be a highlight of the weekend at Hart, and the queen will be honored in the parade at 2:30 p.m. the following day. Trophies will be given in various parade divisions, and entries are still open.

Little Miss Hart will be presented at the pageant also, after she is selected in a contest being sponsored by Hart High School's Class of 1977. Votes are being cast at five cents each, in Hart business houses.

Bicentennial window displays, a drawing for gifts donated by Hart merchants, a street dance for teenagers Friday night, an "ugly man" contest, a water polo contest, performances by the Amarillo Gun Club, food booths and many other attractions are on the Hart Days program.

Rites held for Mrs. Mahler

Funeral services for Mrs. Earl Mahler, 58, a lifelong resident of Nazareth, were conducted Wednesday morning in the Holy Family Catholic Church of Nazareth. Rosary services were held the preceding evening.

GRAVESIDE rites in the cemetery at Graham followed at 5 p.m. Burial there was directed by the Dennis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Mahler was found dead of an apparent stroke at her farm home Monday evening when her husband came in from work in the fields. She had reportedly been ill for some time.

Born Sept. 11, 1917, at Nazareth, she was Wilma Dobbmer before her marriage to Earl Mahler.

SURVIVORS in addition to her husband include two daughters, Glenda Duncan and Teresa Mahler, and a son, Alvin D., all of Lamar, Colo.; two sisters, Alma Schacher of Nazareth and Rosa Dalton of Amarillo, and three grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements are pending in California.

Former residents drowning victims

Two teenage boys, Jerry and Terry Wayne Elliott, who formerly lived in the Sunnyside community and were brothers of Mrs. Joe Langford of Dimmitt, were drowned late Sunday afternoon while they were swimming in a canal at Hickman, Calif., near Modesto.

THE YOUTHS were members of the family of "Shorty" Elliott, who lived in this county seven years before moving to California four years ago. Elliott was an employee of Jimmy Cluck, and the family lived near Sunnyside.

Funeral arrangements are pending in California.

Bicentennial dance on tap

A Bicentennial Square Dance, to be held in conjunction with Roundup Week, will be sponsored Tuesday in the County Expo Building by the Dimmitt Promenaders.

THERE WILL be no charge, but donations will be accepted to go to the Arthritis Foundation. "Dance So Others May Walk" is the theme.

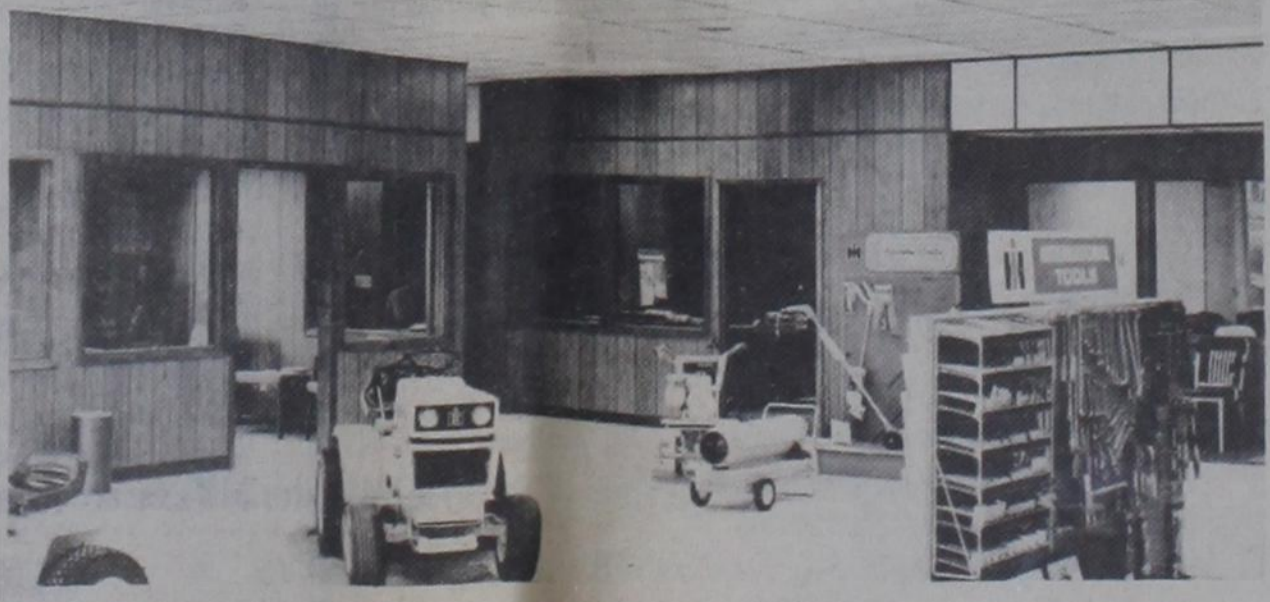
The event is scheduled at the Expo Building to provide seats for a large number of spectators and also plenty of space for the dancers.

Zoning Commission schedules hearing

The City Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing Monday night on a request to rezone two residential lots on West Bedford Street to allow multiple-family dwellings.

THE HEARING will begin at 8 p.m. in the city hall auditorium.

According to City Manager Garnett Holland, Dick Reinhardt has requested that all of Lot 9 and part of Lot 10 of the Miller Addition be rezoned from single-family dwelling district to a "higher use double and multiple-family dwelling district."



OPEN HOUSE is scheduled Tuesday from 8 to 6 at Hays Implement Co.'s large new facility at US 385 and FM 3215. This is part of the sales-and-office area near the entrance of the new 32,000-sq. ft. steel-and-

brick building. Chamber of Commerce directors and city officials will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 9 a.m., and the company's staff will conduct tours of the building throughout the day.

Sheffy's chatter

Name any US tourist site-- we've had somebody there!

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Durward and Betty Patterson and son Lonnie Joe and Betty's niece Mary Jo Grant went South and East. First stop was in Jackson, Miss. to visit Rev. Frank and Jane Pollard. Frank is pastor at the big Baptist church there. They missed seeing Mike Jeeter who will be assistant pastor next year. Mike was in Dallas. They went on to Orlando, Fla. and took in Disney World and other tourist sights. Then sister Dorothy and Jack Gant of Pickens, S. Car. joined them at Myrtle Beach for four days of fun. They they all went to Carolina for a week's visit. They went on to Virginia and Betty says West Virginia is one of the most beautiful states of all with the Smokey Mountains, trees and flowers. They came home with a stop in Kentucky and in Nashville, Tenn. to see the Nashville Opryland, stopped off in Memphis to visit Durward's sister. They saw 13 states and most glad to be home.

POLLY BELL and granddaughters Lori Bell and Karla Sheffy of Canyon are home from a 10-day trip to California by plane. The first stop was at Los Angeles where her sister Mary Blair met them. Later they went to Disneyland for two days, saw Marineland, Knotts Berry Farm. The girls went swimming in the ocean at Pismo Beach. The group went on to Englewood to visit another sister Winnie and family. They had a tour of Universal movie studios. They say Lucille Ball has quite a glamorous dressing room. Didn't get to see the movie stars as Don Blankenship did on his trip. Then they went on north up the coast to see what is there. Stayed at the pretty Modona Inn at San Luis Obispo. They visited a brother

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George Schaefer and family at Palmdale. They had a good meal at SS Princess Louise. It was built in 1921 as Canada's premier luxury liner. The ship makes trips from Vancouver to Alaska. Then on Sunday they attended church at Wayfarers Chapel at Rancho Palos Verdes. Glad to be home again.

Don and Ginger Laurent and family went to Red River in the mountains for a vacation. Don was riding his motorcycle and broke a log in a mishap. Didn't hear how. Anyway, home again so he can get over that. Don is with the J&R Body and Paint Shop.

DICK AND Marie Perrin and friends from Muleshoe went fishing recently at Lake Hubbard near Breckenridge. The weather was nice, they say and they caught lots of fish.

Mrs. Dorothy Burt of Corpus Christi has been here for a visit with brother Ray and Edna Riley and their sons Ray Joe and Jo Eddie and many friends at Hart, brother Furch Riley at Springlake and Margaret at Plainview and the Charles Martins at Plainview.

Myrna and Jack Cowsert had a good trip to Montana—Jack on business to Miles City, Mont., then to Great Falls, where the great falls on the Missouri River are and the Big Spring that flows 136,000 gallons a minute. (Jack says it's too bad we can't have some of that water instead of it going down to the sea). Saw the Charles M. Russell Museum, his home and log cabin studio with many of his paintings. On north to Glacier National Park and Waterton National Peace Park which is on the edge of Canada. Saw glaciers, snow, lakes and rivers in abundance. They came home by Salt Lake City and on Sunday morning saw the CBS television broadcast by the Mormon Tabernacle Choir which Myrna says was the highlight.

Jack says he still wonders how the early day settlers got around and across those falls, rivers and hills up there back 150 years ago trying to get to Oregon.

Opal Bearden spent several days in Hollis visiting her sister Naomi Ruth Patton and family. They did some visiting with friends and eating out.

Andrew and Vada Bolton of Pueblo are here for a visit with her sister Lottie Bearden. John Brooks is home from a kinfolk visiting trip to Arizona. He stopped off in Phoenix, Tucson, Coolidge, other places. John is one of the voices on KDHN.

DAVID AND Wendy Voit are moving to Manteca, Calif. near Modesto. They are being transferred to a big sugar beet plant there owned by Amstar. Their home here is at 709 Maple. Thursday night Wendy was the honoree at a farewell coffee in the home of Sherry Lambreth. George and Sherry moved here from Lubbock to the new house on Sunset Circle built by Don Hargrove. George is with Amstar also.

We have many new people in town to get acquainted with. Welcome to Dimmitt.

Ruby Lankford is home from a trip to Six Flags where they had a family reunion. Going

with Ruby was her daughter Glenda and granddaughter Candy of Amarillo. Her uncle Adolph Machotka returned home with her for a visit with Ruby and Urban or "Blackie" Lankford of the Colonial Motel.

Jack George of Tucumcari is doing well from his recent heart surgery in Lubbock. This was just three months after his brother Jimmie's surgery. Jack is contract building houses in Dimmitt and is the son of Cletha.

VELMA HOLLAND left by plane Friday for Reno, Nev. for a visit with her husband Soapy. They will go to the farm for a while. Velma will come back as she is working with Clara Vick at the abstract office.

Garry Golwell and Debbie Hicks of Wellington were married there Monday, July 26 and his brother Larry Colwell and Cheryl Reynolds of here were married in Clovis July 28. Both men are the sons of Kenneth and Ruby Colwell and are employed on farms but plan to move into Dimmitt.

Jason Wayne Jackson, son of Richard and Trudy, was born July 28 in the Plainview Hospital. He is a fine 5 1/2 pound boy. His grandparents are Kenneth and Ruth Jackson, Jim and Dorothy Elder, and the greats are Ruby Maples, Ivey Jackson and Myrtle Sheffy.

V. C. and Dorothy Hopson of here and granddaughter Carolyn Owens of Hereford flew out to Beason, Ariz. near Tucson for a visit with V.C.'s parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hopson. They plan a few side trips while there.

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

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

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

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

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH William E. Summers, Pastor 302 S.E. 2nd Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

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

CAROLYN LANE and children Lana and Scott who live near Tam Anne went to Six Flags Thursday for a weekend of fun on the rides and to see a show or two. Jesse, the daddy, stays home to farm.

Saw Claude Forson at the store, asked about his trip. He says "none". That Cleo has him sitting on the porch shelling peas and snapping beans, so the neighbors can see how industrious he is. But think of the good eating next winter, Claude.

Kim Riley is home from Marbridge School on a ranch near Austin. He will be here this summer.

BRIDGE was the game played at my house Thursday afternoon. Ceal Carlile won high score. Others playing were Jo-

sie Bradford, Jeanie Miller, Cletha George, Retta Cluck, Opal Bearden, Ruth Wooten, Maggie Boren. Daughter Tommie Bills and Elaine came from Earth bringing a freezer of tutti frutti ice cream to serve the ladies. Aren't daughters nice to have?

Mamie Birdwell, her daughter Bobbie and Harlan Dodd and Wilda Hawkins went to Hawkins Chapel for a Hawkins family reunion. All the cousins and kin get together one time a year at this little park cemetery named for the great grandfather Hawkins. This is located north of Loving.

Don and Verbie Nelson, Connie, David and Nathan and her mother Vada Belle Oldham are home from a New Mexico trip. They stayed several days at Sipapu Lodge at Tres Ritos

where they fished, then on to Santa Fe to see the museum and other things. The ladies saw and heard the opera "The Marriage of Figaro". It was very good. Then home again.

Jimmie and Della Chapman are leaving Saturday for California. While in San Dimas, the Chapmans will celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary on Friday the 13th with their children, Margaret, John and Duke. Their son John and Lucy Leinen will travel with them and Duke, who is in the Marines, will meet them there.

Bea Hawkins had company last week. Her niece Mrs. Wallace Reager of Valljo, Calif. came and another day Bea attended the Living Textbook Workshop at Canyon. This is

using special news items from the newspaper. Bea teaches first graders.

L. L. and Eloise McMasters spent their vacation in Colorado and attended a family reunion another day. You will see Eloise at Cobbs.

Glenna Fry and daughter Tanya, Joy Mercer, Vivian Shiflett, Ray and Debbie Davis went to Durant, Okla. one day last week to attend the funeral for C. C. Hartigan, brother of Mrs. Shiflett.

Had supper with B. M. and Viola Nelson Saturday evening. We saw Pat Tate Truelove and her husband with the Curtis Tates. Pat doesn't like the big city of Houston, not yet anyway.

LINNIE COLWELL went to

Dalhart for the big XIT celebration. She rode in the parade because she is a widow of Will who was one of the XIT ranch boys long ago. And others going from here were Jack and Myrna Cowsert, their son Jim and Jan from San Angelo. They [See CHATTER, Page 3]

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

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH 412 North East Street Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Monday W.M.U. 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Brotherhood 7:55 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Friday

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Bobby Gordon, Pastor Phone 647-2300 Sunday— Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Services 8:00 p.m.

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Sheffy's chatter...

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all visit Carol and Ronnie Farris and children.

Cinde Sides and Kelly Bagley returned home Monday from their 4-H group tour of several European countries. They, with hundreds of club members from Texas and Pennsylvania stayed in homes of people in Russia, Holland, several places. Maybe Kelly will write a story of their trip.

Mrs. Gertrude Clark of Vernon is here for a visit with her son Bill Clark and family. Deanne and Cleo Forson joined a group of Methodist women for a mission retreat and study in Cota Canyon.

Jim and Sherry Belk and Jamie of Bremond were here for a visit with Jim's sister Gainell and Jodie Minnick.

Tommy and Nancy Needham and children have been visiting sister and brother-in-law Andrea and Larry George. The Needhams live in Kopperl, south of Fort Worth.

RALPH AND AVIS Smith and the band twirlers left here Sunday for Conchas Lake. Joyce Wooten went along for this outing of boating and water skiing. Going were Beth Cleveland, Sharla Burrous, Carla King, Amy Merritt, Diane Love and Kimmie Hollums, and drum majors going were Linda Wise and Mary Beth Jones.

Going to Ute Lake for the day Sunday were Arlie and Doris Petty and Graham and Karen Sheffy. They left the babies with the grandparents.

Raymond and Margaret Wilson joined the Carrell family at the Villa Inn in Amarillo for a get together. All 80 of the family went in two charter buses to Palo Duro Canyon to see the pageant "Texas". Margaret says they all liked it very

much, especially the California kin. Pat and Bob Brock and children came and also came by Dimmitt to see his folks Earl and Mable. Ramona and Shea Brock of Phoenix stayed with the Wilsons for a while.

Wes and Alice Anthony were Saturday dinner guests of her sister Mary Dixon in Friona.

THE HOMEMAKING teachers have returned from Dallas where they attended the in service short courses. It seems as though the vocational home-making program is in danger from the state and federal government. It takes real work for the teachers to keep it going. Attending from here were Joanne Snider, Estella Hottel, Pat Bagley and Jackie McLeroy.

Robert and Frances Duke have had company, her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanders and Scott from Duncanville and an aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hollingsworth from Stephenville. And Robert, Frances and son Larry attended the Hall family reunion last weekend downstate.

Danny and Brenda Bruton and sons have moved to the Noble Armstrong place west of Flagg. They bought the place and Reeford and Betty Burrous moved to their house at 710 Grant.

Mrs. Jim Mann, or we will call her Janet, and two daughters moved here from Sierra Blanca near El Paso. Daughters names are Jeri and Julia. Janet teaches high school English and will sing with Jim Massey's choir at the Methodist Church.

JACK AND Carolyn Thompson and children Chad and Jacilyn went to Angelfire, stayed a day with Rex and Dorothy, then on to the high up mountains near Monte Vista to camp out and fish. Her sister and family from Lubbock joined them there.

Ray and Florene Stafford have been to Lewisville to visit their son Tommy and Donna Stafford and girls. Tommy will contract house building there as he did before his car wreck.

Nora Buchannon has had her family in for a few days visit, son Mr. and Mrs. Lee Buchanan and boys of San Angelo, Mrs. Mike Bailey and girls from Bridgeport and they visit

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VIRGINIA GILBREATH was hostess to two of her long ago college and high school friends at dinner and overnight. They are Mrs. Earl Wood of Hereford and Mrs. Molly Saunders of Fort Worth.

Senator Kent Hance was speaker at the home-making meeting in Dallas and his sister Linda Murphree of Dallas came out to hear him.

Carole and Goldman Dyer and John and Sue Merritt had a good trip to Las Vegas, Nev. The main idea was to see the showing of new Pontiac cars, two completely new models. They saw two shows, one, "Lola Fallana and Hallelujah Hollywood", both good. They tried to see all they could in a short time.

Sunday the Cleavinger families, probably 40 of them, had dinner at the Expo Building. Mrs. Fern Axtell Cleavinger came in from Alhambra, Calif. for the event and a visit with her sister Gladys Cleavinger who is at home most of the time in bed with her illness. The different members of the family stay with her. Our good wishes go to Gladys.

BILLYE WESSON was hostess to her family this week, daughter Billy Norris Morgan, David and Carol from Broken Arrow near Tulsa, daughter Janis and Jerry Andrews from Deer Park, Peggy and C. H. James, their daughter Chris and Tommy Maples and babies, Joe and Jackie James of Hereford, Jo Wesson Kirkpatrick, her daughters Keri and Don Carmichael and babies and Jerry and Meri Killingsworth and babies.

Opal Bearden left here Monday for Oklahoma City. She joined her sister Naomi Ruth of Hollis for the trip where they will be with the Patton family. Mr. and Mrs. Rickey John-

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JIMMY JOE BUTLER, 14-year-old son of Jimmy Jack and Jerri Butler, wrote this story as he remembered Don telling it.

Don Blankenship, Dimmitt High School teacher of speech and drama, and tennis coach, went to Hollywood and Beverly Hills, Calif. He was chosen to go and audition for a pilot for a TV series. If he is picked he will play the part of a high school teacher. He was shown around Hollywood by an old college friend of his. She is now a night club actress in Beverly Hills. Her name is Shelly Pitman. She is going to come to Dimmitt sometime after school starts and do a show for the public and help raise money for the Dimmitt drama department.

He was also shown around by Jim Wesley, who is a hair stylist at the hair salon where the movie "Shampoo" was filmed. He went to 20th Century Fox studios to eat lunch. While he was there he ate lunch with Harry Morgan and Jamie Farr, both of TV's "Mash." Harry Morgan gave him a tour of the studio and introduced him to the entire cast of "Mash."

While eating lunch he got a knife that Liz Taylor had eaten with.

He went to the Sheraton Universal Hotel to eat lunch. While there a limousine drove up and Angie Dickinson and Earle Holloman of "Policewoman" got out of the car. He got to watch them shoot a scene of "Policewoman." He was also given a glass that Angie Dickinson drank out of.

He went to Johnny Carson's favorite night club and met J. J. Walker of "Good Times." He also visited Graumann's Chinese Theater where the footprints of greats are.



"HI, SIS"—Nita Parker of Dimmitt may be thousands of miles away in Colombia, but she stays in regular voice contact with her family via "ham" radio. Here, her brother Cliff talks to her on David Voit's radio set. Miss Parker, an American Field Service exchange student in Colombia this summer, has talked with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Parker, and

other members of her family three times since she arrived in Palmira, Valle, Colombia, to spend the summer with the family of Luis Alfonso Tascon-Valderrama. Her AFS "dad" in Colombia is an amateur radio operator, and he and Voit set up the time-and-frequency schedule for the international calls.

The people that he stayed with invited him to come back and stay with them at Christmas. They are personal friends of Charles Nelson Riley and Liza Minelli. They want to take him out to dinner with Charles and Liza. He has invited me to go with him.

AURAL DAVIS met her two brothers Rodrick and Norman Shaw of Lubbock and their wives at Olton Friday to eat barbecue and attend the historical musical drama "Giants of the Great Plateau" presented by Olton's Historic Preservation Society. It was presented in an open air theatre six miles north of Olton at the headwaters of the Brazos River. This project is the first of many they hope to sponsor to preserve the history and historical properties of this area.

Aural's cousins Enid and Delmar Givens were in the play which their sister-in-law wrote.

Aural Davis spent two weeks in Los Angeles with Keitha Scott who has taken over as chief resident of pediatrics at Kayser Hospital in Los Angeles. Ate Sunday brunch at the late John Barrymore home that has been converted into a tea room. Ate on the patio of the guest house that was used by Errol Flynn when he visited John Barrymore. She was taken out to lunch by two of Keitha's neighbors on separate days. Mrs. Marty Costanza took Aural to the famous Japanese tea house which is still used to film movies pertaining to Japan and was once the spot for the "400" of Los Angeles and the movie colony. It's Yamashiro and built high on a hill in 1913 and has been completely re-

stored recently. Mrs. Woody Herman, wife of the band director whom you all remember as making the "Woodchopper's Ball" famous, took Aural to the Bullock-Wilshire tea room for a style show and luncheon. Aural's cousin Don Wilson did arranging for Woody Herman at one time.

Saw the play "Equus" which is the top-rated show on Broadway starring Richard Burton.

She took grandson Keir to an all day outing to Disneyland. This was definitely the highlight of the trip. Keitha took her to many quaint eating spots such as the old Venice Noodle Company where they ate in a street car inside an antique building full of antiques. As Keitha took Aural to the airport they had Sunday brunch up in the high restaurant overlooking the Los Angeles In-

ternational Airport.

CAROL HANCE, Ron and Susan visited Beral Hance Wednesday and Friday and Saturday Beth Hodges and son Boyd were here from Panhandle.

Sharon Barker is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Barker. Sharon has been attending Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary in Hamilton, Mass. Before she left the Boston area her sister Pam of Little Rock, Ark. joined her for a week's tour of the Boston area, Washington, D.C. and Philadelphia. Sharon will return to Philadelphia Sept. 1 where she will be an associate staff member with Nurses Christian Fellowship. She will also do nursing in a hospital. Pam graduated from a dietetic internship at the University of Arkansas in June. She will be employed as a nutritionist with the WIC program in Arkansas beginning Aug. 23. Her area will cover 14 counties.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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WITNESS my hand and seal of office, this the 29th day of July, A.D. 1976.

-s- GARNETT HOLLAND
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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CASTRO TO ROBERT BORNGREBE AND ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

GREETINGS:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 64th Judicial District, Castro County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Dimmitt, Texas, at on or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of twenty (20) days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of ARDEN LEE FIELD and wife, NANCY MARIE FIELD, Petitioners, filed in said Court on the 20th day of July, 1976, against RANDALL D. HUTCHINS, Respondent, and said suit being number 4270 on the docket of said Court, and entitled 'In the interest of TERESA MARIE

HUTCHINS, A Child, and CHRISTINE DIANE HUTCHINS, A Child,' the nature of the suit is the request to terminate the parent-child relationship between RANDALL D. HUTCHINS, father of Christine Diane Hutchins, a female child born March 30, 1971, in Clovis, Curry County, New Mexico; to terminate the parent-child relationship between the natural father of Teresa Marie Hutchins, whoever the father may be, and Teresa Marie Hutchins, a female child born September 14, 1969, in Denver, Denver County, Colorado, and to grant a final decree of adoption in favor of Petitioners and for such other and further relief as Petitioners may be entitled. The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship,

Firemen attend school at A&M

Fire Marshal Guy Waldrop and three other members of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. learned new techniques of firefighting, fire prevention and disaster rescue at the annual Texas Firemen's Training School last week.

They attended classes on the campus of Texas A&M July 26-30, with almost 1,550 students representing 600 cities in 30 states.

Randy Griffith, Roger Allison and Francis Acker went from Dimmitt with the city fire marshal for instruction and practice in methods of doing a better job of protecting their community against fire losses.

Griffith was sponsored by the Castro County Farm Bureau and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, which each year sponsor a fireman's attendance by contributing to the cost of the school.

"The TFB Insurance Companies believe volunteer fire departments have been very effective in reducing the loss involved by fire in rural areas," President Carrol G. Chaloupka of Dalhart said.

the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, this the 29th day of July, 1976.

Clerk of the District Court of Castro County, Texas
BY ELSIE MOORE
Deputy
15-44-1tc



LYNN WEST won the trophy as the top trap shooter Sunday at the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.'s trophy shoot at the airport trap range. West shot a 93X/100. Finishing second was Dyrle Maples, while Harry Hauf and Johnny Stanford tied for third. Eight top shotguns competed for the city trophy, which was provided by J&R Paint & Body Shop and Texas Energy Co. The Fire Dept. is planning another trophy shoot next month.

CA attending state meeting

Irene Keating, Castro County Extension Agent, is attending the Texas Association of Extension Home Economists' annual meeting this week in Kerrville. "Living in Century III" is this year's conference theme.

THE KEYNOTE speaker is Dr. Jennie C. Kitching, assistant director for home economics with the state Extension Service. Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director; Dr. John E. Hutchison, director emeritus,

and State Rep. Wilhelmina Delco are other speakers.

Mrs. R. P. Smith of Fredericksburg, who is involved with projects in home restoration and renovation there, currently receiving attention from restoration experts in nearby states, is also on the program.

Presentation of the Ann B. Shonner Scholarship by the association and installation of officers are events of the closing day Friday.

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- LaRue Harris
- Dora Houtchens
- Josephine Jackson
- Lawson Langford
- M. C. Oldham
- Bonnie Olivarez
- James T. Richardson
- Carlos Triana

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

- Al Cameron
- Sylvia Estrada
- A. T. Kirby
- Steve Handley
- Carla Franks
- Tessie Fox
- Juanita Guardiola
- Leora Calhoun
- Eliberta Gonzales
- Alice Jordan

15 - LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that THOMAS AVILA FALCON has filed an application for a package store permit with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Austin, Travis County, Texas, the substance of such application being as follows:

Type of License or Permit - Package Store Permit

Location of Business - 300 East Bedford, Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas

Name of Owner - Thomas Avila Falcon

Name of Firm - Falcon's Liquor Mart.

A copy of the application for the package store permit is filed and made under oath to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Austin, Travis County, Texas, with a copy to the District Office of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, and any person desiring to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure such permit may do so upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

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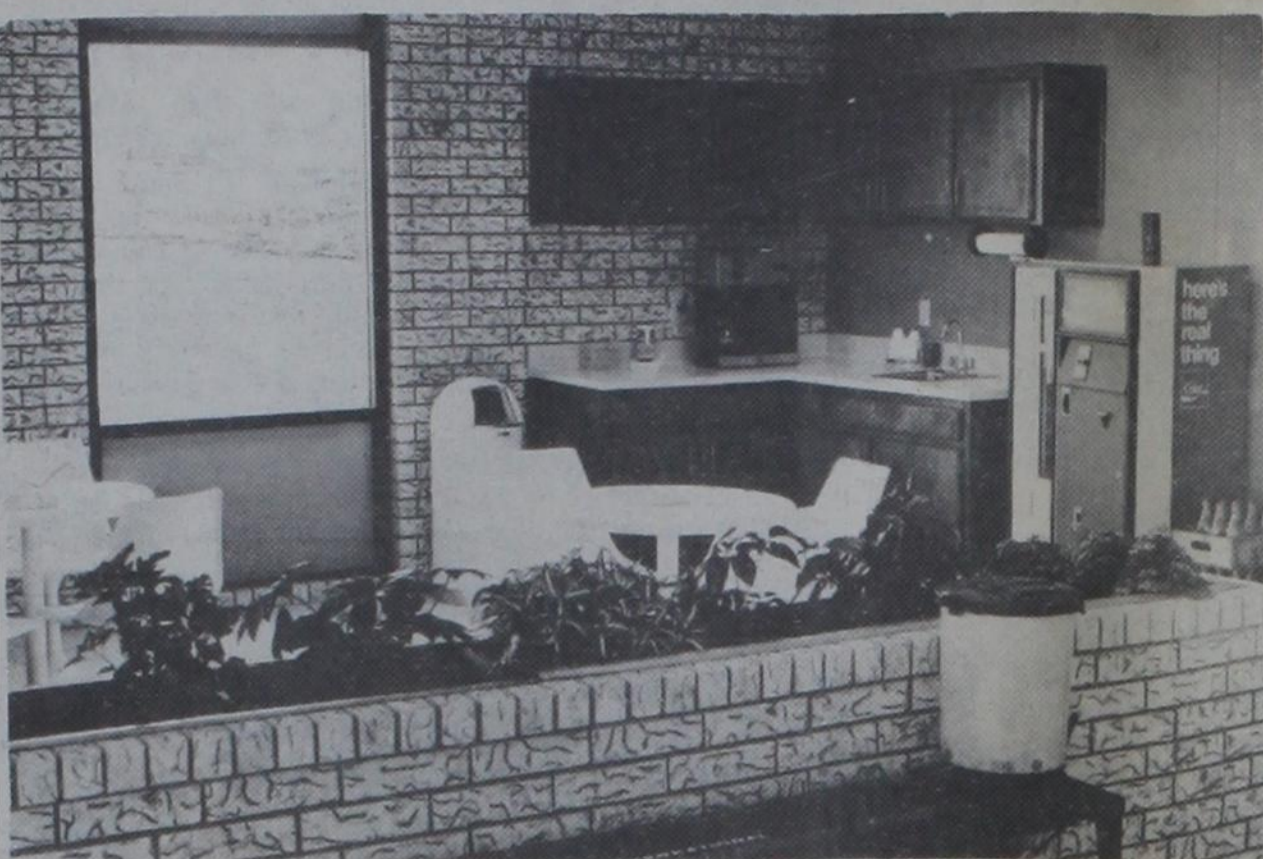
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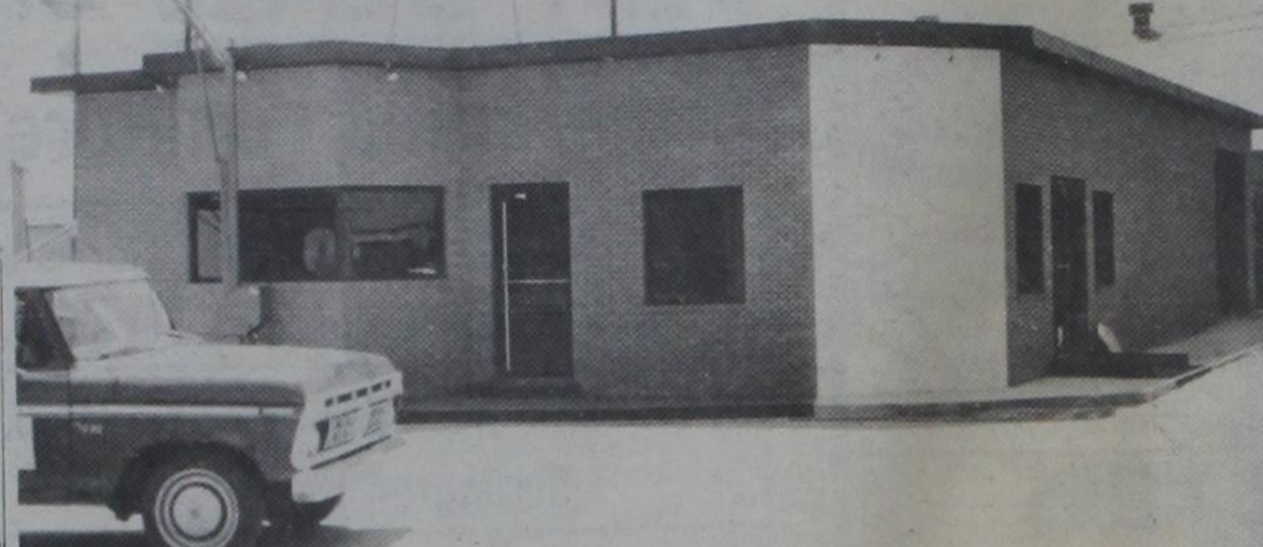
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DIMMITT'S NEWEST 'COFFEE SHOP' is this customer lounge in the new Hays Implement Co. facility at US 385 and FM 3215. Soft drinks, snacks and coffee are available in the customer lounge, which is located near the main entrance of the new building. The local International Harvester dealership will hold its open house in its new 32,000-sq. ft. facility from 8 to 6 Tuesday, with a ribbon-cutting scheduled by the Chamber of Commerce and city at 9 a.m.



W&C GRAIN, INC., is now operating in its new office and sales building on East Bedford Street. Garner Ball, manager, said an open house will be held later this month to show the new building and offices to the public.

Joan Presley earns degree

Joan Kay Presley of Dimmitt received the bachelor of science degree in English and special education in summer graduation ceremonies Friday at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales.

She was among 330 graduates of the university to receive degrees at the close of the summer term.

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On Wall Street
By Bob Hill
A. G. Edwards & Sons, Inc.

What's the definition of a Goldbug? It's one who is convinced that the only worthwhile investment in the world is gold; that all of the major world economies are going down the tubes, victims of rampant inflation which will make gold the only meaningful commodity around.

WHEN THE owning of gold became legal for US citizens after 40 years, gold experts thought it would restore the value of gold in the world to its rightful place as an investment. It was the biggest non-event of 1974.

The price of gold peaked in December of that year at \$195.50 an ounce. It hasn't been that high since. Just last week gold dropped below \$105 an ounce.

What happened? In March of 1968, the Federal Reserve gave up on holding gold at \$35 an ounce. It just wasn't a realistic price in the face of worldwide inflation, the Vietnam war and the disintegration of the world monetary system in which foreign currencies were tied to gold.

ALL OF THIS triggered a flight into gold by speculators. It seemed as if they couldn't miss if they put their money into bullion. But in 1975 a worldwide recession hit as a result of the oil embargo. The US cut its inflation rate in half and that's the only real incentive to own gold—to offset inflation.

Meanwhile the thoughtful American investor wasn't turned on by gold. The French or Italians might be gold enthusiasts because their currencies have been devalued so many times over the centuries, but not the Americans.

Finally the International Monetary Fund, (basically the big powers) decided to auction 25 million ounces of gold to private buyers over the next four years. It's a wonder that gold has held above \$100 an ounce in the face of the first one of those auctions held in June.

A PROVERB is one man's wit and all men's wisdom.

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business and industry

Hays Implement Co. to hold open house

Hays Implement Co. will hold open house from 8 to 6 Tuesday in its large new facility at US 385 and FM 3215 in Southeast Dimmitt.

CHAMBER of Commerce directors, city officials and representatives of the International Harvester Corp. will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 10 a.m.

The company will serve free coffee, soft drinks and pastries all day, with candy and bubble gum for children.

"There will be door prizes for everybody—men, women and children," said David Hays, general manager. "Everyone in the family is invited. We particularly want the women of our area to see what a nice building we have." Signifying a new trend in implement-house design, Hays added, "We designed it largely with women in mind, to make it more pleasant and convenient for them."

The new brick-and-steel facility has 32,000 sq. ft. of floor space—nearly four times as much as Hays's former building—and is located on an eight-acre plot facing FM 3215 to provide a large display lot for farm equipment.

It's a Butler Steel building with brick veneer on the sales-and-office portion, and terrazo floors in the interior display area.

"It's as close to being a maintenance-free building as you can get," Hays said.

Prime contractor was Panhandle Steel Buildings of Amarillo.

The modern new facility provides 3,750 sq. ft. of floor space for the sales and office area.

Pohlmeier named VP of new firm

Ralph Pohlmeier, a former resident of Nazareth, has been named vice-president in charge of production with a new business in Oklahoma City, Education Media Division.

THE FIRM produces all types of electronic learning laboratories for schools in the United States and other countries.

Pohlmeier, a Nazareth High School graduate, was associated with Audio-Visual Manufacturing, Service and Installation for 3½ years. He graduated in electronics from United Electronics Institute in Oklahoma City in 1973.

His appointment to direct production in Education Media was announced by Jim Goodin, general manager.

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Beverly Ann Smith marries Brent Stephens Saturday

Beverly Ann Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene V. Smith, 1008 W. Lee St., and Brent Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens of Groom, were married in a mid-afternoon ceremony Saturday in the First Baptist Church sanctuary.

REV. JOHN Street, pastor, officiated for the marriage service before an altar marked by arrangements of gladiolas, daisies and babybreath on either side. White satin bows were placed on pew ends down the bridal aisle.

DeAnn Dickson of Hereford was Miss Smith's maid of honor and Sheryl Norris of Sundown was bridesmaid. Jeff Major of Abernathy acted as Stephens' best man and Larry Stephens, brother of the groom, was groomsman.



MRS. BRENT STEPHENS
The former Beverly Smith

Bud Young honored on birthday

Celebrating his 74th birthday, R. (Bud) Young was the honoree at a family reunion and dinner Sunday at the home, 1014 W. Grant St. Mrs. Young and his children were hosts.

CHILDREN present were Marshall of Dimmitt; Pauline (Mrs. Loyd Bridges) of Hereford; Ruth (Mrs. J. R. Mitchell) of Carlsbad, N.M.; Bobbie (Mrs. Virgil Pierson) of Petersburg; Mary (Mrs. Calvin Brice) of Pueblo, Colo. and Christine (Mrs. Edwin Bridges) of Hereford, and their families.

One daughter, Rosie (Mrs. Gerald Hall) of Pecos, was on vacation in Colorado. Other family members at the dinner included 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A farmer in Castro County from 1953 until his retirement in 1969, Young is a native of Oklahoma, born in Weleetka July 31, 1902 when that part of the state was Indian Territory.

He came to Texas in 1929 and farmed near Littlefield in Lamb County. He is a charter member of the Assembly of God Church here.

Another brother, Alan Stephens of Groom, and Jim Smith, brother of the bride, lighted candles before the ceremony. A prelude of wedding music was presented by Mrs. J. E. Peggram, organist, and Mrs. Charles Atchley of Tulia who was the vocal soloist for "Wedding Song."

ESCORTED by her father, the bride wore a gown with flowing skirt of starwhite taffeta overlaid with organza, fitted to a long-sleeved lace bodice. Longer at the back, the skirt formed a slight train edged with a double ruffle of lace.

Her veil was borrowed from her cousin, Suzanne McGee. Its three tiers of illusion fell below the waist and were lace-bordered.

Miniature yellow roses, daisies and babybreath formed her bouquet.

Her attendants' cotton dresses with a pattern of blue and yellow roses on a white background, featured short puffed sleeves, portrait neckline and gored skirt. Ribbon trim was in matching colors.

EACH carried a smaller replica of the bride's bouquet.

Ushers at the wedding were Kenny and Gary Smith, brothers of the bride, Juan Lopez, Troy Ritter, John Crowell and Hop Britten, all of Groom.

For the reception in the church fellowship hall following the ceremony, houseparty members were Billie Kirby, Pat Crooks, Carolyn DeLozier, Kay Stephens of Groom, Mrs. Vance McGee of Canyon, Carolyn Jones of Hale Center, Libby Crooks of Childress and Darla Ditemore of Seminole.

Bridesmaids' bouquets were laid at the base of silver candelabra on the refreshment

Irene's Ideas

County 4-H'ers records rate well in district

Last week was the district 4-H record book judging. Our records did well and rated as follows: Juniors - Achievement - Mary Jean Huseman blue, David Huseman white; Clothing - Dianne Hochstein blue, Food and Nutrition - Edith Durbin blue, Home Environment - Kim Sides red, Photography - Laurie Sides red, Horse - Norris Cole blue, Swine - Randy Huseman white, and Safety - Robby Hottel red.

SENIOR records were: Cinde Sides third, food and nutrition; Elaine Acker first, food preservation; Bernard Acker first, horticulture and Becky Hand first, citizenship.

HERE ARE some items I think you'll enjoy.

Parents and other adults are significant models of behavior for children of all ages. Research substantiates the old saying that "actions speak louder than words," so if we want children to think at a high level of moral reasoning, we too must exemplify a high level.

To soften brown sugar or raisins that have become hard, place a damp paper towel in the bag or box. Close it tightly with a fold or rubber band. Do not use a metal twister. Place in the microwave for 20 to 30 seconds at full power. Let stand one minute and it will be softened and ready to use.

Popularity of men's leisure suits appears to be declining rapidly. For two years these have been the best selling item in popular-priced men's ap-

parel, but sales dropped to a record low during the past few months.

table, which was covered with a white cloth reaching to the floor.

THE COUPLE left on a honeymoon trip to Colorado Springs, with Mrs. Stephens wearing a short-sleeved green dress with green and white checked vest.

After this week they will be at home in White Deer.

The bride graduated this year from West Texas State University and was a Dimmitt High School graduate of 1972. Stephens is a 1976 graduate of Texas Tech University and a 1972 graduate of Groom High School.

Small Talk

By SUE COLEMAN

Trees around farm homes and along highways in this area are in many places turning from green to brown at the wrong time of the year, apparently dying from weed killer spray.

OF COURSE I know how important aerial spraying is to crops here and am not suggesting that it should stop, but as an admitted tree fanatic I'm always saddened when I see trees dying before their time in this tree-scarce country.

YOU ONLY have to look at the photographs of some early homes and fields here to see what the pioneers meant when they talked about settling on the desolate prairie.

We're used to seeing clumps of trees around houses and along roads now so we may not think just how much they help make this country look like a fit place to live.

THE TEXAS Highway Department did so much to make the roadsides more pleasant with an extensive tree-planting program back in the 1930's and later, but as trees have had to be cut to make way for the wider highways we need now, they don't seem to be replaced with young trees to grow up in the future.

Chinese elms were the trees generally planted here in the 20's and 30's because they grew quickly and withstood drought well, but they are short-lived trees, not like other elms.

Now the larger ones are often dying, simply of old age, and our Plains towns that are often complimented by travelers who say "such pretty little towns—so many trees along the streets" need to promote more tree planting to keep that reputation.

Shower honors bride-elect

A tea and shower complimenting Judy Kay Booe of Munday, bride-elect of Danny Dean George of Hart, was given Saturday in the home of Mrs. Bob Bennett.

IN THE receiving line with Mrs. Bennett were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Clonita Hamilton of Munday; the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Jack George; his grandmother, Mrs. Claude Hutcherson, and great-grandmother, Mrs. E. A.

Madera, both of Plainview. Sharla Carson invited callers to register. Mmes. Paul Armstrong, L. J. Rice, Joe Percy Hart and Joe Edd Carson served tea from a table laid with a sheer cutwork cloth and centered with ice blue tapers in brass candlesticks twined with grape ivy.

Mrs. Carl Rambo registered gifts. Others in the hostess party were Mmes. Kenneth Lambert, Edd Bennett, Warren

Lemons, John Rice, Doyle Davis, Dawn Hill, Lonnie Phillips, Evelyn Hill, Charles Black, Wes Poarch, Bob Berry, Lanny Tucker, Bill Rich, DeWayne Brown and Theron Morrison. Guests came from Kress, Plainview, Hereford, Lubbock and Munday as well as the Hart community.

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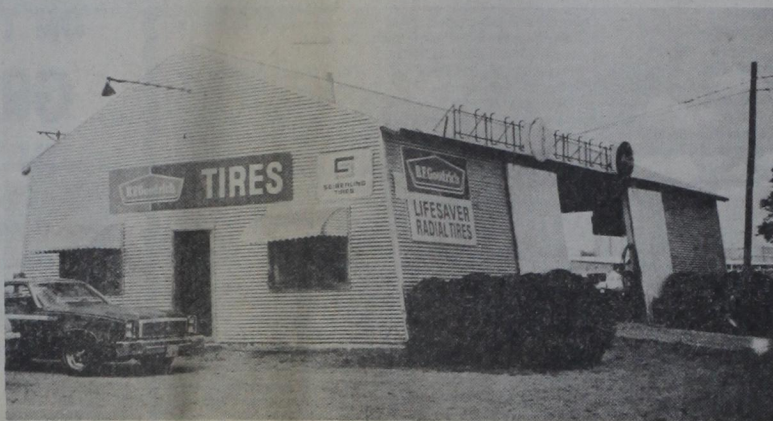


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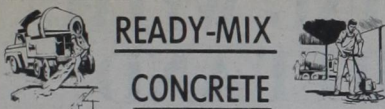
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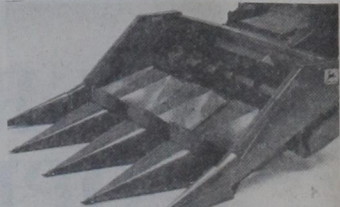
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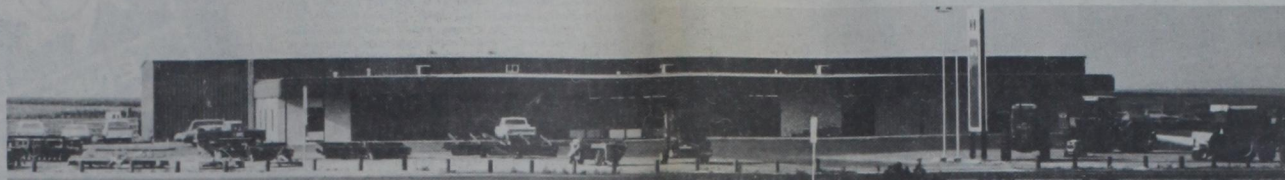
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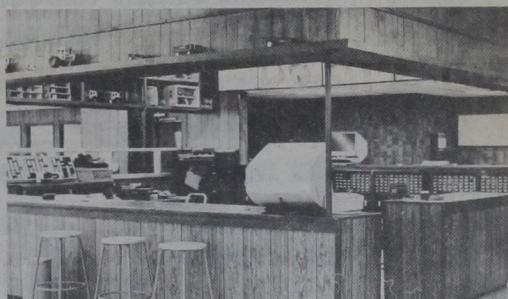


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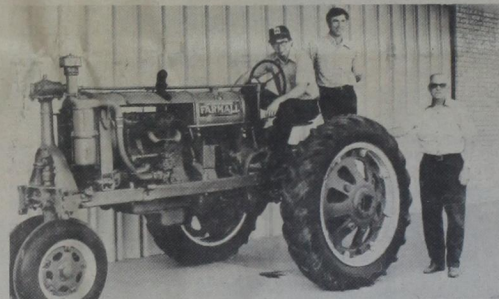


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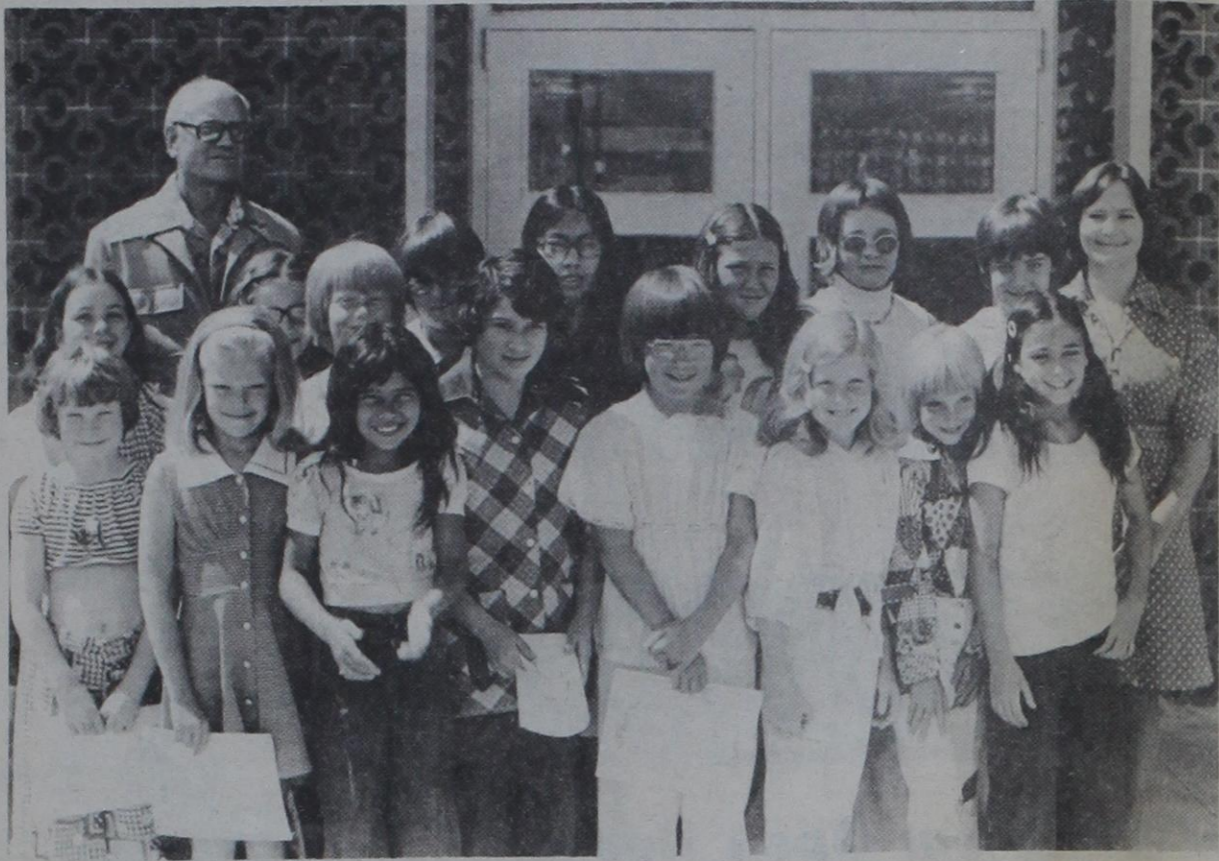
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board member of the Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative. Girls who completed the course are [front row, from left] Tama West, Denise Behrends, Lydia Mendoza, Elvira Rojas, Debra Sava, Kim Howell, Kyla Boozer and Stacie Jackson; [back row, from left] Rhonda Heath, Paula Patterson, Debbie Wegs, Pam Patterson, Connie Fuentes, Shawn Jackson, Cindy Mixson and Traci Moore.

Nazareth

Wilhelms attend ALA convention

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilhelm, Gaylene, Hugh, Eric and Craig spent several days in Houston visiting and attending the American Legion Auxiliary Convention.

MR. AND MRS. Earl Backus spent last weekend in Columbus, Neb. visiting Ruth's aunt there who is ninety-five years old. While there they also visited several cousins.

Josephine Ball went to Van Alstyne last week to visit the Vernon Braddocks and go with them on a vacation trip to New Orleans and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilhelm, Shawn, Jeanie, Dale and Eddie Steffens spent several days last week in New Mexico. Sunday, July 25 Mr. and Mrs. Earl Backus drove to Happy to attend the open house honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. Irlbeck on their fiftieth anniversary.

MRS. FAYE Spenser and girls Macie and Laura of Amarillo spent several days with grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Annen.

Tony Thier and daughter Willie Kramer of Spokane, Wash. spent several days here in the home of Cornelia Annen.

Lisa and Jennie Brockman of Friona spent several days in Nazareth with their grandmother Agnes Brockman.

Dorothy Burt of Corpus Christi spent the weekend with Helen Burt here and friends at Hart.

THE A. P. Hoeltings spent a couple of days last week visiting the Donald Dettens in Claude.

The Order of Martha enjoyed a dinner last Tuesday at Norma's Cafe, followed by a meeting later at the home of Max Acker.

Mrs. Frank Hoelting went with her daughter Mrs. Keys and several other ladies from Plainview to Santa Fe last weekend vacationing.

Mrs. Bernie Wethington entertained with a baby shower Sunday evening for her sister Susie Dobmeier. A nice crowd attended and she received many nice gifts.

The Lon Brockmans went to Channing Sunday for a Rickwartz family get together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rickwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pohlmeier of Reseda, Calif. are visiting their families here and in Happy and Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Reid of Houston stayed a few days here on their vacation with her fam-

ily, the Francis Wilhelms before going on to New Mexico.

Mrs. Martella Frische and three children of Dumas visited here Sunday and enjoyed dinner with the Greg Hoeltings, Alfred Pohlmeiers, Vincent Pohlmeiers and Florence Albrachts.

VICKIE WILHELM left this Monday morning for New Braunfels where she will be teaching this year. Evey went with her and will spend a few days there.

The weather is very different this morning and it looks as if we have a chance for some rain, which surely would be appreciated and would help out so much.

Cornelia Annen and Faye Spencer went to Hereford Thursday to visit Frank Annen who has just recently been dismissed from the hospital. He is slowly improving.

Martha Bauman of Hart had dinner with Cornelia Annen and her guests Friday.

MR. AND MRS. Billy Ed Hoelting and girls of Odessa spent the weekend with relatives here.

Ruth Ann Franklin returned to Fort Worth Tuesday after spending a short vacation with her folks Mr. and Mrs. August Huseman.

The Ronnie Hoelting family spent last week vacationing in Houston. They stopped on their way back to visit the Ronnie Schillings in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jost from Vineland, N.J. spent several days visiting with Christine Braddock and the F. P. Schachers.

The Alfred Schachers and Florence Schachers are spending a few days in Wyoming visiting their brother and taking in the rodeo.



OUT OF TOWN

Amanda Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lytle of Amarillo, was born July 26 and weighed 7 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al Lytle of Amarillo, former Dimmitt residents, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Warr of Amarillo. Amanda Kay has a three-year-old sister, Marci.

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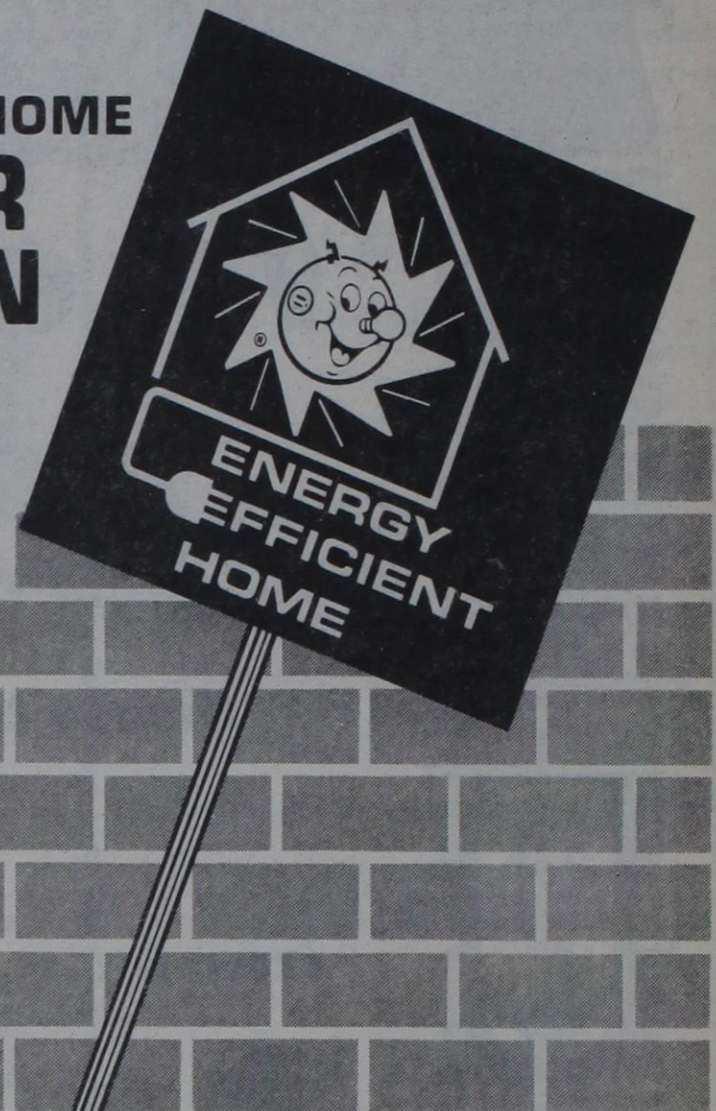
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Sunnyside

Wednesday rains help boost community crops

By TEENY BOWDEN

Raymond Jones directed R.A. Camp at Plains Baptist Assembly Monday through Thursday. He took some of the boys on a camping and hiking trip on ranch land outside the assembly grounds.

30 OF AN inch of rain was recorded for Wednesday night, with heavier amounts to the south. .75 was recorded for Sunnyside proper and Milburn Haydon received 1.70 inches. Total for the month of July was 5.40 inches.

Mrs. Alton Loudder and Mrs. Milburn Haydon picked peaches for Buckner Childrens Home in Lubbock Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mitchel of Springlake. Mrs. Noah Spencer made them into jam for the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley, Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler, Tammy, Rhonda and Chanin Ross and Mrs. George Anderson and children picked up several sacks of potatoes donated by Glen Hatla on his farm Monday and Vernon Orr delivered them to Buckner Childrens Home.

L. B. Bowden was dismissed from Nichols Memorial Hospital in Plainview Saturday afternoon.

MRS. RAYMOND Jones went to Killeen Monday to pick up her mother Mrs. Mae Etta Watts and take her to her home in Fort Worth. She also visited during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jones and children of San Angelo.

Milburn Haydon had charge of the Wednesday night prayer service while the pastor was at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Chad Windsor of Waco visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard of Dimmitt and her sister Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls. Steacy and Laura went home with them Friday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and Carrie, Mr. and Mrs. Da-

vid Sadler, Melody and Karla, Mrs. James Powell, Tresa and Cheryl of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan, and Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Gregory and Amy of Lubbock attended the Sadler reunion at Breckenridge Lake over the weekend.

MRS. CARL Bradley and Kyle and her mother, Mrs. Jess Matlock of Springlake, went to Alba Wednesday to attend the wedding of Jeff Matlock Friday night. They returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley, Kent, Kelby and Kyle attended the Bearden reunion in Olton Sunday.

In the community meeting last Monday night Mrs. Ezell Sadler was appointed to arrange for the selling of "Current Cards" as a money making project. Mrs. Martin Le-

fevere was appointed to see about making a community flag to fly under the US flag on special occasions and on the day of our regular meeting nights to remind people of the meeting. It will have a special insignia on it.

KYLE BRADLEY was presented his plastic bookmark for having read 10 books in the summer reading program in the Sunday morning services last Sunday. Tommy Parson was given his worm for reading 25 books and his liberty bell stick pin for reading 50 books before he and Rebecca returned to their home in Houston Friday.

Mrs. Franklin Lafferty and children of Houston and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parson of Clovis visited last Mon-

day with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children and took Tommy and Rebecca back to Houston last Friday.

Mrs. Elaine Rodgers, Bill, Robin, Ricky, Trenton and Jeff of Oklahoma City arrived last Friday night and visited through Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children. They all had supper last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parson and family in Clovis.

MRS. ED THOMPSON visited in Plainview Thursday afternoon with a friend, Fern King.

Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Castro County Historical Museum Association meeting in Dimmitt Thursday night.

Cinnamon and Brandon Cox and Ray Lynn Owens were guests at the Springlake-Earth 4-H Horse Club meeting Monday night.

Mission Friends and Girls in Action met at the church Tuesday afternoon. The BYW will meet first and third Tuesdays also and there will be a nursery.

MRS. R. J. Lefevere of Hereford visited Tuesday with Mrs. Martin Lefevere. They also visited in Nichols Hospital with L. B. Bowden Tuesday afternoon.

Clint Dawson was one of the Springlake-Earth students attending the Student Council Workshop in San Antonio last week.

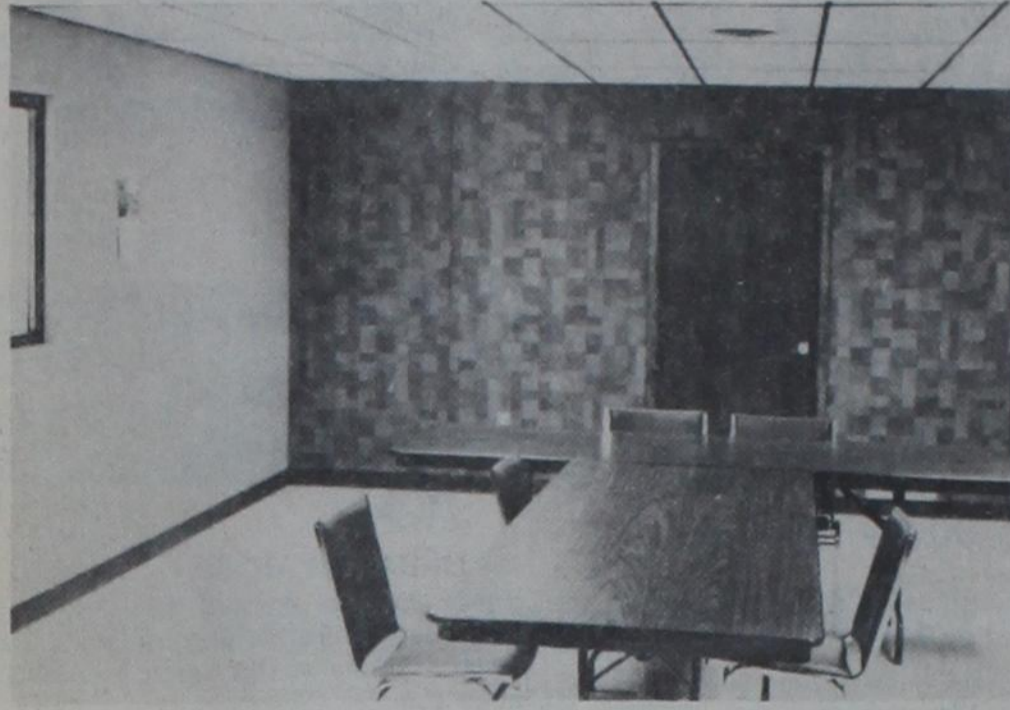
Edwin Parson went to Melrose last Sunday to spend a week with his grandparents there.

Mrs. Noah Spencer, Mr. and

Mrs. Alan Shive, Mrs. Carman Pigg and Donnie Shive of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry

Shive from Amarillo attended the funeral services of E. A. Oberst in Canyon Friday.

Mrs. Noah Spencer visited in Hart with her mother Mrs. V. E. Bearden Thursday.



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Frio

Pastor at Frio leaves for study

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

Rev. and Mrs. Lon Conner and son Josh moved to Fort Worth the first of this week. Rev. Conner resigned as pastor of Frio Baptist Church and has been accepted as a student in Baptist Theological Seminary.

They have an apartment in Fort Worth and he has found employment also. A dinner was held at Frio Sunday as a farewell gesture for the family. Conner has been pastor here for almost two years, coming from Canyon where he was graduated from WTSU at the end of the fall term of 1974.

MR. AND MRS. Donald Adams and Kenneth returned at the end of the week from a 10-day trip to Chicago, where they visited their daughter and sister Dianne Lubach and her husband Bill. The Lubachs have lived in a Chicago suburb for almost a year. Both are employed there, he in his father's business.

Visiting the Norman Harders Friday night were Butch and Cathy Stumbaugh of Fayetteville, Ark. Cathy and Sherry were college friends when attending the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville.

Mrs. Gerald Harder is in Dallas attending a state convention for home ec teachers along with other such teachers in the area. Mrs. Harder teaches at Vega.

MR. AND MRS. Deward Taylor of Friona took their grandchildren Tod Taylor, Mark and Laurie Anthony on a vacation of deep sea fishing on the Gulf Coast at Port Aransas this week.

Earnest Brooks of Duncan, Okla. is visiting the Jim Brooks and other relatives.

Jim Brooks underwent surgery Wednesday morning at Northwest Texas Hospital and is thought to be improving as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dixon of Odessa were visiting her folks the M. L. Simpsons and

others of the family last weekend. She is the former Lisa Simpson. Others of the family there Sunday included the Ronnie Andrews, Dick Hills of Hereford, Joe Bob Sanders of Dimmitt and Bill Sanders of Hart.

Visiting the Jerry Richardsons are his relatives including his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Richardson, Plum Branch, S.C., a niece, Cheryl White, also of Plum Branch; sister, Mrs. Bud Blocker, Mr. Blocker and their children Butch and Pam of Hollywood, Calif.; sister, Mrs. Roy Walker, Mr. Walker and children Junior, Belinda, Debbie and Melissa, of Glenville, Ga. Also, Jerry's other sister, Brenda Richardson of Amarillo, has spent some time with the family group. They have been to Palo Duro Park and to see the musical "Texas".

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bruns and children of Corsicana visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews and other relatives this week. Jan remained to go with Hereford's Camp Fire Group to Taos for a camping vacation this coming week. Jan is a former member of the group and went with Amy Griffin.

Fukiko Narushima of Kofu, Japan, came with the Bruns to visit here. Miss Narushima is a guest of the Bruns as a US visitor through the Summer Youth Program sponsored by Lions International. Her visit is for a period of six weeks.

HERE TO visit her relatives and those of her husband, Jim, is Mrs. Jimmy Jobe and children Shae and Melanie. They have lived in Germany for about three years, since Jobe has been stationed there with the US Army. He will come home also in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jobe, Jeanine and Roger visited friends at Cooper last week and attended a wedding there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vogler recently took a short vacation to Red River to celebrate their wedding anniversary.

Rev. and Mrs. Tommy and Needham and children visited her parents the Andy Axes during a long weekend. They live at Fort Worth, where Tommy is a student at the Baptist Seminary and also does church work.

VISITING the Brooks Sunday were her nephew, Elton and Mrs. McClennen, his mother, Syble McClennen and the McClennen's daughter, Karen Cloud and son, all of Comanche, Okla. They were on their way to visit in California.

Rain in the community ranged on Monday afternoon from showers to as much as two inches on the Castro County line intersection with FM 1055.

Visiting the Harlan Barbers during the weekend were their son Jimmy Barber, his wife and family of Huteson, Kan.

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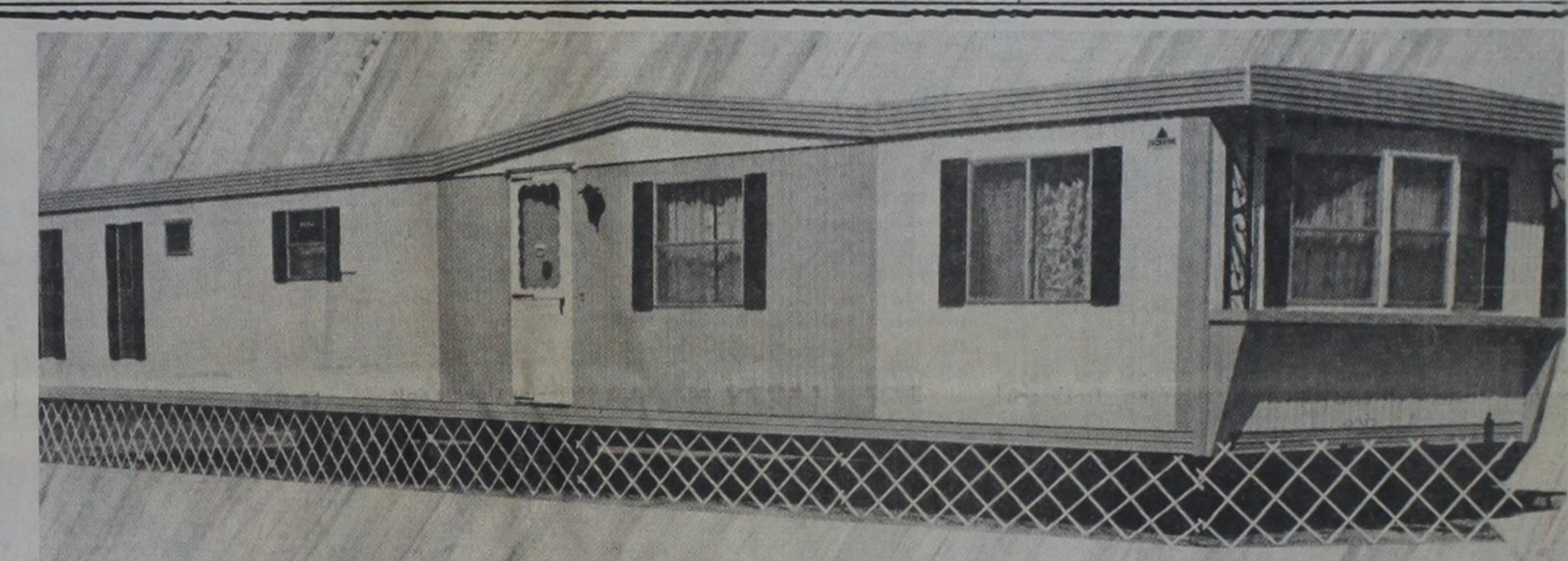
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Mrs. Dollar's father dies

Funeral services for C. L. Jackson, 81, of Tryon, N.C., father of Lucille Dollar of Dimmitt, were conducted Wednesday afternoon at Green Creek, N.C. Burial was at Green Creek.

MRS. DOLLAR recently returned from a visit with her father. She was accompanied by her daughter, Brenda Allen, who left Dimmitt Tuesday for her home in Alaska.

Mr. Jackson, whose death occurred Tuesday morning, is survived by his wife, two daughters in addition to Mrs. Dollar, and three sons.

Rites held for Laura Billings

Laura Billings, 68, sister of Raymond and M. B. Odom of Dimmitt, died last Thursday in Bakersfield, Calif.

SERVICES were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt with the Rev. John Street, pastor, officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Memorial Park, directed by Dennis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Billings was a native of Oklahoma and had lived in California 42 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Marian Millican of Mississippi; a son, Richard Wiley of Sacramento, Calif.; three sisters, Gladys Richardson of Bakersfield, and Mrs. Lena Thompson and Mrs. Pearl Fisher, both of Texas; three brothers, Herbert Odom of Oklahoma and M. B. and Raymond Odom, both of Dimmitt; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Schools set ...

[Continued from Page 1] ing will continue through Aug. 20.

HIGH SCHOOL registration will be Aug. 19, with seniors registering at 8:30 a.m., juniors at 10, sophomores at 1 p.m. and freshmen at 2:30.

Kindergarten through sixth grade pupils will register that day from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. On Aug. 20, the eighth grade will register at 8:30 a.m. and the seventh at 10 a.m.

Revival slated for Aug. 23-29

Revival week in the First Church of the Nazarene is announced for Aug. 23-29 by Rev. Warren A. Benoit, the new pastor.

THE REVIVAL speaker will be Dr. Lyle E. Eckley of Lubbock, district superintendent of the West Texas Nazarene Church. He will be heard in services at 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 29.

Rev. Benoit and his family moved this summer to the local church parsonage from La-Porte, near Houston. This is his first pastorate.

The family includes his wife, Leanora, a 6-year-old daughter, Charlene, and a son, James, 7.

US and Soviet power compared at Rotary meet

Military might of the US and the Soviet Union were graphically compared in the Rotary Club program at noon Friday, when Capt. Charles Yates, instructor-pilot, and Bill Tynan, public information officer from Reese Air Force Base, showed and discussed a USAF film.

SPENDING for defense and for development of new offensive weapons has steadily increased in the USSR and, except for a time during the Vietnam conflict, has declined in the US, Capt. Yates pointed out.

Although the USSR now has unquestioned superiority in quantity of many weapons and defense systems, the US equipment is still considered more sophisticated, although Russia is working constantly to close that gap, he continued.

"We can't afford to let our guard down," Capt. Yates said. He quoted the ancient Greek philosopher Plato who said, "Only the dead have seen the end of war."

ELMER YOUTS introduced the program guests and also City Manager Garnett Holland, a guest.

Too late to classify FOR SALE: 75 Heath 4-row 30" lifter-loader beet digger and Alloway 4-row hydraulic top-per. Tom Miller, 647-2231, or 352-8248. 5-44-6tc

Graveside funeral is held for infant

Graveside funeral services for Habert Chance, infant son of Ernest and Dorothy Chance, were conducted Monday morning at Castro Memorial Gardens, where burial was under direction of the Dennis Funeral Home.

Rev. Ernest Smith, pastor of a Baptist church at Springlake, officiated, assisted by Rev. James Alexander of New Hope Baptist Church.

The baby died in a local hospital Friday at the age of 10 days.



SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By LINDA RICHARDSON

Three squares enjoyed the calling by Randy Costley of Canyon Tuesday at the Castro County Country Club.

SPECIAL guests were Andy and Ann Alexander. George and Rita Book served refreshments.

The club made final plans for the Bicentennial Square Dance, to be held Tuesday, Aug. 10. Rounds will start at 7:30 with Les Grumke of Amarillo calling, and the Grand March will be at 8:30 with Johnny Gillenwater calling.

Arthritis Foundation tickets were issued to members. "Dance So Others May Walk" is the theme for this year's dance. All proceeds go to the Arthritis Foundation. So members, get to selling tickets for this worthy cause.

Ben and Irma Kennedy are making arrangements for the square dance in Hart for Hart Day activities. This is set for Aug. 14. Roy Johnson of Amarillo will be calling at the Villa Inn on Aug. 21.

THE SWEETHEART Jam-boree in Hereford will be Saturday with meetings in the afternoon which our president and representative plan to attend. The Grand March starts at 8 p.m. Linda Richardson, club sweetheart, will be introduced as will all the other club sweethearts. One woman will then be selected to reign as PSDA Sweetheart for the coming year.

Happy anniversary!

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

- AUG. 5 — Dero and Lorena Cates, Merriman and Barbara Frazee, Ted and Jean Robb, George and Marie Bowen, Jim and Sharon Patton.
- AUG. 6 — Mike and Marjorie Boothe, Leonard and Rosemary Wilhelm.
- AUG. 7 — Edward and Sharon Ewing.
- AUG. 8 — Sam and Margie Albracht, Joe and Jeanette Johnson.
- AUG. 9 — Ray and Sue Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Braddock, Norbert and Helen Gerber.
- AUG. 10 — Jim and Melba Aldridge, Charley and Beverly Hill, Roger and Edna Rae Schilling.
- AUG. 11 — Don and LaVon Reeve, Mark and Sarita Cleavinger.
- AUG. 12 — Charles and Cleta Wilkerson.

Tops selects July 'Angel'

Shirley Thompson was selected as "Angel of the Month" in Tops Club 386, at its meeting Monday when 22 members were present at the clubhouse. She was cited for her services to the club in July.

ANN PEVEHOUSE was Tops Queen for the Week, with a weight loss of four pounds, and Mandy Ramirez KOPS Queen with a loss of 2 pounds, 8 ounces to maintain her weight goal.

Total weight loss for those present was 17 pounds, 12 ounces. A new member was welcomed and names were drawn for secret pals.

The club invites membership from anyone in the community, man or woman, at any age, who is interested in working toward its aim, "Take Off Pounds Sensibly." Information may be obtained from Oleta Raper, 647-5563, or Jackie Smotherman, 647-5531.



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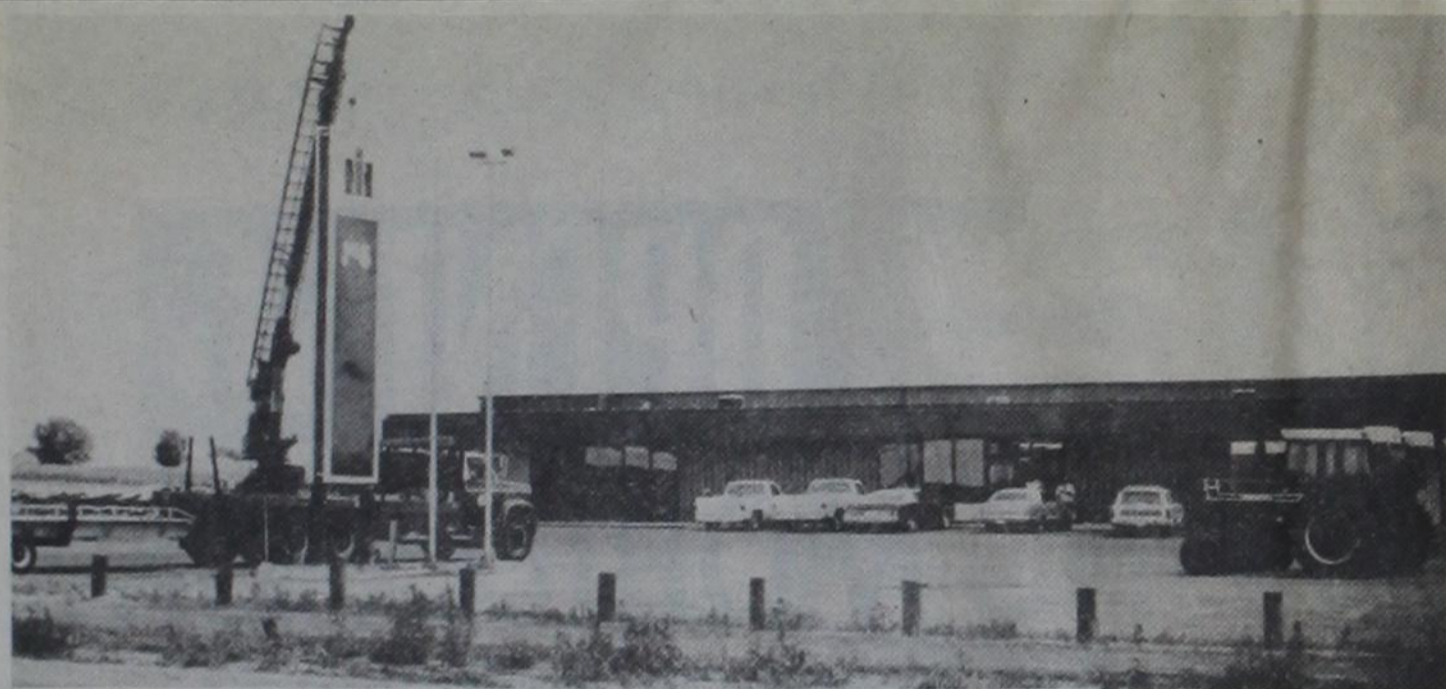
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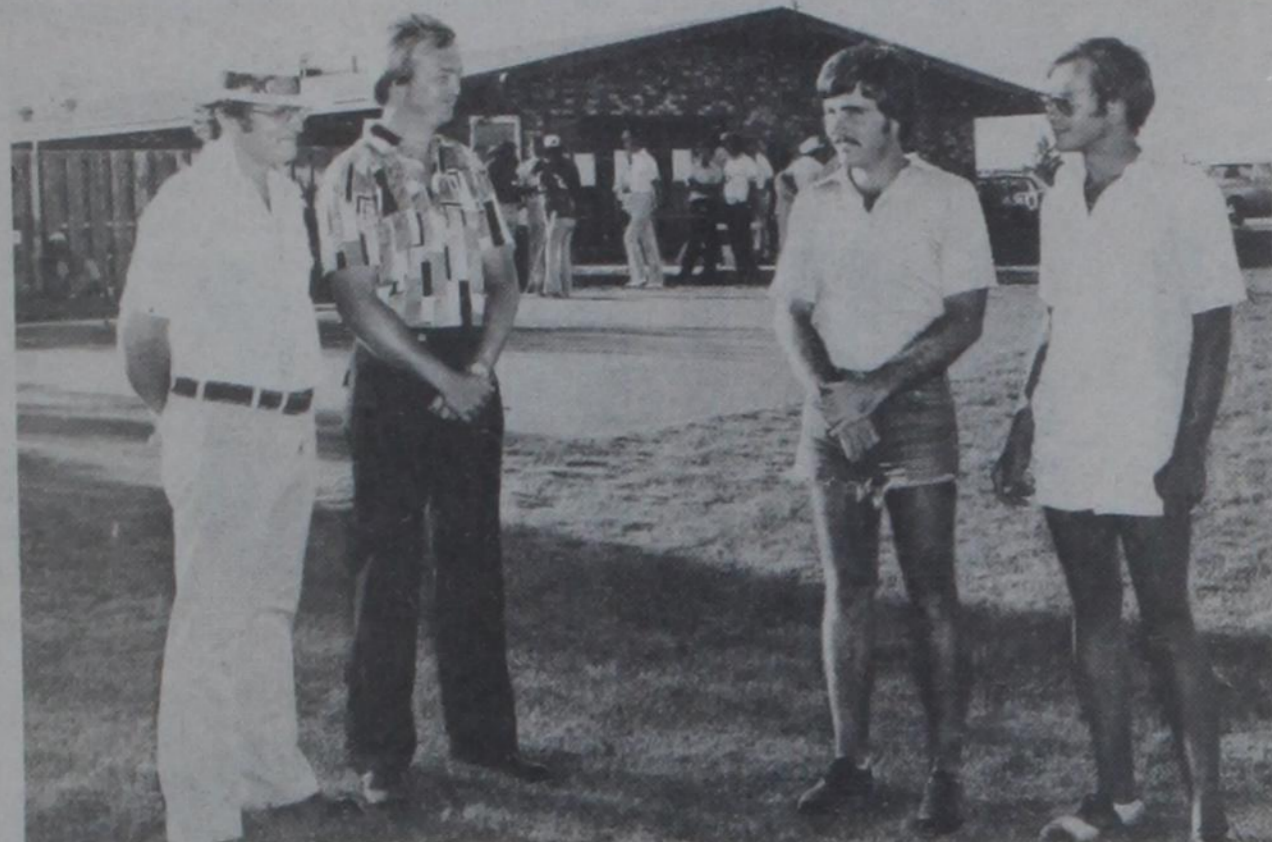


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CHAMPIONS and runners-up in the first annual Doc Render Memorial Partnership Golf Tournament held over the weekend at the Country Club were Mike Coron (left) and Ed Barnes, both of Clovis, who won the Championship Flight with a score of 132; and Barry Benton of Lamesa and Roy Farrell

[right] of Lubbock, runners-up with a 136. The tournament was named in honor of the late Glen "Doc" Render, charter member of the Country Club, and drew a large field of entries from North Texas and eastern New Mexico.

Clovis partners win Render Tournery trophy

Mike Coron and Ed Barnes of Clovis fired a 12-under-par 132 to capture the championship of the Doc Render Memorial Partnership Golf Tournament Saturday and Sunday at the Castro County Country Club.

TEN TEAMS, including a pair of Dimmitt teenagers, finished with below-par net scores in the 36-hole low-ball tourney. Barry Benton of Lamesa and Roy Farrell of Lubbock came in second in the Championship Flight with a 136. Coyle Windburn of Pampa and Jimmy But-

ler of Dimmitt tied with Ken Bailey and Doug Turner for third-place honors with 137 scores. John Ethridge of Lubbock and Jerry Watts of Dimmitt won the first flight with a 134, one stroke ahead of Chief Fagen and Bill Clemmons of Phillips. Finishing third in the First Flight with a 137 were Charlie Skinner of Hereford and Charlie White of Dimmitt.

SECOND Flight winners were Allen and Hughes of Amarillo with 136. Dimmitt teenagers Brad Glenn and Keith Crum fired a two-below-par 142 to finish second, while Crawford and Loudermilk of Lubbock placed third with a 145.

In the Third Flight, Doc and Tommy Weaver of Hereford won with a 140, while Barker and Lewis of Lubbock tied with Tapia and Farrell of Clovis for second with a 142.

In the Fourth Flight, it was Sims and Childress of Hereford winning with 151, Angely and

Jones of Muleshoe second with 154, and George Rush of Dimmitt and John Avent of Hereford third with 155.

FIFTH FLIGHT placers were Burnett Hunt and Richard Jesko of Clayton, first with 155; Tay Nittler and S. D. Baiz of Friona, second with 157; and Turk Cates of Weatherford, Okla., and Gerald Summers of Dimmitt, third with 163.

Jerri Clark wins Muleshoe playday

Jerri Ka Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clark of Dimmitt, won all-around honors in the Young Junior division of the Progress 4-H running playday at Muleshoe Saturday.

RIDING "County Line" she placed first in pole bending, the barrel race and the flag race.

The 11-year-old girl is a member of the Castro County 4-H Horse Club.

Mayfield hopes Buffs will vie for MVC title

Prospects of a West Texas State University championship in the Missouri Valley Conference this year were expressed cautiously by Buffalo Coach Gene Mayfield when he spoke to the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club and guests at the club lunch Monday.

PRE-SEASON predictions give Tulsa University the nod to repeat as winner, with WT second, Mayfield said, "but I think we have an excellent chance to be first" if replacements for 1976 graduates on the defensive squad perform up to expectations.

Most of last year's strong offensive squad is back, the head coach said in a brief analysis of prospects for this fall, and despite the loss of three of the four defensive down men he expects the defense to develop well.

He plans to rely heavily on Dimmitt High grad Robert Mayberry, who "made a fine showing in the offensive backfield as a freshman" last year, Mayfield said. Mayberry is working this summer as a roughneck in the eastern Panhandle oilfields.

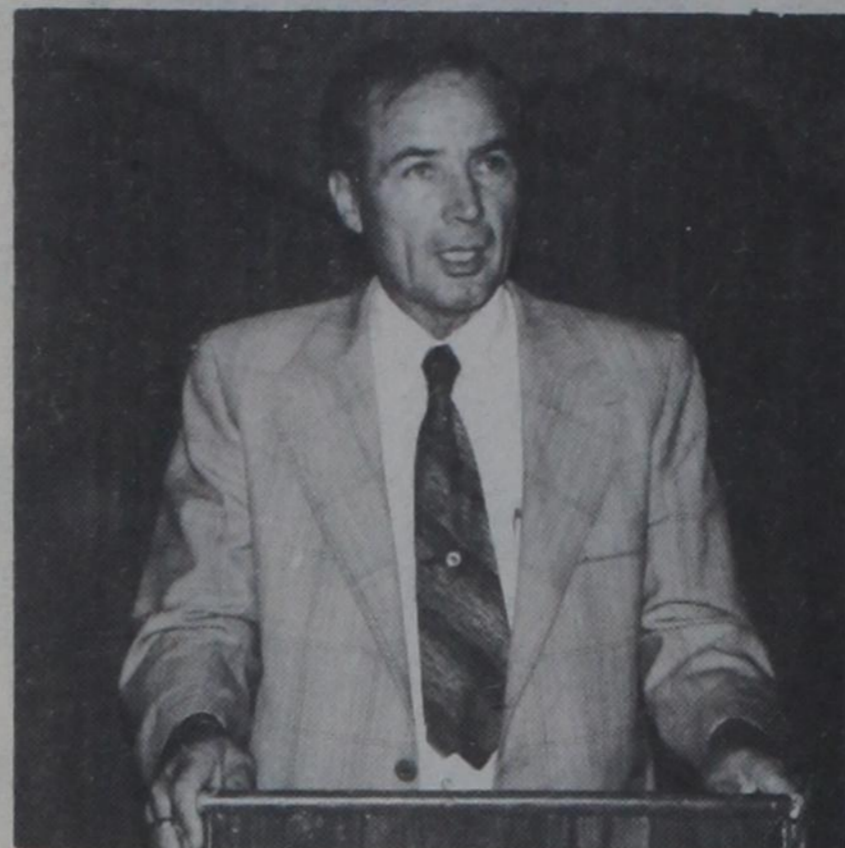
INJURED in the final game last season, Mayberry underwent surgery for a pulled hamstring, but Mayfield said his recovery was rapid, and Mayberry is expected to be in top condition to begin this year.

Mayfield recognized Rick Wright of Dimmitt, a Buffalo place kicker, who was among the guests at Monday's meeting.

A perennial question of Panhandle grid fans, "When do you think Texas Tech will play WT?" was asked Mayfield. He replied that he does not anticipate a meeting of the two teams.

"A LARGER college has nothing to gain from playing a smaller school in its vicinity, and much to lose in case it loses a game," he said with a grin. "Of course we'd like it very much for financial reasons; it would give us some good support for our athletic program."

The Buffs will play one large university this season, the University of Houston in the Astrodome, he added.



W.T.S.U. COACH GENE MAYFIELD ... Speaking to Kiwanis Club Monday

Bruce Bush, new head coach of the Dimmitt Bobcats, introduced Mayfield, citing his record in coaching that began at Littlefield and continued in Borger and Odessa Permian, which he guided to a state AAAA championship.

JERRY VANCE, assistant DHS coach was a guest, as

were Emmett Broderson, who was an assistant coach with Mayfield at Littlefield; Bob Murdock, who was on the grid squad there, and representatives of local news media.

Following Mayfield's talk, Dale Fowler presented him a Castro County Bicentennial commemorative coin.



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

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AUG. 6 - Susan Sanders, James Bradford, John Womack, Layne Myatt, Doyle Kleman.

AUG. 7 - Jennifer Sava, Lois Wales, Irene Bradley, Martha Dannevik, Gene Gerber, Clifford Braddock.

AUG. 8 - Bessie Strickland, Lisa Schulte, Rodney Huseman, Judy Lange, Gary Book, Gayle Book.

AUG. 9 - Katrina Keating, Ralph Brockman.

AUG. 10 - Carolyn Moke, Colette Acker, Dick Braddock, Gilbert Schulte.

AUG. 11 - Grace Lust, Kayla Jones, Ronda Tidwell, Jason Smotherman, Tomie Maples, Jack Samuel Villines, Leona Maurer.

AUG. 12 - Lynette Rials, John S. Robel.

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