



## Corn price outlook bright



**FIREMAN OF THE YEAR**—Randy Small (right) was named Fireman of the Year at the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.'s annual awards banquet Thursday night. Seated with him in the department's antique fire truck are Outstanding Service Award winners Lynn West and Kay Conyers. They were presented

their awards by Mayor Elmer Youts. Small, who serves as first assistant fire chief, was present at 103 of the department's 111 fire calls and practice meetings during the year. A volunteer fireman since, 1970, he is a second-time FOY winner, having earned the top award in 1972 also.

With corn prices up to \$4.10 per hundredweight this week and the Castro County yield per acre well above last year's, growers have reason for optimism as the 1978 harvest winds down.

All grain prices are encouraging now and farmers see a chance to come out ahead on their crops despite inflation and still-rising production costs.

Corn growers will realize substantially more per acre for their crop, and even with less acreage the county as a whole will benefit financially from the good yields and good market, elevator operators say.

Total production this year will be about 17,466,260 bushels, compared with 20,044,440 bushels in 1977, or a drop of 2,578,180 bushels.

The crop was grown on 124,759 acres this year, and on 167,037 acres last year, a difference of 42,278 acres according to figures from the Castro County ASCS office.

Last year the average production was 120 bushels per

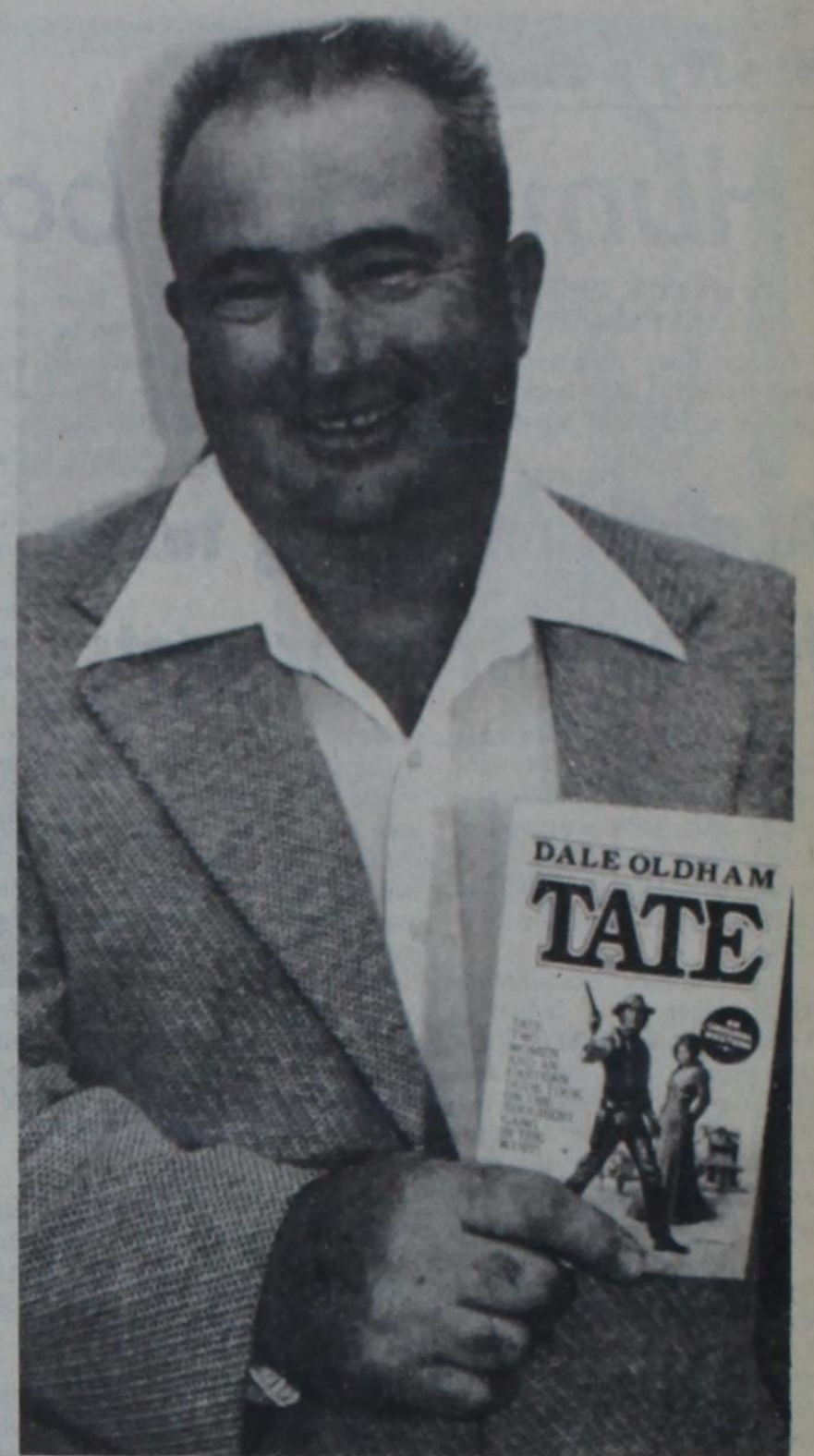
acre, while this year the figure rose to 140 bushels, County Extension Agent Charles Hottel said.

At \$4.10 per hundred-weight, the market price of corn is near the government loan level of \$2.06 per bushel—a bushel weighs 56 pounds. Last year the loan level was below the market price of \$3.60 per cwt.

The higher price this year, when the corn yield is up nationally, is due to farmers holding their grain instead of selling it on a lower market, Fred Bruegel Jr., longtime elevator operator here, explains.

This is true also of wheat, soybeans, and in fact all grains, Bruegel said, adding that he expects better grain prices in coming months.

"In this area, my personal opinion is that we're on the bottom side of grain now, and although prices may dip around the first of the year when there will be some selling to pay taxes, etc., I expect prices to be up again next spring," Bruegel said.



**THURMAN OLDHAM**  
... With his new western novel, "Tate"

## Local carpenter is now an author

A funny thing happened to Thurman Oldham while he was browsing at Dimmitt Super Market's book rack Friday afternoon. He spotted a new paperback western novel, "Tate," and nearly freaked out.

It's his own book, and he hadn't yet seen a copy.

Oldham knew his book was scheduled to come off the press this month, and was expecting to receive his six complimentary author's copies any day. But he wasn't expecting to discover it on the local book rack first.

"My immediate reaction when I saw my book on the stand was to snatch it before it could get away," Oldham said. "I just floated back across the store, and was back at the delicatessen with the book in my hand before I even realized I had left the newsstand. I was just numb."

With the nationwide release of "Tate," the Dimmitt carpenter joins the heady ranks of published authors.

"The sense of accomplishment is something that's just indescribable," he said. "To know you've accomplished something that such a relatively few people do—it's just hard to describe."

The 176-page novel is the result of two months' work last year when the carpentry business was slow.

Needing work, Oldham had applied for a job at the Castro County News. He's a good photographer, and was willing to learn newswriting. But the paper's co-publisher, Don Nelson, turned him down.

"Okay, if he doesn't think I can write, I'll show him,"

Oldham thought to himself. "I can write a western novel that would be better than a lot of them I've read."

In the quiet of his home during the day, he started writing "Tate"—in longhand, on a legal pad. He didn't make a plot outline or character sketches. He knew in his head how he wanted his plot to go, and he let his characters develop as he unfolded the story.

"I realize that's not how they teach you to do it, but that's what worked for me," he said.

He wrote six hours a day, and within five weeks he had a 50,000-word novel.

He and his wife Helen spent another month with the dictionary, checking his spelling and word usage. Then Helen typed the final manuscript.

To find a publisher, Oldham simply went to Dimmitt Super Market, took a western novel off the rack and copied the publisher's name and address—Belmont Tower Books, New York City.

He mailed the publisher his manuscript, and kept a photocopy for himself.

That was last August.

"I didn't hear from the publisher until the following February," he said. "That's when they sent me a letter proposing a \$1,000 advance, with 4% royalties on the first 150,000 copies sold and 6% on all copies over 150,000."

"Of course, I wrote them back and told them that was okay with me."

Oldham describes "Tate" as "a typical escapist western" [See AUTHOR, Page 14]

## Lemons files as write-in after losing final appeal

Keith Lemons has filed as a write-in candidate for the county-district attorney's post in the November general election, after a Texas Supreme Court decision Wednesday morning reaffirmed a Seventh Circuit of Civil Appeals ruling in a lengthy court battle.

Earlier this month the state's highest court dismissed Lemons' appeal to overturn the appeals court ruling that he could not be the Democratic nominee because he was not a qualified candidate at the time of the May primary election.

The legal contest between Lemons and Jimmy Davis began when both filed as candidates in the first Demo primary and Lemons sued to have Davis' name removed from the ballot because Davis did not meet the six-month residency requirement.

That matter was taken to the Texas Supreme Court, which decided against Davis, leaving Lemons' name alone on the primary ballot.

However, Davis filed suit in April, contesting Lemons' right to be a candidate because he was not a licensed attorney then. Lemons was a

senior in Baylor University Law School at the time, and has since been licensed.

The court's ruling early in October, dismissing Lemons' appeal "for lack of jurisdiction" apparently ended the legal battle, but on Oct. 10 Lemons filed a motion for a rehearing, and the court acted on it with the Wednesday ruling.

In effect the result was the same, Lemons said Wednesday, but designation of the case was changed from "for lack of jurisdiction" to "Re- [See LEMONS, Page 14]

### Perfect

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	89	45
Friday	90	43
Saturday	61	36
Sunday	72	39
Monday	79	41
Tuesday	76	43
Wednesday	78	42
October Moisture	0	
1978 Moisture	12.76	

KDHN RADIO  
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## 'We need your card,' campaign chief says

"Hurry and help so we can get through with the United Way drive this month," Campaign Chairman Joe Josselet urged Dimmitt area residents this week in a report on progress of the annual drive. He said "probably 90 percent" of the pledge cards which have been distributed through business firms and to individuals have not yet been returned, and he urged workers to make an effort to collect them by Oct. 24.

As of Tuesday morning, only \$2,761.80 had been raised to date on the \$17,681 goal for 1978, which will supply funds for nine agencies.

Josselet said he hopes the drive can be completed this month, but if necessary it will be carried over into November.

Prompt return of pledge cards is the important factor right now, Josselet emphasized. Employees are asked to remind their employees to make their pledges now and return the cards.

The pledge cards were distributed by representatives of the agencies which will benefit from the drive, and by workers they appointed to

assist, Josselet explained.

Cards may be returned to the workers who distributed them, he said, or may be brought to him at Hi Plains Savings and Loan—and he suggests that the drive-up window is a convenient place to leave them.

Agencies which will share in the UW fund this year, and their representatives, are:

Senior Citizens, Ruth Coleman; Rhoads Memorial Library, Weldon Skinner and Brick Autry; Girl Scouts, Mildred Washington; Boy Scouts, Totch Upshaw; Kids Inc., Bobby Murdock; American Field Service, Janice Bell; Meals on Wheels, Carolyn Sides; Satellite School, Emmett Broderson; and Salvation Army, Weldon Bradley.

## TV Cable Co. hopes to add new channels

Officials of the Dimmitt TV Cable Co. announced plans at Monday night's city commission meeting to make at least

two more channels available to local customers via satellite.

With the additional stations would come a \$3-a-month increase in the cable television rate, they said.

## Deadline for booths announced

Halloween carnival booth reservations should be made by the end of this week Chairman Doyle Hoover announces, in order for him to be able to lay out the building to make room for all booths.

Hoover also stressed that even if organizations had a booth last year he needs to know if they are going to obtain a booth this year. He said many of those who had a booth last year have failed to contact him.

Booths for various amusement features and sale of refreshments are available to local organizations without charge.

Hoover said, "the carnival seems to become more commercialized (money hungry) every year. Many of the booth operators seem to have forgotten why the carnival first began."

"The carnival was started in order to minimize vandalism and to increase the joy and special magic of Halloween for the youth of the community by providing a controlled atmosphere in which to vent their energies."

Hoover said it is his hope that, this year, "Dimmitt will have a memorable carnival that will bring happiness to our youth."

Reservations can be made by contacting Hoover at 647-4302 or 647-3135. It is an advantage to make reservations as soon as possible.

TV Cable Co. President Ronnie Howard appeared before the commission, along with co-owner Jack Miller. Howard explained that the company is negotiating for an earth satellite receiving station, which would allow it to offer two to three additional channels to their customers.

"Channel 17, a 24-hour independent station out of Atlanta, and the Christian Broadcast Network, also a 24-hour station, are already on the satellite hook-up, and we expect one or two others to be added soon," Howard said. "We feel that adding these quality stations should more than make up for the increase in the cost of service."

Another service that may be made available to Dimmitt customers in the near future is the "Home Box Office" station, which cable customers may subscribe to for an additional \$8 monthly. HBO includes full length movies and special sports events.

"The rates will not go up until the new service is installed," Howard said, "and that depends on when the government will approve our application for the earth station."

Howard told the commission he realized that the cable company's franchise from the city does not require it to notify the city of any rate changes, but added that the company just "likes to keep the city informed."

The company, which began here in 1963, had its last rate increase four years ago.

The \$1 charge for extra hook-ups will not increase, Howard said.

## Santa scene planned for downtown

The Dimmitt courthouse lawn will be turned into a colorful Winter Wonderland this Christmas, thanks to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce and the Young Homemakers Club.

The CoC has purchased a series of holiday scenes and Christmas figures. This has been an ambitious project for the CoC and directors at their recent meeting voted a salute to Debbie Annen and her Young Homemakers for their work and to Charles Hottel for the "sawing" required to complete the scene.

"Shop Early for Christmas" is the theme that the Dimmitt merchants are using to encourage early Christmas shopping in Dimmitt. Name-tags have been provided by the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce to be worn by employees in stores here, carrying a holiday greeting.



**FIRST 1978 BALE**—The county's first bale of cotton was brought in to the Ross Family Gin at Sunnyside Tuesday by Eddie Haydon. The cotton was grown on land owned by Ila Haydon, right, Haydon's aunt. The bale weighed in at 485 pounds and yielded 700 pounds of seed. Planted in April, the cotton was of the Rilecot 90 variety. The crop matured early because it was on a hill, a spokesman from the gin said. The cotton was ginned by the owner of the gin, Gene Ross, at left with his daughter Chania, and weighed in by his wife Bennie Ross.



**MISS KING, THE QUEEN**—Sue Rita King, a blonde senior, was crowned as Dimmitt High School's 1978 Homecoming Queen during the school's Friday afternoon pep rally. Other candidates for the honor were junior Lori Dyer, sophomore Judith Smith and freshman Patty Montes. The queen and her court presided at the Homecoming game Friday night.

## Hart Homecoming Week is observed

Homecoming Week at Hart High School is in progress, to culminate in the first district game of the season for the HHS Longhorns when they meet Bovina at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

The victory bonfire preceding the game was scheduled at 9 p.m. Wednesday. At a school assembly at 11 a.m. Friday, a pinning ceremony will honor the team members. The Homecoming Queen will be presented at halftime of the game.

Activities Friday, planned to include ex-students and other visitors, will be a Mexican Fiesta Supper served by Xi Mu Iota sorority in the school cafeteria from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., and a Homecoming dance after the game sponsored by the United Methodist Youth of Hart.

Special costumes have been worn by HHS students during the week to rouse spirit before the game. Tuesday was

"Rope 'em day" when cowboy dress was worn. Thursday is Maroon and White Day to parade the school colors, and Friday will be Dress-Up Day.

Candidates for Homecoming Queen are Lori Barnes, Marsha Cobb, Josie Garcia and Stacy Averitt. In the running for Pep Squad King are Jackie Ethridge, Keith Newsom, Pat Ritter and Daniel Higgins. Victory King candidates are Rick Rowland, Ritter and Ethridge.

This week is also being observed as Twerp Week, when girls invite the boys to various school events and carry their books when couples walk to and from classes.

The after-game dance will be held in the elementary school gym with disco music played by Chris King, Amarillo disc jockey. Admission is \$2 if tickets are bought in advance, \$2.50 at the door.

Tickets for the supper are on sale to the public by the XMI members.



Shelly's Chatter

Humorous book is reviewed for club and guests

By MYRTLE SHEFFY and JANET STANFORD
Nancy Ross reviewed the book by Erma Bombeck, "If Life is a Bowl of Cherries,

Why Am I in the Pits?'. This is a humorous book written in the first person. She starts by saying, "I always worry a lot and I am very good at it. For

instance, I worry that a snake will come up the drain pipe, and what if there is a shortage of ball bearings, or this one, I worry about what the dog thinks when I come out of the shower, or what if they find that lettuce is fattening after all my dieting."

ner. Supper was a Mexican casserole and pound cake. Jeanie Johnson came in with the high score. Thursday afternoon I (Janet S.) attended a party at Carol Ellison's home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blackwood from Albuquerque have been here visiting Nancy Smith. Mrs. Blackwood and Nancy are sisters.

Aural's brother Judge Rod Shaw and Mrs. Shaw of Lubbock were here for a visit and dinner.

was in town last weekend. He is the Safety Coordinator of the state Department of Highways. Also he was one of the 1958 graduates.

home were his brothers Charles and Waurika Brock and Ralph Brock over from Lubbock.

Retta and Billie Cluck and Retta's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scott of Farwell had a good trip to New Mexico. A few days at Tres Ritos, fished but didn't catch any, on to Taos to look at the art work.

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Applications being taken for State Trooper posts

Major C. W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety announced the DPS is accepting applications for the position of State Trooper.

Upon successful completion of the entrance examinations and a personal background data investigation, the recruit will enter 18 weeks of intensive police training.

Sunday afternoon, Oct. 1, Margaret and Ray Nelson and a host of relatives and friends were in Lubbock attending a barbecue honoring Mark Hammons and his fiancée, Judy Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blackwood from Albuquerque have been here visiting Nancy Smith. Mrs. Blackwood and Nancy are sisters.

Bill and Cheryl Glidewell had friends in for dinner and bridge Thursday night. Those attending were Ray and A'llan Bradley, Joe Bob and Diane Sanders, Beverly Lindsey and Jerry Heller.

Dr. W. J. Hill went to College Station on a recent weekend to see the game between A&M and Tech.

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The entrance examination will be given in the Lubbock, Amarillo and Wichita Falls DPS offices on Tuesdays and Thursdays for this area of the state and continue through early December for the Recruit School beginning in January, according to Bell.

The 18-week training period will cover some 850 hours of law enforcement classes on a wide variety of subjects such as criminal and traffic law, human and community relations, investigative techniques, marksmanship, pursuit driving and physical training.

Mauzee Youts and about 12 other members from the First Baptist Church are attending Aspen Bible Conference at Glorieta, N.M. this week.

George and Ewell Newell, a niece and nephew of Lester and Clara Gladden, have been here visiting. They are from Shawnee, Okla.

Last Saturday night Garland and Susan Coleman had a party in their home. Those attending were Danny and Shelly Rice, Gary and Paula Moore. All enjoyed several rounds of cards.

Rev. Roy and Wenonah Barringer and Don and Ann Ethington went to El Paso last weekend to attend a trustee meeting of the Christian College there.

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The test will begin at 9 a.m. and continue through most of the day. Applicants are advised to wear comfortable running footwear and be prepared to give their best mental and physical effort.

After graduation, as a commissioned law enforcement officer, the monthly salary increases to \$1,000 and at the end of six months active duty the officer gets a salary increase to \$1,068.

Mickey Hathaway was a weekend guest of his sister Janet Stanford. He was here for the class reunion along with several others.

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Maj. Bell said general qualifications for DPS Troopers are: Applicants must be 20 through 35 years of age; good moral character; excellent physical condition; weigh not less than two pounds nor more than three and one-half pounds per inch of height; visual acuity no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/20; and a citizen of the United States.

Other benefits include 5.85% paid Social Security. Uniforms, weapons, ammunition and vehicles are furnished by the State of Texas. Life insurance and hospitalization are paid for the employee.

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Alamo 20 lb. Bag **\$5.49**

**Beef Stew and Biscuits**  
Green Giant 14 oz. **99¢**

**SPINACH**  
Del Monte 15 oz. **3 for \$1.00**

**SHORTENING**  
White Swan 42 oz. **\$1.29**

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Purina Country Blend 4 lb. **\$1.59**

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1—REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND

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FOR SALE: Large 3-bedroom, 2-bath, den, newly-reddecorated. Fenced, trees. 104 NW 5th. 647-4507. 1-47-tfc

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FOR SALE: To be moved, 3 bedroom and bath with double garage. Call 938-2256. 1-20-tfc

680 A IRRIGATED STOCK-FARM. Strong water. 4-8' wells. \$450 per acre. Good terms. Near Hereford. 806-364-0484. 1-3-1tc

GRAIN ELEVATORS west of Lubbock, 100,000 scales. Slurry mixes to feedyards can net \$25,000 month. 806-364-0484. 1-3-1tc

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3 BDR. Brick Two Story home, well located. All purpose room with 2 Car Garage. Fenced back yard.

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APARTMENT for rent, Country Arms Apartments, 111 NW 11th, 647-3318. 2-23-tfc

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4—HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE: Refrigerator (needs door handle) \$35; Clary electric adding machine (works good) \$40; Black and white portable TV; Recliner; Sears full stereo; Vibrator; miscellaneous items. Little Brown House, 108 W. Dulin. 4-3-tfc

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FOR SALE 1978 Dodge Bobtail truck, 18 inch bed and hoist, 210 Cummins V8 Diesel engine, 10 speed Road Ranger transmission, 846-2587. 6-3-2tc

NEED TO SELL 1974 Mustang II. Very good condition. Call David Mixson, 647-2293. 6-3-4tc

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FOR SALE: Miller Offset Discs. For free demonstration contact Farmer's Supply Co. 647-3350. 5-41-tfc

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FOR SALE: 1973 Thunderbird, 2-door, 647-3392. 6-51-tfc

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8—SERVICES

DEAD STOCK removal, 7-day week service. Please call soon as possible. Hereford Bi-Products. Phone 364-0951. 8-3-tfc

McKNIGHT SEWING CENTER, 226 N. Main, Hereford. Ph. 364-4051. (Singer Authorized Dealer). For full sales and service, parts, labor, new and used machines and vacuum cleaners. Dimmitt number to call 647-2552 before 8 a.m. or after 4 p.m. 8-41-tfc

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ON THE FARM tractor and combine air conditioner repair and service. JIM'S FARM A/C SERVICE, call 647-5310 or 647-3127. 8-20-tfc

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RENTAL color TVs. Kittrell Electronics. 8-51-tfc

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9—HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Taking Applications for Welder, Mechanic and Parts Department. Experience Necessary. Excellent Benefits. Oswalt Division, Box 551, Hereford, Texas 79045. Equal Opportunity Employer—Male/Female. 9-52-4tc

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13—LOST & FOUND LOST: White Peekapoo dog, wearing tags, answers to "Sodie." Reward offered. Ph. 647-2194 or after 5 call 647-5344. 13-1-tfc

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15—LEGAL NOTICES NOTICE The Dimmitt Independent School District will accept sealed bids on the below listed vehicles until 4:00 P.M., Thursday, October 26, 1978. 1 - 1961 International Pickup 1 - 1964 Dodge Pickup 2 - 1968 54-passenger Chevrolet school buses

Bids should be submitted to the Superintendent of Schools at 608 W. Halsell during regular office hours. The above listed vehicles may be seen for inspection at the Dimmitt I.S.D. Transportation Center on Farm Road 3215 between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Mr. Morris Gowdy can be contacted concerning these vehicles by telephoning 647-4607. The D.I.S.D. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. 15-2-2tc

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1958 GRADS—Twenty-six members of Dimmitt High School's Class of 1958 gathered at the Colonial Inn Restaurant for a brunch Saturday morning, and posed later for this class picture. Class members also attended the Homecoming pep rally and Dimmitt-Lockney game as a group Friday, and gathered at the Country Club for a reunion party after the game. Women, from left, are Patsy Queary Bridge, Ann Smith Armstrong, Patsy Mundell Arvizu, Una Kirby Maxwell, Jonalyn Alldredge Jones, Marisue Woodburn Thomason,

Omata Bradley Scott, Barbara Kitchens Howell, Joyce George Rickerd, Marilyn Howell Gossett, Karroll Waggoner Rettman, Frances Lane Young and Charlotte Mears Gilbreath. Men, from left, are C. D. West, Gary Cleaver, George Frye, Jerry McGowan, Truman Touchstone, Robert Brown, Zay Gilbreath, Berle K. Hyatt, Keith Lowe, Leon Gunn, Mickey Hathaway and Don Robb. Also attending the 20th-year reunion activities was John Carr of Amarillo, who had to leave before the brunch ended.

## DHS Class of '58 holds reunion

By JOYCE RICKERD starting with the pep rally Friday afternoon. They met and sat together at the ball game between Dimmitt and Lockney. It was so much fun guessing who some of the gang were. They met after the ball game at the Country Club for chips and dips, snacks and

just good talk. Some of the former teachers were there, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Newman from Tucumcari, N.M., J. O. Seale and Ralph and Avis Smith from Dimmitt. There was a lot of talk and giggling until late.

Saturday morning a brunch was held at the Colonial Inn Restaurant. Good food and talk was enjoyed by all. Truman Touchstone presided over the short program.

Joyce (George) Rickerd and Ann (Smith) Armstrong presented a few "special" awards. Carrol West received a Texas map for traveling the farthest, from Kirkland, Wash., just to see if he could find his way home. Truman Touchstone received a bottle of vitamin plus iron pills for having the most children. Gary Cleaver won out over Patsy Arvizu for oldest grandchild, a box of disposable diapers. George Frye and Mickey Hathaway shared a jar of preserves for being best preserved, by clean living, or whatever.

Leon Gunn looked good in his cute little hairpiece which he won for being the baldest. (John Carr left just in time!) A jar of wrinkle cream was the prize for most preserved woman—every lady there tried to claim it.

There was honorable mention but no prize for the oldest child and the youngest child, so Truman Touchstone and Joyce Rickerd breathed a sigh of relief, sat back and enjoyed the rest of the program. Keith Lowe and Ralph

## Book fourth at Hereford

Gayle Book of Nazareth posted her best cross-country performance ever Saturday as she placed fourth at the Hereford Invitational Cross-Country Meet at Veteran Park in Hereford.

Miss Book, a state qualifier for Nazareth High last year in the school's first year of competition in the sport, cut 20 seconds off her previous best with a 13:07 finish in the two-mile run.

Miss Book finished behind

Susan White of Amarillo High (12:47), Mindee Mayfield of Monterey (12:48), and Sue Sutherland of Tascosa (13:02).

As a team, Nazareth finished 10th in the meet.

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**business and industry**

**On Wall Street**  
By Bob Hill  
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Here come the Japanese! The Japanese learned forty years ago in China that business is the best way to invade a country, instead of using an army. Business is the instrument of expansion for an aggressive country. Fortunately, the Japanese have a sensitivity for the feeling of non-Japanese and this helps them in opening new ventures in other countries.

This is most evident in the US where Japanese companies have purchased and built plants and are managing US workers. The Japanese investments in this country have been a trickle so far. But it could soon turn into a flood because of high wages in Japan and a strengthening of the yen. This has made it more profitable for the Japanese to open plants in the countries to which they have been exporting goods.

Honda Motor Co. has announced plans for a large motorcycle assembly plant in Ohio, Toshiba and Sanyo have plans for electronics plants in Nashville and San Diego; and Toyota and Nissan, makers of the Datsun have decided to build an automobile assembly plant in the US. Japanese banking and trading activities have been active in this country ever since the recovery of Japan after World War II.

The Japanese method of management differs widely from the US system. Individual worker freedom and mobility are the rule in the country. But in Japan, the guiding principle is the complex relationship between management and labor. A

Japanese worker joins a company for his entire working life—until retirement at age 55. His company accepts the responsibility to provide the worker with housing, transportation, vacations and medical care. Managers will even find spouses for workers. Above all, only under extreme conditions (bankruptcy) will a company fire a worker. In return, it is unthinkable for a Japanese worker to leave a company.

This is not the American way, but it is the productive way, because it lends a great deal of dignity to workers. They see themselves not as cogs in a vast machine, but as crucial to the long-term prospects of the company.

**What's cooking at the schools**

Here are the lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for the week of Oct. 23-27.

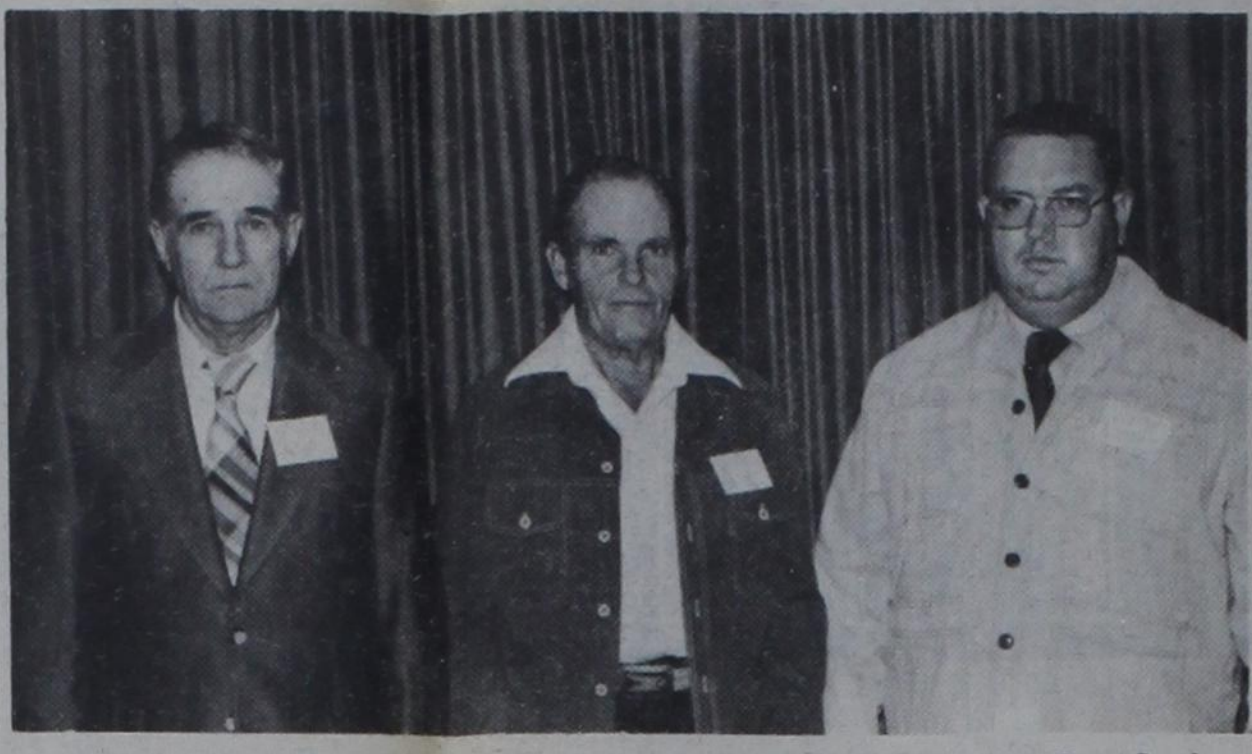
MONDAY — No school, in service day.

TUESDAY — German sausage with sauerkraut, ranch style beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hot dogs, buttered corn, French fries, fruit cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Fish with tartar sauce, rice, peas and carrots, gelatin with fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

FRIDAY — Roast beef with gravy, cream potatoes, green beans, pudding, rolls, butter, milk.



JP'S ATTEND SEMINAR—Marshall Young, Castro County Justice of the Peace, right, was among 71 justices from across the state who attended a 20-hour Texas Justice of the Peace Training Center seminar in Amarillo recently.

The training center is based at Southwest Texas State University. With Young at the meeting were, from left, Sidney G. Hooper of Prec. 1, Swisher County, and Wayne Spears, Prec. 3, Parmer County.

**Group going to workshop**

The Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce will be represented by several persons interested in the growth of Dimmitt at a workshop conducted by the Texas Industrial Commission of Austin.

This workshop will be in Lubbock Nov. 1, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The purpose is to assist area towns in securing industry by informing them what should and should not be done when approaching industrial firms to relocate or build additional facilities in this area, according to Shirley Hall, Dimmitt Chamber manager.

The South Plains Association of Chamber Executives is

**Young Farmers to meet tonight**

Castro County Young Farmers will hold their October meeting at 8 p.m. today (Thursday) in the ag building of Dimmitt High School. Guests and prospective members will be welcomed by members.

Several projects to be carried out this year and early in 1979 will be discussed at the meeting.

WINTER lawn weeds can be stopped cold by applying a herbicide before they emerge. This means applying a pre-emergence herbicide such as benefin (Balan), bensulide (Betasan, Pre-San) and DCPA (Dacthal) in October. Atrazine and simazine are also effective herbicides but are labelled for use only in fertilizer mixtures and should not be applied near young trees or ornamentals.

**WRITE IN GILBERT SCHULTE FOR CASTRO COUNTY COMMISSIONER**

PRECINCT No. 4  
in  
**GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 7**

(Political Adv. pd. for by Gilbert Schulte)

**Amstar sales reps receive promotions**

Robert F. Satola and Allen L. Morris were promoted recently by the Amstar Corporation in New York. These are the men responsible for selling Dimmitt's production.

Satola is promoted to the position of director - national accounts sales. Satola has most recently served as sales manager - corn, government and export. He is a graduate of Northwestern University, with a degree in psychology.

Morris is promoted from area manager in northeastern regional sales to assistant sales manager - corn, government and export. Morris has a master's degree in international business from Fairleigh Dickinson University.

**Grain reserve authorization is received**

Early entry of 1978 crop corn into the grain reserve program is authorized for interested producers, according to Charley E. Hill, executive director of the Castro County ASCS office.

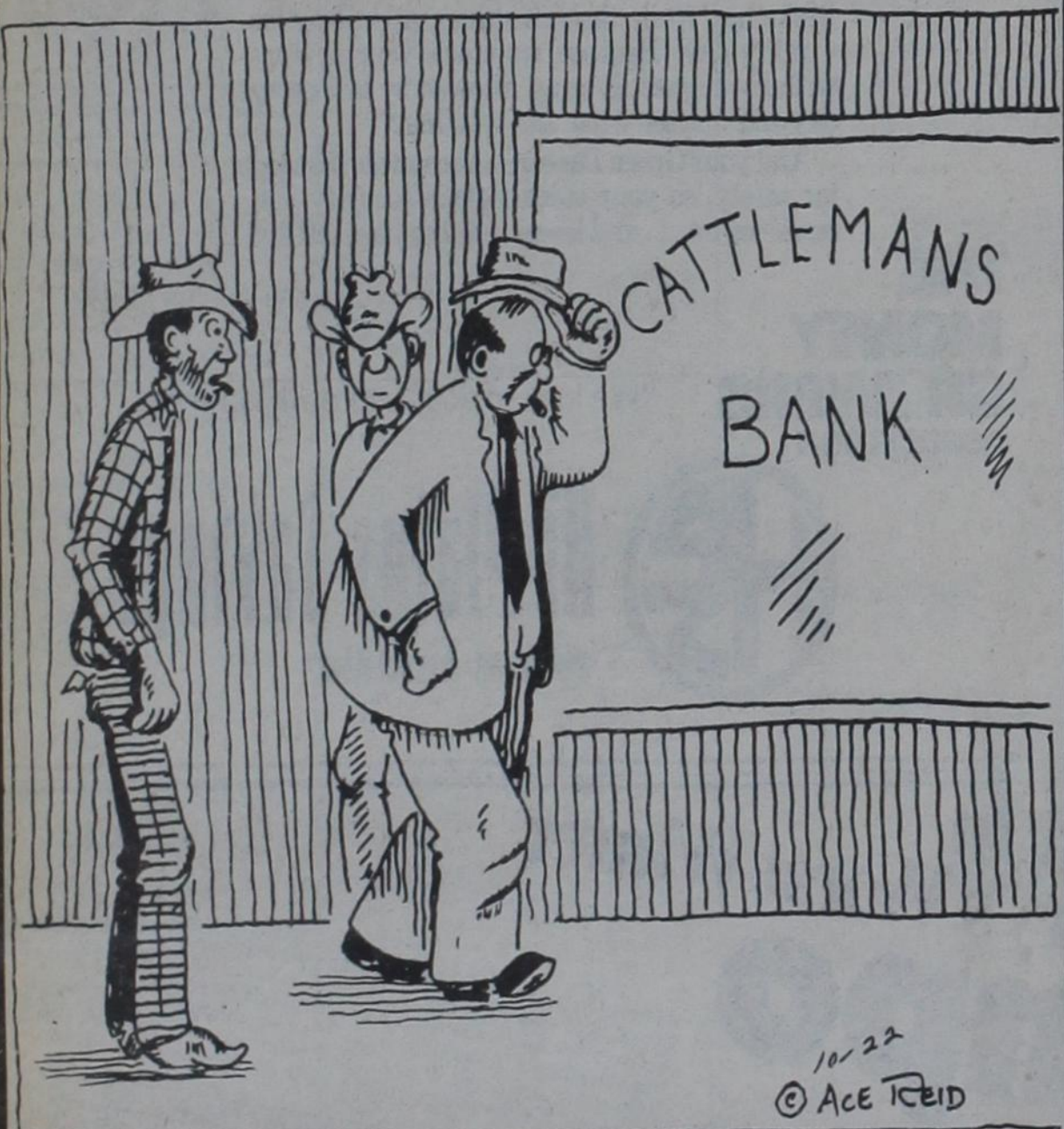
Producers who are interested are invited to come by the ASCS office for an explanation of this program, Hill said.

He also announced that the 1978 interest rate for all 1978 upland cotton loans is seven percent.

TEXAS' Rural Minister of the Year is the Rev. Samuel Heitkamp, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church at Stockdale. Heitkamp was presented the award during the 33rd annual Town and Country Church Conference Oct. 5-6 at Texas A&M University.

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By Ace Reid



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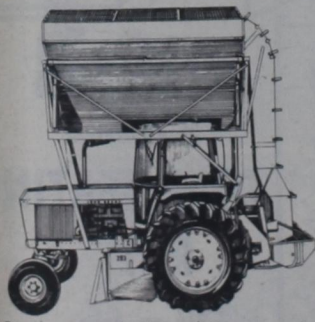
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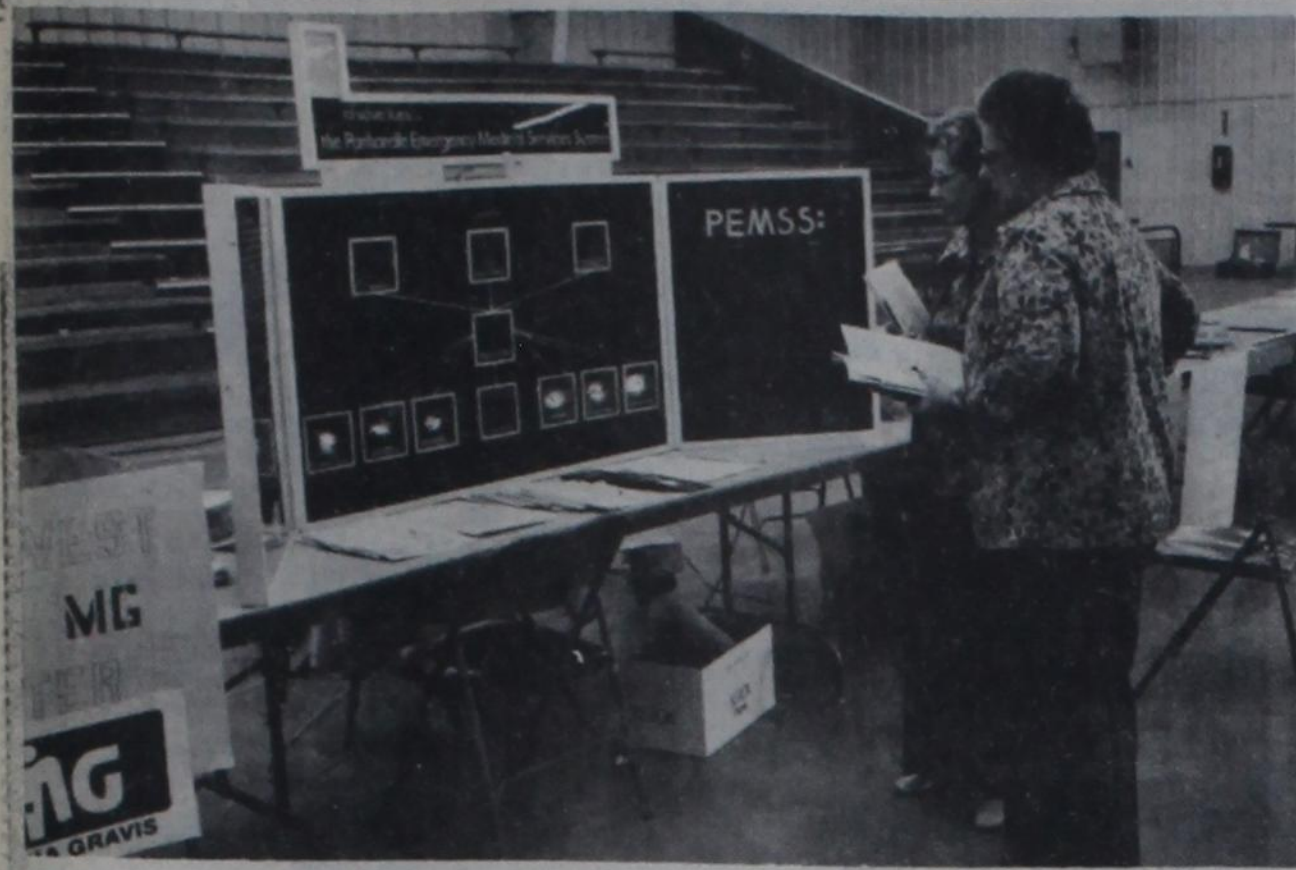
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**HEALTH FAIR DISPLAY**—Mrs. Leland Smith and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell (foreground), both of Dimmitt, study a display by the Panhandle Emergency Medical Services System during the County Health Fair in the Expo Building last Wednesday. The display shows

how the system links area cities and hospitals via radio, ambulance and sophisticated monitoring devices to provide specialized services to accident victims and other emergency patients. [Photo by Linda Maxwell]



**BLOOD DONORS**—Leroy Maxwell of Dimmitt earns a year's blood-service insurance for his family by donating a pint during the County Health Fair last Wednesday in the Expo Building. Karolyn Proffer of the Coffee Memorial Blood Center prepares Maxwell for

his donation, while Patsy Warren of Hart awaits her turn on table at right. The blood bank was one of many private and public health agencies represented at the County Health Fair. [Photo by Linda Maxwell]

**Here's Hart's school menu**

Here are the menus for Hart schools for the week of Oct. 23-27.

**MONDAY** — Breakfast: Hotcakes, syrup, juice, milk. Lunch: Corn dogs with mustard, tossed salad, baked beans, peanut butter cake, milk.

**TUESDAY** — Breakfast: Hot cereal, buttered toast, milk. Lunch: Tacos with meat and cheese, ranch style beans, tossed salad, rice pudding, milk.

**WEDNESDAY** — Breakfast: Buttered toast, jelly, juice, milk. Lunch: Batter-fried fish, tartar sauce, coleslaw, blackeyed peas, peach cobbler, milk.

**THURSDAY** — Breakfast: Sweet rolls and hot chocolate. Lunch: Cheeseburger on homemade bun, French fries, peaches, milk.

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**Letter to the editor**

**State Demo committeeman commends Wylie**

Dear Editor:  
I certainly am not in the habit of writing "Dear Editor" letters, but in view of the fact that you had one last week regarding one of my county chairmen, Oscar Wylie, and the way he conducted a meeting in the courthouse some time back, I can't let this pass without reminding

this individual that at the county convention in May, a resolution was passed which contained in part the following:

"WHEREAS, Oscar Wylie has labored hard and long in the Democratic Party; and

WHEREAS, his sole untiring efforts have been to promote the interests of the Democratic Party and to be fair to every candidate running for office; and

WHEREAS, he has not compromised the principles of the Democratic Party; and

WHEREAS, his duties as county chairman have taken much time away from his family and his business to represent the party in court and at public meetings, be it

therefore

RESOLVED, that the Democratic Party of Castro County commends our county chairman, Oscar Wylie, for his untiring work in the party, and pledge our full support of his efforts."

It is inconceivable to me

that some people can be critical of an individual when he is doing a job to the best of his ability, and I feel like he has done a very good job, considering the difficult circumstances he has had since he has been county chairman.

I have 26 county chairmen in the 31st District, and without a doubt he is one of the most outstanding in the district. Since his pay is zero, I think it goes without saying that he is doing a duty, not only to the Democratic Party, but as a patriotic citizen of this community and the country as a whole.

So I heartily endorse the resolution passed at the county convention commending Oscar Wylie for his efforts.

CARL L. KING  
31st District Committeeman  
State Democratic Executive Committee

**Chamber board okays candidates**

Four candidates whose names were submitted to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce board of directors by a nominating committee were approved recently. Ballots will be mailed to members later this year to vote on ratification of these four.

They are Robert Benton, George Sides, Clara Patton and Ray Phillips, who if approved will serve on the Chamber board beginning in 1979.

In other action at the October board meeting, members:

—Discussed health care needs in Dimmitt with the feeling that efforts should be made now to attract another

physician to the community. A former Dimmitt doctor, J. D. Blackburn, has been contacted and residents who are interested are asked to write Dr. Blackburn adding their invitation for him to return.

—Heard a report that the Chamber office is mailing invitations to area schools to use Bobcat Stadium for post-season playoff games. With the stadium seats and new pressbox added the past year, the board believes the stadium here can accommodate these games.

—Completed plans to install new "Welcome to Dimmitt" signs on East Hwy. 86 and North Hwy. 385 entering

the city. —Started plans for the annual Chamber banquet next January, which will be arranged by the special events committee chaired by Maxine Childers.

—Heard reports on the "Santa's Workshop" and other holiday scenes which will be placed on the courthouse lawn during the holiday season.

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**DYH to get next lesson in CPR**

The Dimmitt Young Homemakers will meet tomorrow at 7 p.m. in the homemaking lab at DHS.

CPR (coronary pulmonary resuscitation) training will continue. Everyone who attended the first meeting is urged to attend. The instructor will be Jerrold Welborn of Plains Memorial Hospital.

Vada Wilcox and Karen Robertson will serve refreshments.

The meeting is open to the public and babysitters will be provided.

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**Football Schedule**

**VARSITY**

Sept. 8	Dimmitt 6, Floydada 7
Sept. 15	Dimmitt 21, Slaton 26
Sept. 22	Dimmitt 0, Tahoka 36
Sept. 29	
Oct. 6	Dimmitt 19, Tulia 7
Oct. 13	Dimmitt 0, Lockney 7
Oct. 20	LITTLEFIELD*, Here ..... 7:30
Oct. 27	OLTON*, There ..... 7:30
Nov. 3	MORTON*, There ..... 7:30
Nov. 10	MULESHOE*, Here ..... 7:30
Nov. 17	FRIONA*, Here ..... 7:30

\*District Game

**JUNIOR VARSITY**

Sept. 7	Dimmitt 6, Nazareth 44
Sept. 14	Dimmitt 26, Friona 20
Sept. 21	Dimmitt 26, Plainview 20
Sept. 28	Dimmitt 20, Olton 33
Oct. 5	Dimmitt 12, Tulia 30
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 19	LITTLEFIELD, 7 p.m. .... There
Oct. 26	OLTON, 7 p.m. .... Here
Nov. 2	HEREFORD, 7 p.m. .... There
Nov. 9	MULESHOE, 7 p.m. .... There
Nov. 16	FRIONA, 7 p.m. .... There

**FRESHMEN**

Sept. 7	Dimmitt 14, Hart JV 6
Sept. 14	Dimmitt 10, Friona 8
Sept. 21	
Sept. 28	Dimmitt 14, Olton 6
Oct. 5	Dimmitt 0, Tulia 2
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 19	LITTLEFIELD ..... There
Oct. 26	OLTON ..... Here
Nov. 2	MORTON ..... Here
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... There
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... There

(All Games at 5 p.m.)

**SEVENTH & EIGHTH 'A'**

Sept. 14	7th, Dimmitt 20, Friona 0; 8th D. 28, F. 0
Sept. 21	7th D. 42, Plainview 0; 8th D. 36, Piv. 0
Sept. 28	OPEN
Oct. 5	7-A, D. 22, Tulia 6; 8-A, D. 0, T. 0
Oct. 12	OPEN
Oct. 17	LITTLEFIELD ..... Here
Oct. 26	OLTON ..... There
Nov. 2	MORTON ..... Here
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... Here
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... Here

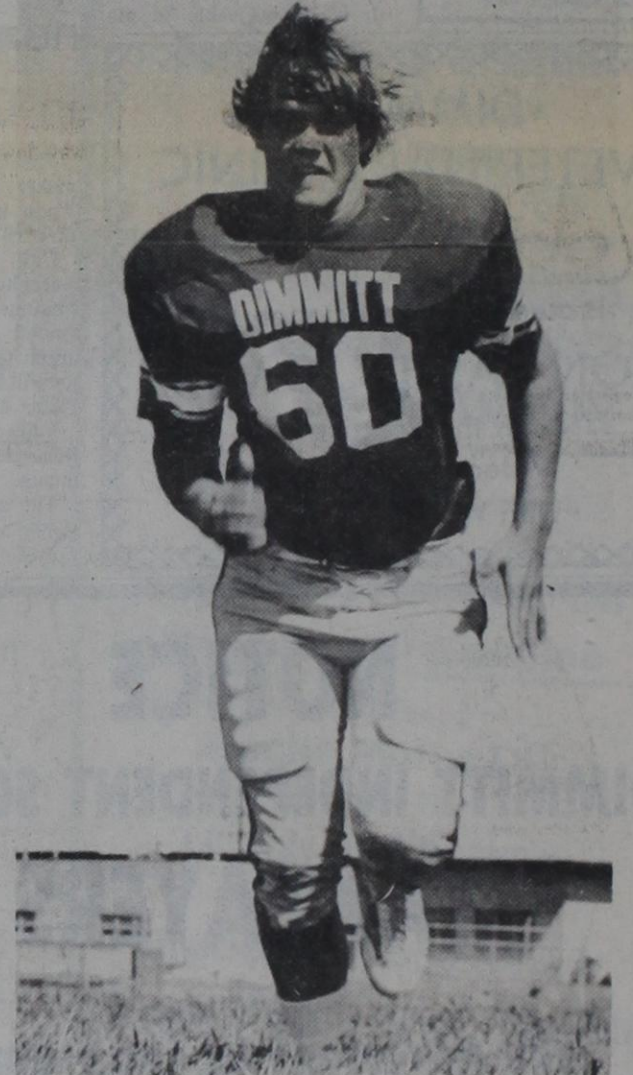
(All First Games Start at 4 p.m.)

**SEVENTH & EIGHTH 'B'**

Oct. 3	7-B, D. 6, Naz. 14; 8-B, D. 8, Naz. 8
Oct. 17	NAZARETH, 4 p.m. .... Here
Oct. 31	NAZARETH, 5 p.m. .... There
Nov. 9	MULESHOE ..... Here
Nov. 16	FRIONA ..... Here



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# Cats seek new start after 7-0 loss to Lockney

"We have just got to start a new season this week. We must readjust some of our goals, work on some things, look at some new faces..." Those were the words of

Dimmitt head football coach Jerry Vance, reflecting on an ineffective offensive performance here Friday night as the Bobcats dropped a 7-0 decision to the Lockney Longhorns before a large Homecoming crowd.

Just a week earlier, the Bobcats had gained almost 400 total offensive yards and scored three touchdowns against Tulia. But Friday night they garnered just 130 yards while giving up only 206 to the Longhorn attack.

A foretaste of things to come developed with the opening kickoff, which Longhorn Joe Rodriguez fumbled to the Bobcats at the Lockney 17.

But the Bobcats could gain only five yards in four tries, and gave the ball back to Lockney on the 12. The Longhorns took advantage of the break and drove the ball 88 yards, mixing four pass plays with the effective running of fullback Earlee Mathis and halfback Curtis Ford. Mathis dived over from the one for the touchdown and Johnny Arjona tacked on the extra point for all the scoring that would take place before one of the largest crowds ever at the recently expanded stadium.

The Bobcats took the ensuing kickoff at their own 25 and promptly lost eight yards in three plays. Punter Jack Stewart then had a punt go off the side of his foot, giving Lockney a golden opportunity at the Dimmitt 32. But the Horns could only move to the 25, where they turned the ball back to Dimmitt on downs at the end of the quarter.

Neither team was able to move the ball effectively during the second quarter, although Lockney threatened again after another shanked punt. Lockney took over at the Dimmitt 35 and moved 13 yards to the 22, where the Dimmitt defense stiffened. Arjona came on to try a field goal, but the attempt was partially blocked by the Bobcats.

In the first half, the Longhorn offense was able to move the ball most effectively through the air, with quarterback Steve Warren completing four of five attempts for 47 yards, including a key 15-yard reception by tight end Kevin Evans during the Horns' scoring drive.

On the other hand, the Bobcats had only 43 yards of offense in the first half. Dennis Veals, who just a week earlier had more than 200 yards, gained just 26 yards in the first half, apparently still hampered by a leg injury suffered in the Floydada game. Stewart was one for three in passing.

Dimmitt took the opening kickoff in the second half and moved the ball out from its 23 to the 43 before turning the ball over again. This time, Stewart boomed a punt all the way down to the Lockney 10. The Longhorns moved the ball out to their own 21, where they again fumbled the ball away. However, the Bobcats reciprocated just two plays and six yards later when they fumbled the ball to the Longhorns at the Lockney 15.

The Horns moved the ball out to their own 44, with Mathis carrying for all 29



**HANG IN THERE**—Despite an attempted block-away by Lockney tackle Dale Kidd [53], Dimmitt's Gus Ortiz [27] hangs onto the shirttail of Longhorn runner Arnold Alaniz and brings him down in the second quarter of

the Bobcats' Homecoming game Friday night. Ortiz's defensive play kept the Longhorns from making a first down on a fourth-and-six attempt, and stalled a Lockney drive at the Dimmitt 25-yard line.

yards, then Rodriguez again fumbled the ball away. But the Bobcats still were unable to generate any offense, and came up just shy of a first down at the Lockney 34.

The two teams then traded punts, with Arnold Alaniz getting two punts off, pinning

the Bobcats at their own 31 and their own 10, while Stewart atoned for his two early shanked kicks with a 38-yard boot, sending Lockney back to its own 29. During the Bobcats' last possession of the third quarter, Veals went out with an apparent shoulder injury, ending the game with 52 yards on 20 carries. His replacement, Matt Gilbreath, carried the ball five times for no yardage.

The fourth quarter was another punting contest between Stewart and Alaniz. Stewart finished with a 31-yard average on seven punts, while Alaniz posted a 35-yard average. In the last quarter, the Bobcats ran 15 plays for 44 yards, while Lockney ran 13 plays for just 21 yards against the stalwart Bobcat defense.

Lockney provided Dimmitt with the football once again in good field position late in the game with a fumble at the Lockney 41, but the Bobcats got off only two plays before they fumbled back to the Horns at the 36.

The Longhorns won not only the scoreboard battle, but the lion's share of the other game statistics. Mathis led all rushers with 62 yards on 23 tries, while Ford, carrying mostly on pitchouts and sweeps, followed with 50

steps on 14 carries. Evans was the game's leading receiver, gathering in three Steve Warren aerials for 44 yards.

For the Bobcats, Veals' 52 yards led all rushers. The Longhorn defenders seemed to be on the lookout for the slashing reverses and counter plays of wingback Larry Bossett, who gained but 34 yards on seven carries. Fullback Randy Roberts carried the ball eight times for 36 yards.

Roberts also keyed another good performance by the Bobcat defense, which settled down following the lengthy Lockney drive in the first period.

This week, the Bobcats will be trying to improve their of-

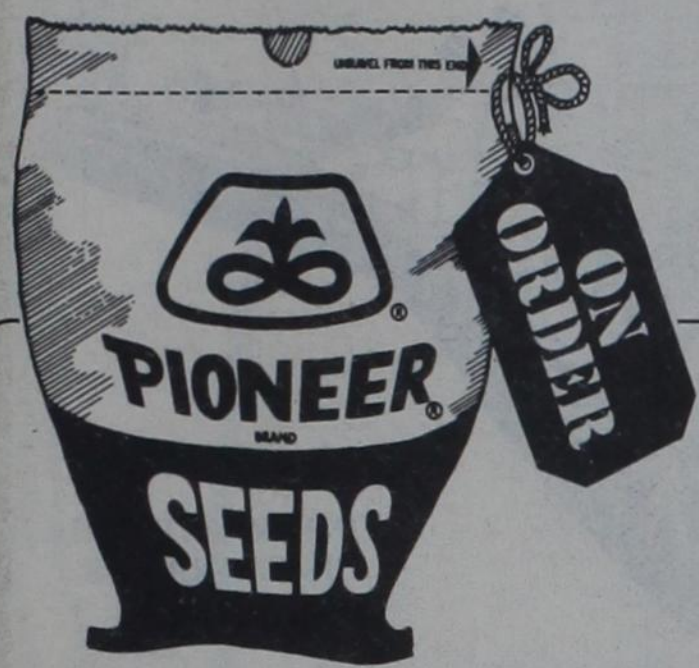
fense as they open District 3-AA play against the explosive Littlefield Wildcats.

Blakely also has an outstanding passer in quarterback Eddie Gregory, who last year was elevated from the freshman unit to lead the Wildcats to the District 3-AA championship and into the regional playoffs.

Game time Friday night will be 7:30 at Bobcat Stadium. The district opener has been designated as Dads' Night, with the players' fathers to be honored in pre-game ceremonies.

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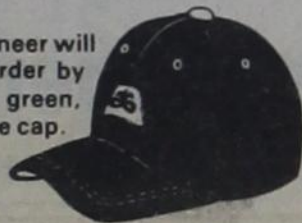
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## Week's schedule

### DIMMITT

TODAY—Freshmen at Littlefield, 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity at Littlefield, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY—Bobcats vs. Littlefield, here, 7:30 p.m.

NEXT THURSDAY—7A at Olton, 4 p.m.; 8A at Olton, 5 p.m.; Freshmen vs. Olton, here, 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity vs. Olton, here, 7 p.m.

### HART

TODAY—7th and 8th at Bovina, 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity at Bovina, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY—Longhorns vs. Bovina, here, 7:30 p.m.

NEXT THURSDAY—7th and 8th vs. Kress, here, 5 p.m.; Junior Varsity vs. Kress, here, 7 p.m.

### NAZARETH

FRIDAY—Swifts vs. Claude, here, 7:30 p.m.



**SQUARE DANCE TIPS**

By KATHY MOORE

The Dimmitt Promenaders decided last Tuesday to dance every fourth Tuesday at South Hills Manor in Dimmitt starting at 7:30 p.m.

Beginning in November our dance on the second Tuesday will start at 8 p.m.

The Promenaders are having a Halloween dance Oct. 31 starting at 7:30 p.m. The members have some special things planned and the public is invited to come and dance with us. There will be judges to give prizes to the best costumes. If you don't have a costume, come out anyway.

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Dimmitt	Lockney
8	14
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8	69
130	206
1/9	5/8
6/40	7/55
2	4
0	0
7/31	4/35

**Score by Quarters:**

Lockney	7	0	0	0-7
Dimmitt	0	0	0	0-0

**Scoring Plays:**  
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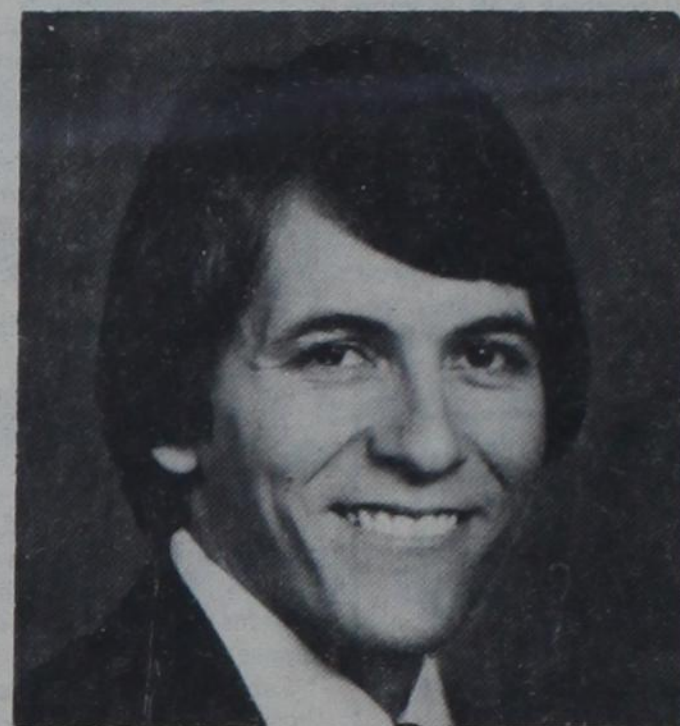
"We've got a great opportunity Nov. 7 to take a significant first step toward tax relief in Texas. I'm urging everyone to vote for the proposed constitutional amendment to give tax relief to our farmers and ranchers, homeowners, and elderly. After this amendment is adopted, I'll be ready to take the lead in the 1979 legislature to follow through on this first step."



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## Kiwanians hear report on WT Buffs' prospects

With a win last week and statistics that give them a chance for at least a high ranking in the Missouri Valley Conference this season, West Texas State University's disappointing 1978 Buffaloes are beginning to feel optimistic, the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club was told Monday.

Jim Garner, sports information director who is at WTSU for his first year, was the speaker introduced by Jimmy Davis, program chairman. He said injuries have been partly responsible for the poor WTSU record this fall, which hurt more since the Buffs were MVC champs last year.

Garner said while he "is getting adjusted to the culture shock in moving from downstate to the Plains" he has been pleased to learn that the WTSU coaching staff is more interested in the players than in winning at any cost, and he urged fans to do the same.

"Anyone who boos a player in a football game ought to be thrown out of the stands," he said, and was applauded by the Kiwanians. "Fans as well as coaches need to keep remembering that it's only a game."

Teresa Lantz and Ross Armstrong of the Dimmitt High School Key Club were guests, and announced that the club's part in a "2,500 mile relay" being held by Key Clubs of the district to benefit a fund for the mentally retarded is scheduled for Sunday.

From each class, 25 Key Club members have pledged to run a mile in the relay for contributions from Dimmitt residents.

Also a guest from DHS was Armando Bellesio, this year's American Field Service student.

## Course slated in real estate

D. H. Koeninger, high school counselor, invites any person in the community who is interested in a real estate course to contact him.

This real estate course will help complete the state minimum requirements to apply for a real estate license prior to January 1.

Those interested are invited to attend a meeting in classroom 10 of the high school at 7 p.m. Tuesday night, Oct. 24.

This will be a non-credit course, Koeninger said, but will assist the individual in meeting the minimum requirements for a real estate license.

For further information those interested are asked to call Koeninger at 647-3105.

THE letter used most in the English language is the letter "e."



**HAPPY HALLOWEEN**—Residents of South Hills Manor are ready for Halloween with these "pumpkin people" keeping vigil on their front portico. The "pumpkin people" were made by Dorothy Musick, recreational director, and Sharon Leinen, aide. A local farmer donated the huge pumpkins and residents of the Manor provided the clothes.

## IN THE HOSPITAL

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL:

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Balerio Ochoa  
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Carl Simmons  
Jennie Staton  
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### PATIENTS DISMISSED:

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Jill McLean  
Carolyn McDonald  
Lorena Alvarez  
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James Fulfer  
Susie Casey  
Mary Pina  
Filomena Garcia  
Esmerelda Rodriguez  
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Marthella Summers

## Sunnyside

# Lions host district governor

By TEENY BOWDEN

Al Tremble of Dumas, District Governor of Lions Clubs spoke to the local Lions Monday night. He brought a good program on Lionism and the charitable organizations sponsored by the Lions.

Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks was dismissed from Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Wednesday evening. She was admitted last Friday with a reaction to medication in her eyes.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones took Mrs. Lee Bradley and Joel to Dallas Thursday morning to prepare Joel for surgery on Monday. They will operate on the muscles in his legs this time. Lee Bradley went down with the Weldon Bradleys of Dimmitt Sunday. Mrs. Lillian Carson flew down Monday.

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley attended the fall workshop for the District PTA Board of which she is a member in Slaton Friday. She attended the local PTA planning meeting Thursday night.

Dr. Strauss Atkinson of Plainview filled the pulpit Sunday in the pastor's absence. He and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Chris were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lawson and Natalie of Olton. Mrs. Cliff Brown and the Uppitts had charge of the children's sermon Sunday.

Baptist Women met Tuesday morning for the mission study on the Japanese Christian Women. Mrs. L. B. Bowden was in charge of the program which was followed by the BW Council with Mrs. E. R. Sadler, president, in charge.

BYW met Tuesday afternoon for their mission study with Mrs. Jerry Weiland in charge of the program. All age Mission Friends also met with their leaders, Tammy and Rhonda Ross, Susan Sadler and Mrs. Bruce Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parson and children of Miami, Fla. spent the day Tuesday with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson.

Sharon, Jack and Justin Bradley are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean Carson while their parents are in Dallas.

Cliff Brown helped Lee and Gale Brown move some of their things to Goldsmith Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children visited in Clovis Saturday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parson.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler visited in

Lubbock Friday with Mrs. Myles Sadler and children. Amy came home with her for the weekend. Dr. Myles Sadler and Gregory came for her Sunday afternoon.

Doyle Henderson of TSTI in Amarillo spent last weekend with his grandparents, J. C. Holbrooks at home and Mrs. Holbrooks in the hospital.

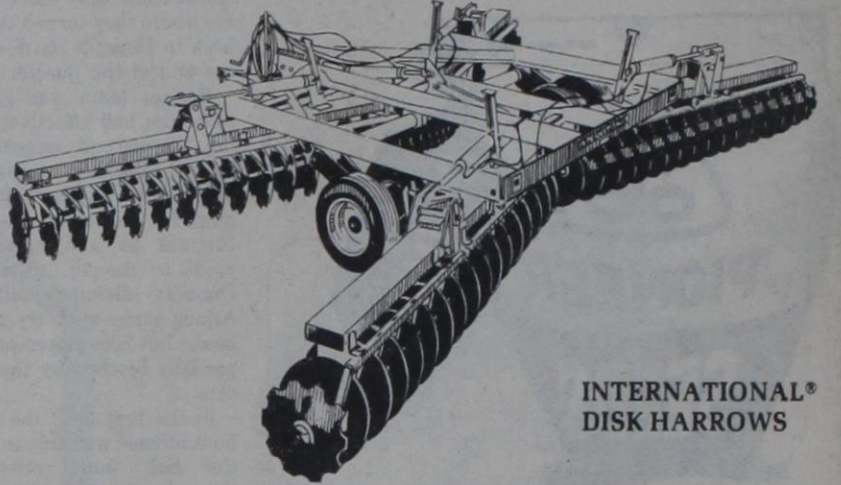
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spencer and children of Plainview were Sunday dinner

guests of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills and their grandchildren David and Angie Bills Sunday.

Cindy Sadler was home from Tech over the weekend.

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**NEWLYWEDS**—Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Carrig are now at home in Musselshell, Mont., following their Aug. 19 wedding at the Church of Christ in Dimmitt. Mrs. Carrig is the former Sandra Creighton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Don Creighton of Flagg. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carrig of Absarokee, Mont.



## Socially Yours

### Shower is given for Carole Fry

Carole Fry, bride elect of Van Hopson, was the honored guest at a bridal shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Brenda Andrews. Candace Stewart served raspberry punch and cookies from a table covered with pink linen. The floral centerpiece

was burgandy and pink carnations. Sally Stewart registered guests. Greeting guests in the receiving line were Mrs. V. C. Hopson, Miss Fry and Mrs. Fred Lilley. Fifteen ladies assisted Mrs. Andrews with hostess duties.

### Farewell parties will honor agent

Irene Keating, who will leave Nov. 1 after more than 12 years as Castro County Extension Agent, will be complimented with two events this weekend, when friends are invited to call to wish her success in her new assignment as Potter County Agent at Amarillo.

A farewell tea will be given by Home Demonstration Clubs of the county with which Mrs. Keating has worked during her tenure in the office here.

The hostesses invite all her friends as well as club members to attend the tea between the hours of 6 and 7:30 p.m. today (Thursday) in the assembly room of the court-

house basement. On Sunday afternoon, 4-H Club members of Castro County will play host at a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sides from 2 to 4 p.m. Families of 4-H girls and boys are especially invited to call. An important part of Mrs. Keating's work in the county has been with 4-H Clubs.

### Sale and show of arts-crafts is announced

The Nazareth Art Club will present a holiday arts and craft sale and show Sunday, Nov. 5 between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. in the Nazareth School cafeteria.

Paintings by local artists will be on sale, along with gourmet food and craft items.

To be auctioned will be two paintings and a silk flower arrangement. Tickets will be sold at 25 cents or five for \$1.

Free admission and free door prizes are announced by the club for this annual show.

### Members all join in Tops program

Everyone attending the recent Tops meeting participated in a program presented by Karen Moss.

Mrs. Moss was awarded the honor of being Tops of the Week. Janice Bell was Kops of the week. There was not a male Kops this week.

At this week's meeting 24 members weighed in with an 11 pound loss.

Fifteen persons will attend the A.R.D. meeting in Leveland Saturday.

### Art club program is open to guests

Beverly Lindsey of Dimmitt will present a program on "Rubout" at the Nazareth Art Club Monday night at 7:30.

The Art Club will meet in the basement of Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

There will be a \$1 charge for all non-members. Everyone is invited.

### On the go

Pam and Joe Josselet and their daughters, Renae and Kara, have returned from an end-of-the-season vacation, four days in Acapulco on the west coast of Mexico. They reported that the girls had fun playing on the beach, and they stayed at the hotel where the late Howard Hughes lived during his final years in a luxurious suite which is now open to sightseers.

FATS have "staying power" in the diet because they stay in the stomach longer and take longer to digest than proteins and carbohydrates.

### Photography by MARGIE HUGHES

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### Irene's Ideas

#### Good recipes for fall

By IRENE KEATING

Fall is here and leaves are beginning to turn. It won't be long till Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Our thoughts turn to good food, gifts, decorating, etc. at this time of year. Several of you have mentioned enjoying recipes, so I'm going to share several with you that I know you'll enjoy.

This casserole is as yummy as it is simple to prepare. I got the recipe from Vivian Pigg who got it from Emily Clingsmith, who got it from I don't know who. We all enjoy it.

**Chinese Noodle Casserole**  
Brown: 1 lb. ground chuck, 1 cup chopped celery, 1 medium onion.

Mix in 2 T onion soup mix, 1 can cream of mushroom soup, salt and pepper to taste, 1 can water chestnuts.

Place mixture in a baking dish. Sprinkle the top with Chinese egg noodles. Bake at 350° for 30 minutes.

This cake is one that is energy efficient by utilizing a cold oven. If you haven't tried the butternut flavor, do so now. It is available from Town and Country Home Demonstration Club members.

**Butternut Cake**  
3 cups sugar  
1 small can of milk  
2 sticks oleo  
5 eggs  
2 T butternut flavoring  
½ cup shortening  
½ cup water  
¼ tsp. salt  
¾ cups flour.  
Beat for 10 minutes and pour into a greased and flour-

ed loaf or bundt pan. Place in a cold oven. Turn heat to 325°. Bake for 1 hour and 40 minutes.

Salads are always fun and here is one that makes a good dessert.

**Light and Lively Salad**  
1 can sweetened condensed milk

1 large carton frozen whipped topping  
1 can cherry or apricot pie filling

1 cup coconut  
1 cup pineapple  
1 cup marshmallows  
½ cup pecans

½ cup maraschino cherries  
Combine first six ingredients; put in a serving bowl and chill. Garnish with pecans and cherries. Serves 12.

### Anniversary party set for Kashers

A twenty-fifth anniversary reception will be held for Art and Jean Kasher at their home, 503-7 SW 4th, today (Thursday).

The reception will be hosted by Anthony, Michael and Kathy, children of the Kashers, also Virgie and Fred Moulton and Mary and Ott Bryan.

Calling hours will be from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Friends and relatives of the Kashers are invited.

### Linda Elder feted at pretty shower

A bridal shower for Linda Elder was held in the home of Mrs. Bill Clark Saturday.

Miss Elder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Elder of Dimmitt, is the bride-elect of Paul Claborn, son of Mrs. Bob Elliot.

Daisy corsages were presented to the bride-elect, her mother, grandmother and the mother of the groom.

Refreshments were served from a table covered with a white cloth trimmed in lace, a centerpiece of daisies and blue-edged chrysanthemums with blue bows.

Refreshments were made

by the bride's aunts, Mrs. Kenneth Cornelius of Midland and Mrs. Jack Ragland of Odessa.

Special guests attending were Mrs. Bob Elliot of Lubbock, mother of the groom; Mrs. W. K. Griffing of Brownfield, grandmother of the bride; Mrs. Jack Ragland, aunt of the bride, and Debbie Cornelius, cousin of the bride.

Thirteen ladies assisted Mrs. Clark with hostess duties.

THE GOLDEN Gate Bridge in San Francisco is the most popular man-made attraction in the United States.

## SILVER THREADS AMONG THE GOLD JANET JUSTICE IS 30 YEARS OLD

YOUR SIS Jo Anne

## THIS IS SAM KILLOUGH ASKING YOU,

the people of Castro County, to support me as your candidate in the upcoming election for Castro County Judge. I, Sam Killough, will be a write-in candidate, running on the Republican Ballot.

If elected, I will be working for low taxation. I will do my best to work for all the people of our county, giving special attention to our young people and in helping to keep our county a clean and good place to live.

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT SAM KILLOUGH

Political Adv. paid for by Sam Killough  
Prissy Boothe, campaign treasurer

### Happy anniversary!

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

OCTOBER 19 — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schilling.

OCTOBER 20 — Alvin and Frances Frazier, Bobby and Wanda Murdock.

OCTOBER 23 — Jack and Elaine Flynt.

OCTOBER 24 — Bay and Bobbie Baldrige.

OCTOBER 25 — Dan and Ethel Schmucker.

### Swopeses to be honored Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ray Jones and children will host a 50th anniversary reception for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swopes, Sunday afternoon.

The reception will be held at the Jones home, three miles south of Hart on State 168 and three-fourths miles east. Calling hours will be from 2 to 5 p.m.

Friends and relatives are invited.

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OF SEPTEMBER 29, 1978

ASSETS	Sept. 30, 1975	Sept. 30, 1976	Sept. 30, 1977	Sept. 29, 1978
Cash and Due From Banks	\$1,063,455.48	\$1,390,291.17	\$1,260,932.18	\$1,229,208.03
Loans and Discounts	3,514,001.04	5,218,268.60	6,525,191.95	6,224,347.91
Funds Sold	2,300,000.00	700,000.00	5,300,000.00	-0-
Bonds and Securities	941,588.37	1,458,489.91	1,688,753.28	2,340,332.25
Banking House	67,981.63	65,941.63	278,685.28	268,199.80
Furniture and Fixtures	45,348.30	105,913.89	108,081.84	100,227.14
Other Real Estate	-0-	-0-	14,716.41	33,285.99
Expansion Program	-0-	151,316.94	-0-	-0-
Other Assets	202,541.63	288,378.21	284,691.44	277,549.34
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$8,134,916.45</b>	<b>\$9,378,600.35</b>	<b>\$15,461,052.38</b>	<b>\$10,473,150.46</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>				
Deposits	\$7,345,307.89	\$8,346,107.95	\$14,358,921.92	\$9,335,917.64
Capital	200,000.00	300,000.00	350,000.00	350,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00	300,000.00	350,000.00	350,000.00
Undivided Profits & Reserves	361,270.37	397,574.79	359,423.50	388,515.23
Other Liabilities	28,338.19	34,917.61	42,706.96	48,717.59
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$8,134,916.45</b>	<b>\$9,378,600.35</b>	<b>\$15,461,052.38</b>	<b>\$10,473,150.46</b>

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**Nazareth**

**Scouts attend district camp**

By VIRGIE GERBER

Thirteen members of Boy Scout Troop 265 and their leader Carroll Gerber spent the weekend at Camp Hanes, which is east of Silvertown. The meet featured outdoor skill events for the Hanes District. Both patrols received awards of merit.

Congratulations to Darryl and Rose Ball, who have a new baby daughter born Friday in Tulia.

Charley, Bev, Todd and Traci Hill spent Saturday in McLean visiting with Charley's mother, Mrs. Ella Hill.

Ed and Sylvia Hoelting spent the weekend in Odessa visiting with the Billy Ed Hoelting family.

Gary and Teresa (Pohlmeier) Rider of Claude are the proud parents of a baby daughter named Sonie Ann. She was baptized Sunday at

St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Panhandle. Her godparents were Lester and Beth Schulte of Dimmitt. Others enjoying the day with them were Philip, Dora, Germaine and Robert Pohlmeier of Nazareth, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Pohlmeier and family and Frank Pohlmeier of Amarillo.

Ralph and Sharon Brockman have moved into their new home north of town.

Wert and Maurine Hoelting of Redondo Beach, Calif. left Sunday after spending a week here visiting relatives and friends.

The members of the Catholic Daughters of America had a reception of three new members during the 6:30 Mass on Sunday, celebrated by Father Stanley. After the reception, members, husbands and friends enjoyed a delicious supper at the community hall. Two members, Mrs. Regina Steffens and Mrs. Margaret Acker, received 25-year member pins. Games were enjoyed by the group after the meal. The new members are Mrs. Mary Litsch, Donna Orbal and Anita Arellano of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Ella Hoelting and son Leonard flew to Dallas on Sunday to spend several weeks with her daughter and family, the Warren Norrises.

Francis and Betty Wilhelm and boys spent the weekend in Midland visiting the Gene Schmucker family.

Deacon Jerome Brockman flew to Cincinnati Sunday to attend the Rural Life Directors meeting. He was appointed Director of the Amarillo Diocese by Bishop DeFalco.

Bud and Rita Kern spent several days in Battlecreek, Neb. on business. On their way home they stopped in Dallas and visited with Teresa, who is attending the University of Dallas. Tommy Kern is in Rome studying his sophomore year and attended the installation Mass for Pope John Paul I, the funeral Mass for Pope John Paul I and was in the audience to witness the election of Pope John Paul II.

Dennis and Jerry Kern, Patti and Carol Hochstein went to Waterflow, N.M. for the wedding of Debra Taylor.



By BRICK AUTRY Librarian

If it's one thing that the public detests about librarians, it has to be that they are always harping about their confounded overdue books.

Might as well skip this column today, friends, be-

cause I'm just going to harp my head off.

This past year and a half the library has topped all records for book circulations. Did you know that the library checked out fifteen hundred MORE books and things than it did in 1975? Did you know that we have many more active patrons than we did in 1975? Yes! We've been busy around here. And do we love it! However, (and there's always a catch) we have also had more books overdue than ever before and it has become a problem. Currently, we are spending almost ten dollars a month sending all you tardy patrons a reminder. That may not seem like much, but as late as a year ago we were spending only three dollars a month. So, you see, we have a problem with our patrons who for one reason or another don't live up to their agreement.

Although it is against the law to keep library books, our overdue patrons are not criminal. They're disorganized. Books become lost or forgotten. There are some who have a compulsive urge to keep library books. The New York City library recently tracked down and recovered over two thousand books and the man who had them said he just didn't want to give them back. But never mind the reason for overdue books—all you tardy patrons look out! In the words of Chief Sharkey, "We're going to keep an eye on you." And then we're going to raid you and plunder your collection for what is ours.

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**More about: Author ...**

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novel." Set in pre-statehood Colorado of the 1870's, it tells the story of Tim Tate, a cowboy-turned miner; his bride Angie; Ma Riley, a tough but big-hearted woman who owns the mining claim next to Tate's; and their friend John Ferguson, a young lawyer. Together, these "good guy" characters run afoul of a tough gang of claim-jumpers who want to take over their mines.

"Tate" is Oldham's first novel, but it won't be his last. He already has submitted a second one, entitled "Laliker," to the same publisher, and is working on a third.

He writes under the pen name of Dale Oldham, using his middle name.

**More about: Lemons ...**

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fused, no reversible error." "That means it ruled that the Court of Civil Appeals' ruling was correct, but not necessarily for the correct reason," Lemons said.

While Lemons' original appeal was still in process, the County Democratic Executive Committee—facing a deadline on certification of nominees—appointed Davis as the party's nominee for the county-district attorney's post.

Final result of the long battle is that Davis' name will appear on the November ballot and Lemons will be a write-in candidate. Both men are now eligible and qualified to hold the office, according to state statutes.

**Firms agree on Amstar's sale terms**

Robert T. Quittmeyer, president of Amstar Corporation, and Thomas J. Hoffmaster, president of The Hoffmaster Company, Inc., of Oshkosh, Wisc., announced that an agreement in principle had been reached for the sale of The Hoffmaster Co. by Amstar to Hoffmaster.

The proposed purchase price was not disclosed. Hoffmaster is the son of Byron T. Hoffmaster, founder of The Hoffmaster Co., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Amstar, is a leading manufacturer of high quality tissue napkins, table covers and other specialty paper products for the food service and institutional dining industry.

"Acquired by Amstar in 1970, The Hoffmaster Co. has performed well during the last eight years. Hoffmaster's interest in acquiring the company, however, provides Amstar with the opportunity to redeploy its investment in accordance with its current diversification objectives," the Amstar president said.

HIGH youth unemployment figures—according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics—aren't seriously affected by economic swings. The rate stays high in both good and bad years.

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**City okays RR bid, lot**

At its Monday meeting, Dimmitt's city commission incorporated a lot on Northwest Fifth Street into the city, received authorization from the railroad to accept a bid to correct a drainage problem, and viewed a financial statement on the operation of the public swimming pool.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio M. Silva requested the incorporation of the lot they are seeking to buy as a prerequisite for their loan. The lot is just north of 605 NW Fifth.

The Fort Worth & Denver Railway Co. notified the commission by letter that it had approved a \$2,500 bid received from Henderson Foundations, Inc., for the correction of drainage problems around the railroad on Southeast Jones Street. The city is to contact Henderson's for the work, and will then be reimbursed by the railroad company.

The financial statement on summer operation of the swimming pool showed a \$4,797.82 deficit, half of which is paid by the city and half by the school system. Total receipts for the summer were \$3,254.11. Pool repairs, supplies, maintenance and insurance were among the major expenses. Last year, the city paid only \$1,221.35, but each of the commissioners characterized the 1978 expense as "money well spent."

In other business, the commission:

—Was informed of the final decision of the Texas Public Utilities Commission on the rate increase application for Southwestern Public Service Co. The decision mainly adhered to the findings of the Examiner's Report, but included a few amendments to it.

—Heard from representatives of the Dimmitt TV Cable Co. on a proposed rate increase to go with additional service.

—Was told that the fire reporting number will now be answered at the law enforcement dispatcher's office, rather than at the phone office as in the past. The number to dial remains the same—it will just be answered in a different place.

**Who was she?**

A birthday ad in last week's issue showed a picture of an attractive young woman with the message, "Still just as beautiful! But guess who was 50 yesterday?"

The ad didn't say who, and as a result the News office has received a steady stream of phone calls.

Who was it? It was Willie Faye (Mrs. Robert) Huseman of Nazareth.

**Cities' sales tax rebates are received**

The City of Dimmitt has received its city sales tax rebate check for the month of September in the amount of \$6,434.11.

The same period a year ago Dimmitt received a check in the amount of \$9,890.72. The 1978 total for the year is \$96,766.12 compared with \$112,737.70 received in 1977 to this date.

The city of Hart did not receive a rebate check for the month of September but received \$655.32 for this period a year ago. Total for the year of 1978 totals \$10,355.52. The total for 1977 was \$12,203.69.

Nazareth received its rebate check for the month for \$890.34 compared with \$1,125.87 a year ago. Nazareth's total for the year is \$8,801.24 as compared with \$8,835.17 in 1977.

**Nuggets from the Senior Citizens' Center**

By RUTH COLEMAN

We have been selling our crafts nearly as quickly as they are made. You had better come in often if you want some special items.

Tuesday night was covered dish supper night and it was well attended.

Plans are being made for schedule of the van. These plans will be published when they are formulated.

We have had several new members join this week and a number of donations to help pay for the maintenance of the building.

The Broadstreets will show their jewelry Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

The committees are really doing their jobs and we are proud of their cooperation.

**Write In & Elect M.L. Simpson Jr. for Castro County Judge General Election Nov. 7**

\* Born in Castro County — Jumbo Community

\* Graduate of Dimmitt High School

\* B.S. Degree, West Texas State

\* Attended Officers' Candidate School, Notre Dame and Columbia University

\* Served four years in US Navy

\* Married to Polly Smiltherman Sanders

\* Father of eight children — all graduates of Dimmitt High School

\* Member and Elder, First Presbyterian Church

\* Democrat

\* Supports the growth of Castro County and is dedicated to economy, honesty and service

(Political advertisement paid for by Friends of M.L. Simpson Jr., George Sides, Treasurer.)



**PLAINS MEMORIAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weson McLean are the parents of a girl, Summer Lynn was born Oct. 5 and weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. John G. Nino. Luis M. was born Oct. 9 and weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Fidel Reyes are the parents of a girl, Veronica. She was born Oct. 9 and weighed 6 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Rojelio Correa. Charles Adam was born Oct. 9 and weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wesley Ethridge are the parents of a boy, Anthony Joe. He was born Oct. 11 and weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces.

Tommye Loraine Casey was born Oct. 12 to the late Thomas Lauren Casey and Susie Casey. She weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

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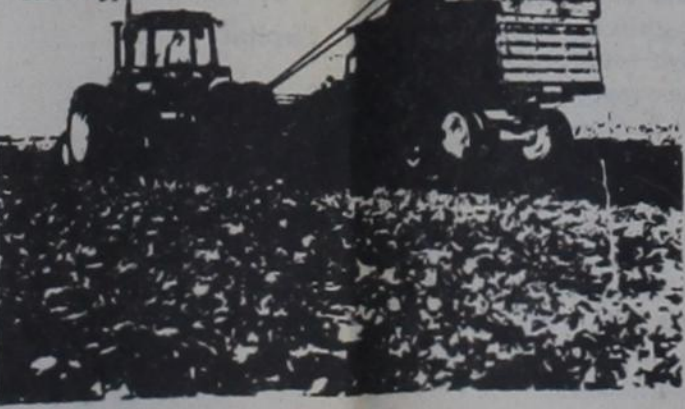
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From World Carpets is Euphoric — 100% Enka Ultrabright nylon. The Worldtronic coloring system creates soft subtle multi-coloration, for today's look in carpet. Scotch gard & Satic control \$7<sup>99</sup> carpet only

Also Winter is coming so install your grass turf on your porch patio at \$6<sup>99</sup> installed

From Walter Carpets is Sunfire - 100% nylon pile. A full bodied carpet for richness of feel & color of elegance at a practical price. \$7<sup>99</sup> carpet only

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# Injured Swifts fall to Patriots

By PATRICIA KERN

Fifth-ranked Valley used the awesome running of Darrell Dowd and a superb defense to post a 42-0 District 2-B North Zone victory over Nazareth Friday at Patriot Stadium.

Dowd, who rushed for 275 yards and two touchdowns, sparked the Patriots on the ground, while Kirk Proctor handled the passing attack.

Proctor tossed TD passes of 60 and five yards to John Davidson, and a 25-yarder to Greg Ramsey, as he threw for a total of 93 yards.

While Valley rolled up 426 total yards before a Homecoming crowd, Nazareth continued to be plagued by injuries.

Neal Wilhelm was helped off the field in the third quarter after reinjuring an ankle.

Dewayne Heck has a broken foot, a chipped bone in the other foot, and an injured knee from an earlier game. Dale Wilhelm will be out at least two games with a broken blood vessel in the triceps of his arm. Jimmy Huseman is still out with a shoulder injury, but may see action in one of the coming district games.

In other district games Friday, Claude shut out Motley County, 25-0, and Silverton ruined Happy's Homecoming with a 19-12 win.

After Friday night's results, Valley, Claude and Silverton hold 1-0 records in the District 2-B North Zone race, while Nazareth, Motley County and Happy stand a 0-1.

Nazareth will take on Claude at Swift Stadium Friday night, with kickoff time slated at 7:30.

### ★ GAME AT A GLANCE

Nazareth	Valley
6	16
16	333
28	93
44	426
10/3	9/4
1	2
4	1

Score by Quarters:	Nazareth	Valley
1st	0	0
2nd	0	0
3rd	0	0
4th	0	0
Total	0	0



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

OCTOBER 19 — Gene Ivey, Doriceil Davis, Shirley Thompson, Wade Hoelting, Daniel Braddock, Zac Hatla.

OCTOBER 20 — Doris Wait, J. J. Patton, Tommy Pina, Jeff Isaacs, Patricia Kern, Francis Kern, Kim Wardlow, Shawn Ringwald.

OCTOBER 21 — Lupe Montes, Leigh Hyman, Vern Lust, Cheere Collins, Goldman Dyer, Melody Sanders, Rita Kern, Evey Wilhelm.

OCTOBER 22 — Fred Batterman, Connie Nelson, Kelli Small, Keith Cayton, Max Acker.

OCTOBER 23 — Tama West, Millie Lust, Jack Rister, Laura Small, Bill Henderson, Gainell Minnick, Sharla Street, Jennifer Scott, Dolores Baldridge, Dale Brockman, Sabrina Pohlmeier, Joe Dreyer.

OCTOBER 24 — Paula Jo Bradford, Rodney Patton, David, Mohon, Allen Braddock, Claude Annen.

OCTOBER 25 — Blake Brown, Mrs. Rex (Dorothy) Sheffy, Fred Kuntz, Richard Brockman, Julian Huseman, Arnold Huseman.

OCTOBER 26 — Terry Beth Teaschner, Bill Gregory, Laure Ewing, Marilyn Birkenfeld, Lonny Huseman.



**HAPPY DAYS**—Wearing authentic 1958 DHS cheerleader costumes, Jo Beth Bates and Tonya Hampton (foreground) lead the student body in a 1958 yell during Friday afternoon's Homecoming pep rally in the DHS gymnasium. Members of the Class of 1958 were special guests at the pep rally. Other cheerleaders donned costumes of 1968 and 1970 to lead cheers from those years, and KaKa Bruegel appeared as a silver-clad "R2-D2" cheerleader of the future.

## small talk from South Hills Manor

Mary Cowan will celebrate her one hundredth birthday Oct. 23. Her nieces Leta Curtsinger, Marie Carnelious and Elsie Russell are having a party on Sunday Oct. 22 at 2:30 to celebrate this great occasion.

She was born in 1878 in Hickman County, Ky. She is the oldest of the eight children born to W. F. and Louise Burton.

Mary married William Cowan, April 4, 1909. They lived in the Panhandle several years. He was a farmer and passed away in 1925 at Hereford.

No children were born to the Cowans but Mary loves children and was always caring for her nieces and nephews and other children. She loved to cook and was a great cook.

She made her home with her sister Mrs. L. A. Ashlock after her husband's death. She is a member of the First Baptist Church in Hereford.

Mary has three nieces, who are giving her birthday party. They are all from Hereford, and her nephews are Frank Ashlock of Hereford, Jim and R. C. Ashlock who live in Concord, Calif. and Billy Ashlock of San Jose, Calif.

Mary is such a precious lady. She is the first resident at the Manor to celebrate a one hundredth birthday.

Ivy Parker from Austin and Bertha Parker from Tucumcari, N.M. visited their aunt Abbie Parker this week. Abbie enjoyed their visit very much.

This cute little prayer for growing old was handed to us by Velma Tucker.

"Lord, Thou knowest better than I that I am growing older and will soon some day be old. Keep me from the fatal habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and every occasion. Release my craving to try to straighten out everybody's business. With my vast store of wisdom, it seems a pity not to use it all, but, Thou knowest, Lord, I want a few friends at the end.

"Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details. Give me wings to get to the point. Seal my lips on my aches and pains. They are increasing and the love of re-

hashing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by.

"I dare not ask for improved memory, but for a growing humility and a lessening sureness when my memory clashes with the memories of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I may be mistaken.

Keep me reasonably sweet. I do not want to be a saint; some of them are so hard to live with—but a sour old person is one of the crowning works of the devil.

"Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places and the grace to tell them so. Amen.

Our sympathy goes to the families of Nannie Mae Thomas.

## Quarantine on area corn is meeting topic

Carl King and Bill Clark of Dimmitt, representing the Texas Corn Growers Association, took part in a special meeting of grain industry representatives at Amarillo last Wednesday, where the subject was a quarantine on 15 Panhandle counties to check spread of the European corn borer.

Castro County is not one of the 15 included in the proposed quarantine, but Deaf Smith and Randall Counties just to the north are among them. The insect pest was found in 15 of 30 counties when the TDA conducted a survey last month. It first appeared in Moore County last August and has been found in corn-growing states to the north for several years.

The conference was at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, and David Ivie of the Texas Department of Agriculture was present to represent Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown.

King, president of the TCGA, and Clark stressed their concern over cost to growers of a quarantine which would require screening or fumigating of corn produced in the area before it is shipped. They urged that Texas adopt stronger enforcement of

regulation in shipment of corn from infested states into Texas.

Clark said many elevators are equipped to do the screening, but it would cost farmers a fee of about 10 cents per hundredweight at a time when their profit margin is already minimal.

If the quarantine is put in effect it will not be for about three months, as a public hearing and legal notices would be required first, Ivie said.

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## School menus at Nazareth

MONDAY — Barbecued franks, fried okra, coleslaw, cornbread, butter, syrup, apple crisp, milk.

TUESDAY — Mexican casserole, tossed salad, sopapillas and honey butter, red gelatin with peach, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cheeseburger, French fries, lemon pudding, milk.

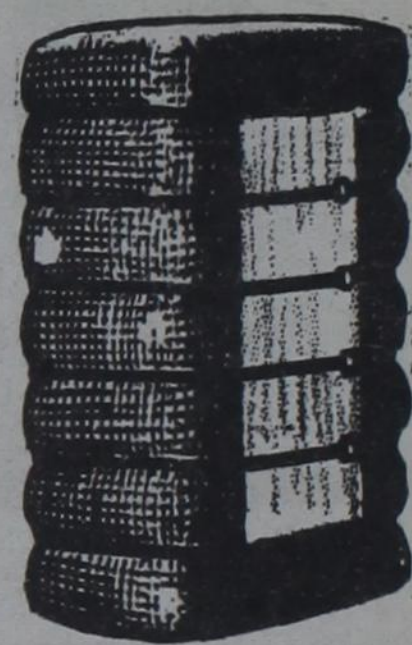
THURSDAY — Burritos, tossed salad, corn, cornbread, butter, syrup, peanut butter cups, milk.

FRIDAY — Fried chicken, scalloped potatoes, green beans, hot buttered bread, vanilla pudding, milk.

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# Demo rally scheduled at area dinner

"Democratic Rally '78" is the theme of a reception and dinner set for the Tropic Room of the Villa Inn in Am- arillo Monday, according to

Billie Burrow, President of the Potter-Randall Democratic Women's Club, joint sponsor of the event in cooperation with 31st District Committeeman and Committeewoman, Carl King of Dimmitt and Sandra Davis of Levelland.

Honored guests at the 7 p.m. reception and 8 p.m. dinner will be national, state and local democratic candidates for election in the No-

vember general election.

Heading the list of those confirmed to be present are US Congressmen Jack High-tower and Bob Kreuger and Texas Attorney General candidate Mark White. High-tower will be principal speaker at the dinner.

The sponsors pointed out that everyone is invited who is interested in issues in the Nov. 7 election and the democratic leadership response to them.

Reservations are open through Oct. 18. Tickets at \$12.50 per person are available from Mrs. Curtis Johnson and Mrs. Bedford Forrest.

## Grandmother's funeral held

Funeral services for Mrs. Nannie Thomas, 87, of Floyd- ada, grandmother of Shirley Peggram of Dimmitt, were conducted Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Floydada by Rev. Mike Pennington, Baptist minister from Fort Worth. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Born in Alabama, Nannie Day married Harve Thomas in 1907 at Memphis, Tx. He died in 1958.

Survivors in addition to Mrs. Peggram are a grand- son, Howard Bishop of Floyd- ada; a sister, Mattie Boone of Springlake; a brother, Luther Day of Hooker, Okla. and four great-grandchildren.

What's going on here?

**Thursday**  
10-12 a.m. Social Security representative at courthouse.  
7 p.m. — Young Farmers, Ag Dept., DHS.  
7:30 p.m. Masonic Lodge at Lodge Hall.  
7:30 p.m. — Rebekahs at IOOF Hall.

**Friday**  
Noon — Rotary Club at Colonial Inn Restaurant.  
1:30-2:30 p.m. — Pre- school story hour at library.  
7 p.m. Young Homemakers, last half CPR course, homemaking dept., DHS.  
7:30 p.m. — Bobcats vs. Littlefield, Bobcat Stadium.

**Monday**  
All Day — Schools out for students.  
All day — In service day for teachers.  
Noon — Kiwanis Club at Colonial Inn Restaurant.  
6:30 p.m. Tops Club at Lib- rary.  
7:30 p.m. Nazareth Art Club, Holy Family Church basement.

**Tuesday**  
Noon — Ladies Golf As- sociation at home of Polly Holland.  
Noon — Dimmitt Lions Club at Colonial Inn Restau- rant.  
7:30 p.m. Senior Citizens game night at Senior Citizen Center.  
7:30 p.m. — IOOF at Lodge Hall.  
8:00 p.m. — Dimmitt Booster Club, High School caf- eteria.  
8:30 p.m. Dimmitt Prom- enaders, Expo Bldg.

**Wednesday**  
6:30 a.m. — Chamber of Commerce Breakfast, Meth- odist Church.  
6:30 a.m. — Toastmasters Club, Colonial Inn Restau- rant.

STATISTICS indicate only two percent of all wives con- tribute 75 percent or more to the family income.



**FLAME QUEEN**—Senior Kimberly Peggram beams after being crowned Dimmitt High School's 1978-79 Flame Queen at the Homecoming bonfire and pep rally last Thursday night. In background is cheerleader Jo Beth Bates. Other Flame Queen candidates were freshman Olga Gonzales, sophomore Jan Robb and junior Lou Phillips. (Photo by Joe Ramirez)



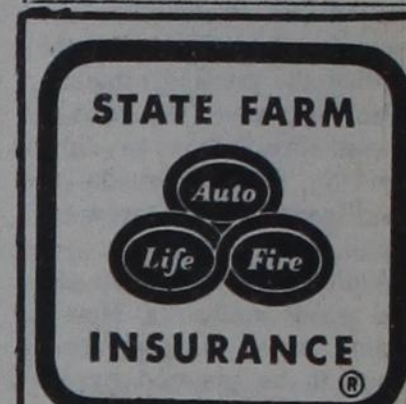
**FLAME KING**—Junior tackle Norris Cole is about to be kissed after being crowned Flame King for 1978-79 at Dimmitt High School's Homecoming bonfire and pep rally last Thursday night. Other candidates for the Flame King title were freshman Rafael Enriquez, sophomore Joe Nino and senior AFS student Armando Bellesio, who was awarded the Spirit Stick.

## Nazareth KC sets steak fry

The Nazareth Knights of Columbus will sponsor a steak fry Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Nazareth community hall.

Price will be \$3 for adults. Proceeds will go to Texas School for the Deaf at Austin.

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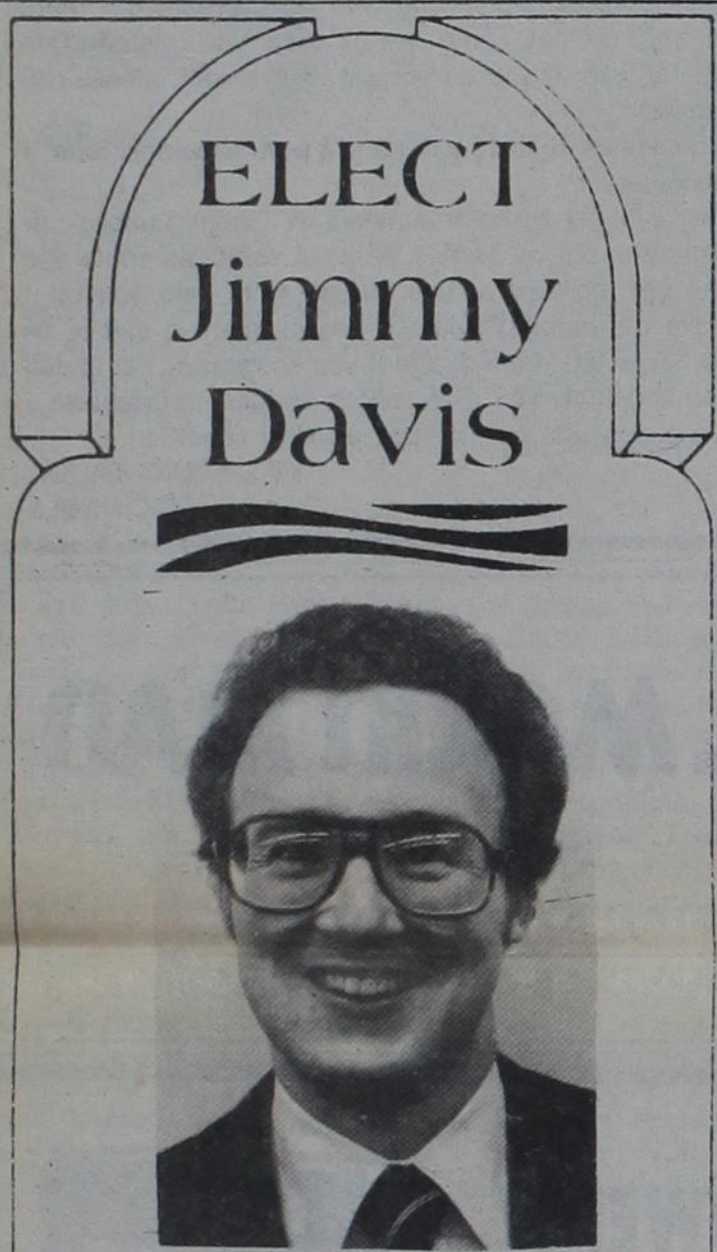
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