



Performing before a third of a million people, they drew standing ovations in San Antonio's Battle of Flowers

M. L. Simpson Photo



Dr. Dennis Blackburn will leave Dimmitt May 15, moving his practice to his hometown of Junction.

I WISH he wouldn't. He's been a valuable member of our community, and his move will leave our county's 11,000 residents with just two doctors. If I could chain Dr. Blackburn to his desk, with a leash just long enough to reach the hospital, I'd do it.

Among his other accomplishments here, Dr. Blackburn was the father of the Dimmitt Municipal Airport. It was he, as Chamber of Commerce president, who marshalled the forces for the bond-election campaign that resulted in the city buying the airport and making massive improvements on it.

He also started an industrial development program in the Chamber of Commerce, and saw to it that Dimmitt's first full-color brochure, with facts and statistics, was published.

He was a hard taskmaster. He kept a lot of us up until the wee hours. But he got the goals accomplished, and our community is a lot richer for it.

IN RECENT YEARS, as neighboring towns searched desperately for doctors, I was glad we didn't have the problem here. We had four doctors, and three of them were young.

Then Dr. Bischoff died. His death was a big loss not only to our area, but to the medical profession and to the specialized field of medical electronics. That left us with just three doctors. We could still afford to be fairly smug about it, though, because they were all young and well-established. Under the heavier work load, the doctors themselves started looking for new medical men. But they haven't had any luck.

NOW WE'LL be left with just two doctors to handle the case load that originally supported four.

Suddenly, the crisis is here. If you have a cousin, nephew or casual acquaintance who's a doctor—or who's about to be one—invite him or her to Dimmitt for coffee, dinner and games. Then call Drs. Lee and Murphy so they can bring their nets.

The Chamber of Commerce, incidentally, is working on the problem. There'll be a CoC [See 1:1, Page 13]



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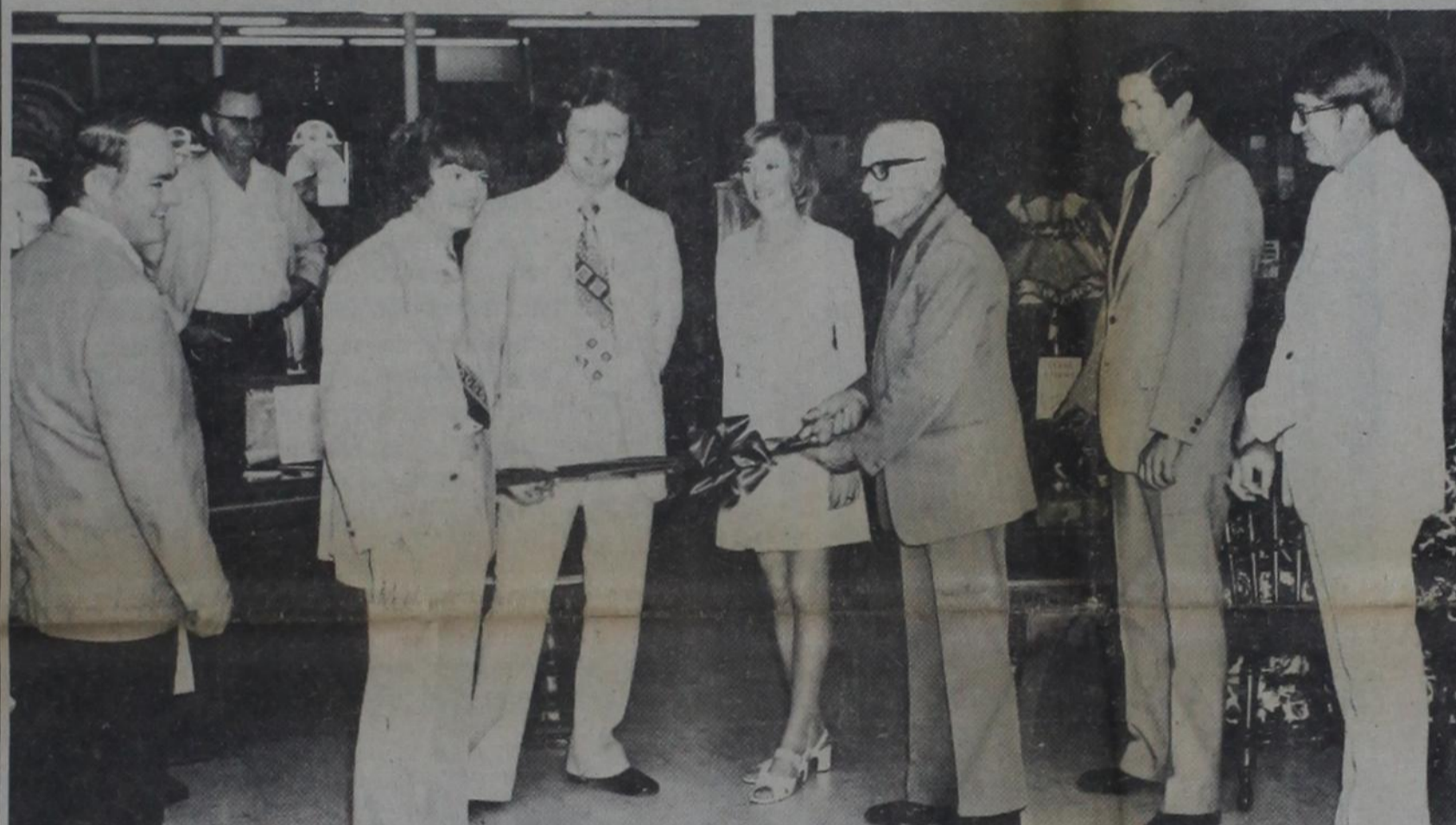
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Schools fight Briscoe plan



DIMMITT'S NEWEST STORE, Home Decor on North Broadway, officially opened Friday morning with a ribbon-cutting conducted by the Chamber of Commerce. Here, Mayor Elmer Youts (third from right) mans the scissors. From left are CoC Manager Elvon DeVaney, directors Walt Hansen

[background] and Robert McLean, store owners Mark and Cathy Hollis, Mayor Youts, CoC President Bob Caddell and director Robert Ryan. Caddell also presented the Hollises with their "first dollar of clear profit" mounted on a framed certificate.

Write to State Rep. Bill Clayton, State Sen. Max Sherman and State Sen. Kent Hance.

Ask them to oppose the "Governor's Bill" on public school financing (HB 1083 and SB 420), to support the one-cent state sales tax for education, and to support a substantial pay increase for teachers.

THAT'S THE plea of superintendents, teachers and trustees in all three of Castro County's school districts. They're presenting a unified front in stating their definite choices among a variety of education bills now being studied by Senate and House committees.

Supts. Charlie White of Dimmitt, Ted Averitt of Hart and Joe King of Nazareth are all working against the proposed "Governor's Bill," the statewide school finance plan proposed by a Briscoe-appointed committee. They feel the Governor's Bill would financially cripple the state's smaller school districts.

Nine Dimmitt teachers were in Austin over the weekend to attend the statewide "teachers' rally" in UT's Memorial Stadium and meet with legislators in the State Capitol. However, most of them came home disappointed after finding legislators out of their offices Saturday, and after Gov. Briscoe, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Bill Clayton declined invitations to attend the rally.

The Dimmitt Classroom [See SCHOOLS, Page 13]

10 teachers go to Austin rally

Ten members of the Dimmitt Classroom Teachers' Association took part in the statewide "teachers' rally" in Austin Saturday to lobby for a teacher pay raise and for a one-cent state sales tax to finance public education.

DIMMITT teachers making the trip were Shirley Herber, Joy Cook, Lindon Holland, Pat and Byron Roberts, Mary Nell King, Faye Walker, Mary Hughes, Don Blankenship and Durward Patterson. They traveled by chartered bus with teachers from Springlake-Earth and Littlefield, leaving Friday night and returning Sunday.

County men help get evacuees out

Technical Sergeant James R. Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Faulkner of Dimmitt, was among thousands of Air Force Members and their dependents who recently provided support during the airlift of Vietnamese and Cambodian orphans to the United States.

SGT. FAULKNER is a personnel technician at Clark AB, Philippines.

He served in a volunteer capacity during the stopover at Clark of more than 850 children enroute to their new homes in America.

The orphans were housed,

and given medical treatment at the base's facilities before continuing their long journey to freedom.

Marine PFC Teodoro E. Gutierrez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Teodoro P. Gutierrez of Hart, has helped provide security and assistance to US citizens and foreign nationals evacuated from the Cambodian capitol of Phnom Penh.

He is embarked on a western Pacific deployment with the 2d Battalion, 4th Marine Regiment, and supporting units which were dispatched to aid in the evacuation.

Board takes stand on finance issues

The Nazareth school board voted to oppose the Governor's Bill and weighted pupil approach and urge Rep. Bill Clayton to support the state sales tax bill (1160) at a special meeting last Thursday night.

BILL 1160 would set a one-cent state sales tax for public education. Every school district in the state would receive \$25,000 at the start and \$25,000 at the beginning of each fiscal year. The rest of the sales-tax income, would be allocated to districts based on their average daily attendance.

The bill would also freeze the ad valorem tax for school districts at the 1973 level.

School holds registration for next year

The Dimmitt Independent School will pre-register children who will be in kindergarten and first grade for the 1975-76 school year Tuesday from 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. in the South Grade East Cafeteria.

CHILDREN who attended the Dimmitt School kindergarten during the 1974-75 school term are already registered for next year and parents do not need to pre-register them.

Children must be five years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1975 to be eligible for kindergarten and six years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1975 to be eligible for first grade.

Parents will need to bring the child's birth certificate and health record. It is not necessary for the child to be with the parent at registration.

Rites held for Jerry Bagwell

Funeral services for Jerry Ernest Bagwell, a former Dimmitt resident, were held Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt with Rev. Lennox Hester officiating and Rev. John Street of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt assisting.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

MR. BAGWELL, 81, died Friday in Lampa, Calif. where he had lived since 1970. He was a retired farmer and had lived in Dimmitt over 30 years.

Survivors include a son Bobby Ray of Lampa, Calif.; three brothers, George, Jim and Ivor, all of Dimmitt; two sisters, Mrs. Mildred Gullion of Dimmitt and Mrs. Alice Howell of Weatherford and two grandchildren.

Jaycees set Radio Day, elections

The Dimmitt Jaycees will hold their annual "Jaycee Radio Day" Saturday, then will meet at 4 p.m. at the Country Club to elect new officers and organize for the coming year.

THE JAYCEES will be on the air at KDHN Radio all day, except during the afternoon Spanish-language program. They'll do all the regular news-casting and announcing, and will use their own commercials, which they're now selling.

KDHN Radio splits the proceeds of the commercials with the Jaycees to provide the young men's civic club with funds to help conduct community service projects during the year.

Avery Thrasher, Radio Day chairman, said spot commercials are being sold at the rate of three for \$10, five for \$15 and 10 for \$30.

"IF ANY of our merchants haven't been contacted, they should call me at 647-5388," Thrasher said.

Curtis Walker of Muleshoe, national director of the US Jaycees for the Panhandle area, is expected to be here Saturday afternoon to help the local club organize for the coming year and elect new officers.

"We'd like to have all young men 18 to 35 who are interested in leadership training and community service to make a special point to be at Saturday afternoon's meeting," Thrasher said.

Jury decides punishment

A district court jury meeting Tuesday sentenced Mike M. Menchaca Jr. of Hart to three years in the state penitentiary.

MENCHACA pled guilty to a felony offense of driving while intoxicated and elected to have a jury fix his sentence.

A NEW CONGREGATION was organized Sunday morning when the Dimmitt Church of the Nazarene was established with 24 charter members. Dr. Lyle Eckley of Lubbock, district superintendent, conducted the chartering service, with 45 persons present. The congregation called as its minister Jim Hedrick, a graduating senior at the Nazarene Bible College in Colorado Springs, Colo. Hedrick, his wife Betty, and their three children will move to Dimmitt early in June. The new congregation, assisted by the church district, is buying the former Northside Baptist Church building.



KING/our school taxes could jump 50%

[Editor's Note: Within the next 4½ weeks, the Texas Legislature is expected to revamp the financing for the state's public schools. This is the first of a series of interviews with the three school superintendents in our county, giving their opinions on the various school-finance plans now before the legislature.]

"I don't want to be an alarmist, but I think we need to call some people's attention to our school situation right now," Nazareth Supt. Joe King said.

THE MAIN cause of his worry is House Bill 1083, and its companion bill in the Texas Senate, SB 420. This is the Governor's Bill, which proposes a new system for assessing property, setting tax rates and spreading the state's wealth among all its school districts.

The legislature has to equalize public educational opportunities throughout the state. The courts have or-

dered it. And the Governor's Bill is the method proposed by a Briscoe-appointed study committee.

But that bill, King said, would increase the tax load in the Nazareth Independent School District by as much as 50%, would raise teach-

ers' starting salaries to \$7,400 ("still not enough"), and eventually would force the state's smaller school districts (Classes AA, A and B) to either consolidate their schools or close their doors.

UNDER THE Governor's Bill, property taxes (the only

kind of taxes which a school district can levy) would be based on market value instead of assessed value. And there's a provision in the bill to add a "productivity" factor in assessing farm land.

"The Governor's Bill would drive the taxes on land up so high that people wouldn't want to own land—they wouldn't be able to afford the taxes on it," King said. "A market-value assessment tends to drive the taxes up more on farmland than on any other kind of real estate."

HOW ELSE, then, could the state finance its public schools equitably?

"I'm strongly in favor of the one-cent state sales tax for education," King said. "This is House Bill 1160. This is the fairest method, and we'd also get money from tourism and other sources through the sales tax to finance our public education."

"I think the governor's bill would force a lot of consolidations among smaller schools. It would be unfair to the students, unfair to the teachers, unfair to the local taxpayers"



Sheffy's chatter

Families enjoy visits and scenery in South Texas

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Dimmitt people have been going to the South of Texas to see the pretty flowers and for visiting trips.

RAY AND Edna Riley are home from a three-week stay in the Corpus Christi area. They took Kim back to school at Marbridge, then on to Corpus where they rented a cabana overlooking the bay. They are not fishermen, so they went to the good cafes to eat fish. Ray did some golfing, both played bridge and went to several art festivals. Ray's sisters came to see them, Dorothy Burt who lives there and gets our paper, Maria Klearmer of Austin and Eva Olson of Skidmore, and his brother Furch and Etta Riley of Springlake joined the family group. Several nieces and their families came from Houston and Beeville.

Ray and Ann Carpenter were down on the Gulf at Port Aransas last week. Kin joined them for a fishing sport.

Goodwin and Jeanie Miller went first to Temple, then on south to Austin, to see the LBJ Library, to San Antonio, one of Texas' interesting and historical cities, across to Uvalde, across 90 miles of Hill Country to San Angelo, then home.

BETTY JEAN Marshall moved to Dimmitt recently from Tulare, Calif. She is now working with Mrs. Kenneth Colwell at the Bargain Center. A very pretty girl, not married. Goes to church with Mrs. Colwell, mostly to the Assembly of God.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton have moved to Amarillo. Cecil is with the Amarillo Hardware and will preach as a supply pastor in that area. He was minister at Northside Church of Christ for several years. His folks here miss him, but so many of the congregation moved away, didn't leave many, but do go see them in the city.

MR. AND MRS. Ivor Bagwell are home from a trip to

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South Texas. They visited their daughter Nelda and husband Marion Fallwell and children Colin and Kirsten who had birthdays April 9 and 10, so they celebrated those days and Mrs. Bagwell's another day. They went to Tyler for the Azalea Trail, saw the art exhibit there, most beautiful. On to Beaumont, San Antonio, back by LBJ Lake, saw the Sam Rayburn Lake. They said they drove over beautiful Texas just to see the flowers and trees and hills. When they got home Buster and Myrtle Morgan had a Sunday birthday dinner (a bit late) for Hazel Bagwell. Guests were the John Streets, he is pastor of the Baptist Church, the Elmer Youtes, the Noel Gollehons, the Morgan Dennises, the Jim Hayeses and Rachel Hunter, Billye Wesson, Irene Carpenter. Then in the afternoon they went to Milton Bagwells for ice cream and to celebrate grandson Steve's 20th birthday on Tuesday.

MOSS AND Hattie Howell came up from Weatherford, had supper with the Bagwells, visited his brother Jim and George and family and their sons, the Jim and Jack Howells. Frances Frazier and daughter Cara Dearing went to Levelland Saturday to attend the bridal shower for a niece Debra Butler who was married last Friday. Lottie Bearden has had company from Dallas, Walt and Glenna Walker, former Dimmitt folks, and Andrew and Vada Bolton from Pueblo, Colo. and brother J. W. Scruggs from Oklahoma City. Glenda Howell and her friend Georgia Ann of Lubbock visited Alvin and Frances Frazier last weekend, also sur-

Services held for Mr. Shipman
Funeral services were held last Thursday in Asbury Methodist Church for Willie R. Shipman, father of Mrs. Jack Thompson of Dimmitt.

Hestand on duty in Germany
Specialist Five Donald A. Hestand, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hestand of Dimmitt, is assigned to the 8th Infantry Division in Germany. His wife, Janis, lives in Dimmitt.

prised her brother Joe Howell with a birthday party. The party was at Jerry Frazier's house. Other guests were Joe's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Howell and Carol and Greg Hall, Sharon Brooks, Steve Birdwell and the Alvin Fraziers. Steve, Jerry and the other boys played for the Hart prom one night last week. All the Dunn boys and friends Dutch LaRue and Alvie Ivey played their music at the South Hills Manor Saturday night. They and Frances' dad Floyd Ivey went to Alvin and Frances's for food and more music.

MRS. RICHARD Wooten was hostess to her bridge club Thursday afternoon. She served cream puffs with fresh strawberries and a good shrimp salad to Josie Bradford, who won high score, Jeanie Miller, Cletha George, Retta Cluck, Gladys Cleavinger, Opal Bearden, Maggie Boren and me, Myrtle. Mrs. Opal Bearden spent the weekend at Hollis visiting her sister Naomi Ruth Patton and the other kin. Mrs. Avery Thrasher was hostess Thursday to her dinner bridge club. Hot dogs, home made kraut and good things to eat were served to Fran Gable, who won the travel prize, Cindy McDaniel won high, Martha Dannevik, Sara Hill, Wanda Nelson, Martha Jo Hyman, Carlee Warren.

The Friday bridge club met as usual at the Country Club. Mrs. George Bradford was hostess and she served that

good apple cake to 12 ladies who played. The high scorers were Bobbie Damron and Dee Williams. Billie Cluck and Helen Braafladt were special guests. High scorers in Thursday night bridge at the Country Club were Ellen Hrabal, 5390, Loranelle Hamilton, 3200, Brenda Andrews, 2970, and Martha Jo Hyman, 2650.

I HEARD about these folks going to El Paso to watch the horses run—G. L. and Ouida Willis, Bob and Helen McLean, Peggy and Allan Webb, Robert and Roxie McLean, Charles McLean and friend Jill Braafladt. We all went to the "Home Decor", Dimmitt's new furniture store, Friday and Saturday. It was their open house. We met Mr. and Mrs. Hollis, the owners, her kin Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharp, Mrs. L. W. Smith of Tulia and an aunt Mrs. Howard Sharp of Hart. His kin, Merik Tennyson and Monica, a sister, friend Steve Fondrin of Amarillo. Mrs. George Bradford and I went to Nazareth Saturday to attend the wedding mass for friends Debra Lucile and Thomas Albert Keel. Debra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hochstein and Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Keel of Dimmitt. Father Stanley did the beautiful service and two girls sang several pretty songs.

EDITOR B. M. and Mrs. Nelson went to Rogers for a town reunion last weekend.

They stayed at the big motel in Temple and drove the 20 miles east. They saw his brother P. M. and his family from Victoria and had a big dinner at Marlin with a niece and saw someone at Waco. He will tell you all about it.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Hamilton and her mother Marguerite Reynolds of Silverton were in Hereford for steaks and the volleyball tournament. The Dimmitt ladies were playing Taylors Flying Service girls from Sunray. I did not get the score.

Did you see the picture of Sal DiCuffa and Emily Clingsmith in Sunday's Amarillo paper? It showed a big string of fish they had caught at Lake Conchas with Sam Clements, Globe-News outdoors editor. Incidentally, Clements wrote a beautiful column recently commemorating the late G. I. Clingsmith, and telling of the great times he had had fishing with G. I. and Emily in Colorado, where the Clingsmiths owned a ranch.

Charles and Ann Armstrong and sons were in Hereford Saturday night also. Ann was playing in the same volleyball game with Jo Hamilton. Six members of the Garden Club went to Amarillo for a tour of the Garden Center overlooking Deer Creek. The

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early iris were in bloom and many fine plants were in the hot house. Then we went on to Las Tiendas, a shopping mall located in a former motel. Each room a small shop, jewelry, baskets, much art work. Going were Mrs. Ailt Feldman, Mrs. Charles Vandiver, Mrs. James Welch, Mrs. Bill Behrends, Mrs. Jay Lee Touchstone and Mrs. Sid Sheffy.

EDWIN (Goose) Ramey, his son Bub of Amarillo and J. B. Nolan are home from an East Texas trip. They stopped in Fort Worth at an orphan home where they had asked Mr. Ramey to work several beehives that had been given to them. Then on to Dallas to attend the 125th anniversary of the Masonic Lodge in that county, went on to Jacksonville to attend the Past Masters night of the Masons, on to Rusk to visit friends Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yowell. One night at Waco to be at a big banquet, then a stop in Waxchachie to visit Mrs. Harch Beard, a former resident of Jumbo. And his twin brother Edgar is at St.

Mary's Hospital in Lubbock doing fine from his most recent leg surgery. Mrs. C. G. Maples is there also, recuperating from recent surgery. Mrs. Horace Carlile and her nephew went to Lubbock Sunday to see her sister Bootsie who fell and broke a hip bone awhile back. They and a sister Moria went on to Jaton to visit another sister who broke a shoulder bone. "Watch your step, Patton girls."

Four bus loads of Bobcat band students and teachers Ralph and Avis Smith and many parents went to San Antonio to attend the big

spring festival. Dimmitt's band was an invited guest to play and march.

THE LONNIE Keels had several of their relatives in for the weekend and to attend the wedding of son Tom Keel to Debra Hochstein Saturday. Hal and Rita Heathington and baby Stefanie of Kermit were weekend guests of his folks Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Polson.

Grace (Wright) Roger and a friend Bessie came up from Lubbock last weekend to visit her daughter Sandra and Bill Potts.

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East Halsell St.
Pastor, Gustavo Ornelas
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Sermon... 11:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper and Feet Washing... 11:30 a.m.
Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services... 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST [Northside]
Third and Halsell Streets
Phone Home 647-5284
Study 647-5501
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.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Raymond Jones, Pastor
Sunday—
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night—
Prayer Service... 7:30 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Bobby Gordon, Pastor
Phone 647-5335
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.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
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.

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.

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

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
C. Lennol Hester, Pastor
110 S.W. 3rd — Ph. 647-4356
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.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James Robert Alexander
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

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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.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Raphael Chén, Pastor
1001 W. Halsell — Ph. 647-4219
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Mass in Spanish... 10:30 a.m.
Religion Classes... 9:30 a.m.
Monday, Tuesday & Saturday—
Mass... 7:00 a.m.
Holy Days—
Mass in English... 7:00 a.m.
Mass in Spanish... 8:00 p.m.
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Friday... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
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Bible Study... 9:30 a.m.
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Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Class for all... 7:30 p.m.

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HOUSE TRAILER for sale. 32 ft. 647-2342. 3-30-2tp

YARD SALE: 807 W. Etter, Saturday and Sunday, May 3 and 4, furniture, dishes, clothes, etc. 3-30-1tc

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FOR SALE in Dimmitt. Nearly new spinet piano. Concert approved. Tremendous Bargain. This is your chance to own a fine piano by just assuming payments. Write at once—McFarland Music Co., 1401 West 3rd, Elk City, Okla. 73644. 3-30-1tp

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FOR SALE: Irrigation pump, Pumoma 6-inch pump, 235-ft. deep. Amarillo gear head 1.1-lb. goes with it, 52 hp. 945-2032. 5-28-3tc

FOR SALE: 1973 Kawasaki 175, good condition, \$50 equity and assume payments. 647-4549 or 647-2266. 6-27-tfc

FOR SALE: 1973 Suzuki 400, Phone 647-3514 or 647-3164. 6-6-tfc

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FOR SALE: 65 Ford pickup with 8-foot camper; also 16-foot new travel trailer. See Hank Mayfield at Texas Energy Co. 6-30-tfc

8—SERVICES

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9—HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Steere Tank Lines needs experienced semi drivers. Phone 647-3183. 9-29-3tc

WANTED: Activity director. Apply in person to Hazel Dunn at South Hills Manor for further information. 9-29-tfc

HELP WANTED: LVNs by graduate for 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. shift and 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. shift. Apply in person to Joyce Adrian, Director of Nurses, at South Hills Manor. Phone 647-3117. 9-39-tfc

COULD YOU spare 10 hrs. a week, and make \$80.00 a week. If interested, write to 407 N.W. 3rd, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. 9-18-tfc

14—CARD OF THANKS

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The Dimmitt Duplicate Club wishes to express their appreciation to the following who made a special effort to see that the benefit game was a success—Ola Mae Trimble, director; Warner Wilson of Clovis and Ed Schreder of Amarillo for helping; Fred Annen for his help in keeping coffee and tea made. Also to all who furnished refreshments and to Debbie Hrabal for being the caddy. We certainly thank all of them. 14-30-1tc

Frio Homemakers tour museum at WTSU

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vogler went to Oklahoma City on business the first of the week.

THE THREE adult Baptist school classes of Frio Baptist Church met at the church for a party on Friday evening. They had homemade ice cream and cake and entertainment was with games of "42".

The Arthur Blackburns had their children the Jerry Blackburns and Linda Carnagey of Amarillo home for the weekend. They were celebrating Arthur's birthday.

Little Miss Pamela Beth Price was presented a New Testament by Frio's pastor, Lon Conner, at Sunday morning service. Pamela, about a month old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Price. The Prices also have another daughter, three year old Robin Kay.

Mrs. Clark Andrews and Mrs. Floyd Cole participated in an Associational W.M.U. leadership conference in Second Baptist Church, Amarillo on Monday evening.

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★ Short vacation in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock and then back to work. I can be reached by calling their number.

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TWO BEDROOM house for sale, with large 100-ft. lot. Fruit trees, fenced back yard. 607 SW Sixth. Call 647-2381. 1-10-tfc

BY OWNER: Three-bedroom home for sale. 1 1/4 baths, fireplace, central heat, carpeted fenced. For appointment, call James Horton between 8 and 5 at 647-2111. 1-22-tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 2 bedroom brick home; den, dining room, large closets, large utility-storage room. Equity and assume loan. Call 995-3248 or see at 722 Grant. Dimmitt. 1-29-tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, carpeted, fenced yard, central heating and air conditioning. 201 Front St. Call 364-6086, Hereford. 1-16-tfc

2—FOR RENT

INDUSTRIAL BUILDING for rent. 76 ft. x 26 ft. South Highway 385. F. Latimer. 647-4438. 2-44-tfc

ANDREWS TRAILER PARK: Trailer space for rent. FHA approved. Paved streets. Telephone and TV cable available. Water furnished. New and used trailers for sale, most any make. Bert Andrews, 647-2478. 2-7-tfc

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COUNTRY ARMS APARTMENTS: One, two and three bedroom apartments, built-in stove and refrigerator. Call 647-3318. 2-44-tfc

FURNISHED one-bedroom apartment. 121 E. Bedford, 647-3194. 2-28-tfc

3—FOR SALE, MISC.

DISMANTLING industrial plant near Amarillo. For sale 5,000 tons of good used structural steel and pipe. 806-352-6269 in Amarillo. 3-29-4tp

WELDING SUPPLIES — Oxygen acetylene welding rod-ox-gles. Dimmitt Consumers. 3-28-tfc

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KIRBY VACUUM cleaners, rebuilt to look like new. Full one-year guarantee. Kittrell Electronics, 647-2197. 4-27-tfc

5—FARM EQUIPMENT

WINDSHIELDS: We've got L-O-F, Carlite, Pittsburgh, installed right and weathertight. TRACTOR GLASS for any size cab. And for safety's sake, use our SONIC steel-belted radial tires. See Gene at Dimmitt Upholstery & Garage, 214 N. Broadway, 647-2534. 6-17-tfc

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MASSENGALE RADIATOR SHOP: Clean & repair, new & used radiators. Will buy junk radiators. 405 S. 385, 647-3310. 8-28-tfc

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CUSTOM FARMING: We can help you with all types of plowing and fertilizer application. Call James Welch. Home 647-5647; Shop 647-2469; Mobil 647-3569. 8-14-tfc

DEAD STOCK removal, 7-day week service. Please call soon as possible. Hereford Bi-Products. Phone 364-0951. 8-27-tfc

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WILL DO WELDING evenings and weekends. Call Kenneth Oldham, 647-5489 after 5 p.m. 8-25-tfc

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Pit Cleaning
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CLIFF JOHNSON
Hereford, 364-2111
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TOP CHAROLAIS BULLS for crossing at economical prices, Ray Joe Riley, Sunnyside, 846-2435. 11-52-tfc

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The John Stork family wishes to thank all our relatives and friends for their thoughtful expressions of sympathy, the masses, floral arrangements, food, contributions to the cemetery fund and Heart Fund, also all the prayers. A special "Thank you" to Father Stanley for his words of comfort and being there when we needed him most. God bless each one of you.

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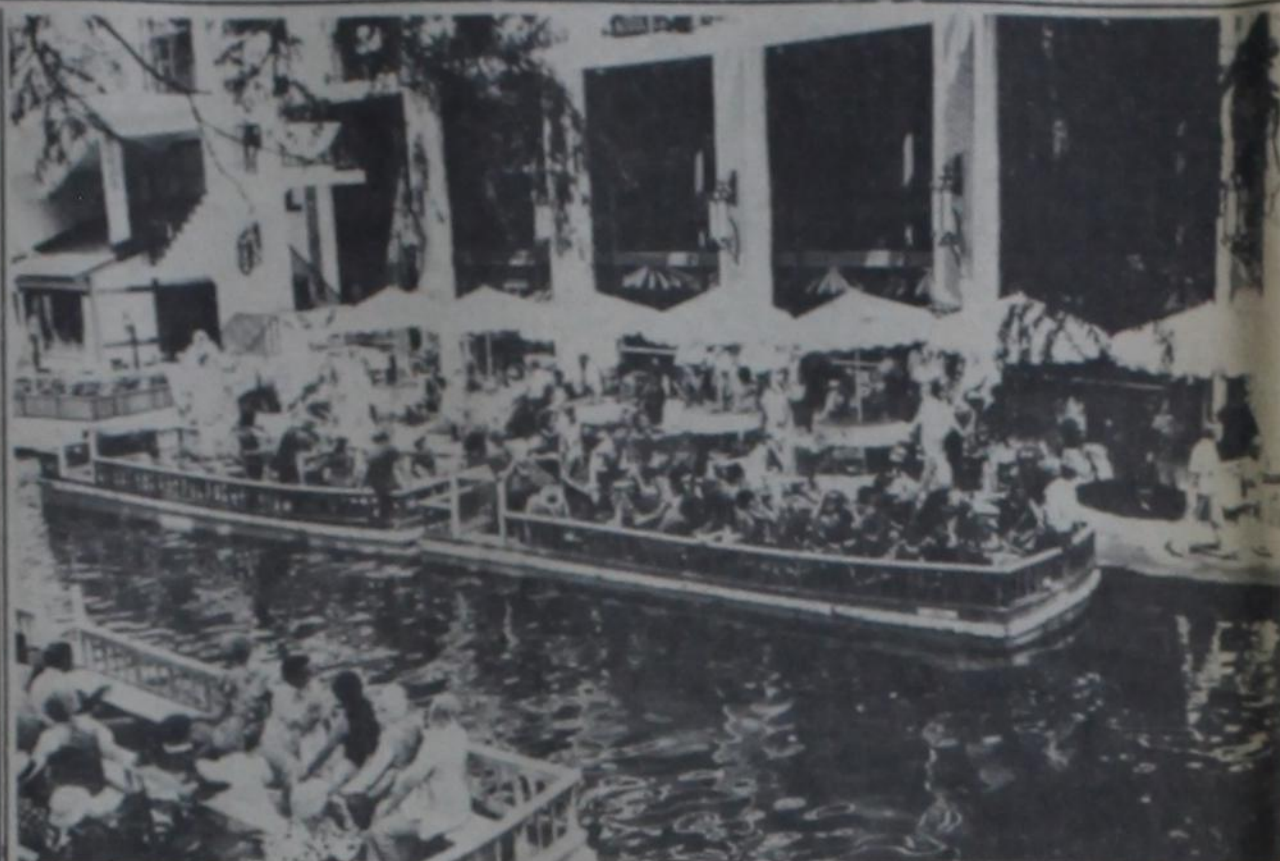


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ON THE RIVER in downtown San Antonio, 60 members of Dimmitt High School's Bobcat Band board two gondolas to give a "floating jazz concert" for pedestrians and picnickers along the river last Thursday afternoon. The floating concert was part of San Antonio's

week-long Battle of Flowers festivities. As the Texas Honor Band, the Bobcat Band also gave a marching demonstration in Alamo Stadium Thursday evening, and marched in the Battle of Flowers Parade Friday afternoon. [M. L. Simpson Photo]

REMEMBER the men who can't forget. Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day.

Students to enter projects at state

Dimmitt High School's Industrial Arts Club and 14 individual woodworking students will enter their projects in the Texas Industrial Arts Students Association show in Austin Friday and Saturday.

ALSO, Club Sweetheart Sandra Carpenter will compete for the title of state sweetheart at the show, in addition to entering a woodworking project of her own. This is the first year the local club has entered a sweetheart candidate.

Miss Carpenter will perform a piano solo, "The Entertainer," as her talent entry, will compete in formal wear and sportswear contests, and also will be tested on her knowledge of industrial arts.

A large stock trailer is the Industrial Arts Club's group project this year. It's a 20 x 6 ft. gooseneck trailer with a covered front half and tandem axle, made of tubular, plate and structural steel.

The big red trailer is carrying all the students' individual woodworking projects to Austin today (Thursday).

STUDENTS' individual projects had to pass preliminary judging here before being entered in the state show. Competition in Austin will be in senior and beginners' divisions, divided into classes according to size and type of project. There are no separate boys' or girls' divisions.

All woodworking projects must be made from milled lumber; no kit projects are allowed in the state show.

Students who will show their individual projects in Austin Friday and Saturday are:

SENIOR WOODWORKING
Dudley Wooten—7x7 ft. triple dresser with hutch, in antique pine.
Rick Wright—Rolltop desk, in ash.

Kurt Wales—Grandfather clock in walnut.

Robert Jones—Walnut game table with inlaid checkerboard.

Daniel Montiel—Gun cabinet-stereo combination, in ash.

Lance Louder—Rosewood cedar-lined chest.

Brent Armstrong—Matching pair of ottomans and matching pair of speaker cabinets.

BEGINNING WOODWORKING
Anita Smith—Maple sewing table.

Dora Ortiz—Secretary's desk with hutch, in ash.

Sharon Miller—Ash cedar-lined chest with red velvet tufted top.

Sandra Carpenter—Ash cedar-lined chest with teardrop ornaments and crushed-velvet tufted top.

Norma Wall—Walnut cedar-lined chest with velvet tufted top.

Margie Sandoval—Pecan cedar-lined chest with velvet tufted top.



SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By LINDA RICHARDSON

The Dimmitt Promenaders met April 22 at 8 p.m. at the Castro County Country Club with Johnny Gillenwater of Tulia calling the tips.

Refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gillenwater and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kennedy.

ON FRIDAY the 18th the Coles, Bill Harmans, Billy Harmans and Linda Richardson attended the square dance in Hereford which featured old time fiddlers. The Bill Harmans also visited in Tulia Saturday night.

Johnny Gillenwater will call in Olton May 9 and in Turkey May 10. Promenaders will meet again May 13 at the Country Club. All area dancers are invited to attend.

Local students on honor roll

Linda Hester Philpott and James Raymond Wagner were both named to the fall semester honor roll at North Texas State University.

MRS. PHILLPOTT, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lennox Hester of Dimmitt, was listed on the 3.5 honor roll.

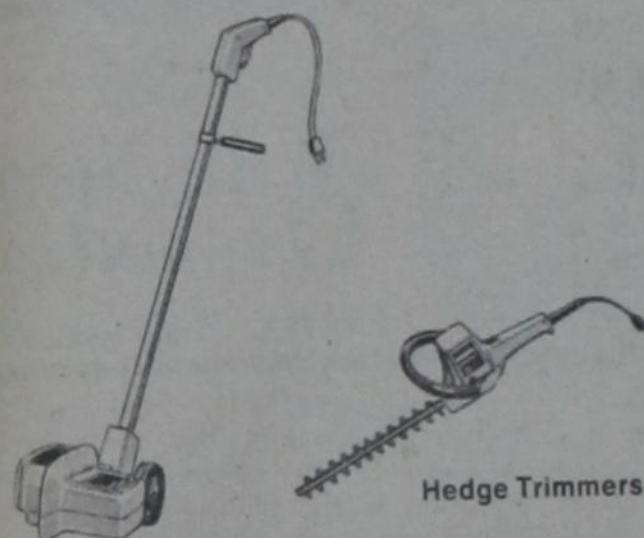
Wagner, son of Lawrence L. Wagner of Nazareth, was listed on the 4.0 honor roll.

According to Dr. Gustave Ferre, vice-president of academic affairs, 1,412 NTSU students achieved honor roll listing.



PASSING IN REVIEW, the Dimmitt High School Bobcat Band spans a street in San Antonio during the big Battle of Flowers Parade Friday. In foreground is sophomore clarinetist Darla Hicks. The 143-member band was viewed by crowds estimated at 340,000 plus a regional TV audience, during its Battle of Flowers appearances.

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and has been named Brandi Dawn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cowboy Johnson of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb of Booneville, Ark.

OUT OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Patton of Pampa are the parents of a daughter, Courtney Jacq, 6-pounds, 11-ounces, who was born April 20. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Taylor of Purcell, Okla. and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patton of Dimmitt.

OUT OF TOWN

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Tom "Butch" Holcomb of Lubbock. She was born April 22 in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital, weighed 8 pounds, 12

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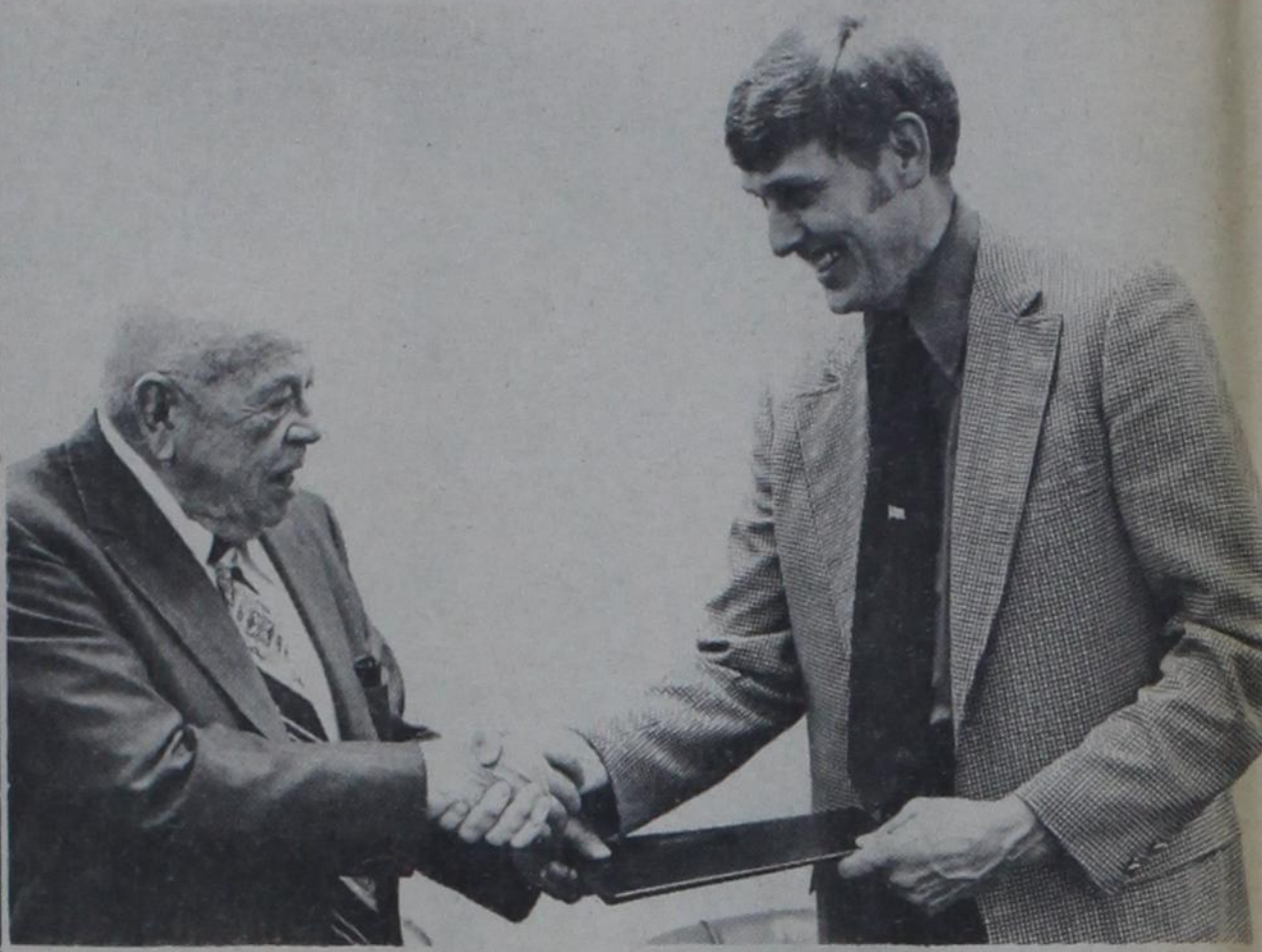
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USDA AWARD WINNER
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DeLozier receives USDA award

Former Dimmitt resident Willis DeLozier has been recognized by the US Department of Agriculture for outstanding performance.

DeLOZIER, a supervisory food program specialist with USDA's Food and Nutrition Service, was cited for "exceptional performance as acting program director during a period of rapid and massive expansion of the food stamp program in the West-Central region."

DeLozier, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George DeLozier of Dimmitt, is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and Texas Tech. He has been with the federal government for 21 years, including 13 with FNS.

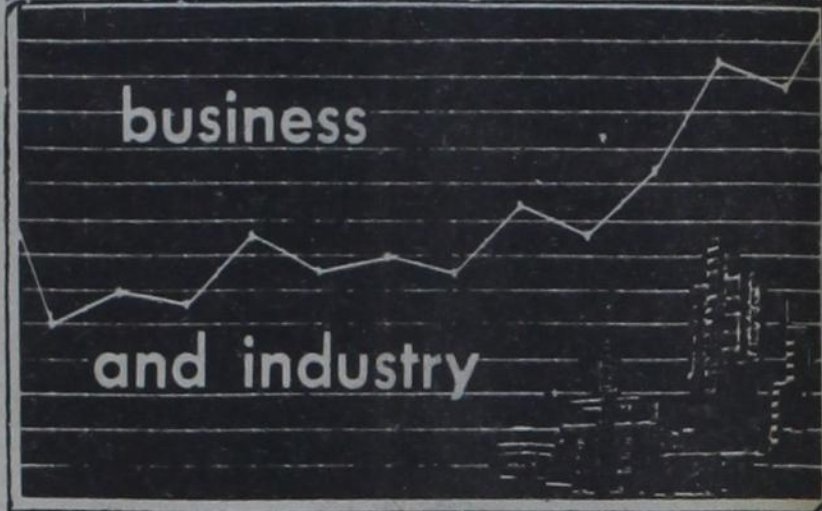
He and his wife, LaRae, have one daughter, Kay. The DeLoziers live in Farmers Branch, a Dallas suburb.

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On Wall Street
By Bob Hill
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I get very uncomfortable when a governmental agency starts poking around below the surface of my world without convincing me first that they know exactly what they are doing. I get positively frantic when I learn about the plan of the new Energy Research & Development Administration in Washington, D.C. to detonate two H-bombs per day in a mile-deep underground cavity to produce electricity and breed reactor fuel.

BASICALLY, the project, nicknamed Pacer, is to sink a shaft about one mile deep into

a salt dome beneath Louisiana or Texas. Here, for a paltry \$25 million, a 500 ft.-diameter cavity can be excavated. Daily, two 50-kiloton H-bombs, roughly twice the strength of the blasts that leveled Hiroshima and Nagasaki, would be detonated to produce supercharged steam in the cavity, which would then rise through the shaft to the earth's surface, driving turbines generating 2,000 megawatts of power. Theoretically, the pressure of the overlying ground would offset the pressure of the steam and explosions, and prevent radiation leaks. The salt, which liquefies at high temperatures, would seal cracks in the cavity wall.

The scheme would also produce atomic fuel when the neutrons from the nuclear explosion bombards thorium inserted into the cavity with the bomb. Again, theoretically, enough fuel could be produced to power four more 2,000 megawatt nuclear power plants. H-bombs now cost about \$400,000, which could make the whole scheme impractical, but mass producing those H-bombs would bring down the cost to about \$50,000 apiece.

The government has spent \$1 million on Project Pacer to fund preliminary studies. Now, the Los Alamos scientists are calling for \$40 million during the next three years for testing and design work. An actual demonstration will cost hundreds of millions more.

I plan to have my say long before they get to that point.

THE V. F. W. Buddy Poppy is a symbol of the sacrifices made by the nation's war dead in the great conflicts for peace.

Western Ammonia earns state award

Western Ammonia Division of Dimmitt has won a special citation for industrial expansion during 1974, Gov. Dolph Briscoe has announced.

THE CITATION was one of 14 selected for special mention with the six Governor's Industrial Expansion Award winners for 1974.

Nominations were made by local chambers of commerce or industrial foundations and selected by the Texas Industrial Commission for their civic and economic contributions to their communities.

"Considering the economic situation we are now facing, these awards take on a new meaning," Gov. Briscoe said in announcing the citation winners.

"TOO OFTEN in the past we

AC plans course on building estimates

The drafting and design technology department of Amarillo College will offer a new course in construction estimating next fall.

THE COURSE, also to be offered at night, is intended to teach the student the basic three steps of preparing a construction estimate—take-off, pricing and sub-bids.

"Developing an estimate is an exacting and demanding professional task," said Louise Dorsey, instructor in the drafting technology department. "A good estimator is a good construction technician who, through special interest and experience, has the ability to measure quantities accurately and can gauge costs."

"A good estimate is not a by-product of statistics; rather it is built around a good set of quantities and is based upon a knowledge and feeling for cost," she added.

Six accidents investigated in March

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Castro County during the month of March, 1975, according to Sergeant J. R. Smith, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

THESE crashes resulted in no persons killed and two persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1975 shows a total of 21 accidents resulting in two persons killed and eight persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for March, 1975, shows a total of 446 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 217 persons injured as compared to March, 1974, with 395 accidents resulting in 23 persons killed and 172 persons injured. This was 51 more accidents, six less killed and 45 more injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

The 17 traffic deaths for the month of March occurred in the following counties: three in Garza; two each in Ochiltree and Oldham; one each in Gray, Haskell, Jack, Lamb, Lubbock, Montague, Parker, Swisher, Wichita and Young.

NESA seeking former Eagles

A meeting was held at the Boy Scout Service Center in Lubbock last week to organize the South Plains Council Chapter of the National Eagle Scout Association.

THE CHAPTER is beginning its membership drive and urges all interested Eagle Scouts, young and old, whether currently registered in Scouting or not, to call 747-2631 or write NESA, 30 Briercroft Office Park, Box 3055, Lubbock, 79410.

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Ladies attend ceremonies at Hereford

Mrs. Kent Hance of Lubbock was in Hereford Friday with Mrs. Bill Hobby, wife of the state Lieutenant Governor.

MRS. HOBBY, president of the Bicentennial Association of Texas, came to designate three of the exhibits at the Deaf Smith County Museum as Heritage '76 displays. The displays are the American Indian artifacts exhibit, the general store and the museum chapel.

Also present was Mrs. Max Sherman, wife of the state senator from Amarillo.

A LUNCHEON was held at the Civic Center. Attending both affairs were Mrs. Charlie Hays and Mrs. Beral Hance of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Henry Sears is chairman of the County Museum board of directors and co-chairmen are Mrs. Joe Reinauer and Mrs. Clint Formby.

Homemakers see program on dolls

The Dimmitt Young Homemakers met Thursday night to hear Mrs. Glen Reeve from Friona give a program on "The Brides of the White House."

MRS. REEVE had dolls in dresses made exactly like the original wedding gowns of the girls that had worn them. She gave a brief history of each of the women.

Twenty ladies attended the meeting. The next meeting will be May 8.

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Cinde Sides elected 4-H Council chairman

By IRENE KEATING

4-H Council met Saturday and elected Cinde Sides new council chairman, Norman Acker vice-chairman, Donna Acker secretary, Carol Hochstein treasurer and Matt Howell district council substitute.

There will be about fifty 4-H members, parents and leaders at the District 4-H contests in Canyon Saturday. The senior, first and second place winners will advance to State 4-H Roundup in June.

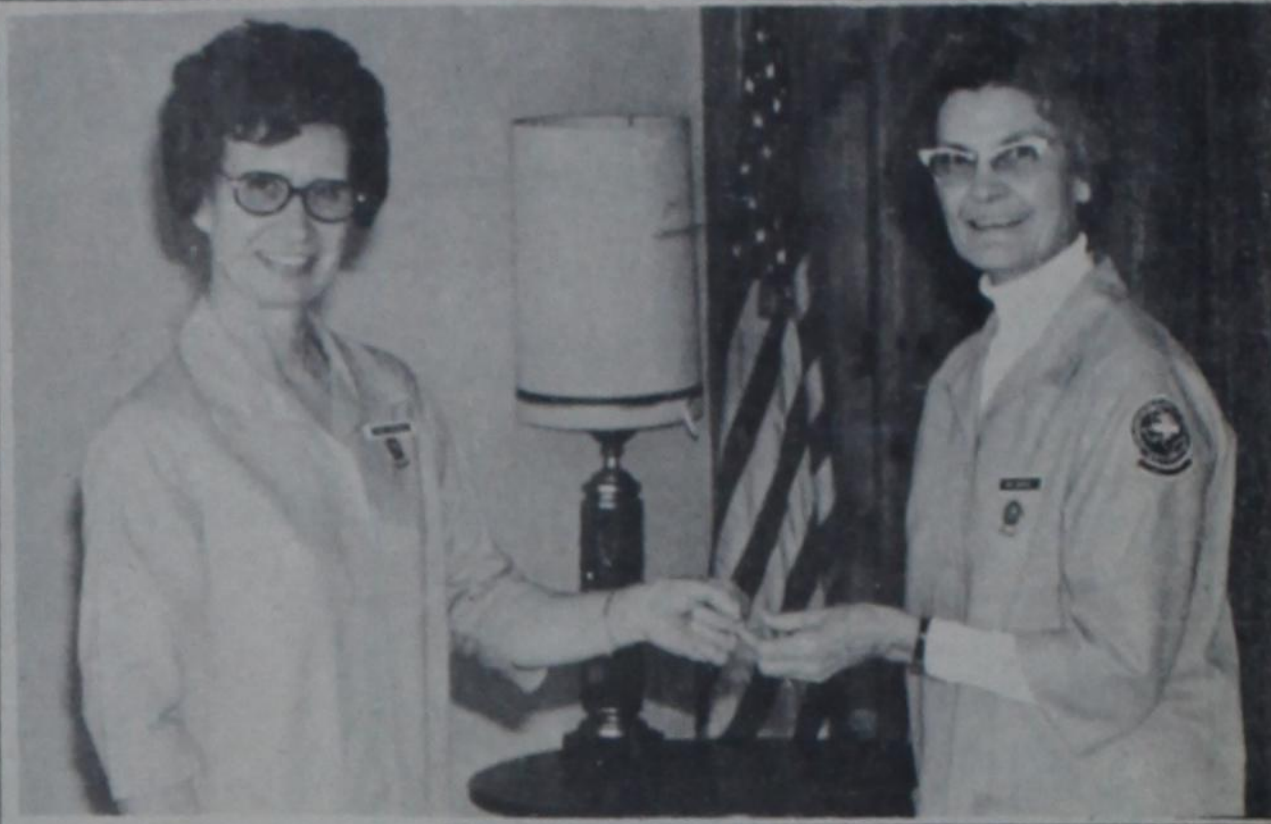
THE HOME Demonstration Club members are busy getting ready for their annual spring luncheon to be held May 12 at the County Exposition Center. The 1975 County Home Demonstration Club Woman of the Year will be named. Members nominated for this honor are Wanda Miller, Hart; Maxine Ballard, Flagg; Centrie Mayberry, Dimmitt; Donna Allen,

Town and Country and Nell Ingram, Bethel.

Everyone is busy doing yard and garden work. It seems to me that dandelions are really a problem this year. My neighborhood is no exception. Several of us have already been spraying. I guess we'd all have an easy job in lawn maintenance if it weren't for dandelions.

If you need any help in your gardening or yard work, call or come by for some of our excellent Extension literature. Plan to plant enough so you can do some food preservation this summer.

THE FIRST of next week I'll be in Brownwood at the new State 4-H Center for a board meeting of the Texas Association Extension Home Economists. I hope that our county 4-H'ers will all have the opportunity to go to the State 4-H Center some time.



NEW PRESIDENT—Mary Emma Matthews (left) presents Willie Mae Sadler with the president's bar for the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Mrs. Sadler succeeds Mrs. Matthews as president.

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Miss Hochstein, Keel exchange vows Saturday

Miss Debra Hochstein became the bride of Thomas Keel in a double ring ceremony Saturday at Holy Family Church, with Father Stanley Crocciola officiating.

PARENTS of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hochstein of Nazareth. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Keel of Dimmitt.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of cotton lawn, featuring a square neckline, empire waist and a four-tiered skirt encircled with lace. Lace and self-buttons trimmed the bodice front and full sleeves were gathered with lace cuffs. She wore a picture hat with a waist length veil. Her bouquet

was of yellow roses and white carnations.

Maid of honor was Patti Hochstein, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Sharon Brockman and Carol Hochstein of Nazareth, sisters of the bride. Bobbi Hochstein of Nazareth, sister of the bride, was flower girl. They wore rainbow color dresses similar to the bride's with three-tiered skirts, square necks, empire waists and short puffed sleeves. They wore picture hats and carried white carnations.

Dennis Kern of Nazareth was best man. Lon Keel of Dimmitt, brother of the groom, and Larry Hochstein of Nazareth, brother of the bride, were groomsmen. Randy Hochstein of Nazareth, brother of the bride, was ring bearer.

USHERS were Kelvin Klemman, Virgil Wilhelm and Doug McLain, all of Nazareth.

Guitar music was provided by Noreen Klemman, Analeen Venhaus, Mary Beth Ramaekers and Michele Schmucker.

A reception in the Nazareth Community Hall followed the ceremony.

The bride is a 1970 graduate of Nazareth High School. She attended West Texas State and is now employed at Northwest Hospital in Amarillo.

THE GROOM, a 1972 Dimmitt High School graduate, attended Amarillo College and served in the US Coast Guard. He is now employed at John Farrell Lumber Co. in Amarillo.

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Youngsters capture awards in Earth Junior Rodeo

By TEENY BOWDEN
Dina Jo Hampton won three first place belt buckles in the Earth Junior Rodeo Friday and Saturday. She won first in poles, first in steer decorating, and was the all round cow girl of the rodeo. She also won second in barrels and third in flags in the 13-15 age division. Terry Blanton participated in the bull riding.

Brandon Cox won fourth place in calf riding in the 12 and under division. Coby and Matt Gilbreath participated in the bull riding.

Tammy Ross was in Amarillo Saturday to represent Castro County at the Regional Spelling Bee in the junior division. She received her award as the champion for the county, but did not compete since only the senior champions advance to and beyond regional competition.

LEE BROWN and Grace and Isabel Saucedo represented Springlake-Earth in the National Honor Society field trip to the Tech Museum in Lubbock last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown attended the Tide annual awards banquet in Muleshoe last Tuesday night. Mr. Brown received his 10 year service pin and a master salesman award.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Norvell of the El Paso Natural Gas plant were in El Paso last Sunday through Wednesday for the annual awards banquet. The men both received their 20 year awards.

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son were among the Dimmitt band students who left Wednesday morning for San Antonio's 1975 "Battle of Flowers". Mrs. Lillian Carson accompanied the group.

Rev. Raymond Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson attended the counselor training in Dimmitt Monday night.

Prayers meetings for the Larry Jones Crusade were held this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson Tuesday night, the church Wednesday night, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown Thursday night and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler Friday night.

Mrs. George Hudson of Dimmitt spoke at the church in the morning service last Sunday concerning the Larry Jones crusade.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mrs. Gale Sadler visited in Lubbock Thursday with Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Gregory and Amy. The children came home with them to stay with their grandparents through Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. Dave Keeling moved from the community to Spur this week. She will stay with a friend in Earth to finish the school year before joining her husband permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler left for Breckenridge Wednesday to make preparations for the Louder reunion over the weekend. They called Thursday night from Breckenridge to say an uncle, Troy Louder, had passed away unexpectedly of a heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louder, Leslie Louder, and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden left Friday to attend the Gungst Cemetery Association working Saturday morning, the funeral of Troy Louder Saturday afternoon, and the Louder reunion Sunday. Alton Louder was a pallbearer and Leslie Louder an honorary pallbearer. Leslie came home

after the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and family and Larry Sadler left Saturday morning and attended the funeral service and the reunion Sunday.

Francis King of Amarillo visited Monday with his mother Mrs. Lillie King.

Lee Brown participated in the district track meet at Springlake-Earth last week.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Morgan of McLean visited Thursday and Thursday night with Steve Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Don O'Hair of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Stanton of Dimmitt. Steve and the other members of the cast of the play "The Miracle Worker" presented the play at Springlake-Earth Thursday night. They won first place in the regional UIL in Lubbock last Friday so will go to state in Austin this 30th.

Lynn Brown participated in the district tennis tournament in Kress last Tuesday in doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore of Canton, Okla. visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan.

BELINDA Hampton, Lynn Brown, Arjelia Saucedo and Pat Fuller attended the Springlake-Earth 8th grade banquet Saturday night. Lynn Brown gave the welcome address. Kim Haydon and Michael Graham helped with the serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson visited in Blanket with his mother over the weekend.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden worked with auxiliary duties at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Monday afternoon.

Lee Brown participated with the Springlake-Earth FFA cotton judging team in the district judging at Tech last Saturday. They won second place.

MR. AND MRS. Larry Starnes, Deanna and Donna of Centerville and his brother Mr. and Mrs. James Starnes and Brent of Grandbury visited in the community Friday night through Saturday night. The Larry Starnes spent Friday and Saturday nights with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and had supper Saturday night with them. Also present for supper were Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and girls, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and Mr. and Mrs. James Starnes and Brent. They all had dinner Saturday with the Hershel Wilsons.

Mrs. Cliff Brown and Mrs. Jerry Hampton furnished and served refreshments to the Springlake-Earth 4-H club Monday night. Michael and Tommy Graham, Kevin Riley, Lynn Brown and Dina Jo, Belinda, Tommy and Duke Henry Hampton all attended

the meeting. The rattlesnakes are out already. L. B. Bowden and David Sadler both killed one this week. One had seven rattlers and a button, the other six rattlers and a button.

Joe Fulfer won second place in the 880 yard run at the district track meet last Thursday at Springlake-Earth.

STEVE MORGAN was elected boy student of the month by the Springlake-Earth FTA chapter.

New officers were elected in the last Lions Club meeting. Cliff Brown was elected new president, Larry Bills first vice-president, Richard Heizer, second vice-president, J. Paul Waggoner secretary, Gary Squires treasurer, Don Ott tail twister, Jackie Matthews Lion Tamer, Bob Ott, R. V. Bills two year directors, and Roy Lilley and Winston Waggoner one year directors.

Kevin Riley participated in the boys doubles at the district tennis tournament in Kress representing Springlake-Earth 7th grade. Kim Haydon won third place in the girls' singles.

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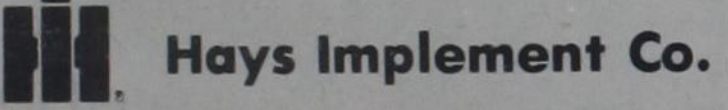
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SUPERVISORS' CONFERENCE—Johnny Mason (right), principal of Dimmitt Junior High School, visits with Dr. Robert Holman of Baytown and Dr. Naomi Hopson of Southwest Texas State at a conference for public school supervisors in San Marcos recently.

Murphy tours with opera

Fawayne Murphy, son of Mrs. Ola Murphy and brother of Dr. B. D. Murphy, will perform in Dallas May 15-17 and in Minneapolis the following week.

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Heart campaign picks leaders

The Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association has selected officers for the coming year.

THOSE who will head the local Heart Campaign in Castro County include Dr. B. D. Murphy, president; Donna Gerber, professional education chairman; Barbara Keel, community service chairman; Beral Hance, publicity chairman; Carol Lantz, public education chairman; and Debra Schreck, campaign chairman.

The Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association has collected more than \$20,000 during the current year. Heart Fund Campaign Chairman Ed McLeroy said that special events and memorial contributions have accounted for the majority of the funds. He reminded interested persons that memorial contributions can be made through the First State Bank in Dimmitt or the Farmers State Bank in Hart.

During the past year, the Heart Association has sponsored a blood pressure screening clinic in Dimmitt, distributed literature on heart disease to school children, participated in nurses training programs at the hospital and sponsored educational programs on heart disease.

Here's Hart's school menu

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Hart schools for May 5-9.

- Monday — Barbecued weiners, cream potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter and milk.
 - Tuesday — Navy beans with ham, spinach, beets, peanut butter cake, cornbread and milk.
 - Wednesday — Hamburgers, lettuce, onions, pickles, French fries, cake and milk.
 - Thursday — Fish with tartar sauce, rice, peas and carrots, gelatin or cranberry sauce, rolls, butter and milk.
 - Friday — Spaghetti and meatballs, blackeyed peas, apple cobbler, batter bread and milk.
- Monday — Beef with noodles, rolls, carrots, sweet peas, applesauce and milk.
- Tuesday — Burritos and crackers, green salad, new potatoes in cheese sauce, buttered rice, milk.
- Wednesday — Chicken and rice, mixed vegetables, cranberry sauce, buttered rice and milk.
- Thursday — White beans and ham, cornbread, buttered spinach, pickles and onions, peaches, milk.
- Friday — Pimiento cheese sandwiches, tossed salad, potato chips, ice cream and milk.

What's cooking at the schools

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for May 5 - 9.

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By CHARLEY E. HILL

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Price Support Commodity and Farm Storage and Dryer Equipment Loans disbursed on or after April 1 shall bear interest at the rate of 6.125 percent per annum, down from 9.375 percent. Loans will be subject to a semi-annual adjustment in the interest rate.

YOU ARE reminded that the date to release, transfer or request additional cotton for 1975 has been extended to May 1. We would ask that any of you who have any of the above options in mind, please come by before the May 1 deadline date.

1975 ACP-REAP

The 1975 ACP-REAP should be announced in the near future. Practices started or completed prior to sign-up and approval will not be eligible for cost-sharing.

PROGRAM SIGN-UP FOR 1975

Cotton will be the only crop that will require a certification of acres in 1975. If disaster conditions develop on any crop (Cotton, Wheat, Feed Grains), a certification of acres will be required to be eligible for a disaster payment and appraisal made prior to any disposition of the crop. Should you have a disaster from natural causes be sure you come into the County ASCS Office and file for your disaster credit within 15 days after the disaster or 15 days after harvest, but while evidence of the disaster or crop residue is still apparent.

IMPORTANT—WHEAT FARMERS TAKE NOTE

Our April newsletter stated there would be no sign-up in 1975 unless disaster conditions developed, and you wish to be considered for a payment.

This is still true, with the following exception. If you want to PROVE your wheat yield in any year from 1977 through 1981, you must CERTIFY your 1975 wheat acreage by May 15, 1975.

Current regulations for proving a wheat yield require a timely certification of wheat acreage for each of the years of the BASE period. The base years are the FIVE years ending with the second year prior to the year of a proven yield.

In simple terms, this means that if you don't certify your wheat acreage by May 15, it would be 1982 before you could possibly be eligible to prove your wheat yield. Therefore, we encourage you to report wheat acreage by May 15, if you feel that you may wish to prove your wheat yield in the future!

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Agency donates books to library

The Castro County Planned Parenthood Office donated four books to the Rhoads Memorial Library to provide information on birth control, population statistics and related topics.

THE BOOKS are "Human Sexuality" by James McCrary, "Parents Answer Book" by Charlotte Solar, "Toward the End of Growth" by Charles Westoff and "Population, Evolution and Birth Control" by Garrett Hardin.

Anyone doing research papers or merely needing more information may visit the library or contact the Planned Parenthood representative.

Methodists will give scholarship

The scholarship committee of the First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt called this week for scholarship applicants.

ANY SENIOR or high school graduate in the county who is interested in applying for the scholarship should contact Kenneth Ringo, counselor, at Dimmitt High School.

HOSPITAL NEWS

- PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL**
- Bobbie Donathan
 - Kitty Johnson
 - Clara King
 - Loretta Hucks
 - Robert Gunn
 - Stephanie Speers
 - Mike Hernandez
 - Gloria Esquivel
 - Truett Boothe
 - Melba Chavers
 - Imogene Knight
 - Irene Cheatham
 - Pauline Godfrey
 - Sharon Brockman
 - Rafaela Flores
 - Wyle Bullock

PATIENTS DISMISSED

- Bob Vilas
- Leona Rothwell
- Janie Longoria
- Regina Gabel
- Betty McCall
- Jessie Enriquez
- Bea Hawkins
- Dorothy Walker
- Belle Goldsmith
- Beatrice Hahan
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STATE OFFICERS of the Young Farmers of Texas gathered in Dimmitt Saturday for an executive committee meeting with State President Howard Smithson (at head of table). Here, the officers enjoy a steak dinner at Ann's Steak House. During the day they also toured farms, feedlots and manufacturing plants in the Dimmitt area. State officers

coming to Dimmitt for the meeting were Billy Wilson of Madisonville, Gary Odum of Sulphur Springs, Tommy Jack Stuart of Roby, Roger Kokemor of Brenham, Dean Taylor of Stephenville, William Voorhies of Kaufman, Monroe Behrends of Fredericksburg, Dan Batte of Italy, Pearson Knolle of Sandia, and Executive Secretary Dan Gattis of Austin.

Nazareth

CDA members attend workshop in Slaton

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

A group of members of the Catholic Daughters of America attended the Mass, reception and workshop in Slaton Sunday. Those attending from Nazareth were Angela Acker, Mary Ann Durbin, Margaret Womack, Kathy and Nancy Acker, Sybil Steffens, Sister Benedict Marie, Sister Adrian, Nellie Wilhelm, Francis Schacher and Brigitta Dobmeier.

Sunday afternoon. The group decided to give up one meal a week and give the money saved to the starving people.

The weather has been quite warm lately, and the farmers have been very busy getting their corn seed in the ground.

On the go

Ginny Bruton went to Amarillo Sunday to see her new grandson, Paul Douglas Scott.

PAUL IS the son of Mrs. Bruton's daughter Linda. The Scotts also have a daughter.

Fern Fulton accompanied Mrs. Bruton on the trip.



CHAMPIONS of the girls' basketball major league is the C&S team, which captured the championship by defeating PCA in the final game. Team members are (front, from left)

Sandra Zamora, Paula Porter, Christina Salinas, Sandra Slaughter, (back) Lori Dyer, Olivia Glover, Kim Weatherford and coach Diane Sanders.

Nine Cubs advance; Webelos den formed

Formation of a new "Webelos" den was announced and nine Cub Scouts advanced to Bobcat rank at the April pack meeting of Dimmitt Pack 267 last Thursday night in the city hall auditorium.

CUBMASTER Bill Behrends presented Bobcat pins to Ste-

phen Adams, Scott Hays, Michael Love, Douglas Nelson, Nathan Nelson, Greg Sava, Jimmie Thomas, Cliff Murphy and James Parker.

The boys' new Bobcat badges were pinned on by their parents.

Mrs. Bill Behrends announce-

ed that she is starting a new Webelos den for all 10-year-old boys who want to prepare for Boy Scouts. Three Cub Scouts—Johnny Nino, Dean Behrends and Tony Martinez Jr.—graduated from Cub Scouts and received their Webelos neckerchiefs and caps Thursday night.

THE WEBELOS program is for boys too old for Cub Scouts (7 through 10) but not yet old enough to join Boy Scouts (11 and older). The program prepares them for a head start in scouting by training them in basic camping procedures and Tenderfoot skills.

Mrs. Behrends said the Webelos den would meet each Thursday afternoon at her home, 723 Oak St., and urged all interested 10-year-old boys to contact her at 647-3490 or her husband at Behrends Insurance Agency.

Den 1 won the pack banner for the month by having the most Cubs and parents at the pack meeting.

DIMITT'S five Cub dens will raise money the second week in May by doing odd jobs at five businesses in town, Behrends said. Participating businesses are Hays Implement Co., Dimmitt Equipment Co., Dimmitt Welding & Electric, Behrends Insurance Agency and the Castro County News.

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GERTY Acker and Mrs. Paul Acker of Dimmitt went to Groom Sunday to attend the bridal shower of Diane Britten. Sister Mary Hawkins, Angie Wilhelm, Becky Wilhelm, Renee Ball, Gail Kleman and Clyde Birkenfeld left for San Antonio to attend the State Student Council meeting.

The FHA is sponsoring its annual salad supper, officer's initiation and revealing of their secret grandmothers on Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

ROBBIE Huseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huseman, is home on a two week leave from the service. He then goes to New London, Conn. where he will be attending a submarine school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Huseman of Dumas visited relatives in Nazareth Sunday.

Julie Huseman of Amarillo also visited her folks the Robert Husemans over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schulte and Mrs. Paul Durbin attended the funeral of Leo Hoffman last Saturday in Hereford.

THE FOURTH Degree Knights of Columbus and their wives enjoyed a supper at Norma's Kitchen Wednesday evening. Special guests were Father Stanley, Father O'Brien and Master of the District Mr. George Sloacim and his wife and son of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Dietz, also Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dietz of Happy.

Laurence Pennarty and financee of Dallas stopped to visit the Florence Albrachts on Saturday on their way to a wedding in Hereford.

The Lay Franciscans held their regular monthly meeting

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DIMMITT HIGH SCHOOL'S sprint relay team captured the Class AA regional championship in Odessa Saturday with a blistering 42.8 clocking on the 440-yard oval—their fastest time of the year. Team members are [from left] Robert Mayberry, Cliff Parker, Gene Veals and Thompson Mayberry. Not pictured is R. E. Ewing, alternate. In individual events Robert Mayberry placed

third in the 220 and fourth in the 100, Parker finished fourth in the 440, Veals placed fifth in the 100 and fifth in the 220, and Kenny Smith placed fifth in the 120-yard intermediate hurdles as the Bobcats garnered 40 team points for third place in the region. This weekend the relay team will compete in a state qualifiers' meet in Lubbock, then will go to the state meet in Austin May 9-10.

HART HIGH SCHOOL'S mile relay team won the championship of Region 1-A Saturday in Lubbock in an incredibly close finish. The Hart lads, who call themselves "The Soul Train Plus One," sprinted the mile in a blistering 3:24.7, as the first four teams finished within three steps of each other. From left are sophomore alternate Lester Aven, freshman Donald Robinson, sophomore

Stephen Finch, sophomore Kenneth Smith and senior Randy Finch. Stephen Finch also will compete in the 220 at state, after finishing second at regional. Randy Finch finished fourth in the region in the 440, Barry George placed third in the pole vault and the sprint relay team finished fourth as the Longhorns captured third place in team totals.

CINDY SCHACHER of Nazareth won the Region 1-B championship in the triple jump and will compete Friday and Saturday in the state girls' track meet in Austin. She spanned 34 ft., 9 3/4 inches in the hop-step-jump in the regional meet.



JUDY STEFFENS of Nazareth, discus champion of Region 1-B, will compete against other regional champs and runners-up in the state girls' track meet in Austin Friday and Saturday. She sailed the discus 103 ft., 8 in. in the regional meet at Levelland recently.

Girls pick All-Stars

All-Star teams were selected at the close of play in both the Girls Minor and Major League Basketball.

MINOR league all-stars are: Becky Andrews, Jackie Anthony, Chrystal Fitzgerald, Hope Garza, Debbie Hrabal, Deanna Merritt, Brenda Parker, Angie Silva, Melanie Timmins and Kim Watts. Alternates are Cindy Hollums and Shirley Norris. Pam Woodard and Brenda Ledgerwood are coaches.

Major league All-Stars are Harriet Dunaway, Lori Dyer, Vicki Cleveland, Connie Garza, Olivia Glover, Lynna McGuire, Lou Phillips, Christina Salinas, Anita Saenz and Kim Weather-

ford. Alternates are Adriana Rangel and Muffy Truelock. Coach is Diane Sanders.

Both teams will compete in a tourney at Slaton May 12.

Girls softball holds meeting

An organizational meeting for this year's girls' softball program will be held Friday in the community room of the First State Bank.

ANYONE interested in coaching or helping with the junior or senior league programs is encouraged to attend.



FOR THE THIRD TIME—Dolly Wethington (left) and Patti Hochstein will make their third straight appearance in the state Class B girls' doubles competition in Austin this weekend. The Nazareth High School seniors have been

the Region 1-B champions since they were sophomores. Here, they accept the 1975 regional championship trophy from Larry Roberts of South Plains College, regional tourney director.



SOPHOMORES Rosemary Schulte (left) and Rachelle Pohlmeier of Nazareth will compete in Class B girls' doubles at the state tennis tourney this weekend in Austin. Here, they accept their trophy as runners-up in the

Region 1-B tournament from Larry Roberts of South Plains College, tournament director. The state tournament will be played Friday and Saturday.

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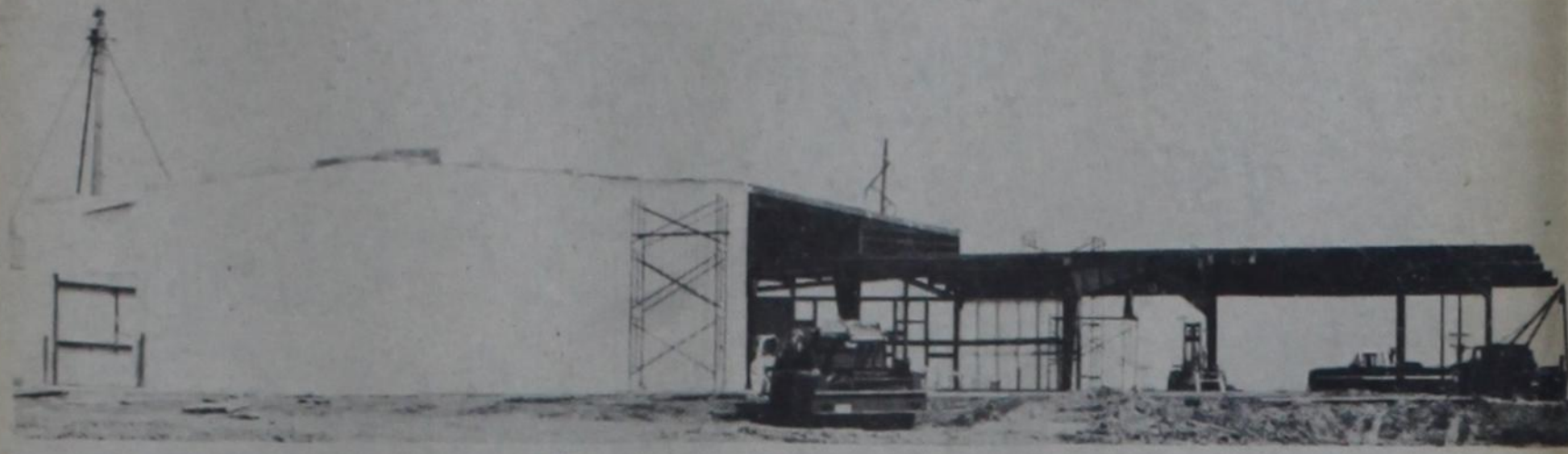
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will remain at High Plains
Clinic in Dimmitt.



WALLS ARE ALMOST UP on the future home of Reeve-Fleming Chevrolet at the intersection of US 385 and State 194. The new L-shaped steel building will have approximately 13,000 square feet of space. Lewellan Construction Co. of Friona is prime contractor.

Little League, Minor League to launch season next week

The Dimmitt Little League will begin its 1975 boys' baseball season Monday evening with all six teams in the league seeing action.

THE MINOR League, with four teams, will begin its season Tuesday evening.

Little League teams are the Astros, coached by Ron Montgomery; the Braves, coached by Robert Ryan; the Cards, coached by Jerry Cluck; the Dodgers, coached by Phil Edwards; the Tigers, coached by Joe Bob Sanders; and the Yankees, coached by Sonny Armstrong.

The first night's action will feature the Dodgers vs. the Cards at 6 p.m. in Pony League Park, the Tigers vs. the Astros at 6 at Little League Park, and the Yankees vs. the Braves at 8 at Little League Park.

MINOR League teams are the Yankees, coached by Bill Sanders; the Dodgers, coached by Jack Thompson; the Cardinals, coached by Terry Widick; and the Astros, coached by David Nino.

The Yankees and Dodgers will kick off the Minor League season with a game at 6 p.m. Tuesday, followed by the Astros vs. the Cards at 8. Both games will be in the Little League Park.

Bill Behrends, league president, said brief season-opening ceremonies would precede the 6 o'clock games Monday and Tuesday evenings.

Sports banquet set at NHS

Nazareth High School will hold its annual All-Sports Banquet Monday at 8 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

KATHY WILSON, senior guard for the Flying Queens, will be the guest speaker. Master of ceremonies will be Jerry Marvin.

Awards for football, basketball, tennis and track will be given as well as the scholarship and the Swift Award.

Tickets are available now in the superintendent's office and will also be sold at the door. Price is \$2.50 per person.

Rites pending for Esquivell infant

Funeral services are pending in Littlefield for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramiro Esquivell of Dimmitt, born Sunday at Plains Memorial Hospital.

THE INFANT died Monday morning.

Survivors beside the parents include two brothers, Ramiro Jr. and Amado, both of the home; a sister, Lisa Ann of the home; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gonzalo Martinez of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Amado Esquivell of Robstown.

Baccalaureate will be Sunday

Baccalaureate for Nazareth High School's senior class is scheduled for 10 a.m. Sunday in Holy Family Catholic Church.

THE SERMON will be given by Father Stanley Crocchiola.

Graduation exercises will be held Friday, May 16 at 8:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Bridge game nets \$175

The Dimmitt Duplicate Bridge Club held a charity game last Monday night at the Castro County Country Club to benefit the American Cancer Society.

EIGHTEEN tables of bridge players from Amarillo, Tulia, Plainview, Clovis, Hereford and the Dimmitt area contributed \$175.

The local tournament was one of many being held across the nation to benefit the Cancer Society, the American Contract Bridge League's "charity of the year."

VETERANS' SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH
Veterans Service Officer

The following from the Veterans Administration News was received in our office on Wednesday, April 16.

(We also have in our office pamphlets giving details and application blanks for this low-cost insurance.)

THE AUG. 1 deadline for 2.7 million Vietnam-era veterans who served on or after April 3, 1970, and before Aug. 1, 1974, to apply for low-cost group life insurance from the Veterans Administration is rapidly approaching.

Veterans Group Life Insurance (VGLI) is available in increments of \$5,000 to a maximum of \$20,000. For those aged 34 and under, the monthly premiums are 85 cents for \$5,000; \$1.70 for \$10,000; \$2.55 for \$15,000 and \$3.40 for \$20,000 annual coverage.

For those aged 35 and over, the premium rates for the same amounts of coverage are \$1.70; \$3.40; \$5.10; and \$6.80 respectively.

Applications are available from any VA office, veterans service organization or county veterans service officer.

THESE eligible veterans should seriously review their insurance needs for the protection of their families, and make application now for this low-cost policy. It is the advice of your County Veterans Service Officer.

Those who take out VGLI may convert to an individual policy with one of the many participating commercial insurance companies at standard rates, regardless of health, at the expiration of the VGLI coverage.

Completed applications, first month's premium payment and proof of service must be submitted by Aug. 1, 1975, to Office of Servicemen's Group Life Insurance, 212 Washington St., Newark, N.J. 07102.

More about 1:1 . . .

[Continued from Page 1] meeting Monday to discuss the doctor shortage and look for an answer. If you have any suggestions or leads at all, call Elvon DeVaney or Dorothy Magness at the chamber office.

NO FEWER than 16 young Castro County athletes will compete in the state tennis tournaments and track meets this weekend and next in Austin.

Our kids made fine showings in regional competition, and we're proud of them. The state qualifiers' pictures are on Page 12.

More about Schools fight . . .

[Continued from Page 1] Teachers' Association paid the nine delegates' travel expenses.

Tuesday, Dimmitt High School speech teacher Don Blankenship carried a bundle of letters from most Dimmitt teachers to deliver personally to Rep. Clayton and Sen. Sherman in Austin.

IN THEIR letters, the teachers called for a substantial increase in salaries; urged the passage of the TSTA-sponsored Aikin Bill (SB 37) to increase the starting salary for teachers to \$10,000 per year, provide state-paid administrators and specialists, and reduce the local property-tax share of school costs; and called for the adoption of a proposed one-cent state sales tax to finance public education.

Supt. White was in Austin over the weekend, also, with 17 other superintendents from seven Panhandle counties in Rep. Clayton's district.

Supt. White was in Austin Friday and Saturday also, to meet with a House subcommittee that's studying proposed school-finance bills. He was one of 16 superintendents from seven Panhandle counties making the trip to present a unified front.

"THE PEOPLE in our communities have to get involved," Supt. Averitt said. "The legislature knows how the school people feel about the Governor's Plan and the other bills. They need to know how the lay people feel, too."



PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Schumacher of Dimmitt are the parents of a girl, Michelle Lee. She was born April 23 and weighed 5 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces. It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grand of Dimmitt. He was born April 26, weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces, and has been named Kevin Matthew.

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Miss Mayfield gets art award

Marla Mayfield of Dimmitt recently received an award for excellence in the annual spring competition sponsored by the Dallas-Fort Worth Society of Visual Communications.

MISS MAYFIELD, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Mayfield, is a junior advertising art major at Texas Tech.

She entered the competition's corporate identity division. Her entry is on display in the Tech Art Building this week with the rest of the Tech entries.



EARLINE FRITZ, daughter of Mrs. Ida Birkenfeld of Nazareth, will receive a BS degree in nursing from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. The 1969 Nazareth High School graduate will be employed at Forsyth Memorial County Hospital in Winston-Salem, N.C., following graduation.

Castro County Country Club News

The Ladies Golf Association met Tuesday, April 22 for its regularly scheduled luncheon, which was followed by a business session.

AWARDS for the April 8 play day, which was four hidden holes were Bobby George, 1st flight; Bessie Elder, 2nd flight; Dee Yates, 3rd flight and Valda Wood, Beginners' flight.

Awards for April 15 play day—low putts—were Bernice Hill, 1st flight; Audrey Shottenkirk and Ginny Lapins, 2nd flight; Bessie Elder, 3rd flight and Shirley Adams, beginners' flight.

The LGA play day is held Tuesday and members are urged to participate.

Richards joins Kiwanis Club

Charles Richards, an Amstar employee, was installed as a member of the Kiwanis Club at their regular Monday meeting.

PRESIDENT Randall Craig also presented Ernie Garcia, who joined last week, with a membership plaque.

Kiwanis members Dale Fowler and Carl Bruegel accompanied delegates of the Dimmitt High School Key Club to the Texas-Oklahoma District Key Club convention at the Hilton Inn in Dallas last week-end.

Randy Wilson, Curtis Broadstreet, Randy Ross, Max Wohlgemuth and Gary Bruegel represented the Dimmitt club. They received an award for having four representatives at the convention.

Wilson, newly elected president, and Broadstreet were voting delegates. Sessions at the convention included project and officer workshops, awards presentations, regional caucuses, elections and keynote speakers.



LARRY JONES, who is conducting the Castro County Crusade for Christ in Dimmitt High School auditorium this week, will be the guest minister at the 11 o'clock Sunday morning worship service in the First Assembly of God Church, Southeast Second and Belsher. Crusade services will continue at 7:30 nightly through Sunday in DHS auditorium.

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TEXAS TALK

By Jim Hays

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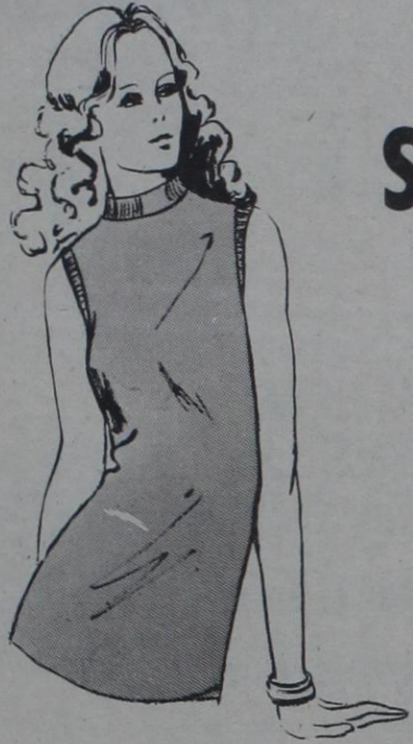
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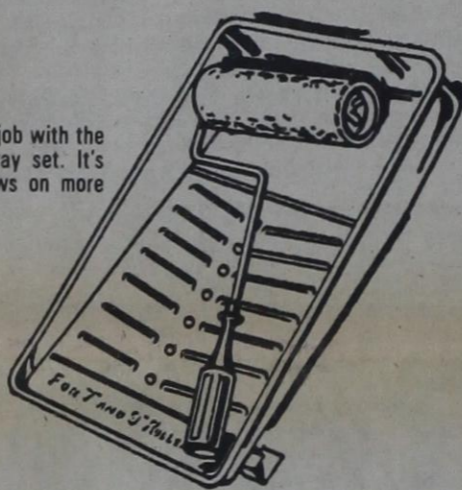
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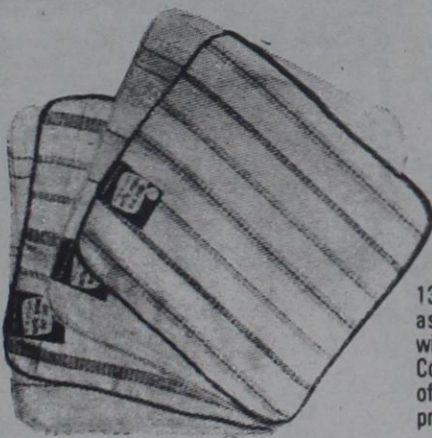
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