Merry Christmas!

'AND CHILDREN LISTEN to hear sleighbells in the snow'-Kristen Cole (left) and Kendra Kenmore anxious for Santa to arrive, listened for sleighbells and caught a few snowflakes during the

two inch snowfall last Thursday. Kristen, 2, is the daughter of Ken and Amy Cole of Dimmitt, and Kendra, 3, is the daughter of Ronnie and Connie Kenmore of Dimmitt.





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Flagg and Bethel areas

Dimmitt area - Carl

and Frances King, Ken-

neth and Ruth Jackson,

Bob and Jean DuLaney,

Oscar and Doris Wylie,

Ronnie Parker, Glenn and

Beth Odom, Pete Garza,

Don and Verbie Nelson,

Dan and Hazel Nelson,

Jimmy and Joyce Davis,

Garner and Ysleta Ball,

Goldman and Carole Dyer,

Jay and Earlene Myatt,

John and Sue Merritt,

Robert and J'Lynn Ryan,

Andy Schumacher, Jimmy

County to

Christmas

Castro Countians will

Most of the

have a white Christmas for

the second year in a row. It will also be a very cool

Christmas snow now on

Dimmitt received two

Since Saturday, the

climbed to the melting

point. High temperature

since Saturday has been 26

degrees Tuesday after-

noon, with lows of 4, 6 and

10 the first three days of

The temperature plum-

meted to 0 Wednesday

morning, with a wind-chill

factor of 30 below. The

first day of winter Thurs-

day brought the county's

first sub-zero weather of

the season, with a low of

minus -6 predicted, and the

day's high expected to

barely creep into the

A record cold blast has

covered most of the

northern and central por-

tions of the US, with the

mercury dropping to as

low as 30 below in the

northern Rockies, and a

deadly wind-chill factor

The weather may

hamper residents' holiday

travel plans. Heavy snow

was expected in the

mountains to the north and

west, and freezing rain to

the south and east Wednes-

ranging to 60 below.

double digits.

hasn't

chance to melt yet.

more Wednesday.

temperature

the week.

and Nancy Ross.

- James and Reta Welch,

Charles and Lois Wales.



about dimmitt castro county

Merry Christmas Everybody. Those three words are usually a wish. None of the words have more than two syllables. It is a very simple statement, but after being used for nearly two thousand years it still doesn't show any signs of wear or tear nor has its meaning diminished one

The two most important events in the history of mankind was the birth of Christ and His resurrection. Had it not been for the resurrection, His birth, no doubt, would have been long since forgotten. In setting aside a special day to be observed in His memory Christians, however, elected to celebrate His birthday rather than the resurrection.

Christmas "Merry Everybody," as a salutation should refer to everything that Jesus taught from the time of His birth to the ascencion: Love, Peace, Joy, Tolerance, Understanding, Morality and everything else that is good in the nature of man.

Those lessons that Jesus taught are as relevant today as they were in His lifetime or during the early days of Christianity and the intervening years until now. It is with the above thoughts in mind that I take the liberty, in behalf of the entire management and staff of the Castro County News, to extend Christmas Greetings to everyone. "Merry Christmas Everybody."

Many business firms are using the columns of the News this week to extend Christmas Greetings to their customers and the public. I suggest you read these messages carefully and take tham as a personal greeting from your merchant friends. Also for pure pleasure read the little folks' letters to Santa Claus. They will make you remember a way back when, when you were young or when your kids were young. The most, if not all, of these letters are requests for something that is very badly needed. At least they make better reading than we get in the daily media.

I have been an advocate, for many years, of the policy of trading at home, [Continued on Page 7]

Hance fund-raisers set

tickets.

Local backers of Congressman Kent Hance are hoping to raise \$20,000 through a public chili supper and a \$100-percouple reception to help finance his US Senate

The fund-raising events will be held Friday evening, Jan. 6. The chili supper will be in the County Expo Building, and the reception will follow at the Senior Citizens Center. Hance will speak at both events.

"This will be the only time Kent will be here because of the demands of his statewide campaign," co-chairman Harold Bob Bennett of Hart said, "but this is the most important spot in Texas for him. It's imperative that he get a big turnout in his home

To help finance his \$21/2 mas day. million campaign for the Democratic Party nomin- be closed Friday and ation, Hance has set Monday, and Castro \$11,400 as his target in County Courthouse offices are not following a set

"But we think we can and will be sold both in help him more than that," Bennett said. "This is a good chance for us to show couple reception, however, that we will support him must be purchased in even more than he advance. The committee

Tickets to the two fundmembers of the 50-person Hance for Senate Fund-

for the reception may raisers are on sale by seem high," Bennett said, Raiser Steering Committee. Tickets to the public - the PIK Program, the

"but when you look at what Kent has done for us

chili supper are \$5 each,

advance and at the door.

All tickets to the \$100-per-

has printed 200 of the \$100

"The \$100 ticket price

Businesses to close

Most local businesses will be closed Monday in observance of the Christmas holidays.

The First State Bank in Dimmitt, Farmers State Bank in Hart and local post offices will be closed Monday following Christ-

Dimmitt City offices will contributions from Castro will be closed Friday, pattern.

Monday and Tuesday. The Energas office will close at noon Friday and will be closed Monday.

Southwestern Public Service's office will be closed Friday and Mon-

The Castro County News office will be closed Friday, and will be open Monday.

Other local businesses

special attention and aid Ehly, Ed Ramaeker. he gave us on our 1982 disaster payments - the ticket price is a bargain."

He added, "We farmers don't have much to look forward to next year, and maybe in the years to come. It's imperative that we have a man like Kent in the Senate, with his knowledge of the farm situation and his concern for the farmer."

In his campaign for the Democratic Party nomination in the May primary, Hance faces stiff opposition from former Congressman Bob Krueger and State Sen. Lloyd Doggett of Austin.

Bennett and Carl King are heading up the fundraising project. Steering committee members with tickets available are:

have white Hart area — Harold Bob and Ruth Bennett, Ray Joe and Jo Eddy Riley, Weldon and Gayla Davis, David and Pat Smith, DeWayne and June Brown.

Nazareth area - Lynn

City receives use proposals

The Dimmitt Board of Aldermen received two written and two oral proposals Monday night for the use of the city's 99.8 acres of farm land and water from the sewer treatment plant's drainage lake.

A written proposal from Bryce Dowell recommended planting the farm land with tall fescue or other grasses that take a lot of water and then using the area for grazing cattle.

He proposed that no lease fee be charged for the first four years of a sixyear contract, in order to cover expenses he would pay for installation of two pumps and gas line, as well as cost of fertilizing, plowing and seeding the land. He suggested that \$15 per planted acre be charged in subsequent years.

Bruce Fuller proposed in writing that the city bear the cost of laying pipeline to the southwest corner of his property, with the city paying all maintenance and pumping costs. He would require that the water meet all state minimum standards for effluent water.

Fuller said that he would furnish the pump and pay a \$2,500 cash lease on a five year basis, renewable annually. He also stipulated that he would like the city to insure the improvements against fire, windthe turbine pump. He formally adopted. insurance.

Charles Summers gave a verbal proposal, asking that the city grant a fiveyear lease, with him maintaining the lake at the desired level as much as possible, and using the land for grazing. He said that he has land in the vicinity to which he could pump the water. He would require that the water be maintained at proper quality for ag use, with tests conducted to insure its quality.

In a verbal proposal, J. H. Myatt said that he would bear the expense of installing a 10-inch line to his property two miles from the city lake and would maintain the lake at a level acceptable to the city. He requested a 15 year lease to enable him to recoup the cost of the line.

The aldermen asked that the verbal proposals be put in writing and include any additional details and be submitted at the Jan. 3 meeting of the board. (The board will meet Jan. 3 at 6:30 p.m., since Jan. 2, the regular meeting date, will be a holiday for most businesses in town.)

Approval was given to the second reading of the ordinance denying any further taps on city sewer or water lines outside the city limits. The ordinance goes into effect immediately.

Also, the board's decision to cancel a former storm, etc. He also wants resolution concerning the the city to pay 50 percent Grace Rogers Addition of the cost of maintaining was put in writing and

furnish farm liability executive session to discuss legal matters.

The Touchstone home,

1009 Cleveland, was the

Most Original entry with a

moving musical Santa

The best lighting effects

Homes which received

and Joan Craig, 200 NW

12th; Bob and Sue Caddell,

1607 Sunset Circle; Eddie

and Cindy Adams, 1635

Sunset Circle; Kids on NW

3rd, (P.J. Hardy, Sky and

Brandi Holcomb, Ron

McKay, Lance Hill, Susan

Campbell) 301 NW 3rd St.

family.

Winners chosen in Chamber contest

The Larry and Jean SW 4th, was surrounded by Morris home, the Truman carolers and reindeer and Betty Touchstone figures, cut out of card-Elmer and Mauzee Youts, home, and the Earl and board. Gerry Chaney home were the winning entries in the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce annual Home Decorations Contest.

The Morris home, decorated by Scot Morris, was award went to the Chaney given the Most Artistic home, 203 NW 7th, for its award. The house at 300

horseshoe shaped lighting designs. Dimmitt woman honorable mention in the judging were: Randall

injured in wreck

Celia Simpson of Dimmitt was injured last Thursday in an 18 car pileup on the Canyon expressway.

Mrs. Simpson's vehicle slid into a van on the icy road near Buffalo Bowl. Her car was totaled as it slammed into a concrete wall twice.

Mrs. Simpson was taken to the hospital in Canyon the ground is what fell last and treated for bruises. week and hasn't had a She was released Friday.

inches of freeze-dried snow last Thursday night, plus a trace Saturday, another inch Sunday, and

Martha Schulte, of Nazareth, was listed in stable condition Monday in the surgical intensive care unit of St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Schulte suffered a severe spinal injury in a weather related traffic accident which occurred last Thursday two miles east of Nazareth.

Mrs. Schulte and her son, Marvin, were traveling east on state highway 86 Thursday afternoon when Marvin lost control of the pickup on the icy road. The vehicle slid off the road and overtuned one-half time.

Mrs. Schulte was pinned in the pickup for 20 to 30 minutes according to investigating officers.

The Dimmitt Fire Department used the jaws of life to get Mrs. Schulte out

of the vehicle. Both Marvin and Mrs. Schulte were taken to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Marvin was treated and released Friday, and Mrs. Schulte was transferred to St. Anthonys.

More names for Community cards

Several names for the Community Christmas Cards included in this issue were turned in after the deadline. They are listed below by commun-

Nazareth Charley, Beverly, Todd and Traci Hill Leonard and Jimmie Schulte

Dimmitt

The George Bagley Family Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell Gene and Shari Bradley, Todd, Zay and Mary

Edgar, Betty, Debbie and Connie Dennis Bryce and Darlene Dowell

Ed, Sharon, Shawn and Chad Ewing The Gene King Family

Miller

Jack, Murna and Cara Andy, Kay Lynn, Mark

and Chad Rogers

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	49	16	
Friday	38	19	.20
Saturday	42	22	
Sunday	48	04	Tr.
Monday	14	06	.10
Tuesday	21	10	
Wednesday	26	0	
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Local cattleman dies in accident

his horse and dragged across a pasture 12 miles southeast of Dimmitt.

Butch Holcomb, 29-year- indicated that Holcomb's old Dimmitt cattleman, horse apparently got into a was killed last Wednesday hot wire and threw its when he was thrown from rider about noon, Young

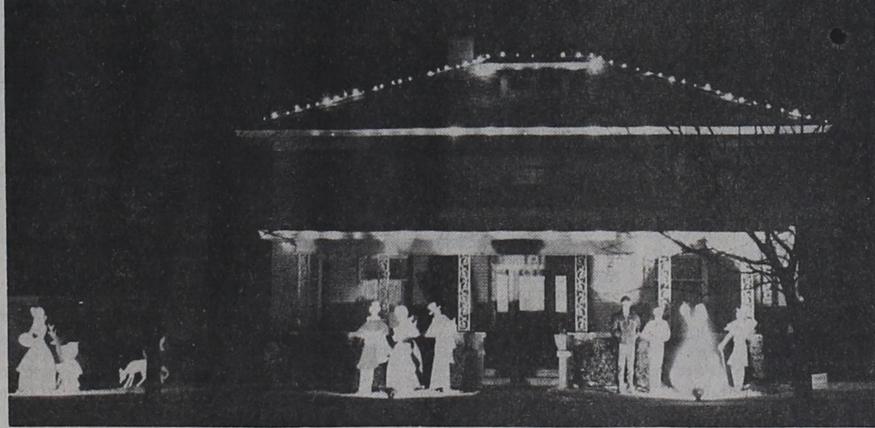
Bobby Traylor first dragging him. Castro County Justice of spotted the wandering the Peace Marshall Young horse from a nearby pronounced Holcomb dead county roadway and reat the scene. Evidence ported it. Young was

called to the scene shortly after 2 p.m. Young said Holcomb's

death was apparently caused by a combination of the fall and the horse's

Holcomb was a selfemployed cattleman who kept cattle for other

Funeral services were held Saturday in Dimmitt. A memorial fund in honor of Holcomb was started at the First State Bank of Dimmitt by Leta Musick. Contributions may be made to the "Brandi and Sky Holcomb Trust." More than \$2,000 has already been received.



'MOST ARTISTIC' award in Dimmitt's Christmas Home Lighting Contest this year went to Scot Morris, son of Larry and Jean Morris, 300 SW Fourth St. Morris and his friend, Scott Hill, lined the two-story home's roof, eaves and porch with multi-colored lights. installed floodlights in the lawn to illuminate cut-out

carolers and deer made by Morris' aunt, Allie Mae Willis, and installed a sound system to play Christmas music for passers-by. The two youths who worked on the award-winning decoration project are standing next to the carolers at right.

The whirl of Christmas ments. Everyone enjoyed desserts. parties and activities has visiting and eating.

Gene and Connie Ivey entertained the Dimmitt Dinner Club with a special Christmas party and dinner. The Ivey's house looked like Christmas with all the beautiful Christmas and sweet potatoes was decorations both inside served to the employees and outside. The tables and their families. were so colorful with red tablecloths and large red a chicken casserole, bar- afternoon. Our sympathy beans, broccoli and rice, salad, lime whipped jello, cherry jello and cream cheese, tossed salad, stories! copper carrots, hot home-

Christmas carol and the passed out the gifts to Morgan and Geneva Dennis, Ivor and Hazel Bagwell, Buster and Mearle Morgan from Bovina, Virgil and Geneva Justice, N. A. and Thelma Bryson, Rev. John and Mauzee Youts, Irene Car-

SPS building in Hereford day. attending. Those going can Fiesta. The boys from Dimmitt were Billie hunted with Charles Rickand Leon Gunn, Betty and erd, Robert Boozer and Fred Batterman, Calvin Kenneth Frye. and Donna Marsh, and Others came from Vega, Friona and Hereford. Chips and dips were served with assorted fresh vegetables, and a barbecue dinner and all the the game of "Crazy Bridge" and those with a high score were allowed to bid on the door prizes that consisted of flashlights, hand cookers, other interesting sauce.

and little Jayme entertained a few friends one night for a Christmas

prizes.

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phone Company held their wedding of Kimberly Sides children after the pro-Dimmitt Country Club. A delicious meal of turkey Methodist Church. After to 120 who attended. and dressing, gravy, cran- the wedding they showed

each table. Connie served in Plainview on Friday becued brisket, green goes to this family as well as the Bruegel family, and

enjoying them being here boys can really eat! One given by the Rainbow Mary Edna Hendrix. boy said he would like to Singers. The play was take a picture of all the entitled "Psalty's Christ-The Hereford District of food she was preparing so mas Calamity" under the Southwestern Public Ser- he could show it to his direction of Susan Colevice Company held their mother! Robin Ryan went man, Deanne Clark, Jane Christmas party at the hunting with them one O'Kelly, Shelley Rice, and KaKa Bruegel Cindy Reynolds. The main last Friday night with 50 entertained the boys one star was Vicki Bryant who employees and spouses evening and served Mexi- played the role of Psalty.

Blackie Blackwood said Bobby and Wanda Mur- he went pheasant hunting one time when he was living in Albuquerque. They flew to Nebraska and went hunting and killed several birds but their boss said he would ship trimmings. They played them to him. When they arrived they were special pheasants and were much better than the wild ones

he had shot. Oleta Gollehon and I put our dinners together on vacuums, and a box of Sunday and she served mints with a \$20.00 bill in it pheasant baked in wine

First Baptist The Jimmy and Joyce Davis Church music ministry presented the Sanctuary Choir and Drama assistants in "The Son of the fellowship and refresh- Highest" by Dick Bolks on Sunday evening. director was Joe Higgs; pianist, Mrs. Zelda Ellison; narrator, Bruce Ammons, Luke was played by Chad Thompson, Zechariah by Scott Blackwell, Angel Gabriel by Lori Glidewell, Mary by Jacalyn Thompson, Elizabeth by Ronna Lewis, Joseph by Scott Hill, Innkeeper by Brett Sheffy, Shepherd by Ronnie Kenmore, Shepherd boy by Kyle Kenmore, Simeon by Kerry Lewis. In spite of the snowstorm there was a large crowd and everyone enjoyed the program as well as the fellowship and refreshments of sandwiches, dips and chips and

A memorial service was bride's parents, Carolyn peas and carrots, jello held for Don Gladman at and George Sides. They salad, macaroni and holiday parties was held in candles in the center of the First Christian Church had three tables of food - cheese and pumpkin cake. cakes, sausage, roast, turkey, fruit bread mufred hot apples, Waldorf the Holcomb family in the fins, and hot rolls. Another deaths of their loved ones. table held fresh fruit Jo Gregory, Betty Cart-More pheasant hunting consisting of pineapple, tories! watermelon, strawberries, beth Huckabay, Ferne Trent Armstrong, son of dew melon balls, and Dickey, Josie Bradford, made bread, and pumpkin Sonny and Ann Arm- cheese and crackers. delight and whipped strong, brought some of Another table had a cone his college friends from shaped tree with raw Connie asked each one to A&M home with him to vegetables such as start singing their favorite hunt pheasant. They were carrots, green peppers, Donnie Walker from Katy, celery, radishes and dips others joined in. Gene Mark Allen from Wharton, and crackers. acted as Santa Claus and Allan Lemessurier from another table held the San Antonio, and Bill traditional wedding cake Giesing from St. Louis, that was a three-tiered Mo. These boys have gone cake with dusty rose out every day for a week to flowers and green leaves. hunt and they are having a The centerpiece was pink great time. Ann is and white flowers. The program at the First but she is having to cook a United Methodist Church Dorothy Street, Elmer and lot of food! She said those on Sunday evening was

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Sunday-Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church.... 6:00 p.m. Very Rev. Harold L. Waldow, Sunday-Evangelistic Service. . 7:00 p.m. Wednesday-Mid-Week Service.... 7:30 p.m. Sunday Masses 8 a.m.-10 a.m.

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Thirty children had sing-Due to the snowstorm on ing and speaking parts.

held at the home of the delicious lunch of ham, is proud of them. one was filled with cream Susie Reeves won high puffs, miniature fruit score and Bish Bradford playing were Oleda Schumacher, Johnnie Vannoy, wright, Opha Burks, Elizaand Bernice Hill.

Susie Reeves entertained her mother, Mrs. Neely; and her brother, Bill Neely, from Amarillo for a few days recently.

Decimae Dennis went to Dallas recently for the final football game of her students from Midland Lee High School, the Rebels. My daughter, Sue and

Vaughan met Decimae at played the San Antonio

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family, David and Brent The Continental Tele- Saturday, I missed the Santa Claus visited the the airport and went to the game with her. Brent's Christmas party at the and Edwin Curtis Watson gram. One Sunday School friend, Marsh, went along at the First United class served refreshments also. The Midland team Cleo Forson was hostess Judson High School who berry sauce, green beans slides of the couple all to the Thursday Bridge won by a score of 25-21. through the years of their Club that met at the Senior Decimae said her students lives. The reception was Citizens Center for a were the best kids and she

One of the prettiest the home of Carole and Goldman Dyer last Tuesday evening. Their home won second high. Others had beautiful Christmas decorations all through the house as well as outside in

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"For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved." John 3:16, 17.

We invite you to celebrate the birth of our Saviour by attending church this week, and by spreading good will everywhere you go.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of

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Catechism 9:00 a.m. Holy Day Masses: In English 7:00 a.m.

In Spanish 7:30 p.m. Friday 7:00 p.m.

Baptism...by appointment Evening Worship....7:00 p.m. Bible Study...... 7:00 p.m. Misas Dominical: En Ingles 8:00 a.m.

En Espanol 10:00 a.m. Doctrina 9:00 a.m. Misas de Guardar:

En Ingles 7:00 a.m. En Espanol 7:00 p.m. Reconciliacion:

Viernes...7:00 p.m. Evening Worship... 7:30 p.m. Bautismo, Matrimonio y Quincenera....por cita.

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1 - REAL ESTATE, **HOMES & LAND**

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2-FOR RENT

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4-13-1tp,2tc

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12 - NOTICES

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14 - CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS Dear Hearts and Gentle People:

Mere words fail us as we try to express our many feelings of gratitude and humbleness for all your kind deeds, thoughts, and prayers during our many months of sorrow.

We are overwhelmed! What wonderful friends you are!

Just a Thank You is so inadequate for all the delicious food (so much of it), beautiful plants, lovely flowers, telephone calls, cards, memorials, and many other acts of goodness from your dear hearts. Our deep appreciation and gratitude to Dr. Lee and Dr. Murphy and the wonder-

ful nursing staff at Plains Memorial Hospital. May God Bless and Keep You in his ever loving care is our prayers

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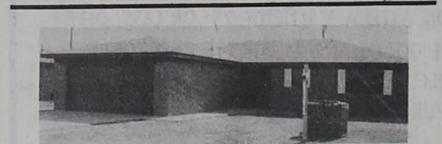
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many acts of thoughtful-

ness, made the loss of our

father, grandfather and

brother, easier to bear.

The floral offerings,

calls, food, cards and

your presence at his

memorial services were

sweet expressions of your

concern and very comf-

forting to us. May God uphold you with such

THE FAMILY OF IRA

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take this opportunity to

thank our many friends

for all the calls, visits,

cards and flowers that we

have received during my

disability. They surely

have been cheery spots in

dreary days. God bless

you all in very special

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MEN AND WOMEN

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but most of all for your prayers. God has truly heard and answered

them all! JACKIE AND BETH ROBERTS JUSTIN AND JOSHUA

14-13-1tc

CARD OF THANKS Thanks to our friends and neighbors for the many acts of love and kindness.

Your prayers, visits, food, flowers and cards have been a great help during our hours of sorrow at the loss of our loved one.

God bless each of you is our prayer. H.B. AND LEOLA RIALS

LADIE, PAT AND **JEANIE EVAN** J.R., LYNETTE, DARLA AND KAREN 14-13-1tp

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BOB SCHULTE (right) of Nazareth recently received an award from R. C. Hummel, President of Great Plains Chemical Company, Inc., for being one of the top five salesmen for the company. This honor was bestowed upon five men out of a sales force of sixtyfive salesmen. Bob and his wife, Beverly, were flown to Colorado recently to participate in activities honoring them. They also toured Great Plains Chemical Company, Inc. headquarters in Greeley, Colo. and the Rocky Mountain area. Schulte is a salesman for Great Plains Chemical Company of Texas, Inc. in Dimmitt. Great Plains markets products in every state west of the Mississippi.

Insects of interest

Firewood insects

ed ash borer, so there is

little threat of introducing

boring insects attacking

trees is to maintain a

Firewood stacked too

to the home may also

The best control for

these pests is prevention.

Store firewood away from

the house and off the

ground. Commercially

available racks are helpful

in keeping wood off the

ground and reducing in-sect infestations. Stack

wood by alternating direc-

tion of rows in a stack.

This allows better air

of wood infesting insects.

Do not spray firewood

with insecticides. This is

not a safe practice because

toxic fumes may be

released inside the home.

Most insects infesting

firewood live in the wood or beneath the bark. In-

secticides seldom, if ever reach these places. It may be necessary to treat the soil under and around stacks of firewood to control insects in these

termite infestations.

By ALLEN KNUTSON EA-Entomology

Firewood brought in- a new borer. The best doors during the winter defense against wood may be infested with insects which emerge from the wood, says Allen healthy, vigorous tree. Knutson, Extension Agent-Entomology. Homeown- close to the home or ers are often concerned improperly stored can that these insects may harbor nuisance pests attack wood in the home or such as cockroaches, outdoor plants and trees. spiders, and carpenter However, neither of these ants. Firewood adjacent possibilities is likely.

The majority of these provide an avenue for insects are harmless in that they attack only unseasoned wood. When the tree is cut and the wood brought inside, the life cycle of the insect is accelerated by the warmer temperatures. The infestation becomes evident as piles of "sawdust" accumulate beneath the wood and the adult insects begin to emerge. Often, when the house is quiet, movement, speeds drying, the insects can actually be and permits easier access heard feeding inside the by parasites and predators wood.

Since the majority of these borers attack living or recently cut wood, they seldom attack home structures. Also, there are already tree borers in our area, such as the red-head-



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9 am - 1 pm

FmHA will resume making 'EE' loans

will resume making eco- drought or flood. nomic emergency loans by County Supervisor, John 1981. Wolf III.

farmers who are in a costfinancial difficulty beyond their control," Wolf said. are for a financial emer- farmers who are suffering direct loans fluctuates

The Farmers Home gency rather than a an economic emergency with the cost to the govern-

The economic emergenthe beginning of next year, cy or "EE" program was according to FmHA in operation from 1978 to The program expired in 1981 but was "Economic emergency later reauthorized by loans are designed for Congress. It is being reopened under an order price squeeze or face other by the U. S. district court in Washington, D. C.

"Under the program, "In other words, the loans loans will be available to

Administration (FmHA) natural disaster such as a through no fault of their ment of borrowing money. own. They must show that The interest rates for they have tried unsuccessfully to get a loan from another source before coming to FmHA and that they can repay the loan over a period of time, depending on the use of the funds. The funds can be used to finance debts and related uses," Wolf said.

The interest rate for

For more information

Collection Process (In-

guaranteed loans, which are made by commercial lenders and backed by the government, are negotiated between the borrower and the lender. Applications for eco-

nomic emergency loans will be available at the FmHA county office located at 221 W. Bedford.

For further information call 647-5141.

Brown is named

Lynn Brown of Sunnyside has been named Outstanding Technical-Vocational-Occupational Student of the Month for December in sound technology at South Plains College in Levelland.

Students are selected for the honor monthly by faculty members in their respective study areas. Selection is based upon the student's grades, attitude, improvement and motiva-

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Mason wins FFA Award

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IRS collection process explained

The tax collection arm of the Internal Revenue Service is its Collection Division, the IRS says. And, briefly, this is how it

Yule Log Tradition

The tradition of the Yule Log comes to us from England and France. It was the custom for members of a family to carry in a mass of wood or a large gnarled stump from the woods. This log would be brought in on Christmas Eve. The Yule Log is representative of warmth and light during this joyous Yuletide sea-

Merry

Christmas!

If delinquent taxes are explaining the IRS collecowed, several methods of tion process, taxpayers collection are available to may want to read the free IRS' collection personnel. Publication 586A, "The For example, the IRS employee may request come Tax Accounts)," financial information to which may be ordered by once - by selling proper- ernment. ty, borrowing, or using savings - this is done and the debt is paid immediately.

taxpayer cannot pay the total amount immediately, he or she may qualify for installment payments. If a taxpayer can pay the

On the other hand, if the

tax immediately or under an installment agreement but chooses not to do so, the IRS can enforce collection through levys on wages or bank accounts and seizure and sale of property.

determine the best method calling the IRS Forms-Tax for payment. Usually, if Information number listed the taxpayer can pay all in the local telephone the delinquent taxes at directory under US Gov-

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TULIA LIVESTOCK AUCTION REPORT

864 cattle and calves sold for 41 consigners Fri. Dec. 16 at Tulia Livestock Auction. The weather was not the best. Feeder cattle were fully steady, stocker calves steady to stronger and packer cows \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher. Stock cows were \$1.00 to \$3.00 lower. Representative sales included:

Owen Norfleet - Lubbock - Blk. str. - 680# - \$66.00 Reed Lawson - Lockney - Rd. wf. cow - 1090# Melvin Malone - Hart - Rd. wf. hfr. - 430# - \$60.00 Joe Borchardt - Tulia - Bik. str. - 575# - \$67.50 Alvin Kleman - Nazareth - Hol. stgr. - 960#

Norris Cole - Dimmitt - Wf. hfr. - 625# - \$59.00 Cloverlake Dairy - Plainview - Hol. cow - 1575# Don McRoberts - Canyon - 16 mx. strs. - 972# Bobby Smith - Erick, Okla. - 12 mx. str. - 378#

James Stockettt - Happy - 9 mx. strs. - 511# Cruce and Gully - Plainview - 18 mx. str. - 764#

We will not have a sale Fri. Dec. 23 or Fri. Dec. 30. Our next sale will be Jan. 6. We would like to thank all our buyers and sellers and wish them a safe holiday season. We ran 68,184 cattle this year, even with the bad weather we had the first part of the year. See you Jan. 6.

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Hart board meets

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The Hart School Board met recently and voted to purchase a 1984 Ford pickup for the Agriculture department from Stan Byrnes Ford in Dimmitt.

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Brockman to serve on board

bers is responsible for recognizes students for providing leadership de- their accomplishments Dimes Advisory Board.

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Independent Executrix

N. T. Boothe, Deceased

-s- Johnnie Boothe

Johnnie Boothe

of the Estate of

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-s- Victoria Hutton VICTORIA L. HUTTON Administrator 15-13-1tp

LEGAL NOTICE NO.1734 THE ESTATE OF N. T. BOOTHE, DECEASED IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CASTRO

COUNTY, TEXAS NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE

ESTATE OF N. T. BOOTHE, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of N. T. BOOTHE, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 13th day of December, 1983, in the proceedings indicated below my signature hereto, which proceedings are still pending, and that I now hold such Letters. All

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CIVIL ACTION NO.

RAQUEL and ISIDRO AGUINAGA, individually and as representatives of the estate of ISIDRO AGUINAGA, JR.; MARGARITA and MARCELINO PEREZ, individually and as next friend for OSCAR NAVARRO; OLYMPA SUCHIL; OLLIE MAE BAKER; and NORMA LINDA PALACIOS; individually and on behalf of all those similarly situated.

CASTRO COUNTRY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, JACK NEWSOM, individually and in his official capacity; JEROME BROCKMAN, individually and in his official capacity; DANIEL NELSON, individually and in his official capacity; MARGUERITE McLAIN, individually and in her official capacity; JAMES WELCH, individually and in his official capacity; FRANK WISE, individually and in his official capacity; CHARLES RICKERD, individually and in his official capacity; MARSHALL COOK, individually and in his official capacity.

NOTICE OF CERTIFICATION OF CLASS ACTION AND PROPOSED SETTLEMENT OF CASE

TO: LOW-INCOME PERSONS AND HISPANICS IN CASTRO, PARMER, AND DEAF SMITH COUNTIES

This lawsuit might affect your rights to obtain free or reduced cost hospital care at the Plains Memorial Hospital in Dim-The United States District Court in Amarillo has decided that the plaintiffs in this case fairly and adequately represent a

group of low-income and Mexican-American persons. Those persons share common concerns regarding the admission and free care policies of Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt, Texas. The plaintiffs and the defendants have reached a settlement of this case. Before the Court will approve the settlement,

low-income persons and Mexican-Americans in this area must be notified. These persons may object to the settlement if The proposed settlement provides that the hospital will do the following:

1. It sets up a Medical Assistance Program to give free or reduced cost hospital care to low-income residents of Castro County. The Plan sets out the income guidelines to be used to decide if a person will get free care, or reduced cost care, and sets the procedures for applying for free or reduced cost care. Under this Plan, if your income is low enough, you might not have to pay for your hospital bill, but you will have to pay for your doctor bill. A person must have an income even lower than the Poverty Guidelines to get free hospital care. 2. It requires the hospital to give at least a certain amount of free care every year for the next five (5) years. This

averages to about \$50,000 a year for each of the next five(5) years.

4. It requires the hospital to have staff members who speak both Spanish and English available at all times to assist persons who do not speak English fluently. 5. It requires the hospital to try to hire more Hispanic nursing and administrative personnel.

6. It requires the plaintiffs to withdraw all their complaints against the hospital that have been filed with the federal government.

The settlement does not provide for the payment of any money to individuals who might have been wrongfully denied free or reduced cost care in the past. The settlement also does not provide for the payment of any money to low-income or Mexican-American persons who might have paid deposits or hospital bills to Plains Memorial Hospital when the person should have been given free or lower cost care. These persons, if any, will be required to file their own cases, if they wish to claim any money. The Hospital has not admitted any liability or agreed to pay any money to individuals. A complete copy of the proposed settlement may be seen at the offices of Texas Rural Legal Aid in Hereford, Texas, 1406

West Highway 60, or at the U.S. District Court Clerk's office in Amarillo, Texas, 205 East 5th Street. If you think the settlement is unfair, you may object to the settlement by giving written notice of the reason for your objection to the Clerk, United States District Court, P.O. Box F-13240, Amarillo, Texas 79189, and to the attorney for plain-

tiffs, Texas Rural Legal Aid, 1406 West Highway 60, Hereford, Texas 79045. You must file your objection on or before January 6th, 1984. A hearing on the settlement will be held in U.S. District Court in Amarillo, 205 East 5th Street, on January 13th, 1984 at 2 p.m. Only persons who have filed written objection with the Court will be allowed to participate.

> MARY LOU ROBINSON U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

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Demandados

AVISO DE CERTIFICACION DE ACCION DE CLASE Y OFRECIMIENTO DE ARREGLAR EL CASO

PARA: PERSONAS DE BAJOS INGRESOS Y HISPANOS EN LOS CONDADOS DE CASTRO, PARMER, Y DEAF

Esta demanda podra afectar sus derechos de obtener atencion medica gratis o a un precio reducido en el hospital Plains

Memorial de Dimmitt, Texas. La Corte del Distrito de Estados Unidos en Amarillo a decidido que los demandantes en este caso justamente y adecuamente representen a un grupo de personas Mexico Americanos y personas de bajos ingresos. Esas personas com-

parten los mismos intereses comunes en las polisas de admicion y atencion gratuita del hospital Plains Memorial en Dim-Los demandantes y demandados han llegado a un acuerdo en este caso. Toda persona Mexico-Americano y personas de bajos ingresos deben ser notificados antes de que la Corte apruebe el

acuerdo. Estas personas se pueden oponer al acuerdo si asi lo decean. El acuerdo propuesto provee que el hospital haga lo siguiente: 1. Que se haga un programa de asistencia medica para personas de bajos ingresos a costo reducido o gratis para los

residentes del condado de Castro. El plan tendra sus reglamentos que se usaran para decidir si la persona es de bajos ingresos y se le de asistencia gratis o a costo reducido, y tendra sus procedimientos para aplicar por esos servicios. Bajo este plan, si sus ingresos son muy bajos, quisas no tendra que pagar nada la cuenta del doctor. Para recibir esta asistencia gratulta una persona tendra que tener ingresos aun mas bajos que los de los reglamentos de bajos ingresos. 2. Requiere que el hospital de demenos cierta cantidad de servicios gratis cada ano por cinco (5) anos mas. Este sera

un promedio de algunos \$50,000 el ano por cinco (5) anos mas. 3. Requiere que el hospital le de asistencia inmediata a cualquier persona en emergencia a segun su abilidad de pagar.

4. Requieren que el hospital tengan personas que hablen Espanol y Ingles en todo tiempo para asistir personas que no hablen Ingles fluentemente. 5. Requiere que el hospital haga por ocupar mas enfermeras hispanas y personal administrativo.

6. Requiere que los demandantes retiren todas sus que jas contra el hospital que han sido sentadas con el govierno

El acuerdo no provee por pago de dinero a individuos que se les hayan negado servicios gratis o a costo reducido en el pasado. El arreglo tampoco provee por pago de ningun dinero a personas de bajos ingresos o Mexico-Americanos que hallan tenido que pagar depositos o cuentas al hospital Plains Memorial cuando se le debian de haber dado asistencia gratis o a costo reducido. Estas personas, si hay alguna, se le requiere que ellos sienten su caso aparte, si ellos decean hacer su reclamo. El hospital no a admitodo ninguna responsabilidad ni a acordado pagarle a nadie.

Una copia completa del acuerdo propuesto se pueda ver en las oficinas de Texas Rural Legal Aid en Hereford, Texas, 1406 W. Highway 60 o en la oficina de la Corte del distrito en Amarillo, Texas, 205 East 5th.

Si usted cree que este acuerdo no a sido justo, uste puede oponerse al acuerdo dando una noticia escrito con sus rezones para su oposicion a la Corte del Distrito (United States District Court) P.O. Box F-13240, Amarillo, Texas 79189, y a los abogados de los demandantes, Texas Rural Legal Aid, 1406 W. Hwy. 60, Hereford, Texas 79045.

Debe de sentar su objection en el o antes do 6 de Enero, 1984. Se hara una audencia en el acuerdo en la corte del Districto en Amarillo, 205 East 5th Street, en el 13 de Enero, 1984 a las 2:00 p.m. Nada mas personas que hallan sentado su objecion con la corte por escrito podran participar.

Mary Lou Robinson U.S. District Judge

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Bobcats win consolation trophy

er to Shallowater in the opening round, Dimmitt's Bobcats bounced back to whip Canadian and Kermit by wide margins for consolation honors in the Commander's Division of the Reese AFB Christmas Classic.

The win over Kermit in the consolation finals Saturday was Coach Kenneth Cleveland's 600th victory since he signed on as the boys' basketball coach here in 1961. The coach and players celebrated in the dressing room after the game with a big "600" cake provided Cleveland's wife,

Cleveland and his players would have preferred the 600th win to come a day earlier - and it almost

In the opening-round game Thursday, Shallowater's Mustangs couldn't miss a basket in the first three quarters, and had the Bobcats down by as much as 15 points in the

But the Bobcats staged a great comeback effort as guard Richard

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After losing a cliff-hang- Sauceda sank 16 points in the fourth - most of them jumpers from the corner - to spark a rally that put Dimmitt ahead 62-61 with two minutes to go.

However, the Mustangs got a chance at a last-second shot and made the most of it as senior forward Dee Hohenberger sank a 12-footer to give Shallowater a one-point lead, 63-62. Dimmitt called time out, but was assessed a technical foul because it had no timeouts left. The game ended

By BEDFORD W. SMITH County Service Officer

The County Veteran Services office is now on the 2nd floor of the courthouse on the east

Since the courthouse will be closed through Tuesday, Dec. 27th, so will our office. But for last minute VA pensioners the last call if you need help with your AIQ cards now is Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of next Week.

For those who may have misplaced Medicare payment to them for family hospitalization and-or clinic services, you may call this toll free number to the Dallas Medicare Office to have them send duplicate information to recipients: 1-800-442-2620. This information can be mailed only to them.

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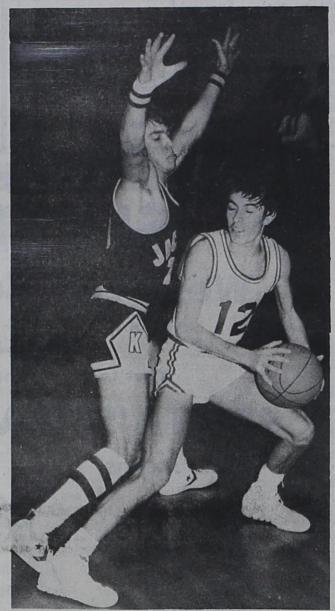
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ALL-TOURNAMENT PLAYER-Dimmitt guard Richard Sauceda (12) fends off Kermit's Ronnie Moore after driving to the baseline during the consolation championship game of the Reese AFB Christmas Classic Saturday. Sauceda was named to the all-tournament team after scoring 52 points in three games, 26 of them against Shallowater in the first round.

Dimmitt women get scholarships

Three West Texas State University education majors from Dimmitt awarded Education scholarships for the spring

Among the 21 students scholarships from the College of Education

education major; Cuca Ortega, senior majoring in kindergarten education and Shirley Schacher, elementary sophomore education major.



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selected to receive the \$100 scholarship fund are Doricell "Glee" Davis, a sophomore elementary

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Medlock hitting a pair of free throws to give the Mustangs their final victory margin, 65-62.

That was the Bobcats' most exciting contest in the big holiday tournament. Their other two games were whitewashes as they creamed Canadian 85-33 and Kermit 62-44.

Shallowater, meanwhile, hit the skids in the semifinals with a 69-43 loss to El Paso Cathedral, which had downed Canadian 65-51 in the first round. But the Mustangs bounced back Saturday with a 75-49 triumph over Floydada to capture third place.

El Paso Cathedral went on to win the tourney championship with a 59-38 victory over Littlefield in the title game. Littlefield had edged Kermit 56-55 and had downed Floydada

58-45 to reach the finals. Sauceda was named to the all-tournament team after scoring 52 points in three games - 26 of them against Shallowater.

'I think Richard deserved to make the alltournament team," Coach Cleveland commented. "He shot us back into the game against Shallowater with some beautiful corner shots."

Cleveland added that the tourney experience "was good for us.'

"It wasn't much fun to have to go the loser's route we haven't had to do that much," he said. "In the game we lost, we made some mistakes, but we learned something from it. Anytime you can learn from a game, it's good for

"The kids played well all three games," Cleveland said, "and they had a Shallowater - they just

you can do that, it's encouraging."

they came back to the point where they could have won it, and anytime

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Hart 11 23 31 44

Lockney 11 27 43 54

H - Ronnie Rodriquez, 10; Johnny
Washington, 110.

JV LONGHORNS 55, BOVINA 26 (Consolation Championship)
t 6 24 36 55
5 12 15 26 H - Johnny Washington, 23.

JV Lady Longhorns 48, Lockney 32
(First Round)

Hart 17 32 46 48 Lockney H - 1 Robbie Sarabia, 10; Teresa

JV LADY LONGHORNS 43, OLTON 34

Olton 6 13 25 34 H - Risha Ammons, 13; Stephanie Lee, JV LADY LONGHORNS 47,
SPRINGLAKE-EARTH 30
(Championship Saturday)
Hart
13 26 36 47
S-E 4 15 19 30
H - Risha Ammona, 11; Robbie Sarabia,
8; Gwen Wilson, 8; Teresa Jackson 8.

> Shallowater 8th Tourney 8TH LADY LONGHORNS 22,

FRENSHIP 14 (Consolation Finals) Frenship H - Kim Clark, 10; Kathleen McLain, 6; Graciela Macias 6.

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Shallowater 18 38 53 65
SCORING — Dimmitt: Richard Sauceda
26, Nick Martinez 10. Shallowater: Dee
Hohenberger 29, Trey Medlock 16.
Floor Play — Dwight McDonald 7C;
Sauceda 7C; Brad Holcomb 9R.
FG — Dimmitt: 23/56,50%.
FT — Dimmitt: 6/10,60%

FT - Dimmitt: 6/10, 60%.

Scoreboard

BOBCATS 85, CANADIAN 33 (Consolation Semifinals) 19 42 63 85 5 15 21 33 SCORING - Dimmitt: Richard Sauceda 17, Nathan Nelson 10. Canadian: Scotty Cole 10.
Floor Play - Sauceda 7C; Brad Holcomb
6R, 7C; Robert Nelson 6C; Robby Hottel
6R; Nathan Nelson 5C; Danny Martinez
5C; Mike Love 5C.
FG - Dimmitt: 38/74, 51%.
FT. - Dimmitt: 9/19, 4796. FT - Dimmitt: 9/19, 47%.

BOBCATS 62, KERMIT 44 BOBCATS 62, KERMIT 44
((Consolation Championship)
Dimmitt 12 27 45 62
Kermit 7 15 23 44
SCORING — Dimmitt: Brad Holcomb
16, Dwight McDonald 10. Kermit: Lynn
Fisher 15, Chuck Moore 10.
Floor Play — Dwight McDonald 7R,
10C; Brad Holcomb 8R, 6C; Richard
Sauceda 5C; Nathan Nelson 5C; Mike Love
5R.
FG — Dimmitt: 26/55 47% FG - Dimmitt: 26/55, 47%. FT - Dimmitt: 10/23, 43%.

Monday

LADY LONGHORNS 64, SPADE 47
Hart 23 10 13 18
Spade 4 13 13 17
H — Susie Reyna, 15; Diane Montiel, 14. LONGHORNS 52, SPADE 65 12 14 11 15 14 23 13 17 Spade H - Omar Longoria, 23.

- Shelly Nutt, Lori Glidewell, and LuCynde Lynn, 2. N - Stephanie Brockman, 10; Jennifer Brockman, 6.

8TH BOBBIES 10, NAZARETH 36 immitt 4 6 10 10 azareth 10 18 27 36 D - Suzanne Mendez, 6; Pam Anthony, N - Barbie Steffens, 11; Tracy Hill, 10; Rachel Huseman, 9.

8TH SWIFTS 26, 8TH BOBCATS 25 7 10 22 26 9 11 17 25 Dimmitt 9 11 17 25 N - Chris Schmucker, 12. D - Jeremy Warren, 11; James Alexander, 10.

7TH BOBCATS 38, 7TH SWIFTS 14 Dimmitt 8 18 30 38 Nazareth 2 6 8 14 Nazareth 2 6 8 14 D - Emilio Arce, 10; Rodrigo Jackson, and Genaro Catano, 6. N - Troy Johnson, 12.

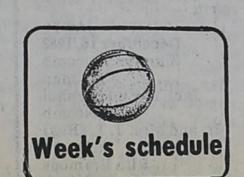
SWIFTETTES 58, HALE CENTER 33 14 30 48 58 5 13 19 33 - LaDawn Schmucker and Shari

SWIFTS 54, HALE CENTER 35

Nazareth 12 26 40 54

Hale Center 7 12 25 35

N — Johnny Schmucker, 20; Mark Huse-



TODAY (THURSDAY) Swifts, JV Swifts vs. Tulia, at Nazareth, 5 Swiftettes vs. Lockney, at Nazareth, 6:30 TOURNAMENTS
DEC. 29-31
Bobcats and Bobbies in Caprock Tourna-

Nelson named to A-J team

Dimmitt's Scott Nelson recently was named to the Lubbock Avalanche Journal's Class 3A All-South Plains football team.

The 6-2, 185 pound senior was named to the defensive team as linebacker. Nelson was a two-way selection on the District 2-AAA honor squad. He made the team as an offensive lineman and a defensive linebacker.

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Dimmitt 9 21 26 37
Clovis 17 27 41 57
D - Bridgett Lowe and Jane Schroeder.

Friday

H - Paul Ramirez, 14. LADY LONGHORNS 58, HART 42 art 8 18 32 42 ega 18 24 48 58 H - Susie Reyna and Sheryl McLain, SWIFTETTES 56, PANHANDLE 36 Mazareth 12 30 40 56 Panhandle 2 12 24 36 Panhandle 2 12 24 36 N - Shari Schilling, 14; Renee Ramaekers, 10; LaDawn Schmucker, 10; Ramona Heiman, 10.

SWIFTS 63, PANHANDLE 32 Nazareth 12 29 48 63
Panhandle 11 19 23 32
N - Mark Huseman, 24; Johnny
Schmucker, 10; Scottie Book, 7. ga 8 10 14 10 18 6 20 14 - Susie Reyna, 12; Sheryl McLain,

Tuesday

LONGHORNS 50, LAZBUDDIE 48 (OT)
Hart 14 17 7 10 2 - 50
Lazbuddie 10 13 15 10 0 - 48
H - Longoria, 15; Ramirez, 14; Washington, 12.

LADY LONGHORNS 40, LAZBUDDIE 49

Nazareth teams improve records

ready impressive records trouble." Monday night with wins

The Swiftettes, led by LaDawn Schmucker and Shari Schilling with 14

Johnny Schmucker's 20 points, logged a 54-35 win over the Owls.

The Swiftettes now are side." 13-0 on the season, and the Swifts are 9-1.

Nazareth Mentor Joe along. Lombard says his Swiftly improve each week.

good teams the last week or so and I think the kids have met the challenge," Lombard said. "We're still trying to find a sixth and seventh player, though. Some of the kids have had some bright spots, but they need to be able to play good consis-

"Our first five girls have become disciplined (defen-

Hoelting starting for WTC Dusters

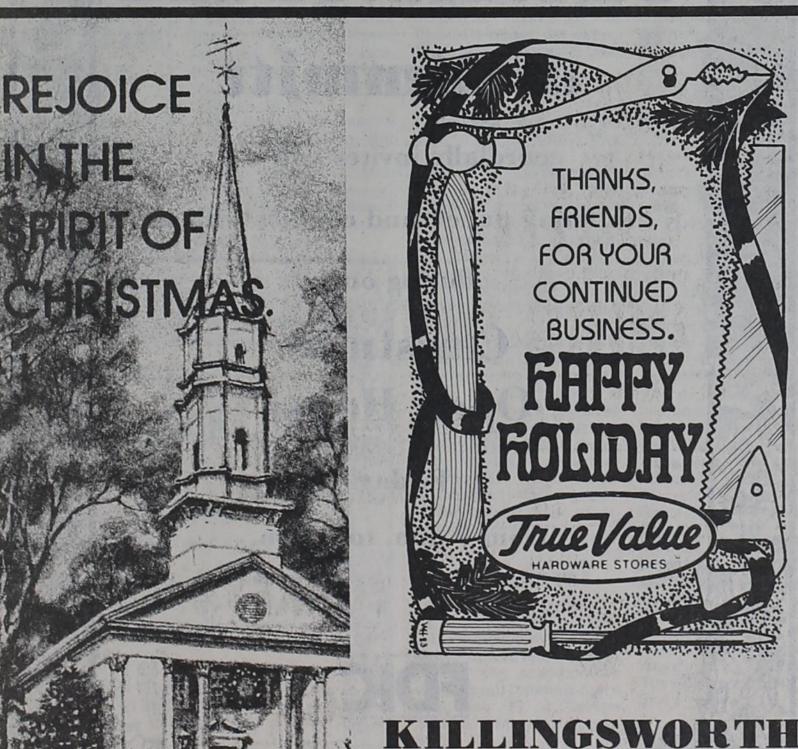
Rhonda Hoelting, a freshman at Western Texas College in Snyder, has earned a starting role this season for the Dusters, womens basketball team.

Hoelting, an all-state player at Nazareth High School, averages 6 points, 5 assists and 3 steals a game from her point guard position. The Dusters are 14-3 on

the year and 2-0 in Western Junior College Athletic Conference action.

They were ranked No. 14 in the nation in a poll released by the National Junior College Athletic Association.

Merry Christmas!



Nazareth's Swifts and sively) enough that they Swiftettes improved al- are not getting into foul

over teams from Hale pleased with the improvement of the Swifts.

have shot better. Some of the other kids have shown points each, rolled to a they can take the scoring

"All of our posts have The Swifts, behind shown they have the potential to score, and Johnny Schmucker is shooting better from out-

said the Swifts are coming

"Our goal is to hold ettes are trying to gradual- opponents under 40 points, "We've played some most of the time."

Fire calls

The Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Department answered two calls this week.

Friday, 14 men and 2 units responded to a gas meter fire on SH 86 and highway 1052.

On Saturday, 16 men and two units put out a dune buggy fire behind the Beacon Liquor Store.

In a short time, firemen had put out both fires. No one was injured and the dune buggy sustained moderate damage.

Lombard said he was

"The last few games we

58-33 win over the Owl- load off of Mark Huseman.

Defensively, Lombard

and we have done that

The way things are stacking up, it

looks like it's going to be a great, big,

beautiful Christmas time for every-

one!

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Best wishes to all our beloved friends for a holiday filled with warmth.

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Allan Webb, Donald Wright, James Bradford



BEST LIGHTING EFFECTS' winner in Dimmitt's Christmas Home mounted at the front step of the porch and outlined with multi-colored Lighting Contest this year is the home of Earl and Gerry Chaney, 203 lights. The home's windows also are framed with multi-colored lights, NW Seventh St. Central feature is a large green walk-through wreath and a door wreath is highlighted by twinkling lights.

Police calls

Dimmitt Police have a suspect in two forged check cases which occurred in August and September in Dimmitt and Hart.

A warrant has been isued for the suspect, and Police Chief Don Franklin said he should be in custody within a short period of time.

Info needed on tire theft

offered by Crime Line in for speeding and DWI. cember theft of six truck dents were reported durfarms, 12 miles southwest injured in either mishap. of Dimmitt.

theft occurred sometime between Dec. 13 and 17 at Kemp farms.

Two 900-20 truck tires and four 10-100-20 truck tires were removed from ly \$150 in cash was value of the stolen proper- handbags. ty is \$1,000.

Anyone having information about this crime should call Crime Line at

One of the forged checks was passed at Dimmitt Thriftway on

Hart on Sept. 17. Police also arrested two suspects in connection pickup belonging to Mark Lopez. The men are in

August 28, and the other at

Pay and Save Foods in

Hereford.

pending.

A \$300 reward is being Odessa man was arrested feed.

Police are investigating the theft of three purses from a Suburban parked at Blue Ribbon Produce Co. The incident occurred Dec. 12, and approximatetwo trucks. Estimated contained in the three



East of City

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By Teeny Bowden Gale and Verna Sadler

sity Thursday.

tives in Roswell.

Embree Roy and Willie

Mae Sadler visited in a

Roswell hospital Saturday

afternoon with a cousin,

Myrtle Baker Duffrin and

Carrie Sadler and Lyle

Cheryl Powell came in

Mrs. James Powell and

Larry and Sharon Sad-

ler, Carrie, Stacy, and

Conard of Dimmitt had an

early Christmas dinner

with Ezell and Verba

Gerald and Pat Elkins

Loudder were home from

The Uppitts gave the production "Praise finished the semester at Through The Ages" at the Wayland Baptist Univer-Easter Lions Club and Community Christmas party Tuesday night. It is the history of gospel music from the Psalms of David to the present time and beyond. Those giving her husband, Bill of Peel, the production were Cliff Ark. who had a heart and Naomi Brown, Lee attack while visiting relaand Gale Brown. Jared with the Dec. 14 theft of a and Jason also accompan-

The Sunnyside and Dim- South Plains College custody and the case is mitt fire departments Thursday for the holidays. were called to the dairy Last Wednesday a Dim- last Thursday night when Friday night from Sul mitt man was arrested on a tractor caught fire Ross University for the a traffic warrant out of endangering a large stock holidays with her grandof cattle feed. It was put parents, Ezell and Verba Friday, a 26-year-old out before it spread to the Sadler and other relatives.

Approximately one inch her grandchildren, Ken connection with the De- Two minor traffic acci- of snow was received and Amber Sirmans joined Thursday with the rain her Friday night for the tires belonging to Kemp ing the week. No one was gauge showing .05 of an weekend. The children inch of moisture. Another stayed with Cheryl and the one-half inch of snow was Sadlers. received from light snow Saturday and Sunday.

R. V. and Bess Bills left Laura and Tex and Norma early Thursday morning for Wichita Falls to attend the funeral services for his brother-in-law, Wilburn Sadler and their guests Curfman. He died Tuesday Sunday. night after 60 pints of blood were used to try to correct kept their grandchildren,

Rotary hears Rev. Freeman

"The House That Did Make Room for Baby Jesus" was the subject of the inspirational talk Rev. Edward D. Freeman, Rotarian, gave to the Dimmitt Rotary Club Friday.

spersed with several Christmas hymn selections with those in attend-

Rev. Freeman encouraged the club members in preparing for Christmas to also prepare their hearts for the coming of Jesus.

The club sweetheart, Krystal Scott, was present, along with Interact Club member Chad Thompson. Twenty-one club members were in attendance, and Rotary-Anns Jerri Chaney, Betty Freeman, Mauzee Youts, Sherry Lamberth, Carolyn Thompson, Cheryl Pybus and Rhonda Schaeffer

The club will meet Friday at noon at K-Bob's.

Merry Christmas!

thank you for Butch, a spirit bearer. pair is consolable only lovingly through this

His message was interance singing along.

attended.

Funeral mass was read ing. Burial was in Holy for Katie Huseman, 88, Family Cemetery, whre Friday afternoon in Holy her husband, Frank, was Family Church with Rev. buried in 1963. Harold Waldow officiat-The Children's Christ-

Nazareth

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kindness and love you

shared with the family of

Butch Holcomb, we offer

this prayer in hopes that

you his friends, will be

given a semblance of the

comfort that his family

felt from your outpouring

of love and kindness in

You give us life, You

give us spirit. Often that

spirit comes from you to

us through other beings

of your creation. We

Our overwhelming des-

because you carry us

stormy time. We ask

again for your already

assured care. Give us

who grieve the strength

to bear our own grief with

dignity and to bear it

simply, but also give us

the strength to help each

and children, his refresh-

ing laughter and pleasure

in being with other people

and his deep allegiance to

family and friends made

him special to us, and

those are the wellspring

of the good memories

that make our sorrow

ness into the lives and

hearts of those he knew.

Help us to honor his

memory with a similar

December 16, 1983

Carolyn Holcomb

Jaci, Sky and Brandi

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. (Bus)

Amen

Pittman

Holcomb

Holcomb

647-2241

Rita Emmons

Ben Holcomb

Carolyn Pittman Johnnie Holcomb

Butch brought bright-

tolerable.

spirit.

Butch's joy in his wife

our time of sorrow:

Father,

In appreciation of the

mas Pageant, presented in Holy Family Church Sunday evening was enjoyed by many parishioners. Kindergarten children through the seventh grade were involved in the presentation. The 8th grade pupils sang with the CYO choir, who are to be commended for their many beautiful Christmas carols.

Thanks to Father Harold and his mother for a very enjoyable open house at the rectory after the pageant.

Guggemos, Mick and Jane Gerber recently enjoyed a trip to Houston to visit Dorothy and Jo Ann Guggemos.

nie and Wanda Huseman of Hereford on the birth of a girl, Elisha DeAnn, Dec. Grandparents are Arnold and Catherine Huseman, Edwin and Juanita Schacher. Congratulations to Ray-

Congratulations to Ber-

mond and Kimmie Huseman on the birth of a son, Andy Ray, Dec. 14 in the Tulia hospital. Grandparents are Francis and Betty Wilhelm and Willa Faye Huseman.

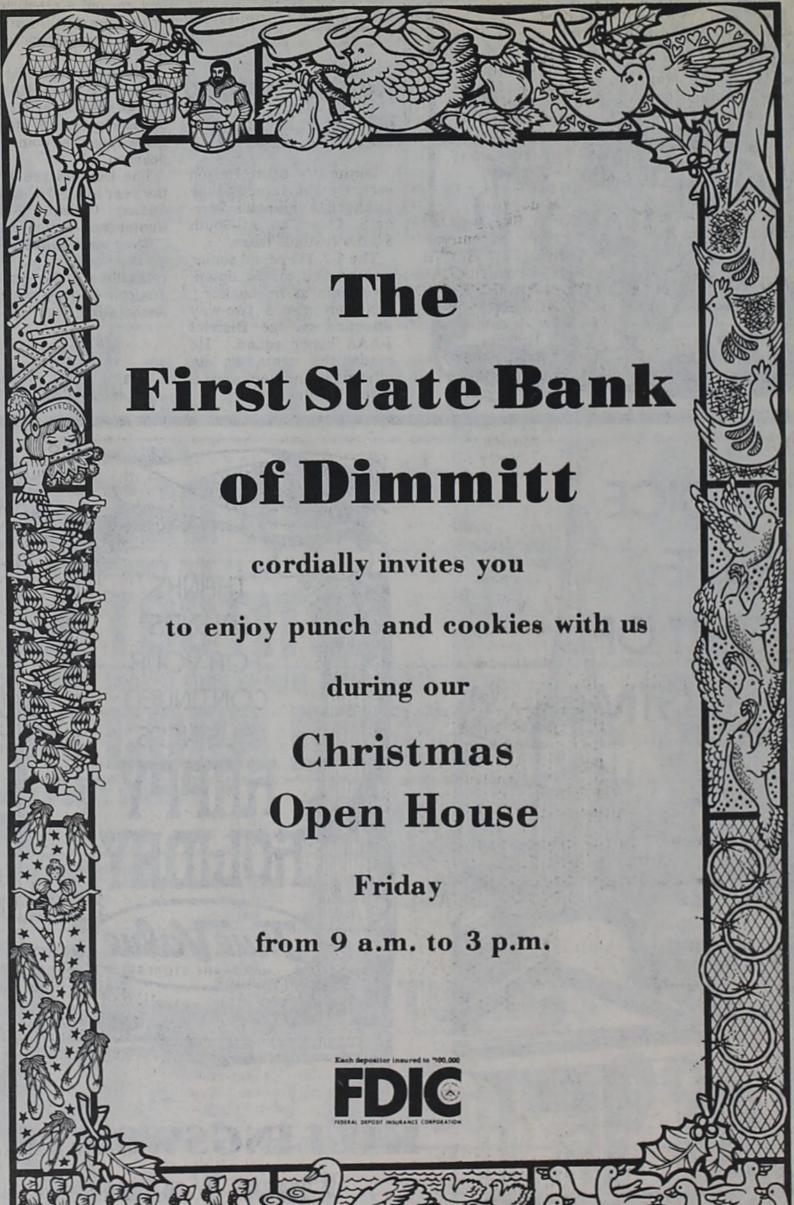
Marvin and Martha Schulte were both hospitalized after being involved in a wreck on icy roads Thursday afternoon. Marvin was treated and released Friday from the Vincent and Chec Dimmitt hospital, Martha remains in the intensive care unit at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Our prayers are with her and her family.



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Obituaries

Bazil Anderson

Funeral services for Bazil Anderson, 61, of Panhandle, and formerly of Dimmitt, were held Tuesday in the First Baptist Church of Panhandle with Rev. R. C. Hopper of Liberal, Kan., and Rev. Leonard Holt of Amarillo, officiating.

held Tuesday afternoon in Dimmitt. Arrangements were by Smith-Fox Funeral Home of Panhandle.

Mr. Anderson died Sunday in Dallas.

A native of Garland, Okla., Mr. Anderson formerly lived in Dimmitt, moving to Panhandle in 1955. A World War II veteran, he married Katherine Scheller in 1948 in Muleshoe. He was a rig operator for Panhandle

Irrigation for 25 years.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Michael of Calahan, Colo., and Malcolm of Dumas; four daughters, LaQuita Hurt of Panhandle, Kathy Holt and Cynthia Platt, both of Amarillo, and Rebecca Anderson of Dallas; three brothers, J. D. of Dimmitt, Wilson of Houston and Elmer of Bowie; and 15 grandchildren.

John Rufus Benson

Funeral services for John Rufus Benson, 94, of Shamrock, the brother of a Dimmitt man, were held Wednesday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church of Shamrock with Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor, officiating. Burial was in under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home in McLean.

Mr. Benson died Monday.

Born in Sebastian County, Ark., he moved to Shamrock from Mangum, Okla. in 1924. In 1914, he son. She died in 1981.

Mr. Benson was a United Methodist Church of Shamrock, Masonic Lodge 929, Scottish Rite and York Rite.

Survivors include a son, Lyman of Shamrock; a daughter, Pauline Benson of Shamrock; three brothers, Henry N. and Hershel, both of Hereford, and Joe W. of Dimmitt; trophy buckles. two grandchildren; and a great-grandson.

The family suggests memorials to Boys Ranch.

Calvin Henderson Funeral services are

pending for Calvin Henderson, 32, of Hereford and formerly of Dimmitt. Arrangements are by Mc-Carty Funeral Home of

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Littlefield.

Mr. Henderson died Saturday in the Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford as the result of a gunshot wound he received Dec. 9.

Born March 17, 1951 in Littlefield, Mr. Henderson was married to Billie Joyce Jones of Dimmitt about 14 years ago. The Graveside services were couple remained in Dimmitt for a few years before moving to Hereford, where he had worked as a truck driver with a Hereford company.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Dennis and Michael, and three daughters, Anita, LaShaun and Janice, all of the home; a brother, Danny Simon of Hereford; three sisters, Mrs. Frankie Ward of Gary, Ind., Mrs. Ruby Johnson of Vega, and Tosha Woolbright of Hereford; his stepfather Louis Woolbright of Hereford; two half brothers, Billy Wayne Henderson with the US Army in Virginia, and Pat Henderson of Littlefield: his grandmother, settle in Nazareth. Mrs. Frankie May Nunley of Los Angeles; and an aunt, Molly Porter of Dimmitt.

Butch Holcomb

Butch Holcomb, 29, of Dimmitt was killed Dec. 14 when he was thrown from his horse and dragged across a pasture 12 miles southeast of Dimmitt.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt with Roy Barringer, minister of the First Christian Church of Dimmitt, and Joe Higgs, minister of music and

Burial was in Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Dimmitt.

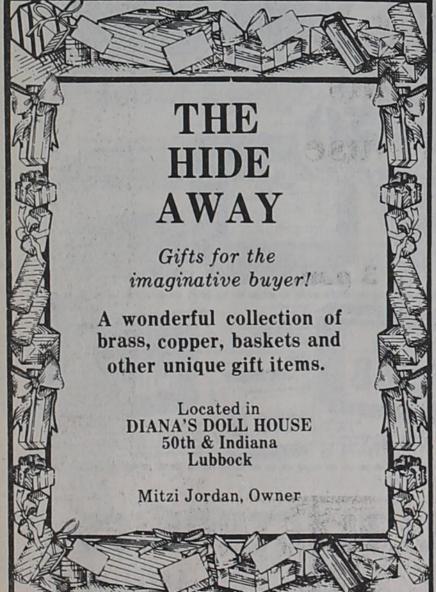
Mr. Holcomb was born married Eula Gray Ander- Oct 18, 1954 in Lubbock. He graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1973. member of the First He married Jaci Johnson on Dec. 21, 1974 in Dimmitt.

> cattleman, Mr. Holcomb was a member of the Dimmitt Roping Club and Circle A Club at Westway. He was named 1980 World Champion Feedlot Roper, and had won many other

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Brandi and a son, Sky, both of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. "Bus" Holcomb of Booneville, Ark.; four sisters, Rita Emmons of Dallas, Carolyn Pittman of West Helena, Ark.; Johnnie Holcomb of Little Rock, Ark., and Dawn Holcomb of Booneville; and a brother, Ben of Dim- pastor, officiating.

David Musick, Howie McClure, Kelly Nelson, Bobby Crozier, Ray White, Funeral Directors. Max Ellison and Clyde Damron Jr.

Honorary pallbearers Patching, Jim Kassann, married Hubert Glen Memorial Park under the Randy Thomas, Charles Maples in Collingsworth Rickerd, Carl Bruegel, County. In 1916, they Milton Frazier.



A memorial fund in honor of Mr. Holcomb has been started at the First State Bank of Dimmitt. Contributions may be made to the "Brandi and Holcomb Trust." More than \$2,000 has already been donated.

Katie Huseman

Funeral services for Katherine Huseman, 88, of Nazareth were held Friday in the Holy Family Catholic Church of Nazareth with Rev. Harold Waldow, pastor, officiating. Rosary was said last Thursday night in the C.C.D. Building.

Burial was in Holy Family Cemetery by Parsons Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Huseman died Dec. 14 in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

She was born Katherine Litsch Sept. 20, 1895 in Faye, Okla., and moved with her family to Castro County in 1902. They were the first German family to

Katherine went to work in Amarillo, and on Jan. 22, 1923 she married Frank Huseman in Amarillo.

She moved back to Nazareth with him, and they operated a farm and registered Jersey dairy many years near Nazareth. They moved into Nazareth when he retired in 1956. Her husband died in 1963.

Mrs. Huseman was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Catholic Daughters, Order Martha, Christian Mothers Society, and the Nazareth Senior Citizens. Survivors include a

education of the First daughter, Corinne Dulsky Baptist Church, officiat- of Wichita Falls; a stepdaughter. Logan of Van Buren, Ark.; five sons, Alvin of Dumas, Julian of London, Texas, Parsons Funeral Home of and Louis, Dennis and Alphonse, all of Nazareth; a stepson, Urban of San Jose, Calif.; four siters, Rosie Annen of Hereford, Sophie Braddock of Amarillo, Annie Dysart of Enid, Okla., and Thomasine Litsch of Little Rock, Making his living as a Ark.; a brother, Rudy Litsch of Nazareth; 44 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons Paul, Randy, Roger, Terry Mark and Raymond Huseman.

Lena Rosalie Hogan Maples

Funeral services for Lena Rosalie Hogan Maples, 94, of Amarillo were held Saturday afternoon at the First United Methodist Church of Hart with Rev. Buddy Payne,

Burial was in Castro Active pallbearers were Memorial Gardens in Dimmitt under the direction of N. S. Griggs & Sons

in Amarillo.

She was born Oct. 13, were Clyde Damron, Bob 1889 in Little Elm. She Jerry Watts, Bill Blasin- moved in a wagon train to game, Harold Hyman and Hart, where the couple were engaged in farming. Mrs. Maples was a charter member of the First United Methodist Church in Hart. Her husband died

> nursing home of Dimmitt, 18, 1943 in O'Donnell. Mrs. Maples moved to Amarillo, where she lived for the past four years.

Survivors include a son, Glen Maples of Amarillo; grandchildren.

Lula Frances Marsh

Funeral services for Lula Frances Marsh, 85, of Dallas, the grandmother of a Dimmitt woman, were held Dec. 10 at Carter-Adams Funeral Home in

Ralls. Burial was in Ralls Cemetery under the direction of Carter-Adams

Funeral Home. at the Silver Leaves nursing home in Dallas.

Born July 18, 1898 in Beaukiss, she married John Marsh on June 15, 1919 in Moody. husband died in 1962.

Mrs. Marsh had lived in

Floydada from about 1957

until 1962. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church of Floyda-She had also previously lived at Ralls. Survivors include a son, John William of Muldrow, Okla.; three daughters, Alvena Comer of Muldrow, Margaret Cline of Dallas, and Nellie Jones of Lufkin; a sister, Marye Huntsinger of Dallas; ten grandchildren, including Jackie Smothermon of Dimmitt; 27 great-grandchildren; a great-great-grandchild; and many nieces and nephews.

Ira McLain

Funeral services for long-time Hart resident Ira McLain, 87, were held Friday in the First Baptist Church of Hart with Loy Ruckman, retired pastor from Odessa, and Rev. Jack Lee, pastor, officiat-

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

Mr. McLain died Dec. 14 at 8:20 p.m. at Central Plains Regional Hospital in Plainview after a lengthy illness.

Having moved to Hart with his parents, sister and brothers in 1904, traveling by way of two covered wagons, Mr. McLain continued to live in the Hart area for the rest of his life. He was a retired farmer.

Arkansas, he was a member of the Church of Christ. He married Angie Henderson on Dec. 25, 1916 in Lamb County.

The couple's first home was a half dugout located on the south edge of what is now the town site of Hart. Their final home was built on 80 acres of land that had been purchased from the Slaughter family.

Mrs. McLain died in 1978. The couple had a son, Lionel, who died at the age of 21/2 in 1920.

Survivors include a son, Laurence of Hart; a daughter, Mrs. Virgil (Marjory) King of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Sam Swopes of Vinita, Okla.; two brothers, John and Lester, both of Hart; four grandchildren; nine greatgrandchildren; and two great - great - grandchild-

Pallbearers Carroll Moss, James Kennedy, James Jackson, W. T. King, Kenneth Covington and Richard Entrekin.

Espiridonia Ojeda

Funeral services for Espiridonia Ojeda, 60, of Dimmitt were held Tuesday in the Church of God of Mrs. Maples died Dec. 14 the First Born in Dimmitt with Rev. Jerry Torres, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Westlawn direction of Parsons Funeral Home in Dimmitt. Mrs. Ojeda died Sunday

in Plains Memorial Hospital after a lengthy Born in China Springs,

she had lived in Dimmitt for eight years after moving here from Grand After residing for awhile Prairie. She married in the South Hills Manor Francisco Ojeda on Dec.

Mrs. Ojeda was a homemaker and a member of the Church of God of the First Born.

Survivors include her a sister, Mrs. Ethel Hunter husband; a son, Ben of of Dimmitt; three grand- Dimmitt; a stepsister, children; and three great- Graciana Caldera of Corpus Christi; a stepbrother, Ponciano Caldera; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

> Pallbearers were Baldamar Lopez Jr., Robert Lopez, Pedro Hernandez, Anastacio Hernandez, Tony Ojeda and Ben Ojeda

Pollie Woolbright

Funeral services for Pollie Woolbright, 52, of Hereford were held last Mrs. Marsh died Dec. 8 Thursday in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt with Rev. James Alexan-

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients In Hospital: Christian Braafladt Sonia Ellis Clara Fuller Lydia Gomez Sudie Hunter Anthony Martinez Jessica Salinas

William Winbourn Patients Dismissed: Janet Weaver Dovie Lay Lois Brotherton Annie Hargrove Elvia Garza Tex Conard Jacob Rodriguez Mary Irlbeck Manuel Fuentes Connie Fuentes Ramona Ramirez Marvin Schulte Elisa Telles Joy Baker Trudy Dennis Beatrice Garza

Mary Padron She was followed in death by her son, Calvin Henderson, 32, of Hereford, who was wounded in the same shooting inci-Please shop

at home

first

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Frankie Ward of Gary, Ind., Ruby Mae Johnson of Vega and Tosha Woolbright of Hereford; a son, Danny Simon of Hereford; her mother, Frankie Nunley of Los Angeles; three sisters, Mollie Porter of Dimmitt, Katherine Morgan and Stella Mae Simon, both of Los Angeles; two stepbrothers, Alvin Simon of Los Angeles and Eugene Shelly of Wichita Falls; and 15 grandchildren.

der, pastor of the New

Hope Baptist Church in

Burial was in Littlefield

Cemetery under the direc-

tion of McCarty Funeral

Mrs. Woolbright died

Friday in Hereford from a

She was born Oct. 27.

1931 in Paris, Texas, and

attended Poly High School

in Paris before moving to

Littlefield. She had also

married Louis Woolbright

in Hereford. Mrs. Wool-

bright had worked as a

nurse at Deaf Smith

General Hospital in Here-

On July 23, 1965 she

Dimmitt, officiating.

Home of Littlefield.

shotgun wound.

lived in Dimmitt.

ford.

dent.

DYF meets

Dimmitt Young Farmers met last Thursday and heard Dr. Clint Irwin. DVM, of Gruver.

President Tommy Ken-Born Sept. 3, 1896 in worthy urges members who haven't paid their 1983 dues to do so as soon as possible. Anyone interested in

becoming a sponsor for the Young Farmer's Scholarship fund should contact Stan McDaniel at 647-5522 or 647-3228.

Merry Christmas!

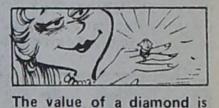
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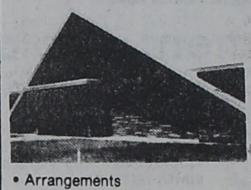
the front yard. They had two Christmas trees, the one in the living room was white trimmed in gold and the one in the den was green trimmed in all colors of ornaments. The occasion was to entertain their Dinner-Bridge Club. They served a delicious meal to Sue and John Merritt, Shirley and Harold Stephens, Aural Davis, Esta and Charles Vandiver, Myrtle lois and Russel Moran, Ralph and Avis Smith, and two guests, Carolyn Jones and Brenda Andrews.

Myrtle Lois Moran entertained her Needlepoint Club in her home last Wednesday. Her home was beautifully decorated for Christmas and everyone enjoyed the delicious luncheon and dessert that she served to Nancy Hays of Hereford, Sue Merritt, Shirley Stephens, Esta and color.

[Continued from Page 2] Vandiver and Carole Dyer. Shirley and Harold Stephens went to the annual "Christmas gettogether" of the Federal Land Bank family at San Antonio last weekend. They stayed at the Hyatt-Regency Hotel on the river and said that the city was especially beautiful at this time of year. All of the trees and plants along the famous riverwalk were lighted for the Christmas holidays. They said it was a beautiful sight. They also got to hear the famous "Dixie Land Jazz Band" on the river one evening.

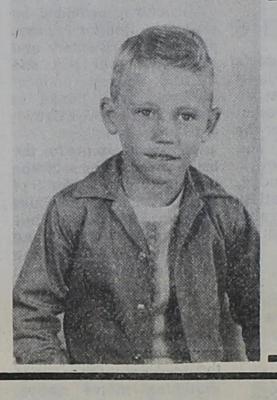


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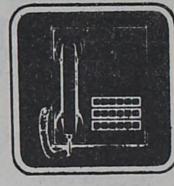
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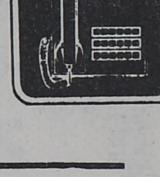
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Matt King and Linda Booe

Engagement is told

Horton of Hart announce Hart. the engagement and forth-Matthew King, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. King of

exchanged March 3 in the

The bride-elect is a graduate of Hart High School and is presently employed part-time at

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King, also a graduate of coming marriage of their Hart High School, is daughter, Linda Booe, to employed at King's Blacksmith in Hart.

Wedding vows will be PMHA sets

Memorial Hospital Auxil- Lubbock, who joined in iary, the members present singing "Love Will Grow" voted to set the date for the and "Together." 1984 Holiday Buffet and Honor attendants for the

the auxilians decorated the Christmas tree set up in the hospital.

and Buddhist doctrine of refraining from harming any living thing





Sides and Watson are united in double-ring ceremony Saturday

exchanged wedding vows entirely by the groom's pillars. in the First United family. Methodist Church of Dim-

Herschel Sides of Dim- embroidered

officiated, standing at the altar table, which was flanked by twin arrangements of white gladiola, alstromeria, white carnations and euthorbia, and was surrounded by white tapers in a central Spanish candelabra and four brass arches entwined with fir and pine boughs.

The center aisle of the Mr. and Mrs. James Butterfly Boutique in church was lighted by multi-tapered hurricane lamps festooned with greenery and white velvet bows. Brass candelabra, white velvet bows, votive candles and greenery accented the stained glass windows along the side aisles.

First Baptist Church of bazaar date organist Deanne Clark, pianist Beth Buckley and At last Wednesday's vocalists Janet Nix and meeting of the Plains Clifford Watson, both of

Bazaar for Friday, Nov. 2. bride were sisters of the Ten members attended. bride Cinde Sides of Following the meeting, Dimmitt and Laurie Sides of Memphis, Tenn. They wore gowns of old-rose taffeta swish, featuring elbow-length sleeves and waltz-length skirts. The AHIMSA is the Hindu dropped-waist bodice was sashed with French moire ribbon, caught with a bow at the side. Tear drop headdresses were made of matching moire ribbon, anchoring rose veiling.
They carried informal lyey is honored arrangements of spring flowers in varied shades of

> The groom's honor attendants were his brothers, David Watson of Oklahoma City and Clifford Watson of Lubbock.

bearer Ring Thomas Watson and flower girl was Sarah Watson, both of Muleshoe and cousins of the groom. Ushers were Gregg Sides, brother of the bride; Robert Boozer, Britt Boozer and Brad Sides, all cousins of the bride; and Dennis Watson, cousin of the groom.

Sitting at the registry were Kyla Boozer of Dimmitt and Stacy Sides of Lubbock, both cousins of the bride. The bride's gown, de-

signed by Zurc for Joell of

New York, featured a bodice with a high neckline, covered in white Alencon lace and seed pearls. The dropped, asymmetrical waistline was accented with a selffabric rose at the hipline. Candlestick sleeves of the same lace came to pearlaccented points at the wrist. The floor-length, gathered chiffon skirt, with front wrap, extended to chapel length. A hat of white Alencon lace, designed by Justin Love, completed the bride's ensemble. The veil of bouffant illusion bustled at the back of the hat and cascaded to chapel length. The bride carried a bouquet of white spring flowers with touches of pink, atop a mother-ofpearl Bible brought to her

grandparents. Her traditional something old was a blue silk handkerchief, a family heirloom, carried by her mother at her wedding. Something new was pearls given to her by the groom. Something borrowed was a gold ring belonging to the groom's mother, and something blue was a garter, made by a high school friend.

from Israel by her

After the ceremony, guests viewed the couple's "Love Story," a slide presentation of the bride

The reception was held

In a formal, double-ring and groom from infancy held frosting flowers in ceremony Saturday night, through their courtship. shades of white and pink,

The bride is the daugh- parents. The bride's table, groom's table, which was organdy brown moire taffeta. The mitt. The groom is the son cloth underlaid with white centerpiece was formed of of Mr. and Mrs. William satin, held an arrange- old rose candles in brass Thomas Watson of Mule- ment of dendrobium holders, accented with orchids, lilac, rubrium thyme, gold beaded gar- University. Rev. Marvin Lee Roark lillies, nirines, euthorbia, land and pine cones. Inditulips and hyacinths. The vidual, foil-wrapped fruitthree-tiered white cake cakes were served.

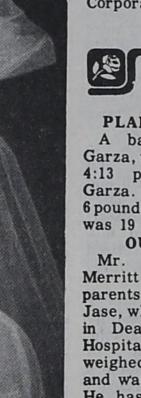
Kimberly Kay Sides and Background music for the and the layers were Lori Lemons and Ka Ka Edwin Curtis Watson program was provided separated with crystal Bruegel. At the groom's Appointments table were Debbie Dennis were of silver and crystal. and Carla West. Register-Brass and wicker ap- ing guests was Janet at the home of the bride's pointments graced the Sammann. ter of Mr. and Mrs. George covered with a white, covered with a cloth of Ranger.

table were Laine Snider,

The couple is at home in

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Dimmitt High School, and is presently a senior at Texas Tech

The groom is a 1978 graduate of Muleshoe High School and obtained a degree in mechanical engineering in 1982 from Texas Tech. He is employed by Featherlite Corporation in Ranger.



MRS. EDWIN CURTIS WATSON ... nee Kimberly Kay Sides

Mrs. Paul (Katie) Ivey, and son, Jimmy, reside at

teacher at Dimmitt Middle year of teaching in

sixth grade social studies

can Revolution.

Shakespeare's

classes.

Births

PLAINS MEMORIAL A baby girl, Crystal Garza, was born Dec. 16 at 4:13 p.m. to Beatrice Garza. The infant weighed 6 pounds and 6 ounces, and was 19 inches long.

OUT OF TOWN Mr. and Mrs. Butch Merritt of Dimmitt are the parents of a son, Robert Jase, who was born Dec. 6 in Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford. He weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces and was 201/2 inches long. He has one big brother Joshua who is 4. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Percy Merritt of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Widner of Bovina.



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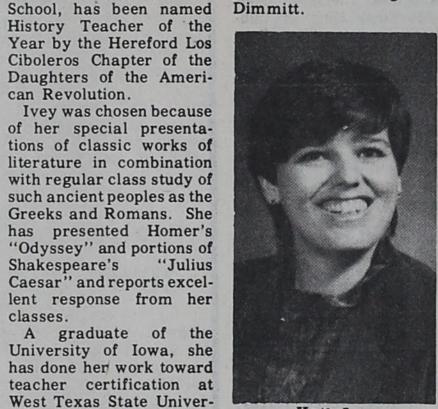
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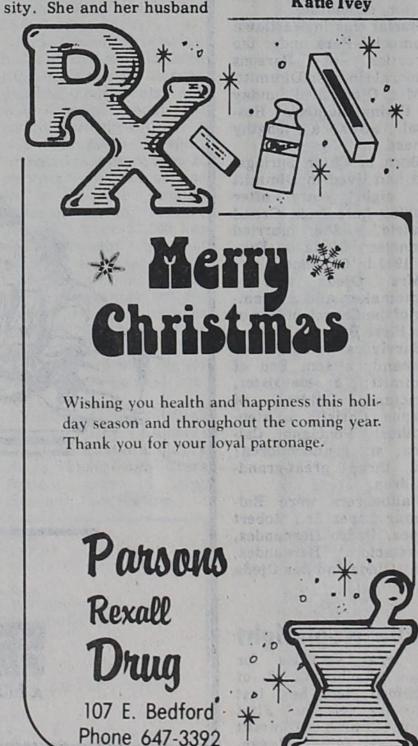
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Easter. This is her second

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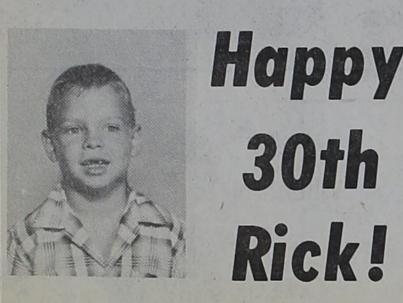




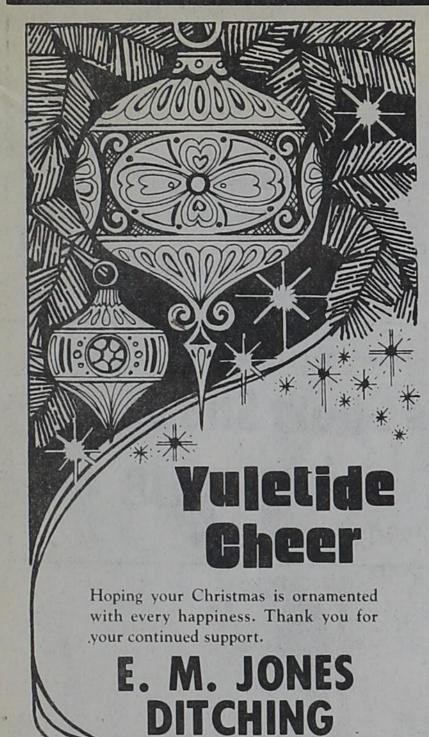
MOST ORIGINAL' winner in Dimmitt's Christmas Home Lighting Contest this year is the home of Truman and Betty Touchstone, 1009 Cleveland St. On the lawn, an animated "Santa's Western Band" plays and sings

around the campfire. The home's eaves are lined with red lights; evergreens in the yard are colorfully lighted; and a large wreath and other decorations highlight the illuminated front porch.





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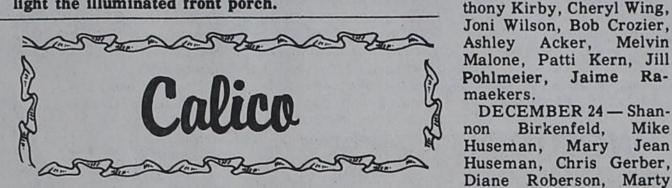
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By TERRI LOUDDER

Twas the night before Christmas and all through the house, not a creature was stirring - especially my spouse.

He had dozed on the sofa an hour before, so putting the children to bed was my chore.

They'd all had a drink, said their prayers and goodnights, and anxiously whispered as off went the lights.

One said, "I hear sleigh bells," and "Do reindeers "He's out there. I hear him. Do you hear him too?"

My littlest said, "There's a monster outside." "It's just Daddy snoring," I said, "Now goodnight."

Soon all was quiet, not a whisper or peep. So I had to wake Dad from his comfortable sleep.

He spoke not a word but went straight to his work, threw open the closet, then turned with a jerk.

He grumbled, "It looks like a warehouse in here! Did you leave any toys in the stores for next year?" Then slowly he toted the boxes and sacks with the same smile he wears when he pays income tax.

To the living room floor he carried the haul. Now it was time to assemble it all.

More rapid than eagles the screwdrivers flew, and it seemed that each toy lacked a handle or two. Dad's eyes - how they bulged! On his head sweat

was beading. And the words he was mumbling do not bear repeating.

Sheets of instructions were covering the floor, and poor Dad eyed them blankly and thumbed through some more.

I said, "Why, a toddler could do this with ease." "Maybe," he said, "if the kid spoke Chinese." After three pots of coffee and four hours expend-

ed, we sighed with relief at the long task now ended. Then out with the boxes we trudged through the snow. And I'm sure the chill factor was forty below.

Once back inside, we stared at the treasure, assembled, with batteries, for our children's

Toys were under the tree and blocking the door, draped on the chair and all over the floor.

Dad's face went pale and he said with a hiss, "Walt Disney could have sold tickets for this."

But I gave him a kiss and he smiled a weak smile. (Compiled from the Com-Then we went off to bed to sleep for awhile.

And I heard him exclaim as he turned off the light, "Next year they get crayons. Merry Christmas. Goodnight!"

TSTI lists three locals

Technical Institute at technology. Amarillo were recently A graduate of Nazareth named to the President's High School, Hoelting is

4.0 grade average.

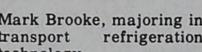
A. Hoelting, a drafting and design technology major; Jerry Wayne Thomas, a diesel mechanics technol-

ogy major; and Elery

Three local students Mark Brooke, majoring in attending Texas State transport refrigeration

Honor Roll, according to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron DeSpain, general Ronnie Hoelting of Nazarmanager of the Amarillo eth. Both graduates of Membership to the roll is Thomas is the son of Mr. attained by maintaining a and Mrs. Gerald Thomas Those named are Neal the son of Courtney Brooke





Dimmitt High School, of Dimmitt, and Brooke is of Hereford.

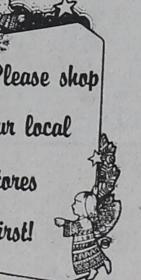




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Graduates of Amarillo College Vocational Nursing recently were notified they passed the State Board Examination taken in October.

Students from the Dimmitt Extension were Norma Garcia, Jill McLean, Kelly Huseman and Cleta Wilkerson. McLean was one of only two who made a perfect 800 score among the hundreds who took the

The Amarillo College pass rate average was 91 percent according to Sue Ann Hicks, chairman of the vocational nursing program.

Sudents from the vocational nursing program this fall will qualify to take State Board examinations scheduled in Fort Worth for April 10. Those who pass the tests will be certified as vocational licenced

Applications are now being accepted for the Spring Semester which will begin Jan. 16.

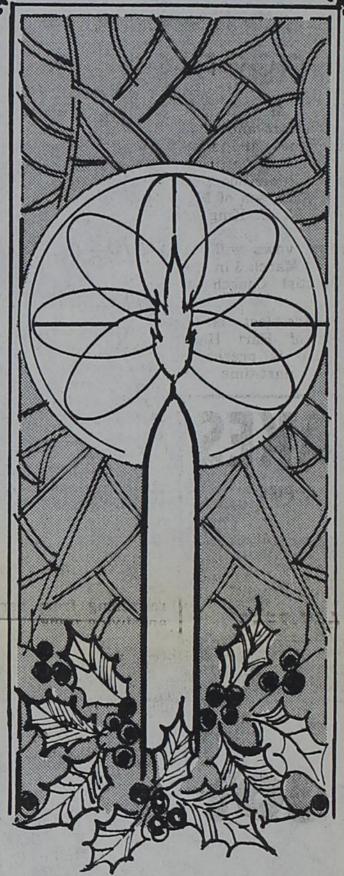
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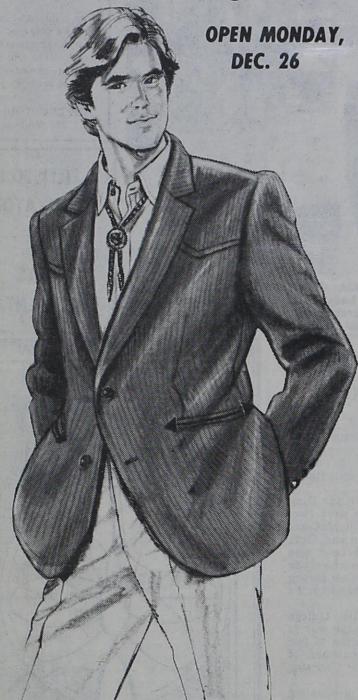
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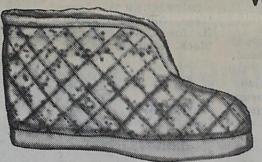
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