

Swiftettes have best season ever

By BRENDA SCHULTE

What a year! Nazareth's Swiftettes completed their first-ever undefeated season and nabbed an unprecedented seventh state championship Saturday in the 34th annual girls' state basketball tournament in Austin.

The Swiftettes outclassed both opponents they met, beating Priddy 59-32 in last Thursday's semifinal game, and downing Petty West Lamar, 64-32, in the Class 1A

championship game Saturday.

The win Saturday ended a perfect 35-0 season for the Swiftettes. It also gave the Swiftettes a record seventh state championship. No other girls team in Texas has ever done that.

Although the Swiftettes did not play two of their better games of the season at Austin, they played well enough to win, convincingly.

Nazareth's balanced scoring attack, and

dreaded pressure defense was just too much for Priddy and West Lamar.

The Swiftettes' full court man and zone presses forced 27 Priddy turnovers and 23 Petty West Lamar turnovers which made the difference in both games.

The Swiftettes turned the 26 Priddy turnovers into 27 Nazareth points in the semifinal game.

After a slow start, Nazareth pulled away for a 29-12 halftime lead.

The Swiftettes outrebounded the Pirates, 41-22. The rebounding edge and the Priddy turnovers gave Nazareth its margin of victory.

The Swiftettes had four in double figures. Leona Gerber led with 13 points, Ramona Heiman and LaDawn Schmucker added 12 each and Shari Schilling scored 10.

Renee Ramaekers held Priddy's leading

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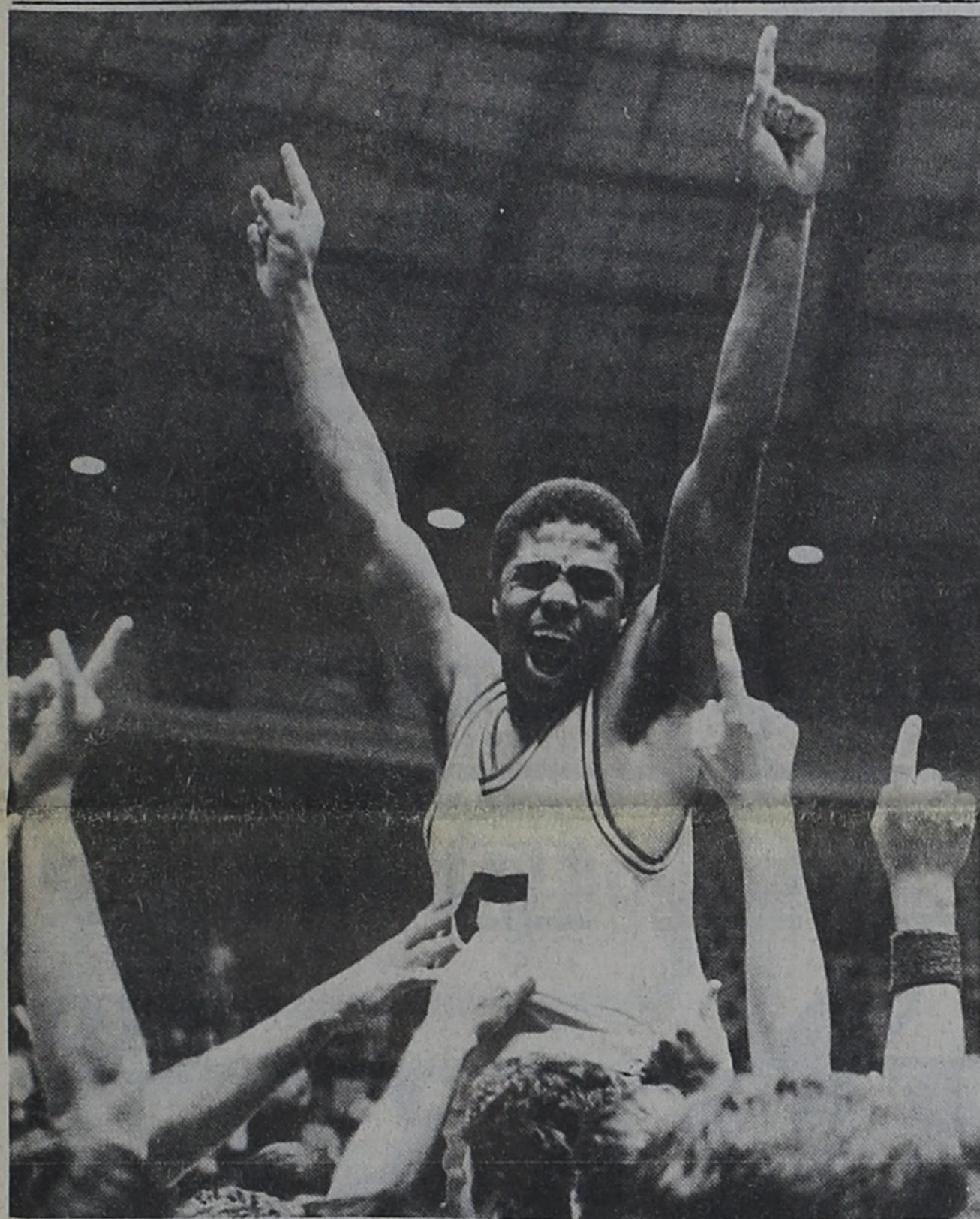
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Aldermen start process for paving



We did it!

Here's how it feels after you've scored the winning basket in the final second of the regional championship game. A delirious Dwight McDonald is hoisted above the jubilant mob seconds after the buzzer sounded on the Dimmitt Bobcats' 63-61 victory over the Abernathy Antelopes

Saturday in Lubbock. The senior guard was Dimmitt's high scorer in the tourney and was named to the all-regional tournament team. Today [Thursday] McDonald will become the first Bobcat ever to go to three state tournaments.

The Dimmitt City Aldermen voted Monday night to pass an ordinance stating the city's intent to pave about 32 blocks of streets in the city on an assessment program.

After the bids are opened and a price is determined, hearings will be held to allow the public a chance to give opinions on the program.

The aldermen also agreed to ask for bids at the same time on the seal-coating of about 40 blocks of city streets, in hope of possibly getting a better rate. Bids will be asked separately and in combination with the paving and seal coating.

"This round of seal coating should finish up the streets that haven't been treated since 1977 or before," said James Killough, head of the public works department.

Twenty running in local elections

By press time Wednesday, 20 had filed to run for office in city, school board, and hospital board elections in Castro County.

Here are those who filed and the office they filed for: **PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL BOARD:** incumbents Marguerite McLain and Jerome Brockman.

DIMMITT CITY ALDERMEN: incumbents Joyce Hunter, David Behrends and Ann Armstrong, George Lamberth and Roger Allison.

DIMMITT SCHOOL BOARD: incumbents Don Gregory, Monty Boozer.

NAZARETH SCHOOL BOARD: J. C. Pohlmeier, Ralph Albracht, Alphonse Klemm.

NAZARETH MAYOR: incumbent Tommy Hoelting.

NAZARETH COMMISSIONER: incumbent Carroll Gerber.

HART SCHOOL BOARD: incumbent Harold Bob Bennett, LaWanda Wilson, Freddy Upshaw, James Jackson, Danny Rodriguez.

HART CITY COMMISSIONER: Ronnie Truelock. Elections will be held April 7. March 19 will be the first day for absentee voting.

Aldermen decided to hold a workshop session on provisions for an ordinance dealing with removal of dangerous buildings.

Killough told the board he had obtained copies of similar ordinances in use in Plainview and Hereford.

"Let's get hold of one that's been working and go from there," Mayor R. L. Fleming said. "We should adopt something that we can enforce and then enforce it."

The aldermen, as well as Killough, have been approached about several abandoned, run-down houses and buildings around town that are eyesores, in addition to being fire and safety hazards.

Current ordinances do not fix a penalty for failure to comply, and so are difficult to enforce. Also, terms are vague.

Specific provisions will be presented at the next meeting of the board.

City Police Chief Don Franklin discussed with the board state regulations that will make it necessary for the city to obtain different accommodations for the city animal shelter.

Franklin noted that the current facility, located at the city barn near the Expo building, does not meet requirements for space, isolation or climate control, among others. He showed

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Happy tears

HAPPY TO BE THE BEST, but seniors Shari Schilling (left) and Renee Ramaekers (center) and junior LaDawn Schmucker have just realized that they've reached the end of a perfect year. The Swiftettes were

invincible this year in their 35-0 march to their seventh state championship. They drummed Priddy 59-32, and Petty West Lamar, 64-32 in the State tournament in Austin last weekend.

Bobcats, Swifts in state tourney

Castro Countians will have the happy privilege of cheering for two teams in the state boys' basketball tournament which begins today (Thursday) in Austin.

Nazareth's Swifts (32-2) and Dimmitt's Bobcats (20-13) are both in the state's final four in their divisions—the Swifts in Class A and the Bobcats in Class AAA—and will play first-round games today in the plush castle of Texas schoolboy basketball, the Frank Erwin Center ("Super Drum") on the UT-Austin campus.

The Swifts will meet

Ponder (31-5) at 10 a.m. today, following an 8:30 game between Snook and Tenaha. The two winners will play for the state championship Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

Radio Station KTAX in Plainview will carry the UIL Sports Network's broadcast of the Nazareth-Ponder game, and the championship game Saturday if the Swifts win today.

The Bobcats will take on the undefeated New Boston Lions (31-0) at 2 p.m. today. The other Class AAA semifinal game between Hardin-Jefferson and Sweeny will follow at

3:30. Today's winners will play for the Class AAA state title at 11 a.m. Saturday.

KDHN Radio in Dimmitt will carry the Bobcats' semifinals game today and the championship game Saturday if the Bobcats win today.

The Swifts traveled to Brownwood Tuesday, where they worked out at nearby Early High School and spent the night at the Post Oak Hotel. In Austin, they're staying in the La Quinta South on I-35 in South Austin.

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Locals place at Houston

Two Castro County youth were among the top honor winners at the recent Houston Livestock Show. Both showed barrows that were named champions of their breed.

Kay Lynn Gleghorn of the Castro County 4-H showed the Breed Champion spotted Poland China, a 250-pound animal that also won first in the heavy-weight classification. It was chosen over 90

other entries in the combined Spotted and Poland China shows.

The 12-year-old daughter of Dwight and Jo Lene Gleghorn of Dimmitt has been

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FRANKIE HUSEMAN of the Nazareth FFA showed the Breed Champion Chester White barrow at the recent Houston Livestock Show. The 256-pound heavy-weight sold for \$30 per pound.



BREED CHAMPION of the Spotted and Poland China barrows at the Houston Livestock Show was shown by Kay Lynn Gleghorn of the Castro County 4-H. The 250-pound animal sold for \$30 per pound.

Science team places third

A team of three science students from Dimmitt High School placed third in team totals and a team member placed in the top 10 in individual scoring at the West Texas State University Regional Junior Engineering Technological Society Contest held recently at WT.

The team of Mark Bruegel, Sandy Schinkus and Chad Thompson came in third out of about 60 teams in the 3A/2A/A division of the competition. 5A/4A was the other division.

Thompson scored in the honors level of the competition, making the top 10 out of approximately 350 entrants.

The competition was based on results of test scores in the areas of mathematics, chemistry and physics.

A nationwide competition, the local contest is sponsored by Texas A&M, and administered by WT. First place winners at the regional level advance to higher competition.

"This is the first year we entered, and I think our team did an excellent job," said science teacher Paul Walden.

Weather

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	60	25
Friday	70	26
Saturday	60	24
Sunday	73	29
Monday	46	28
Tuesday	40	13
Wednesday	52	19
March Moisture	0.00	
1984 Moisture	0.57	

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Next stop: Austin

Senior guard Johnny Schmucker drapes himself with the victory nets from South Plains College's Texan Dome in Levelland following the Nazareth Swifts' 52-46 victory over the Anton Bulldogs for the Region I-A

championship Saturday night. Today [Thursday], the Swifts will enter the state boys' basketball tournament for the second time in the school's history.

Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

Sharon Hamilton of Earth who was killed with her husband Kenny Price Hamilton in a car wreck in Clovis Monday was the sister of Pansy Byers. She and Ricky have spent most of the week in Clovis with Jeff and Jill Hamilton in Clovis High Plains Hospital. They were seriously injured in the two vehicle near head-on collision. They also stayed with them during the funeral services Friday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Earth since they were unable to attend their parents funeral. Kenny Price Hamilton was also a second cousin of Betty Loudder and Janelle Haydon. His father, the late Price Hamilton was their first cousin. Kenny's sister, Charlene Riley, is also the daughter-in-law of Mrs. Furch Riley and a cousin by

marriage to Ray Joe Riley. Several from the community attended the funeral services.

Gene Furr of Earth, father of John Furr Jr. of the community, died of an apparent heart attack Tuesday morning. He was pronounced dead on arrival at West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe. Another son, Jim Furr of Earth is the son-in-law of Eddie and Sherry Haydon. Funeral services for Mr. Furr were in the Earth Church of Christ Thursday afternoon.

Floyd Ivey was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Wednesday afternoon, and underwent major surgery Thursday morning. Their daughter, Hazel Pruitt of Lamesa came Wednesday morning to help get him admitted and to be with them for a few days. Mokey and Katy Ivey of Easter stayed with him Thursday night since they were having to stay with their son, Jimmy, who was admitted Thursday morning with pneumonia. Both were in satisfactory condition Sunday.

Kelly Ballard underwent major surgery in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock Thursday. He is a student at Clarendon College. Monty and Maxine have been with

him most of the time. Maxine came home for the first time Saturday. Kay went down to see him Saturday night and fainted and hit her head as she fell and was in the emergency ward for two hours, but was not admitted.

Erin Bridges flew to Houston Tuesday morning and showed her steer Thursday. Bruce took the steer down last Saturday and they drove home Saturday. Her steer didn't place.

Lynn, Sharon, Brandon, and Cinnamon Cox returned home from Houston Saturday. Cinnamon's Berkshire pig won first place. Brandon's Yorkshire pig won second place. Their lambs did not place.

Hal Gilbreath got back from Houston Friday. His lamb did not place.

L. B. Bowden had to dialyze in Amarillo Monday due to machine failure. The Extracorporeal technician came from Kansas City, Kan. Tuesday and fixed it.

Noah and Ruth Spencer brought their kidney machine home with them nine years ago on Sunday.

John Clymer of Wayland was honored recently at the Wayland Annual Recognition Day Chapel as a recipient of the Association of Former Students Freshman Award as one of three outstanding members of this year's freshman class.

Verna Sadler gave a special emphasis on the Week of Prayer for Home Missions during the Sunday morning services.

The Uppitts gave the Children's Sermon in the Spanish Department Sunday morning.

Dr. Strauss Atkinson had a meeting with the Scripture Distribution/Prospect Discovery Day Committee at the church Sunday afternoon.

Gerald and Pat Elkins flew to Florida Thursday morning to spend a week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stockham in Tequesta and their son Drew.

Chris Elkins and his girlfriend from Olton spent the day Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pierce of Littlefield.

Cliff Brown came home from Iowa Wednesday night and visited with his mother, Mrs. E. R. Brown in the Lubbock Christian Convalescent Center Saturday.

A baby shower honoring Dara Fennell and new baby Brandi Alanna, will be given in the home of Debbie Jones Saturday, March 17 at 2:30. Everyone is invited.

Noah and Ruth Spencer spent last weekend in Mc-Camey with her son, Alan and Rose Shive and Leslie.

Rick and Susie Bell, Caleb and Kacie and Mike and Michele Bell, Zachary and Michele attended the Bobcat games in Lubbock Friday night and again Saturday afternoon to see them win the Regional Tournament.

Tracy Hata has started to the New Covenant Christian School in Muleshoe.

Ezell and Verba Sadler visited with Mancell and Nita McWilliams in Plain-

view Wednesday night and had supper with them. They attended the rock club meeting in Hereford Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Spencer had to have the doctor in South Hills Manor Sunday night but she was not hospitalized.

Verna Sadler and Dr. Strauss Atkinson attended the Pastors and Laymen's Conference at Wayland Baptist University Monday and Tuesday.

John Waggoner missed school Thursday and Friday with a sore throat and high temperature.

Ezell and Verba Sadler attended the Blue Grass Concert in Clovis Saturday night.

Gale and Verna Sadler met Greg and Susan Harmon in Littlefield Friday night for a visit and to have supper together.

Nazareth

By Uirgic Gerber, 945-2669

Nazareth basketball fans were treated to an exciting weekend of basketball in Austin and Levelland. Congratulations to the Swiftettes and Coach Joe Lombard on winning the State title with a 35-0 perfect season record, and to the Swift team on winning regional in Levelland. Coach Lombard credited much of their success to his very efficient assistant coaches, Sandy Oliver and Johnny Hampton. A special thanks to the local businessmen who contributed to make it possible for the games to be broadcast. Many attended a reception for the Swiftette team and coaches at the Nazareth cafeteria Sunday afternoon when they returned from Austin.

A World Day of Prayer for Christian Women, Friday morning at Holy Family Church was well attended by women from Dimmitt and Nazareth. "Living Water from Christ our Hope" was the theme used with Rev. Harold Waldow as leader. The Dimmitt Methodist Presbyterian minister, Rev. Ed Freeman also participated.

Bert Huseman is a patient in High Plains Baptist Hospital where she was taken Friday evening for surgery to repair facial lacerations she

received when some object exploded in a trash barrel. Linda Jo Ramaekers is recuperating from the flu at the Vincent Ramaekers home in Umbarger.

Lesley Brockman, infant daughter of the Ralph Brockmans, was dismissed from the Dimmitt hospital after several days of treatment.

Our sympathy to the family of Sonny Ball who died last night at St. Anthonys Hospital after a long illness.

Jerry Lange is at home to recuperate after having surgery at the Hereford hospital.

Missy and Jenny Brockman, Tami Ball and Brian

Schmucker were all regional winners at the K of C Basketball Free throw contest in Amarillo. They will now compete March 17 at Gregory Gym in Austin. Good luck!

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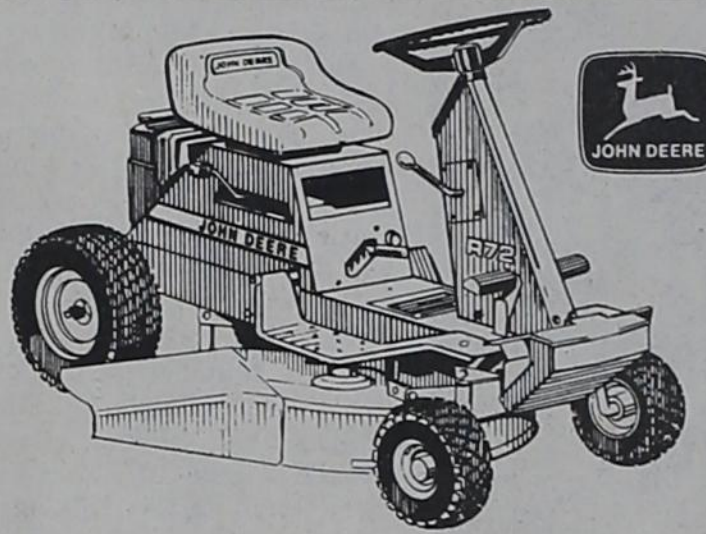
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Correction

In last week's On the Go column it was reported that about 500 attended the recent pancake supper at the Castro County Senior Citizens Center in Dimmitt.

Edith Graef of the center said that 192 were served. Proceeds from the event will benefit the various projects and expenses of the center.



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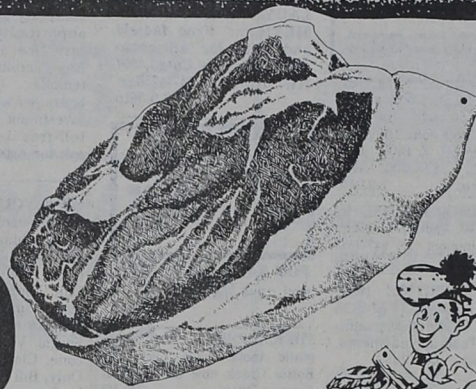
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For Commissioner Pct. 3
Jeff Robertson

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On the Go

With Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Congratulations to the Dimmitt Bobcat basketball boys on their win over Abernathy in the Regional game in Lubbock on Saturday! Now, on to Austin! Wouldn't it be great if they could win State again this year!

Also congratulations to the Nazareth Swiftettes basketball girls on their State win in Austin. And to the Nazareth Swifts basketball boys on their win in Levelland and their chance to go on to Austin. Good luck!

The Deacons of the First Baptist Church held a belated Valentine dinner at K-Bob's honoring their wives. Those enjoying the evening were: Milton and Sandra Bagwell, N. A. and Thelma Bryson, Elmer and Mauzee Youts, John and Faye Walker, Joel Worthington, Hubert and Willie Mae Edwards, Bay and Bobbie Baldridge, Dan and Oma Dee Heard, Jack and Charlene Howell, Joe and Joyce Higgs, Rev. John and Dorothy Street, Gene and Connie Ivey, M. B. and Lucille Odom, Troy and Billie Kirby, Garner and Ysleta Ball, and Elbert and Frances Smith.

The Youth Committee enjoyed a basket lunch after the church services on Sunday. They all brought some good food and those enjoying the food and fellowship were: Cathy and Stacy Jackson, Dan and Oma Dee Heard, Garner and Ysleta Ball, Gene Griffin, Jerry Blackwell, Elbert and Frances Smith, Cliff, Anie, Kerry, and Ronna Lewis, Don, Carolyn, Trampas and Coby Moke, and Lori Glidewell.

The associational youth rally was held at Littlefield recently with Kimberly Peggram and Wes Wellborn as sponsors. Those going from Dimmitt were: Kerry and Ronna Lewis, Jackie Spinherne, Jacalyn and Chad Thompson, Denise Smith, Kerri Collins, and Jason Garibaldi.

Irene Carpenter honored yours truly with an early morning birthday breakfast in her home. She served orange juice, bacon, sausage, scrambled eggs, biscuits, blueberry muffins, strawberry preserves, and coffee to other club members: Oleta Gollohon, Mauzee Youts, Thelma Bryson, Geneva Dennis, Ruth Hays, Hazel Bagwell, Connie Ivey, and Billye Wesson. Floyce George came by to take pictures but she was too

late — everyone had left! Get up earlier next time, Floyce!

Opha Burks was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at the Senior Citizens Center. After eating lunch they enjoyed playing bridge. Oleda Schumacher won high score and Johnnie Vannoy won second high. Others playing were: Alice Collyer, Bernice Hill, Louise Mears, Faun Welker, Ferne Dickey, Josie Bradford, Ruth Skinner, and Susie Reeves.

The last community concert will be The Texas Boys Choir of Fort Worth, to be held in the Dimmitt High School auditorium on Monday, March 12. Don't miss it!

Tammy Stanford, daughter of Johnny and Janet Stanford, president of Alpha Delta Sigma Phi, flew to College Station for a convention to represent the chapter at West Texas State University. They won an award. Tammy came to Dimmitt on Wednesday and brought a friend, Barry Evans, to visit her parents and brothers, Mike and Chris.

The W.M.U. and G.A.'s of the First Baptist Church began their Week of Prayer for Home Missions with a covered dish lunch after the church services on Sunday. Janet Stanford is president of W.M.U., Ettie McDermitt is Mission Program Chairman and Joyce Davis is G. A. Director. The tables were decorated with mission books and plaques and a mobile with missions — Girls in Action — Missions, Others — Missions, Love — Missions, Concern — Missions, Action — Missions, Understanding — and Missions, Knowledge. The Girls in Action Home Mission study followed the lunch with Sheryl Pybus reviewing the book "Ernie's Test" for Kerri Goolsby, Julie Atchley, Nikki Nordell, and Jana Waggoner.

W.M.U. met in the home of Debbie Annen on Monday morning with Irene Carpenter in charge of the program. Vision; A God-given dream. Frontier; The place where God empowers the dream to come true.

On Tuesday the W.M.U. met in the home of Willie Mae Edwards with Vicki Smithson in charge of the program. Vision; A God-inspired hope. Frontier; A spot where God can turn hope into sight.

Several young people and their sponsors went to Lubbock to the Municipal Auditorium to hear Petra, a contemporary Christian Rock Group. Those enjoying the concert were: Kimberly Peggram, Joan Blackwell, Elbert and Frances Smith, Jan and Jill Nelson, Jill Smith, Kerry and Ronna Lewis, Jason Garibaldi, Scott and Kim Blackwell, Chad and Jacalyn Thompson, Jamie Reeve, Denise Smith, Mandi Higgs, and Kerri Collins.

Sharla Street from Lubbock and Mark and Kay Merritt and Lori from Midland were in Dimmitt over the weekend visiting their families; Rev. John and

Dorothy Street, Glenn and Mona Merritt, and Earl and Mabel Brock.

Visiting Elmer and Jewell Scott on Sunday were Billy, Joe and Connie Farris from Dalhart and Joe and Mildred Sanders of Plainview.

Connie and Gene Ivey went to Fort Worth over the weekend to visit their daughter, Laurel Fanning and family. Billye Wesson went along to visit her daughter and family. While the Iveys were there in Fort Worth they went to a soccer game where their grandson, Dallas, (who is 6 years old) was playing. They also went to Sherman and heard the symphony orchestra where Laurel's other son, Brody, played the percussion.

We are proud of Kathy Poer, daughter of Oleta Gollohon, who lives in Plano and has just had a big promotion. Kathy has been appointed as Customer Service Unit Manager for the Puritan Insurance Company in Richardson. Kathy has been with this company for six years in the claims department. Kathy's manager had some very nice things to say about her. He said she was very conscientious about her work and she recognizes the importance of providing the best service in the business. Congratulations, Kathy! Kathy spent a week in Providence, Rhode Island for orientation.

Leo, Tody, and Tommy Hefner of Pittsburg, Texas visited the Terry Ellisons last weekend. Leo is Terry's

uncle. Tommy, Terry's cousin, was thrown from a horse in May of last year in Arizona, and they were finally getting to bring him home to Texas. He'd been in an Arizona hospital since that accident. Leo is quite a musician. They all stayed up nearly all night Friday night singing and playing. Saturday night the Rex Wootens joined them all as they went to Hereford to hear Zelda perform. The Hefners left Sunday morning. In the snow, they got as far as Tulsa where they had to stay until Monday.

We welcome Mrs. E. D. (Robbie) Morgan home from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, where she had surgery.

We also are glad to report others who are back in Dimmitt after being patients in out-of-town hospitals: Chet Braafladt, Mrs. Betty Cartwright and John Merritt.

Special weekend guests of Bryce and Darlene Dowell were relatives from Lubbock,

Darlene's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy O'Brian and Tina, and a friend, Lynn Edney. Mrs. O'Brian is the former Kay Carpenter.

Tina, who serves as financial secretary for the First Baptist Church of Lubbock and sings in the church's University Choir, provided special music for Dimmitt's First Baptist Church's morning worship service. She is a Texas Tech sophomore, majoring in business.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to our Dimmitt residents who have experienced recent sorrow: Mrs.

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Wednesday—
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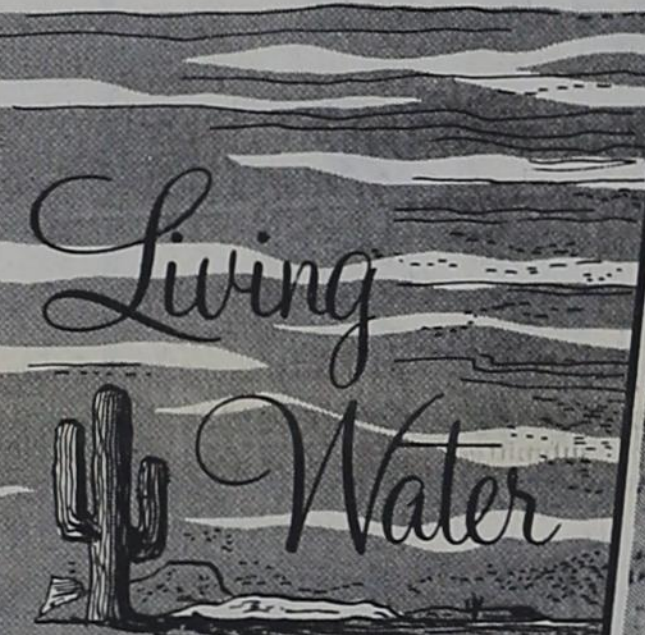
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Wednesday—
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Choir Rehearsal 8:10 p.m.

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Wednesday—
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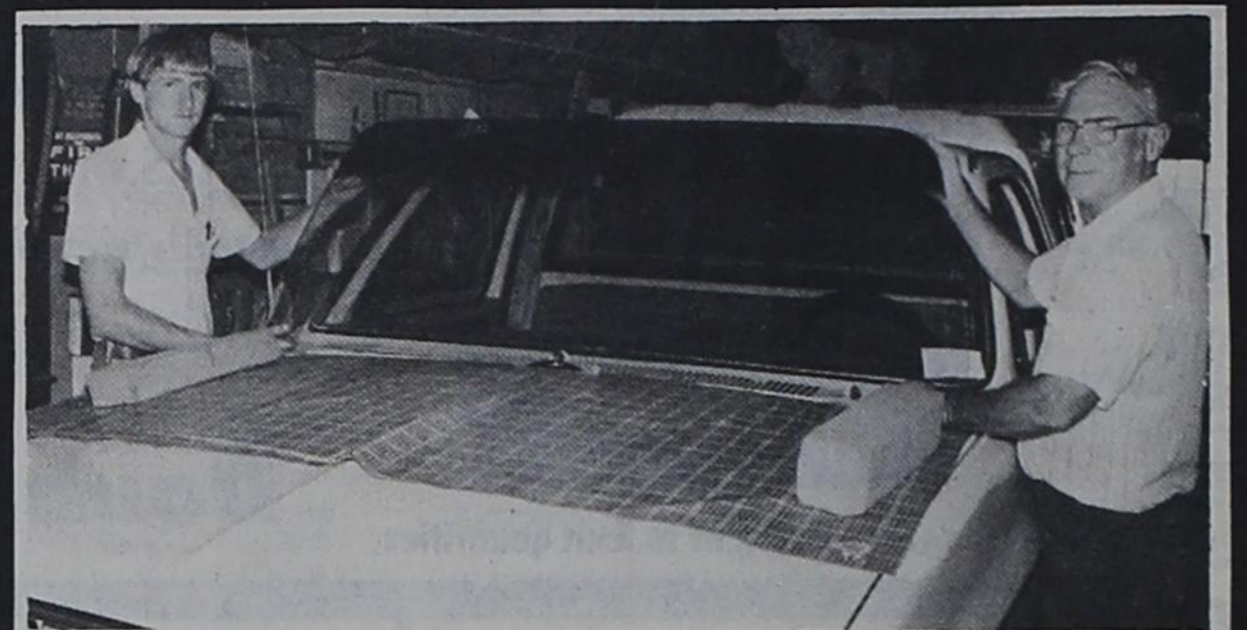
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
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State tourney ...

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The Bobcats left Tuesday morning after a send-off breakfast sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce in the County Expo Building. They worked out at Coleman High School en route, then went on to Austin, where they're staying at the Hilton Inn on I-35 in North Austin. They're traveling in a chartered bus provided by the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club.

Neither Dimmitt Coach Ken Cleveland nor Nazareth Coach Joe Lombard know as much as they'd like to about their first-round opponents.

"I've called around but haven't been able to find out much about New Boston," Cleveland said, "but they're undefeated, and that should tell you something."

The Swifts' semifinals opponent, Ponder, "is supposed to be a super ball club, with five guys who can all shoot and score," Lombard said. "They like to run up and down the court. They just waltzed through regional; nobody even played them a game."

By advancing to the final four in their divisions, the Swifts proved the odds-makers right and the Bobcats proved them wrong.

Nazareth, ranked No. 2 in the state behind Snook, was challenged in the regional finals by a powerful Anton team, but won as expected. Now they're the co-favorites in the state tourney, along with Snook.

Should the Swifts win state, Lombard would be the first coach in UIL history to guide both a girls' and boys' team to state championships the same year. (Coach John Blaine of Dimmitt turned that trick in 1952, but girls' basketball was not a UIL event then.)

"If we go down with the attitude that playing there is like playing anywhere else, and if we play up to our potential, we think we have a shot at winning the whole thing," Lombard said. "Snook is definitely going to be the tourney favorite and Ponder will probably be as good a team as we've played this year. But we think we've definitely got a shot."

The Bobcats, who are unranked, are just glad to be there. They knocked off No. 7 Abernathy in a regional championship thriller Saturday night to earn their third straight trip to the state tourney.

The Bobcats are setting two school records today. This marks the first time

for Dimmitt boys' teams to advance to the state tourney three years in a row, and senior guard Dwight McDonald is the first Bobcat ever to go to three state tournaments.

Dimmitt High has won the Class AAA state title the last two years. Should this year's Bobcats turn the trick, that would be still another school record.

The Bobcats, with no starters and only two varsity squadmen back from last year's undefeated state championship team, barely won more than they lost during the regular season. But they caught fire in the playoffs and have knocked off every opponent but Abernathy by nine to 14 points. What was supposed to be a rebuilding year has turned into another championship season, and they've been tagged by Amarillo sports writer Jon Mark Beilue as "Destiny's Dwarfs" — a nickname they like just fine.

Senior Citizens

Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones. Membership is open to anyone fifty years of age or older without discrimination as to color, race, sex, religion, denominational preference, ethnic background, national origin, economic status, or handicap.

The Center is open daily Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. A nutritious meal is served daily from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Quilting, crafts, and table games are daily activities.

There is an exercise class Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10 a.m. led by Oleda Schumacher.

A Bible study is conducted each Monday noon.

Bridge is played Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings beginning at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge is played on Monday evenings.

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

R.S.V.P. Retired Senior Citizens Volunteer Cooking School will be held Tuesday at 10 a.m. This will be a demonstration on cooking for a small family.

The Ways and Means Committee will meet Tuesday at noon.

There will be an evening of table games Tuesday beginning at 6:30 p.m.

The Advisory Board will have a luncheon meeting on Wednesday.

Legal Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE REVENUE SHARING HANDICAPPED REGULATIONS

This notice is published pursuant to the requirements of Section 51.55 of the Revenue Sharing Regulations, as published in the Federal Register on October 17, 1983. Section 51.55 prohibits discrimination against qualified individuals because of their handicapped status. **CASTRO COUNTY, DIMMITT, TEXAS** advises the public, employees and job applicants that it does not discriminate on the basis of handicapped status in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities.

CASTRO COUNTY has designated the following Oleta Raper, Castro County Treasurer as the contact to coordinate efforts to comply with this requirement. Inquiries should be directed to:

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Separate proposals addressed to Robert Ryan, Superintendent, Dimmitt Independent School District for (1) Repairing ceramic tile wainscoting, and for (2) Installing resilient floor covering in corridors and other areas of the Richardson Elementary School, Dimmitt, Texas will be received at the school administration office, 608 West Halsell, Dimmitt, Texas 79027, until 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 19, 1984.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.

Plans and Specifications may be procured from B G R Architects-Engineers, 2118 — 34th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79411
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LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation is seeking financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation. Grant funds will be used to provide operational support for existing rural human service transportation in Potter, Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Hall, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Parmer, Randall, Swisher, Wheeler, Gray, Childress, Sherman, Hansford, Ochiltree, Roberts and Oldham Counties and expand those services to non-social service clients on a space available basis. Copies of the grant proposal are available for inspection by the public at: Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation, 1605 West Seventh Avenue, Amarillo, Texas. Any person wishing to request a public hearing on the proposed project must submit that request in writing to: Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation, P.O. Box 32150, Amarillo, Texas or at the above address prior to March 20, 1984.
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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids addressed to the City of Dimmitt, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 6:30 p.m., March 19, 1984 and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for seal coating city streets.

Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City or a bid bond in the same

amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered.

The successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

Plans, specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the office of Bill R. McMorries & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas 79109, on deposit of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per set which sum so deposited will be refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorries & Associates, Inc. not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; or (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorries & Associates, Inc. at the time that bids are opened.

CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS
By: R.L. Fleming, Mayor
15-24-1tc

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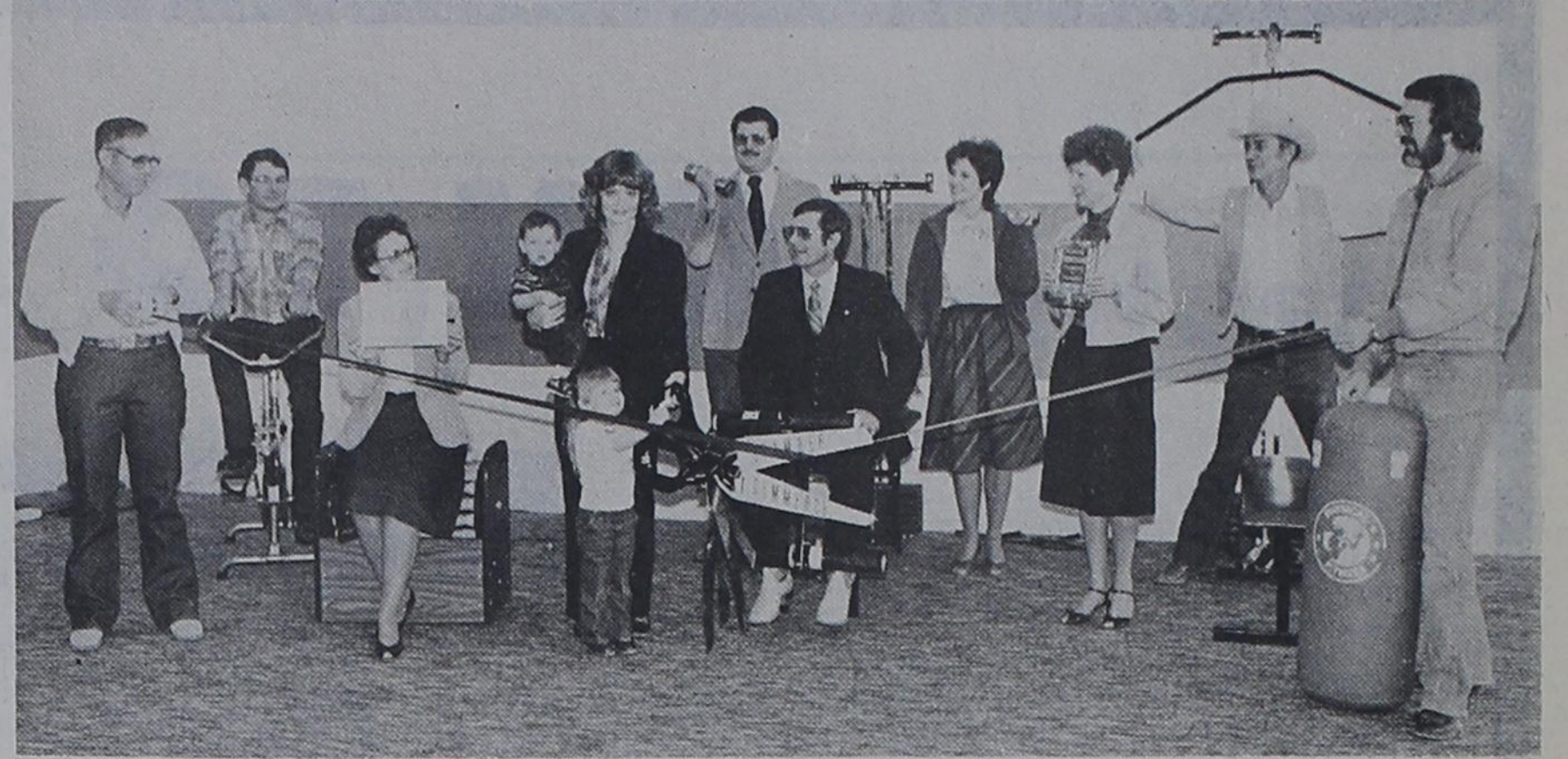
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A BICYCLE rig is used when fishing for heavy fish at extreme depths. It utilizes a hand- or foot-cranked winch, often made with bicycle parts.



RIBBON-CUTTING for Kathyna Wiseman's new Fitness Center at 105 N. Broadway was held last Thursday morning. Here, Chamber of Commerce directors take to the exercise equipment while President George Sides (left) and Jim Killingsworth hold the ribbon so 3-year-old Mandy Wiseman can do the honors with the oversized scissors.

Others, from left, are Roger Malone, Clara Patton, Mrs. Wiseman and her eight-month-old son, Matt, Doug Pybus, Joe Josselet, Delores Heller, Martha Jo Hyman and Bill Henderson. The Fitness Center features gymnastics classes daily for all ages, plus individual workout hours.

Kids, Inc. basketball starts March 17

March 17 will be the first workouts for the 329 boys and girls signed up for this year's Kids, Inc. basketball program.

In an organizational meeting held last Thursday night, coaches were assigned and they drew for players and team names. They will notify their players before workouts begin, and rosters will also be posted in the schools. The rosters average 10 players per team.

The first game night will be March 19. Minor League teams will play in the middle school gym and Major Leagues will play in the high school gym. Each league will play a round-robin schedule, with each team playing at least two games a week, with the season ending in mid-April.

The boys formed eight Major League teams (5th and 6th graders) and eight Minor League teams (3rd and 4th graders). The boys will generally play on Tuesdays and Fridays. Generally scheduled to play on Mondays and Thursdays, the girls formed nine Minor League teams and eight Major League teams.

Organizers of the basketball program this year are Rhonda Rutkowski, Prissy Boothe and Jerry Heller. Kids, Inc. officers are Jerry Stump, president; Henry Ramaekers, vice-president; and David Schaeffer, secretary-treasurer.

"We really appreciate the people who volunteered to coach and work with the program this year. I'm really proud of them," Mrs. Rutkowski said.

Teams and coaches are listed below.

GIRLS MINOR LEAGUE
Cougars — Eddie Matthews.

Broncos — Lonnie Strickland and Acie Boyd.

Frogs — Jack and Jan Edwards.

Longhorns — David Schaeffer and Eddie Sutton.
Owls — Cheryl Glidewell, Molly Gay Waggoner and Vicki Clary.

Mustangs — Mandy and Leroy Ramirez.

Raiders — Donna Schilling and Judy Edwards.

Bears — Ray Bradley and Stan Byrnes.

Aggies — Alice Barrios.

GIRLS MAJOR LEAGUE
Raiders — Martha Jo

Hyman and Doris Petty.

Cougars — Joe Josselet.

Frogs — Shirley Hanson, Tammie Washington and Kim Howell.

Bears — Lisa Ramirez and Larry Jackson.

Longhorns — Mary Lou Lumbrera.

Mustangs — Trudy Derick and Lou Griffith.

Owls — Amelia Barrera and Corina Montalvo.

Aggies — Cathy Jackson and Kay Welch.

BOYS MINOR LEAGUE
Mustangs — Rita McDaniel.

Bears — David Nino and Danny Martinez.

Aggies — Meredith Cleavinger and Tami Griffith.

Longhorns — Brock Merritt and Francis Acker.

Raiders — Charles Summers and Don Moore.

Owls — Andy Rogers and Jerry Heller.

Cougars — Mike Wardlaw and Gary Langford.

Frogs — Pete Garza and Pete Fuentes.

BOYS MAJOR LEAGUE
Aggies — Jerry Heller.

Longhorns — Larry Gonzales and Margorito Garza.

Frogs — Dan Petty and Donnie Nelson.

Raiders — George Lamberth and Richard Stahl.

Cougars — Dwight McDonald and Robert Nelson.

Mustangs — Nathan Nelson and Michael Love.

Owls — Alex Saenz.

Bears — Buddy Jennings and Mike Smothermon.

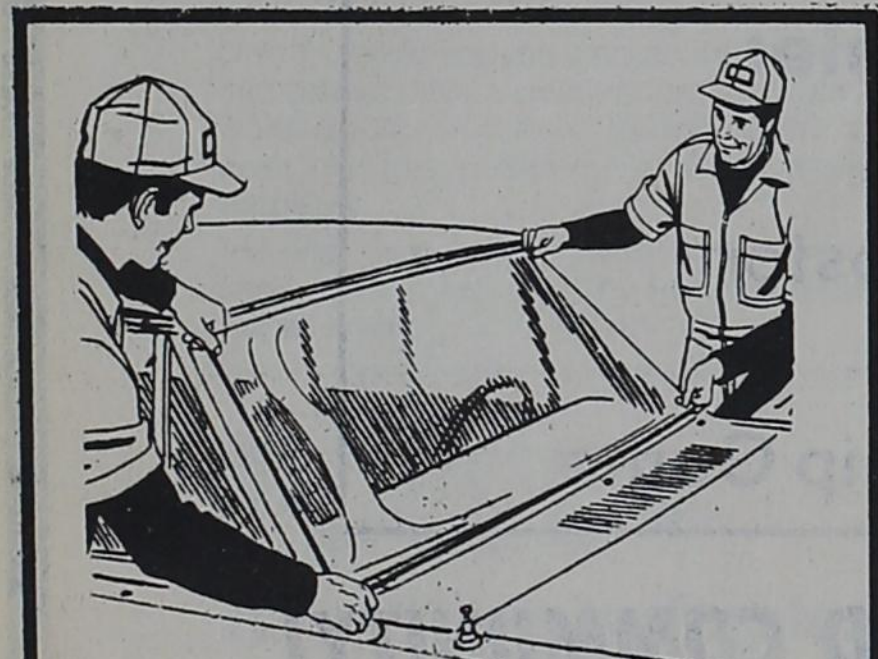
Presbyterian happenings

Bill and Doris McClenney were received into the membership of the Presbyterian Church on reaffirmation of their faith in Jesus Christ Sunday, March 4, at the Communion service.

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible class will meet at the manse; all other classes will meet at the church.

"Lent: Let's Eliminate Negative Thinking" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the church worship service at 11 a.m.

There will be a mid-week Lenten service on Wednesday, March 14, at 7 p.m.



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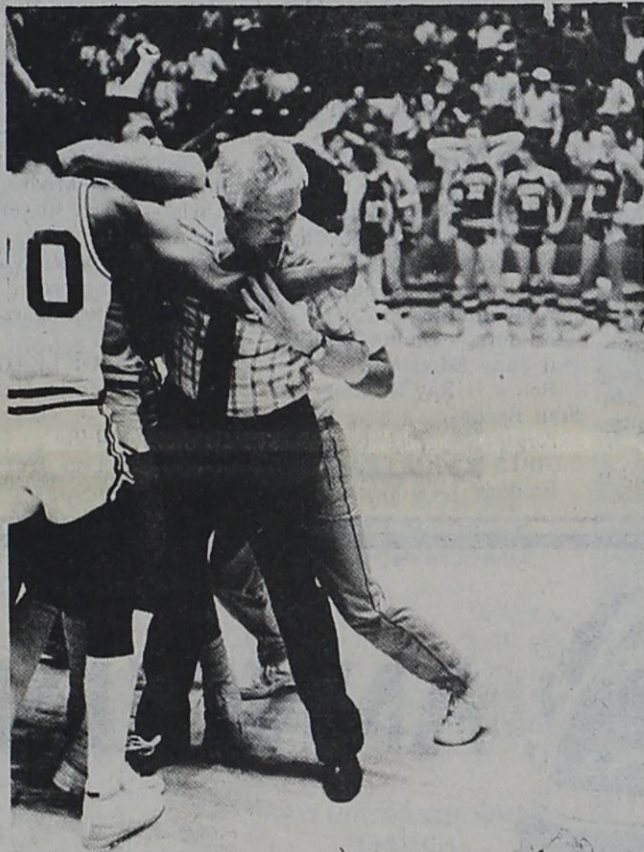
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ON TO STATE, BOBCATS



SEND-OFF BREAKFAST—Chamber of Commerce President George Sides introduces the Bobcats and their coaches during a community send-off breakfast before the team left for Austin Tuesday morning to play in their third state tournament in a row. More than 350 enjoyed breakfast, humorous skits and a spirit rally.



DISTRACTION—Celebrating is fun, but glasses are glasses. Coach Ken Cleveland, being hugged by his jubilant players after their regional championship victory Saturday, struggles to pick up his knocked-off glasses before they get crushed in the mob scene on the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum floor. [Yes, he got to them in time.]



THE PRIZE—Dimmitt's joyous Bobcats accept the Region I-AAA basketball championship trophy—the third in a row for DHS—after defeating Abernathy, 63-61, in the title game Saturday afternoon in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum. The Bobcats downed Crane, 59-50, in the semifinals to set up the championship showdown against their District 2-AAA rivals.



State Tournament Schedule:

THURSDAY:

2 p.m. — Dimmitt vs. New Boston

SATURDAY:

11 a.m. — State Championship Game

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Sports

Bobcats stun 'Lopes, 63-61, in title contest

By DON NELSON
Four times they had fired shots in the last six seconds of two earlier games against Abernathy. If any one of the four had fallen, they would have beaten the region's top-ranked team. But all four shots had rimmed out, and they had lost both games by a point.

But Saturday afternoon in Lubbock, the law of averages caught up when it counted the most. Dwight McDonald drove three-fourths of the length of the court in five seconds, then lofted a 12-footer from the lane. It swished through the net a split second before the buzzer went off, and the Dimmitt Bobcats were the Region I-AAA basketball champions.

The spunky Bobcats had clawed their way back from a 12-point deficit — just as they had clawed their way from a runner-up finish in district, through the playoffs to the regional finals — to tie the score at 61-61 in the final minute of the regional championship game against their old district rivals.

After McDonald sank the 61-61 free throw with 54 seconds left, Abernathy ran the clock down to 10 seconds, then Chester Cooper put up the Antelopes' final shot. It bounded off the rim and Dimmitt's Robert Nelson snared it. Dimmitt called time out with six seconds left.

Coach Ken Cleveland instructed senior post Brad Holcomb to inbound the ball to either McDonald or the other senior wing man, Richard Saucedo.

"I told them to go as far as they could and put it up," Cleveland said, "and if they picked us up too quick, to lay it off, but to be sure not to charge. We had worked on that tactic I don't know how long ago, with the clock set on six seconds and eight seconds. I just showed them you could dribble down the

court and get a shot away in that amount of time. It's not something we work on regularly."

The tall, talented Antelopes didn't challenge McDonald.

"Anytime the game is tied up and you've got the ball, the defense just has to be cautious," Cleveland explained. "That's one of the factors."

Holcomb promised in the huddle that he'd get the ball in to either McDonald or Saucedo, although McDonald didn't really think Abernathy would let them do it.

When play resumed, Holcomb lined up in front of the Dimmitt bench, then whipped a clear pass to McDonald.

"After I first got the ball, this guy was coming up, and I cut around him and got to the middle of the court, and there was nobody there," McDonald said. "There was a guy standing over there with Robert, and he just stood there and looked at me as I came on, and I just kept thinking to myself, 'Man, don't charge.'"

McDonald pulled up just inside the free-throw line, and with an Abernathy player trying to block his shot, he jumped and lofted the ball in the final second.

Then everything happened in mind-searing 1-2-3 succession: the ball swished through the net, the buzzer sounded, and the coliseum exploded with the sudden sonic boom of 4,500 voices.

Then came the mob scene. With the jubilant Bobcats leaping into the air, fans poured onto the coliseum floor and two of them hoisted McDonald onto their shoulders.

With the scoreboard beaming the 63-61 message, several of the Abernathy players sank to the floor, sobbing, their dream shattered.

It was several spastic

minutes before tournament officials could restore order in the coliseum and present the Bobcats with the regional championship trophy — their third in three years.

From the opening tip, the game between the underdog Bobcats and the taller, state-ranked Antelopes was just as exciting as fans expected it to be.

Dimmitt went ahead first — for the first time this year — at 4-0, but the score was nip-and-tuck until Abernathy struck for a 19-14 lead by the end of the first quarter.

The game went in surges. Dimmitt fought its way to a 28-23 advantage midway in the second, but Abernathy countered with an 11-point run to go ahead, 36-28. At halftime, the Antelopes owned a 36-30 lead.

When the second half opened, Abernathy struck for six more unanswered points and the Bobcats found themselves down by 12, 42-30, with 5:30 left in the third. The Bobcats called time.

"I told them just to keep their poise and keep on plugging," Cleveland said. "If we were to lose our composure and fold, we might have lost by 20."

"I think that when we were 12 points down and fighting back, that was the most confident I was in the whole game," Holcomb said. "I went past Abernathy's bench and Irbeck (the Antelopes' coach), man, his eyes were wide open. Teal was in foul trouble; he knew what we could do; and I think he knew it wasn't over."

Indeed it wasn't. Nathan Nelson, whose main job had been to sag on Teal and battle for rebounds, popped two quick shots from outside and Dwight McDonald sank three more baskets and a free throw to lead Dimmitt's comeback surge. A Nelson free throw pulled Dimmitt within a point at 48-49 with six seconds left in the third.



CONFRONTATION—Dimmitt's Nathan Nelson [21] and Pat McDonald confront Abernathy's Sammy Galloway in the regional championship game Saturday night in Lubbock. Galloway kept Abernathy in the game by scoring 23 points, his best performance against the Bobcats all year, but it wasn't enough as the Bobcats won, 63-61. Coach Ken Cleveland lauded Nelson for his rebounding against Crane in the semifinals and his board play and clutch shooting in the championship game.

Then the Antelopes pulled off the game's first six-second trick. Galloway fought through Dimmitt's full-court press and tossed up a 40-footer from just inside the midcourt line, and it swished through at the buzzer to give Abernathy a

51-48 lead going into the final stanza.

Dimmitt regained the lead at 56-55 with 4:36 remaining when Holcomb sank a 15-footer. Twenty-six seconds later, Teal fouled out when he was whistled for charging Holcomb. The all-stater finished his final game with 21 points, 16 rebounds — and a bad call.

"He didn't charge me," Holcomb admitted.

BOBCATS 63, ABERNATHY 61
(Region I-AAA Championship)

Dimmitt 14 30 48 63
Abernathy 19 36 51 61

SCORING — Dimmitt: Dwight McDonald 24, Brad Holcomb 14, Pat McDonald 10, Nathan Nelson 7, Richard Saucedo 6, Nick Martinez 2. Abernathy: Ed Teal 21, Sammy Galloway 23, Chester Cooper 11, Cody Jones 4, Brian Smith 2.

Floor Play — Holcomb 10R, 5A; N. Nelson 8R; P. McDonald 7R; D. McDonald 9C; Saucedo 5C.

FG — Dimmitt: 27/56, 48%.

FT — Dimmitt: 9/13, 69%. Abernathy 11/16, 69%.

Total Fouls — Dimmitt 19, Abernathy 18. Fouled Out: E. Teal, Abernathy; P. McDonald, Dimmitt. Technical: D. McDonald, Dimmitt.

Rebounds — Dimmitt 23, Abernathy 26.

Records: Dimmitt 20-13, Abernathy 28-7.

What's Cooking?

Nazareth
Here are the lunch menus for the Nazareth schools for the week of March 12-16.

MONDAY — Tacos, cauliflower, hot buttered bread, pears, milk.

TUESDAY — Hamburgers, French fries, pudding, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Corn dogs, pork and beans, cole slaw, fruit salad, milk.

THURSDAY — Spaghetti and meat sauce, peas, hot rolls, potato salad, apple cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY — Fish, macaroni and cheese, green beans, hot rolls, peaches, milk.

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Twenty seconds after that — with 3:50 left in the game — Dimmitt postman Pat McDonald fouled out after scoring 10 points and collecting seven rebounds.

The Bobcats built their lead to three points twice in the final minutes, but the sharp-shooting Antelopes wouldn't let them hold it. A 10-foot bank shot by Cooper at 2:02 and two free throws by Galloway at 1:12 put the Antelopes back into the lead, 61-60.

McDonald sank a free throw to tie it up, and the stage was set for the final 54 seconds of intense action which vaulted the Bobcats

into the state tournament. "I really didn't expect it to go down to the last shot," Cleveland said. "I guess the two teams are just that even, and the law of averages

finally caught up." He added, "I'm glad Dwight's last shot went in, because I'd have hated to go into an overtime. You never know what might happen."

Volleyball tourney set

The Nazareth Senior class is sponsoring a volleyball tournament March 15-17 and the entry fee is \$30 per team.

For information or to enter call Francis Kern at 945-2219, or Anne Birkenfeld at 945-2538.

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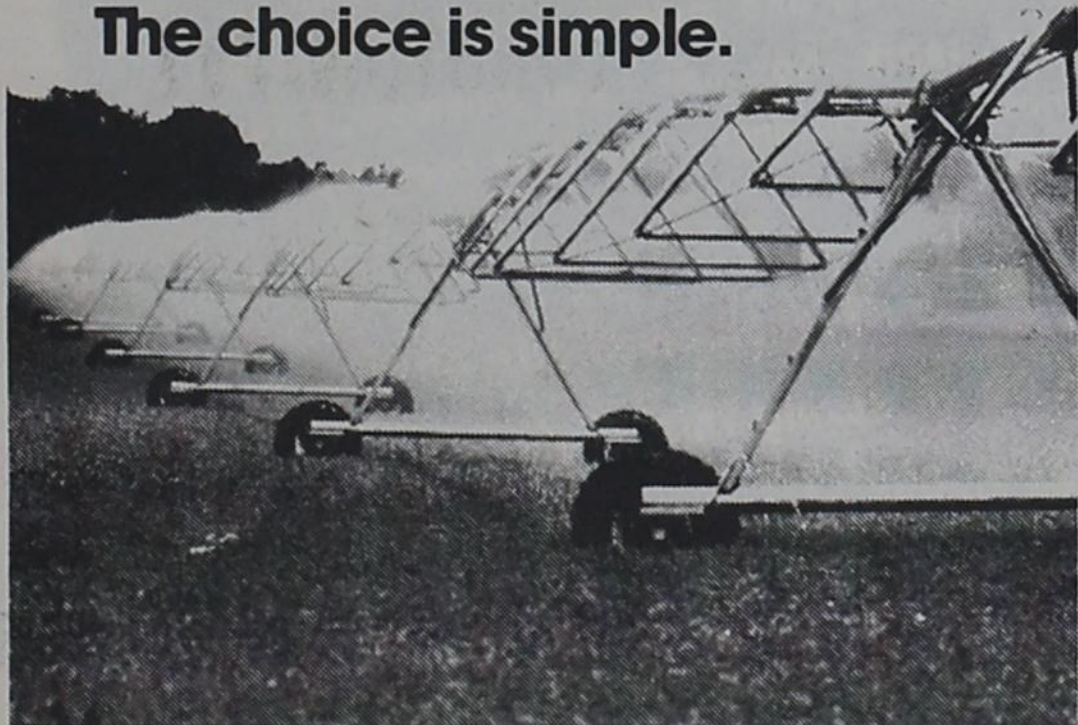
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Obituaries

Florence J. "Sonny" Ball

Florence J. "Sonny" Ball, 79, of Nazareth, died at 5:30 a.m. Monday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo after a lengthy illness.

Rosary was at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the C.C.D. building in Nazareth.

Mass of Christian Burial was at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Family Church with the Rev. Harold Waldow, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Holy Family Cemetery under direction of Wallace Funeral Home of Tulia.

Born July 2, 1904 in Saint Bernard, Neb., Mr. Ball moved to Nazareth in 1933. He married Mildred Kleman Feb. 28, 1938 in Nazareth. He was a retired farmer and a member of Holy Family Catholic Church of Nazareth.

Survivors include his wife; six daughters, Twila Bingham and Renee, both of Nazareth, Odetta Robison of Amarillo, Pat Simants of Shallowater, Sharolyn Northcutt of Dumas and Valeria Griffin of Canyon; three sons, Kirk, Kyle and Darryl, all of Nazareth; a sister, Mrs. Walter (Isabell) Schulte of Nazareth; and 16 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Mr. Ball's nephews.

Ellen Hamilton

Funeral services for Ellen Hamilton, 59, of Broken Arrow, Okla., the mother of a Flagg woman, were held

Feb. 28 in Broken Arrow. Mrs. Hamilton died Feb. 25.

She is survived by her husband, Gerald T. Hamilton; three daughters, Linda Martin of Flagg, Pamela Ann Brady of Shawnee, Okla., and Maryellen Joplin of Brownfield.

C. H. James

Funeral services for Castro County native C. H. James, 56, of Tulia are set for 2 p.m. today (Thursday) at Parsons Funeral Home Chapel in Dimmitt with Dorman Dugan, pastor of Hereford Community Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home. An AA memorial service was held Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at Driskill Halfway House in Tulia.

Mr. James died at 7:50 a.m. in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia after a brief illness.

Born Dec. 8, 1927 in Castro County, he married the former Peggy Wesson in Amarillo on Nov. 17, 1944. Mr. James was a Swisher County resident for the past 6 years, and he was the director of Driskill Halfway House in Tulia. He was a member of Hereford Community Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Joe James of Hereford; two daughters, Chris Maples of Spencer, Okla., and Ann Johnson of Brownwood; three sisters, Katie James of Dimmitt, Billie Wesson of Dimmitt, and

Eugenia Beaird of Brownwood; a brother, Glenn James of Harrison, Ark.; and seven grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Driskill Halfway House, P.O. Box 23, Tulia, 79088.

Pallbearers will be W. A. Hawkins, Bill Zeeck, Buddy Rousseau, Clarence Hall, Bob Keeter, and L. D. "Tag" Johnson.

Cora Taylor

Funeral services for Cora Taylor, 88, of Wellington, the sister of a Dimmitt woman, were held Friday at the Wellington Church of Christ with Haum Kite, Minister, officiating.

Burial was in Quail Cemetery by Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors. Mrs. Taylor died Feb. 28 in Lubbock.

Born at Ardmore, Okla., she married Claude C. Taylor in 1913 at Ringling, Okla. They moved to Collingsworth County in 1925. Mrs. Taylor was preceded in death by her husband in 1974 and by a son, C. C. Taylor Jr., in 1962.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Buel Taylor of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Riley Dunson of Wellington and Mrs. Jess Roundtree of Dimmitt; three granddaughters; and four great-grandchildren.

March 11-17 is Surveyors Week

Next week, March 11-17, has been declared National Surveyors Week by a joint resolution of the US Congress, with President Ronald Reagan expected to sign a formal proclamation.

The proclamation urges "the people of the United States to observe the week with appropriate ceremonies and activities paying tribute to professional surveyors and their contribution to society."

John H. Alldredge of Dimmitt is the Castro County

Surveyor and the only state-licensed surveyor in the entire county.

Alldredge, 76, was appointed to the post of county surveyor by the county commissioners in 1954, and has held the position ever since.

"I learned surveying partly through a six-week engineering course I took at A&M in 1937," he said. "The rest I picked up through on-the-job training and what I taught myself through experience."

Order windbreak trees by March 16

The deadline for ordering wind break trees through the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District will be March 16.

There is still a good selection of trees available, according to Gary Rainwater of the SCS office.

The following bare-root trees are still available through the District: caragana, cottoncane, honeysuckle, lilac, plum, sumac, sand cherry, Nanking cherry, sage, ash, elm, cottonwood, golden willow, hackberry, honey locust, Russian olive, poplar, Austrian pine, pon-

derosa pine, scotch pine, eastern red cedar, and Colorado blue spruce. The price of these trees are \$20 per 50 trees.

"We still have the following potted trees available: Austrian pine, ponderosa pine, scotch pine, eastern red cedar, and Colorado blue spruce," Rainwater said. "These trees are \$40 per 30 trees."

If you are thinking about planting a wind break, come by the SCS office located in the Hi-Plains Savings and Loan Building, or call 647-4324.

Police calls

Law enforcement officers arrested four men and one woman during the week.

A 35-year-old Hereford man, and a Hereford woman, 20, both were arrested this week on DWI charges. The woman also was charged with resisting arrest and speeding.

A Dimmitt man, 26, was arrested for disorderly conduct Saturday.

Last Thursday a Summerfield man, 59, was charged with arson.

A 52-year-old Plainview man was arrested for public intoxication.

Police are investigating the theft of a tire and wheel belonging to Terry Mixson of Dimmitt. The theft occurred at 200 B. Circle Drive. The estimated value of the tire and wheel is \$184.

Police also are investigating an incident which resulted in the damage of a tire and hub cap on a car belonging to Tanya Polivoda.

Fire calls

At 1:45 p.m. Monday, 15 men and three fire units responded to a house fire at a home one mile east of Five Point.

Jose Gill Jr. lives in the house, but no one was home when the fire started.

Apparently a wall outlet shorted out in the living room causing minor fire damage around the outlet and light smoke damage through the rest of the house.

A&M reveals honor lists

Four local students were recently named to honor lists at Texas A&M University.

Dimmitt, a senior health education major; and Timothy M. Wales of Dimmitt, a sophomore agronomy major.

Three were named to the Dean's Honor Roll, requiring at least a 3.75 grade point average out of a possible 4.0 while taking at least 15 semester hours. They are Rodney G. Kleman of Nazareth, a senior animal science major; Robin S. Ryan of

Dimmitt, a junior veterinary medicine major, earned "Distinguished Student" status with at least a 3.25 grade point average while taking at least 15 semester hours.

TULIA LIVESTOCK AUCTION REPORT

A total of 1940 cattle & calves sold at Tulia Livestock Auction, Fri. Mar. 2. The market was active with good buyer attendance. Good stocker calves were fully steady, choice feeder hfrs. steady - choice feeder str. \$1.00 to instances \$2.00 lower. Packer cows and bulls were fully steady.

Representative sales included:

Randy Campbell - Kress - Blk. hfr. - 850# - \$63.25
Arthur Patrick - Quitaque Blk. wf. str. - 810# - \$68.50
Johnny Burson - Silverton - Mf. cow - 1010# - \$47.50
Bryan Schott - Silverton - 11 Hol. str. - 729# - \$51.00
Sun-Vue Farms - Hart - 13 Blk. wf. str. - 594# - \$69.50
C. E. Monroe - Plainview - 3 Blk. wf. str. - 663# - \$69.75
James Adams - Tulia - 10 char. hfrs. - 617# - \$63.50
Eston Breiting - Tulia - 17 Blk. wf. str. - 696# - \$69.40
James Stockett - Wayside - 8 mx. hfrs. - 731# - \$63.30
John Norfleet - Hart - 14 Blk. wf. hfrs. - 654# - \$64.00
Ray Tomsu, Jr. - Kress - 15 crossbred str. - 615# - \$69.70
Larry Curry - Silverton - 14 char. hfr. - 536# - \$62.20
Alvin Kleman - Nazareth - 10 Blk. wf. str. - 753# - \$68.60
Bill Goyne - Plainview - 7 Blk. wf. str. - 683# - \$68.70
Dale Swinburn - Tulia - 14 wf. str. - 746# - \$68.50
T. L. Abernathy - Tulia - 26 wf. str. - 667# - \$67.75
Arnold Huseman - Nazareth - 14 Mx. str. - 696# - \$68.90
Hoyet Burnam - Tulia - 82 mx. str. - 614# - \$67.75

A partial list of consignments for Special Stocker & Feeder Sale - Mar. 16.
48 Crossbred hfrs. - 575#
145 Crossbred Strs. - 650#
415 No. 1 Okie & Crossbred Strs. - 550# to 650#
Remember - sale time is 10 a.m. Fridays!

Rotary to meet

The Dimmitt Rotary Club will hold its Friday luncheon meeting at K-Bob's in Dimmitt.

The club had planned to meet at the Dimmitt High School cafeteria in honor of Public School Week, but school has been cancelled because of the state basketball tournament.

At Friday's meeting of the club, members were informed by Club President David Schaeffer that the meeting room at K-Bob's, where the

club usually meets, will soon be partially glassed-in to help reduce the noise level from surrounding rooms, according to the restaurant's management.

Shelly Rice, R.N., presented the program, speaking on the soon-to-be-in-operation Home Health Care Program under the auspices of Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

Guests at the meeting were Interact members Sharla Richards and Kyla Booser.

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Swifts capture Class 1A regional crown



RICHARD SAUCEDA STEALS CRANE PASS
... And scores to give Bobcats 40-34 lead in third

Bobcats whip Crane in regional semis

Dimmitt's Bobcats finished with a seven-point flurry in the final two minutes to earn a hard-fought 59-50 victory over Crane in the Region I-AAA semifinals Friday night in Lubbock.

Dimmitt trailed by 14-18 after the first quarter; the score was tied 28-28 at halftime; and the Bobcats owned a 42-41 lead going into the final stanza of the closely fought game.

The lead changed hands nine times and the score was tied 14 times before Dimmitt went ahead for good at 45-44 on a 10-footer by Dwight McDonald with six minutes left.

Fouls and free throws turned out to be the difference in the game as each team sank 21 field goals. Although the Bobcats didn't shoot well from the charity line (17 of 34), Crane committed 23 fouls to Dimmitt's 17 and sent the Bobcats to the line often enough to make the difference. The Golden Cranes, meanwhile, weren't having any better luck at the free-throw stripe (8 of 15).

Still, the Golden Cranes stayed within striking distance almost until the last minute, behind the superb

outside shooting of Gus Walker (19 points).

But while four Crane players were scoring in double figures, Dimmitt's inside defense completely shut down 6-3 post forward Kenny Walker, who had averaged 18 points per game during the season. Walker didn't score, and fouled out in the fourth quarter.

After Dwight McDonald's basket put Dimmitt ahead 45-44 early in the fourth, Robert and Nathan Nelson rang up seven of the Bobcats' next eight points — five of them on free throws — to keep the Golden Cranes at bay.

Nathan Nelson's final free throw with 1:46 left put the Bobcats ahead by 53-50. Saucedo added a basket on a fast break at the 1:02 mark, and with 38 seconds remaining, Robert Nelson pretty well sealed the win when he sank two free throws to give Dimmitt a 57-50 advantage. Pat McDonald scored the game's final basket with six seconds left to finish with 12 points.

"Crane had a much better outside game than most of the teams we've played," Dwight McDonald said.

"Gus Walker could put it up right in your face with you standing there looking at him," Saucedo added. "He was the best outside player we played all year, except maybe Sheppard from Bovina."

"I don't know if we played as well as we're capable of," Holcomb said, "but I don't know if we could have beaten them any more than we did."

"I was tickled with the way our kids took control there at the end," Coach Cleveland said. "I think Nathan Nelson played a big role in that game for us. He got 11 rebounds — key rebounds that we really needed. He just goes in and does some good stuff and gets some things going. And Robert and Pat came through on those free throws. It was a good win for our kids against a good team."

More about Locals place ...

(Continued from Page 1) showing livestock for only two years, and this was her first Houston showing. Her barrow, which was also named breed champion in the Castro County show, brought \$30 per pound in the Houston sale, for a total \$7,500.

The Breed Champion Chester White was shown by Nazareth FFA'er Frankie Huseman, 16, son of Dennis and Catherine Huseman.

A 256-pound heavy-weight, the animal won first in its weight class and won top honors over 124 other Chester Whites. It was also named breed champion at the Nazareth stock show.

A bid of \$30 per pound was made at the Houston sale for a total of \$7,680 for the animal.

Other first place honors went to Cinnamon Cox of the Dimmitt FFA with her Berkshire barrow and to Pam Anthony of the Dimmitt FFA with her Chianina steer.

Others who placed are listed below.

BARROWS
Cross Breed — 2. Brian Nelson, Castro 4-H; 16. Joel Nelson, Dimmitt FFA; 18. Trevor Peterson, Hart FFA; 20. Roger Schulte, Nazareth FFA; 22. Howard Steffens,

Nazareth FFA.
Berkshire — 13. Nikki Schulte, Castro 4-H; 20. Kim Gleghorn, Dimmitt FFA.
Duroc — 4. Scott Huseman, Castro 4-H; 7. Robert Green, Dimmitt FFA; 15. Sue Crozier, Dimmitt FFA.
Hampshire — 4. Scott Lane, Dimmitt FFA; 11. Darrell Ethridge, Hart FFA; 14. Brady Nelson, Dimmitt FFA; 16. Teresa Jackson, Hart FFA; 20. Traci Jeffcoat, Hart FFA.
Poland — 3. Bart Huseman, Nazareth FFA.
Other Pure Breed — 2. Brandon Cox, Dimmitt FFA; 5. Amy Standlee, Castro 4-H; 8. Doug Nelson, Dimmitt FFA; 16. Anessa Scott, Dimmitt FFA.
STEERS
Maine-Anjou — 5. Kay Lynn Gleghorn, Castro 4-H; Angus — 7. Charlynn Hunter, Dimmitt FFA.
SCRAMBLE
Holstein heifer — 4. John Klemm, Nazareth FFA. (Also, 5th in Junior Breeding Class).
Shorthorn heifer — 3. Kim Drerup, Nazareth FFA. (Also, 6th in Junior Breeding Class).

BOBCATS 59, CRANE 50
(Regional Semifinals)
Dimmitt 14 28 42 59
Crane 18 28 41 50
SCORING — Dimmitt: Dwight McDonald 15, Pat McDonald 12, Richard Saucedo 12, Brad Holcomb 8, Robert Nelson 8, Nathan Nelson 4. Crane: Gus Walker 19, Joe Vasquez 11, Jim Vasquez 10, Jody Tovar 10.
Floor Play — Holcomb 16R; N. Nelson 11R; Saucedo 6C.
FG — Dimmitt: 21/44, 48%. Crane: 21/63, 33%.
FT — Dimmitt: 17/34, 50%. Crane 8/15, 53%.
Total Fouls — Dimmitt 17, Crane 23. **Fouled Out:** K. Walker, Jim Vasquez, Crane; D. McDonald, Dimmitt.
Rebounds — Dimmitt 29, Crane 25.
Records — Dimmitt 19-13, Crane 20-7.

Justice moves to new office

Justice Real Estate this week moved its office to 106 W. Bedford, across the street from where the business has been located since 1974.

Virgil Justice, owner of the real estate firm, now shares a suite of offices with Farmers Union Insurance (Jerry Stump) and H. W. Golden.

Justice sold his building at 115 W. Bedford recently to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce, but had kept his office there until March 1.

PULLETS are exposed to 23 to 24 hours of daily light during the first week of life to minimize brooding problems.

"Save Lombard a Hectic Weekend — Beat Nazareth" said an opposing school's big sign in the Texan Dome in Levelland during the Region I-A boys' basketball tournament.

But nobody could beat Nazareth and Coach Joe Lombard enjoyed his hectic weekend very much, thanks, as he flew back from Austin twice to guide his Swifts to the regional championship.

Meanwhile, Lombard's Swiftettes were winning their seventh state championship in Austin.

The Swifts, using their superior all-around height and hot-hand shooting, gunned down Booker 75-30, Sundown 63-40 and Anton 52-46 to capture the second regional boys' basketball championship in the school's history.

Lombard was on hand for the Swifts' first-round game against Booker Friday night, turned the reins over to Assistant Coach Johnny Hampton for the Sundown game Saturday morning, and was back on the Swifts' bench for their championship contest against Anton Saturday night.

"I thought we played a super ball game against Booker, and did a good job on both offense and defense," Lombard said. "Coach Hampton said we let down a little Saturday morning against Sundown, and I didn't think we played our best against Anton in the championship game Saturday night."

"Of course, Anton was one of the best Class A teams we've played all year," he added. "I think they're on a par with Abernathy."

The Swifts went into the regional tourney ranked second in the state, and left no doubts that their ranking was justified as they emerged with the trophy and a sparkling 32-2 record (including a 22-point victory over Abernathy) to take with them to Austin.

The scorched nets in their opening game with 60% field-goal accuracy as they buried Booker, 75-30. The Kiows weren't able to muster double figures in any quarter in the face of Nazareth's man-to-man defense and full-court press. The Swifts, meanwhile, struck for 16 points in the first quarter, 15 in the second and 18 in the third before finishing off with a 26-point fourth period.

"We tried to wear them down with our man defense and press, and I thought we did a good job with both," Lombard said.

Ten Nazareth players scored in the contest as 6-3 post Mark Huseman and 6-1 Chris Gerber led the way with 15 and 14 points, respectively. The Swifts also dominated the boards, 27 rebounds to 17, despite Booker's 6-8 John Hilbig.

The disciplined Nazareth team connected on 29 of 41 field shots and 17 of 20 free throws (85%) — an accuracy mark not far short of amazing for a high school team.

"We worked the ball well to get good shots," Lombard explained.

Booker finished the season with a 22-5 mark.

Meanwhile, Valley ripped Follett 79-37, Austin clobbered Sterling City 74-39 and Sundown won over Robert Lee 50-42 in other first-round games.

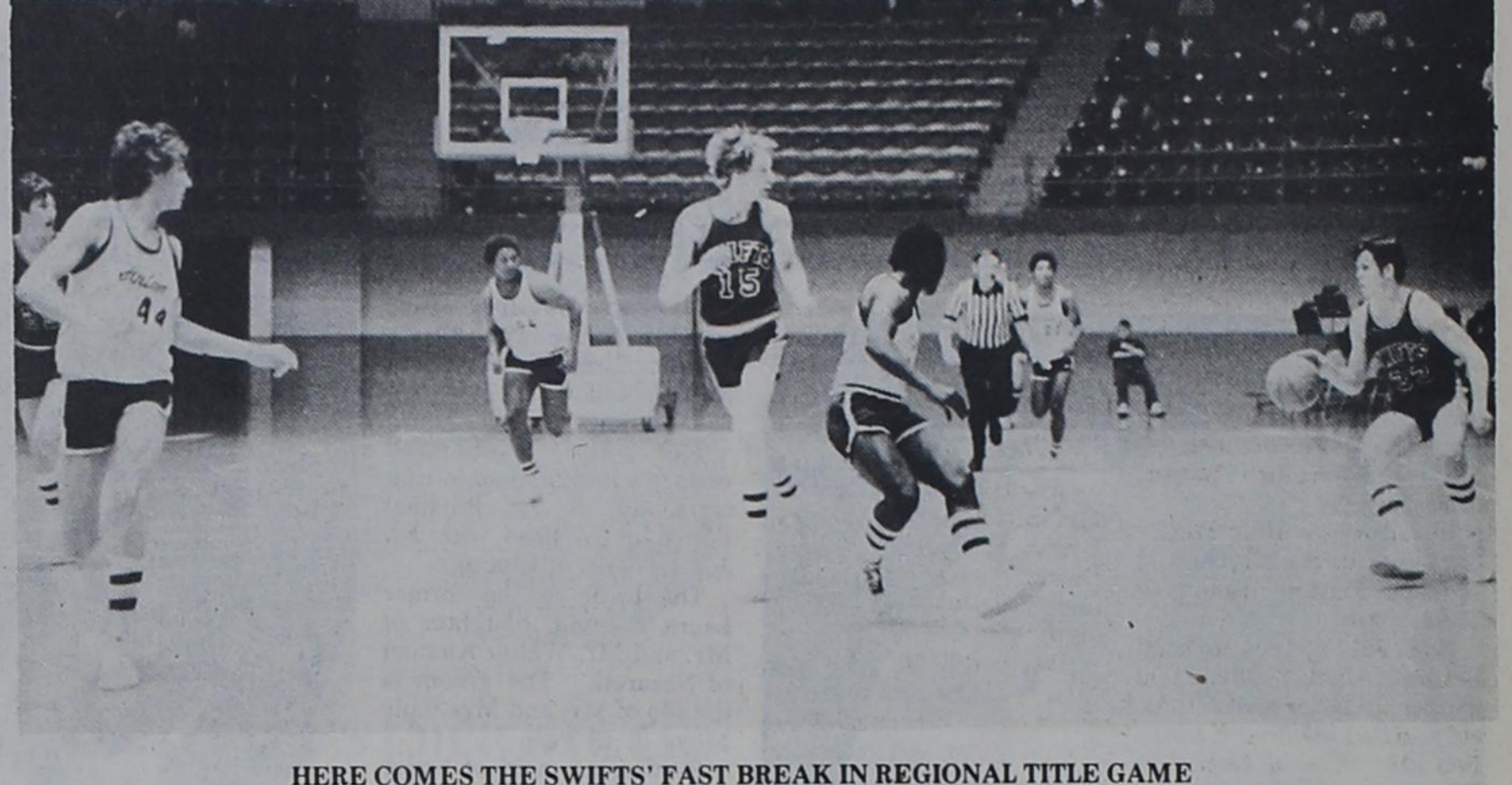
In their semifinal bout, the Swifts moved to a 14-5 lead over Sundown in the first quarter and owned a 30-15 advantage by halftime. They kept the pressure on until they had the game well in hand at 44-26 in the third, then finished with a 63-40 victory.

Four Swifts scored in double figures in the semifinal game as the team displayed a good scoring balance. Eric Wilhelm led the way with 13, while Marvin Schmucker netted 11 and Mark Huseman and Johnny Schmucker chalked up 10 each. Chris Gerber was close behind with 8.

In the other semifinal game, Anton's Bulldogs raised some eyebrows when they zapped the respected Valley Patriots, 84-55.

The championship match Saturday night drew a crowd of 1,500 — and the big crowd got its money's worth of excitement as the Swifts had to reach for their bootstraps to turn back the surprisingly strong Bulldogs, 52-46.

The Swifts won the game



HERE COMES THE SWIFTS' FAST BREAK IN REGIONAL TITLE GAME
... Scotty Book [25], Mark Huseman [15] and Chris Gerber [33]

at the free-throw line, hitting 16 charity tosses off of 19 Anton fouls. Anton got the most field goals (22-18), but collected just two points at the free-throw stripe as Nazareth committed only eight fouls.

Anton led 13-11 when the first-quarter smoke cleared, and the score was knotted at 25-all at halftime. The Swifts toughed their way to a two-point lead, 38-36, going into the final period, then went to their man-to-man defense and a patient offense to take control of the game in the final minutes.

After Anton ante'd up the first basket of the fourth quarter to tie the score at 38, Nazareth used its sticky man-to-man defense to hold the Bulldogs scoreless on seven consecutive possessions.

Eric Wilhelm started the Swifts' victory rally with a three-point play when he was fouled on a follow shot with 7:09 remaining in the game. The Bulldogs wouldn't score again until only 2:22 remained in the game.

"Our man defense was the key," Lombard said. "It helped give us the lead and allowed us to be patient on offense. After that, we started opening it up a little bit."

The Swifts opened the game's biggest lead at 49-40, then connected on seven of their last nine free throws as the desperate Bulldogs fouled to get the ball. Those last-quarter marches to the charity lane sealed the victory and the regional

championship for the Swifts. "I thought our boys showed a lot of character against a good Anton team," Lombard said. "I was pleased with the way our boys played in the final few minutes. We hit some clutch shots and some clutch free throws, and did an adequate job on defense. The boys did what it took to gain the win."

He added, "All our boys played well in the tournament at different times."

Ricky Backus 2, Sid Gerber 2, Sundown: Rocky Winn 19.
FG — Nazareth 24, Sundown 14.
FT — Nazareth 15, Sundown 12.
Fouls — Nazareth 18, Sundown 18.

SWIFTS 52, ANTON 46
[Championship Saturday]
Nazareth 11 25 38 52
Anton 13 25 36 46

SCORING — Nazareth: Johnny Schmucker 18, Mark Huseman 13, Eric Wilhelm 6, Ricky Backus 4, Chris Gerber 4, Marvin Schmucker 3, Scotty Book 2, Russell Hoelting 2. Anton: Robert Mathias 18, Ronnie Cox 13.
FG — Nazareth 18, Anton 22.
FT — Nazareth 16, Anton 2.
Fouls — Nazareth 8, Anton 19.

SWIFTS 75, BOOKER 30
[Quarterfinals Friday]
Nazareth 16 31 49 75
Booker 8 13 22 30
SCORING — Nazareth: Huseman 15, Chris Gerber 14.
SCORING — Nazareth: Mark Huseman 15, Chris Gerber 14, Johnny Schmucker 8, Russell Hoelting 8, Ricky Backus 7, Scotty Book 6, Randy Leavitt 5, Eric Wilhelm 4, Marvin Schmucker 4, Sid Gerber 4. Booker: John Hilbig 12.
FG — Nazareth 29, Booker 12.
FT — Nazareth 17/20, 85%. Booker 6/9, 67%.
Fouls — Booker 16, Nazareth 9.
Rebounds — Nazareth 27, Booker 17.

SWIFTS 63, SUNDOWN 40
[Semifinals Saturday]
Nazareth 14 30 44 63
Sundown 5 15 26 40
SCORING — Nazareth: Eric Wilhelm 13, Marvin Schmucker 11, Johnny Schmucker 10, Mark Huseman 10, Chris Gerber 8, Russell Hoelting 4, Randy Leavitt 3,

scorer pointless in the game. Both teams shot 42% from the field. Nazareth shot a less than average 63% from the charity line and had 15 turnovers, more than their average 5 per game. It was apparent after just a few minutes Saturday that the Swiftettes would beat Petty West Lamar.

Nazareth jumped to a 19-2 first quarter lead.

"We got an early lead then just kind of coasted," said Nazareth Coach Joe Lombard.

Nazareth had three in double figures. Ramona Heiman led the team with 28. Leona Gerber and Renee Ramaekers had 10 each, and Shari Schilling added 8. Dani Battle scored 19 for West Lamar.

Nazareth shot 53% from the floor for the game, while the Lady Leopards hit only 26% of their field goals. The rebounding was even at 40. The Swiftettes turned the 23 Lady Leopard turnovers into 32 Nazareth points.

"We didn't rebound as well as we should have," said senior Shari Schilling. "We didn't hit our freethrows like we usually do."

The Swiftettes made only 2 of 10 charity shots (20%).

"We didn't play our best, but we're tickled to death to win," Lombard said.

RR appeal is denied

Following the Texas Railroad Commission's October 1983 decision to deny Burlington Northern Railroad's request to close its agency at Dimmitt, BN had appealed the decision to the 200th District Court in Travis County.

Last Thursday, Judge Paul Davis agreed with an attorney general's opinion that the court did not have jurisdiction in the case, because BN had not filed for a rehearing before the railroad commission "in a timely fashion," and the appeal was dismissed.

BN still has the right to file a notice of appeal of the district court's decision with a state appellate court within two weeks of the ruling, but it is not known yet whether an appeal will be filed.

More about Aldermen...
(Continued from Page 1)

plans for a new facility that would cost an estimated \$25,000.

The aldermen requested that alternate arrangements be investigated.

Ronnie Parker of Brown & Parker Insurance, which carries the city's personal liability insurance, met with the board to discuss the city's coverage.

The board met in executive session to discuss personnel matters.



Northwestern University conferred an honorary degree on ventriloquist Edgar Bergen's dummy, Charlie McCarthy.

More about Swiftettes have best record ever ...

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scorer pointless in the game. Both teams shot 42% from the field. Nazareth shot a less than average 63% from the charity line and had 15 turnovers, more than their average 5 per game. It was apparent after just a few minutes Saturday that the Swiftettes would beat Petty West Lamar.

Nazareth jumped to a 19-2 first quarter lead.

"We got an early lead then just kind of coasted," said Nazareth Coach Joe Lombard.

Nazareth had three in double figures. Ramona Heiman led the team with 28. Leona Gerber and Renee Ramaekers had 10 each, and Shari Schilling added 8. Dani Battle scored 19 for West Lamar.

Nazareth shot 53% from the floor for the game, while the Lady Leopards hit only 26% of their field goals. The rebounding was even at 40. The Swiftettes turned the 23 Lady Leopard turnovers into 32 Nazareth points.

"We didn't rebound as well as we should have," said senior Shari Schilling. "We didn't hit our freethrows like we usually do."

The Swiftettes made only 2 of 10 charity shots (20%).

"We didn't play our best, but we're tickled to death to win," Lombard said.

NAZARETH — Renee Ramaekers, 1-1-3; Shari Schilling, 5-0-10; Leona Gerber, 4-5-13; LaDawn Schmucker, 5-2-12; Ramona Heiman, 3-6-12; Kelly Schilling, 2-0-4; Debbie Schmucker, 1-1-3; CeCe Kern, 1-0-2; Annette Schmucker, 0-0-0; Anita Huseman, 0-0-0; TOTALS: 22-15-59.

PRIDDY — Naidene Tiemann, 0-0-0; Maria Hooper, 3-0-6; Tami Byrd, 3-2-8; Tracy Jeske, 1-0-2; Janna Feist, 6-2-14; Shannon Janner, 0-2-2; Amy Schwartz, 0-0-0; TOTALS: 13-6-32.

FOULS: Priddy 18, Nazareth 14.
FOULED OUT: Tiemann, Priddy; Schilling, Nazareth.
ATT: 3,000

STATE CHAMPIONSHIP MARCH 1

SWIFTETTES 64, WEST LAMAR 32

NAZARETH	19	29	47	'64
WEST LAMAR	2	11	23	32

NAZARETH — Ramaekers, 5-0-10; S. Schilling, 4-0-8; Gerber, 5-0-10; L. Schmucker, 3-0-6; Heiman, 13-2-28; K. Schilling, 0-0-0; Kern, 0-0-0; D. Schmucker, 0-0-0; A. Schmucker, 0-0-0; A. Huseman, 1-0-2; TOTALS: 31-2-64.

WEST LAMAR — Jackie Barry, 2-0-4; Cynthia Mitchell, 3-2-8; Tracie Morgan, 0-0-0; Pam Washington 0-1-1; Donna Miles, 0-0-0; Chequita Barry, 0-0-0; Dani Battle, 8-3-19; Jackie Cochran, 0-0-0; TOTALS: 13-6-32.

FOULS: West Lamar 9, Nazareth 14.
FOULED OUT: None.
ATT: 5,000

CLASS 1A STATE SEMIS MARCH 1

SWIFTETTES 59, PRIDDY 32

NAZARETH	12	29	49	59
PRIDDY	8	12	18	32

People

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Moya establish home in El Paso



MRS. JOSE MOYA
...nee Laura Kleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Moya are at home in El Paso after a wedding trip to Mazatlan, Mexico, following their Jan. 28 wedding.

The couple exchanged vows in a formal, double-ring ceremony in St. Raphael Parish in El Paso with Fr. Joe La Voie officiating.

The bride is the former Laura Kleman, daughter of Mr. and Mr. Walter Kleman of Nazareth. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luis Moya of El Paso.

Serving as maid of honor was Consuelo Moya of El Paso, sister of the groom. Bridesmaids were Gail Kleman of Houston, sister of the bride, and Becky Hoelting.

The bride is the former Laura Kleman, daughter of Mr. and Mr. Walter Kleman of Nazareth. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luis Moya of El Paso.

Best man was brother of the groom, Jaime Moya of Albuquerque, N.M. Groomsmen were Kerry Kleman of Nazareth, brother of the bride, and David Hunter of Houston.

Luisito Soto of El Paso, the godson of the groom, served as ring bearer. Flower girl was Amanda Bermea of El Paso, daughter of the bride. She wore a white gown designed like the bride's dress.

Ushers were Kelvin Kleman of Lubbock and Kenneth Kleman of Nazareth, brothers of the bride.

Music was provided by Noreen and Alan Carson of Olton, sister and brother-in-law of the bride. They sang several selections including "Time for Joy," "Take, Lord, and Receive," and "This is the Day." Noreen provided accompaniment on the guitar. She also played for the bride as she sang "I Always Will Love You" to the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white gown of dotted Swiss and Raschel lace over taffeta. A sheer inset formed the Victorian neckline, which was accented by a yoke of two full Raschel lace ruffles that fell over the full bishop sleeves of sheer dotted Swiss. Raschel lace also formed the four-inch cuffs that were decorated with small satin bows. The full princess skirt of dotted Swiss was enhanced by four full ruffles of Raschel lace that formed a full chapel-length train. A caplet of matching lace anchored her veil of illusion. She carried a diamond-shaped bouquet of white silk roses accented with baby's breath.

The reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The head table was accented with brass candlesticks and held the wedding cake, made by Kerry Kleman, brother of the bride. The four-tiered confection featured a Precious Moments bride and groom figurine between two of the layers, which were separated by columns. The topospiece was a handblown glass cross, graced with doves and interlocking wedding rings.

Jocelyn Pohlmeier of Nazareth, sister of the bride, sat at the guest registry. Servers were members of the wedding party.

The bride attended Nazareth High School and is currently employed at El Paso Pipe and Supply in the accounting department.

The groom graduated from Andress High School and is attending the University of Texas at El Paso as a nursing major. He works at Sun Valley Regional Hospital as a psychiatric technician.

Sandoval reports

Marine Pfc. Maximo Sandoval, son of Emigidio and Maria L. Sandoval of Dimmitt, has reported for duty with First Marine Brigade Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii.



PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK activities at Dimmitt's Richardson Elementary included the making of many special displays for parents and visitors to view. The kindergarten class of Jackie Byrnes made life-size drawings of each class member with the help of Dimmitt High School home and family living class members Brad Holcomb and Anja Biester. Here, an outline of Drue

Jennings is being drawn as other class members watch. They are [front, from left] Larry Garcia, Paul Guadrado, Andy Ramiro, Chad Ellis, Eric Sammann, Chris Vasquez, Jessica Vasquez, Dysbeka Rivers, and Melissa Ivy; and [back, from left] Mary Wilson, Wesley Ralston, Tina Presas, Jessie Hernandez, Cresencio Vidal III, Lucy Gonzales and Annie Hernandez.

Public School Week activities continue

Although the parents night at Dimmitt Middle School has been cancelled, other Public School Week activities in the county's schools will continue throughout this week.

The Dimmitt activities for today (Thursday) and Friday were cancelled because school was dismissed to allow attendance at the state basketball tournament to see the Bobcats play.

Hart High School has set an open house for today (Thursday) from 7 to 8:30 p.m. A band concert will be presented at 7 in the high school gym. Following the concert, the classrooms will be open for visitation and the

work of the students will be on display. Teachers will be present in each room.

Hart elementary students will give a program today (Thursday) at 9:30 a.m. in the elementary gym.

Parents have been invited

to visit the classrooms of all the schools in the county during the week, and to eat in the school cafeterias with their children.

Civic clubs in Dimmitt were also invited to eat in the cafeterias.

Tech lists two locals

Two Texas Tech College of Agricultural Sciences students from Nazareth were recently named to the President's list for the 1983 fall semester.

They are David J. Huseman and Danelle A. Schmucker.

The president's honor roll recognizes students who had a perfect 4.0 grade point average with a minimum of 12 semester hours.

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On the go

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Donny (Janet) McDaniel in the loss of her grandmother, and Hubert Edwards in the loss of his brother-in-law, Mr. Couk of Tahoka.

Our congratulations to Denise Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith, who received word that she has been accepted as a summer student through the American Field Service organization. She will be spending the summer in Australia.

A special Happy Birthday to Mrs. Joel (Mary) Worthington, who will be 86-years-old on March 9.

Evelyn Lyle of Bartlesville, Okla. and her daughter, Joan Davis of Lubbock were luncheon guests of Ed and Betty Freeman on Tuesday, February 28.

Three carloads of Dimmitt people attended the delightful concert "Hometown Saturday Night featuring Mr. Jack Daniel's Original Silver Cornet Band" at Harrel Auditorium on the campus of Wayland Baptist University Saturday evening. The stage was set as an outdoor bandstand in the year 1905 on a warm summer evening in Lynchburg, Tenn. It was a delightful evening of old band favorites played to an almost capacity crowd.

Terry and Guylene Robertson of McCamey were here for the weekend visiting his parents Ray and Joannis Robertson and other relatives. Guylene also visited with Blanche Ginn, Beral Hance and Goose Ramey. She is a former teacher here and is now teaching at McCamey.

Mrs. Leora Calhoun had the surprise of her life Friday night when she was called to the phone at South Hills Manor. Her sisters, Mrs. L.C. Height and Mrs. Carroll Gunter, both of Tullia, called to tell her they were coming over to take her out for supper at K-Bob's. They had a chicken supper with all the trimmings and a wonderful visit. Mrs. Calhoun said it was so nice to be away from the home for a while.



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Happy anniversary!

[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers, the Nazareth Swift Band, and the Hart Band.]

MARCH 8 - Mark and Linda Lopez.

MARCH 9 - Winston and Judy Waggoner.

MARCH 10 - Bill and Ann Henderson.

MARCH 11 - Mr. and Mrs. Rodolfo Gonzales Jr., Jackie and Ronda Powers.

MARCH 12 - Gary and June Norman, Elias and Angie Martinez.

MARCH 15 - Norvelle and Judy Birdwell, Glenn and Beth Odom, Harlin and Bobby Dodd.

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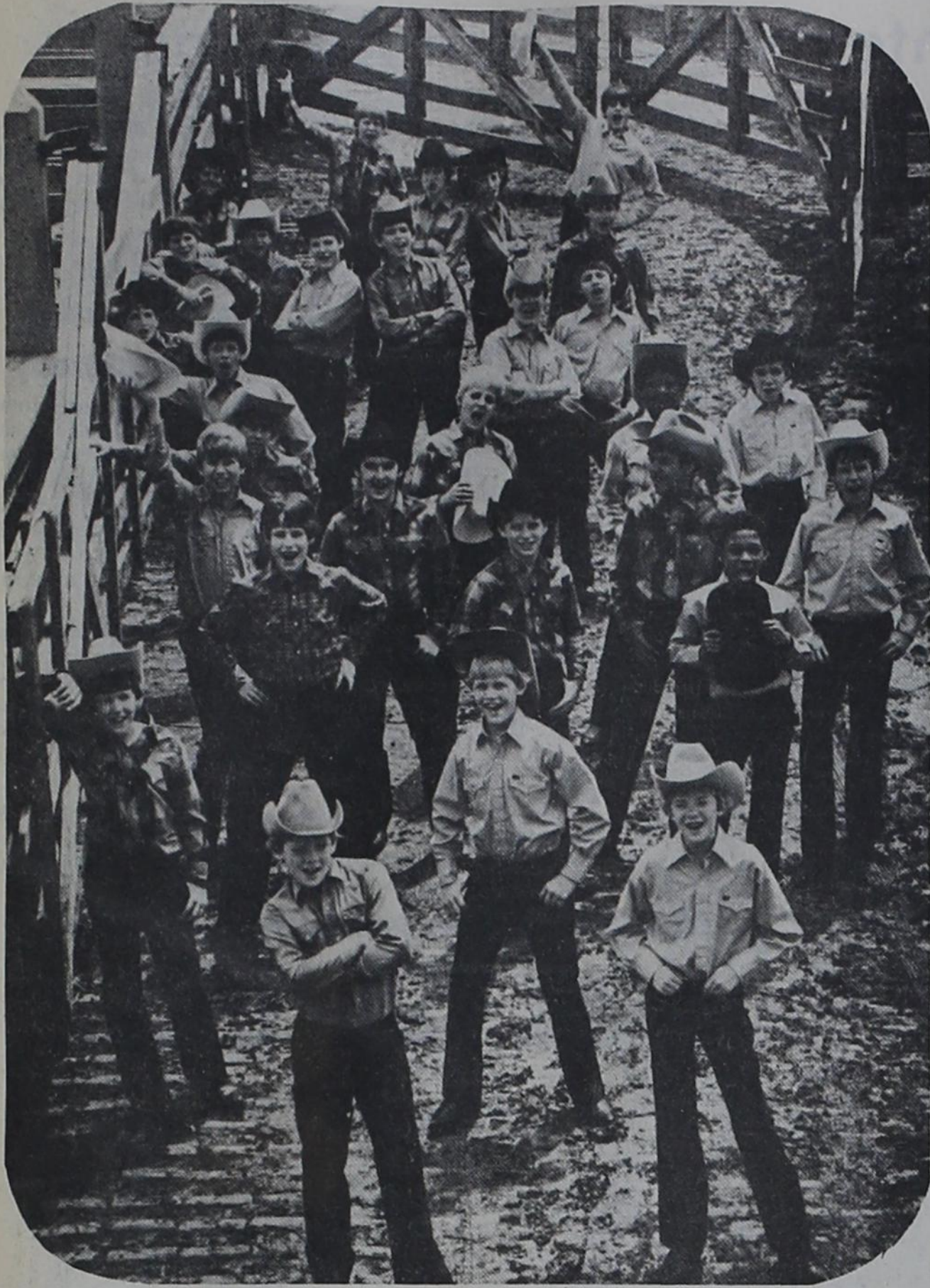
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THE TEXAS BOYS CHOIR of Fort Worth will be the performers at the final concert of the season for the Castro County Community Concerts Association Monday at 8 p.m. in the Dimmitt High School auditorium.

Texas Boys Choir to sing Monday night

The final concert of the season of the Castro County Community Concerts Association will be held Monday at 8 p.m. in the Dimmitt High School auditorium, with the Texas Boys Choir performing.

An ensemble of 26 boys ages 8 to 12, the choir is now in its fourth decade of concerting and has made more than 3,000 appearances throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, Europe and Japan.

With music ranging from old church music and Elizabethan madrigals to the

latest Broadway show tunes and the folk songs of Texas, the choir performs in full costume with special lighting and choreography.

Executive Director of the choir is Jack Noble White, a native of Weatherford, who first worked with the choir in 1977. Artistic Director Graham Lea-Cox joined the organization in January of 1983. The choir is headquartered in Fort Worth.

Admission to the concert will be by membership card only. However, members who will be unable to attend

Three are in G-T program

Dimmitt Middle School students Cory Joiner, Kristi Sims and Susan Elizabeth Waggoner participated in the spring session of the Gifted and Talented Institute at West Texas State University and exhibited their works and talents during a "showcase" Saturday afternoon at the Virgil Henson Physical Activities Center Ballroom.

The spring session attracted 146 students from 14 area

schools, and classes included Spanish, art, archeology and biology, among other subjects.

Several of the classes ended before March, but some will continue through the end of March, said Mary Jane Reeves, coordinator of the Institute.

Reeves said a summer session has been set for June 17-23 and additional information will be available in May.

Officers named by Iota Zeta

The Iota Zeta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma will install a new slate of officers in April for the 1984-85 term. The slate was presented at the Monday meeting of the group at the Lamar Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt.

The new officers are Gai-nell Minnick, president; Mary Nell King, first vice-president; Verbie Nelson, second vice-president; Faye Walker, recording secretary; June Parker, corresponding secretary; Dorothy Street, treasurer; and Shirley Reese, parliamentarian.

The Membership and Necrology Committee presented an orientation for prospective new members.

A legislative survey was turned in by the members.

Book Club will meet

The Dimmitt Book Club will meet Wednesday (March 14) at Rhoads Memorial Library with Mrs. John Gilliland of Hereford as guest reviewer for Oneida Hutto. She will review Erma Bombeck's new book "Motherhood, the Second Oldest Profession."

The club business session will begin at 3:30 p.m., followed by the review at 4 p.m. Guests are welcome to attend the review.

Pick up pecan trees by Friday

Pecan trees ordered from the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District were to have arrived in Dimmitt Wednesday and need to be picked up by noon Friday.

Any trees not picked up by noon will be sold on a first-come basis Friday afternoon for \$9 each.

The trees are bare-root and need to be planted as soon as possible. It is suggested to bring a large bag in which to pack the trees to protect them from drying out during transportation home.

Pair to wed in May

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burke Jr. of Leawood, Kan., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alice Catherine, to Mark Brent Summers, son of William T. Summers and the late Marthella Summers of Dimmitt.

The pair plan to wed May 19 at Christ Episcopal Church in Overland Park, Kan.

The bride-elect will graduate in May from the University of Kansas with a degree

in psychology, and plans to attend the School of Physical Therapy at the University of Kansas Medical Center in Kansas City, Kan., this fall. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi social sorority.

Summers is a senior at the University of Kansas, where he served as co-captain of the Kansas Jayhawks basketball team. He is currently a graduate assistant for the team. His fraternity is Delta Upsilon. He is a 1979 graduate of Dimmitt High School.



Mark Summers and Alice Burke



Dwight Elders and LaDonna Hart

April vows planned

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Percy Hart of Hart announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, LaDonna Gay, to Dwight Brette Elders, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Elders of Canyon.

Wedding vows will be exchanged April 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary of the Paramount Baptist Church in Amarillo.

The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Hart High School and attended South Plains College. Elders graduated from Canyon High School.

Both are employed by Wiley Hicks Construction in Amarillo, Hart as a book-keeper and Elders as a carpenter.

The pair plan to continue residing in Amarillo after their marriage.

Young, Mendez are wed, make home in Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. John Kovacs of Dimmitt announce

the recent marriage of their daughter, Shelley Young, to Sammy Mendez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Siliviano Mendez of Dimmitt.

The couple were married in a private ceremony in the home of the bride's parents on Feb. 24.

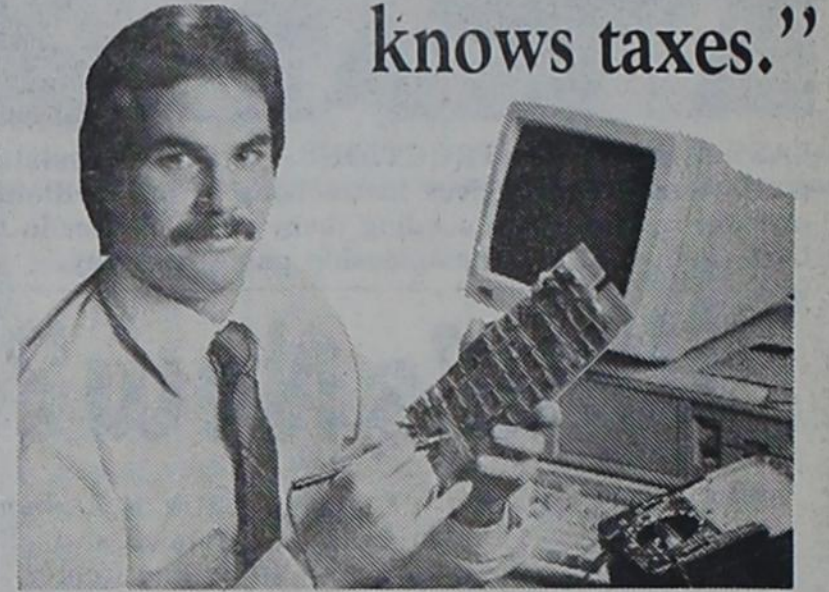
The pair plan to make their home in Amarillo.

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Ministerial Alliance

Vernon O'Kelly will lead a study of II Corinthians, chapter 7, for the Castro County Ministerial Alliance Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

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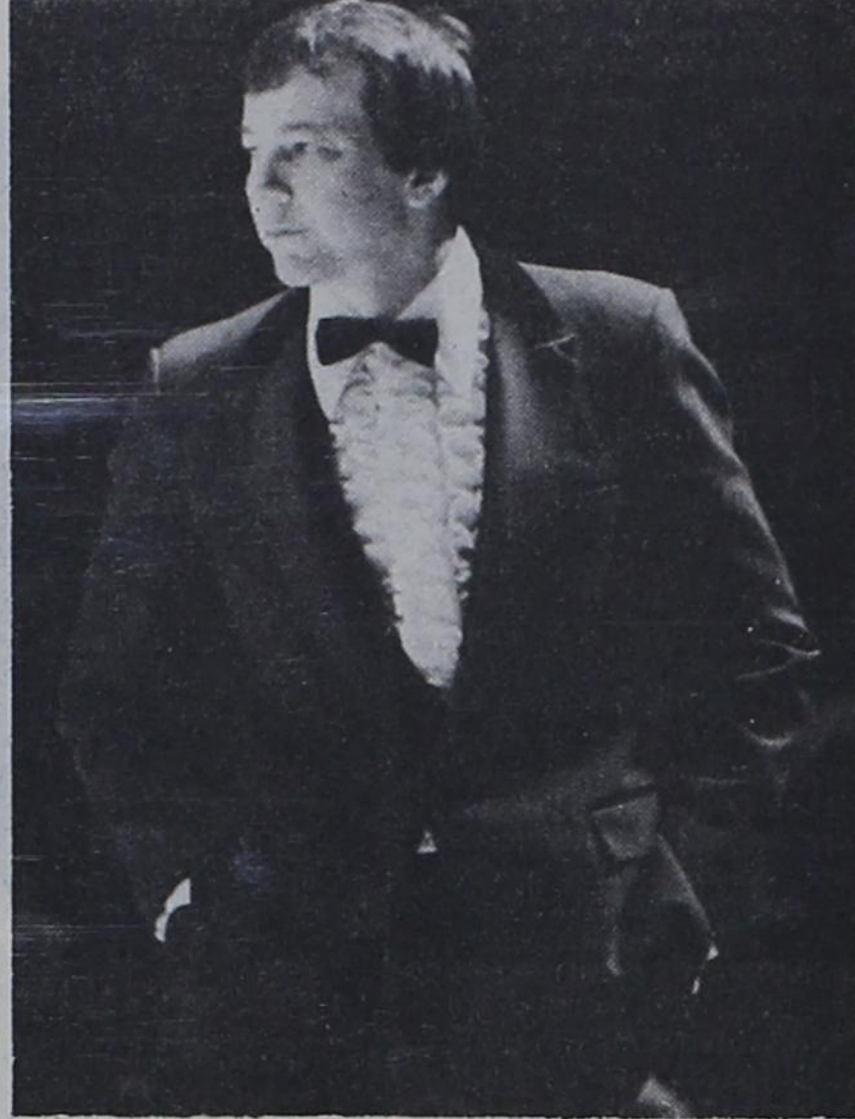
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LAST MINUTE INSTRUCTIONS—Nazareth assistant coach, Sandy Oliver gives instructions to the Swiftettes' second five just before sending them onto the floor in the final minutes of the championship game Saturday.



NAZARETH MENTOR Joe Lombard led the Swiftettes to a fifth state championship [in his sixth year as coach] Saturday in Austin. Lombard's Swiftettes recorded a first ever perfect 35-0 record this season.

Sesquicentennial committee forms

A group of 15 Castro County residents met last Thursday night and agreed to form the nucleus of the Castro County Sesquicentennial Committee, which will coordinate the county's celebration and observance of the 150th birthday of the State of Texas.

"From just the few projects and ideas we discussed at the meeting, it already looks like we're going to have a super celebration," said committee chairperson Linda Maxwell, appointed by the Castro County Commissioners.

Sister Josella Birkenfeld of Nazareth, social studies teacher in the Nazareth school, accepted the post of general coordinator for Nazareth. Delores Heller is coordinator for Dimmitt.

A coordinator is still needed for Hart and any other communities that want to designate one.

Other members of the committee so far include Danna Beck, Pete Fuentes,

Florene Leinen, B.M. Nelson, Tommy Sue Nisbett, Jack Patton, Helen Richardson, Madge Robb and Robert Ryan, all of Dimmitt; Jerry W. Jansa and Lonny Rhynes, both of Hart; and Thelma Wethington of Nazareth.

A wider representation from all segments of the community is needed to complete the committee roster and to broaden the scope of the planning, according to Maxwell.

"We urge representatives from our black community, as well as additional members of the Mexican-American community, to join us in our efforts," she said. "They have unique cultures that have added much to the history of our state and county and deserve to be celebrated as well."

The Castro County Historical Commission and the Museum Association have already begun a few activities and planning has begun on others, Maxwell said.

"A focal point of our celebration will be the visit of an authentic wagon train in Dimmitt in May of 1986," Maxwell revealed. "There will be a lot of details to be arranged and much of that won't be done until more information is received, but we have sent the organizers of the train a tentative confirmation."

Although 1986 is the actual Sesquicentennial year, the state organization is encouraging activities throughout the intervening years.

"Immediate plans are to draw up a Master Plan for the observances and activities that will take place in our county, get it approved by the county commissioners and send it to Austin along with application for official status as a State Sesquicentennial County," Maxwell said.

Any others wishing to join the committee may contact Delores Heller at the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce

at 647-2524.

The next meeting of the full committee will be held later in March with a representative of the state organization.

GM diesel car owners' meeting planned Saturday

Buddy Finkelberg, president of the Chicago-based General Motors Diesel Users Demanding Satisfaction (G.M. DUDS), will be in Amarillo Saturday for a 7:30 p.m. meeting in the First National Bank's meeting room.

Finkelberg recently announced that a general negotiation agreement had been reached with General Motors, covering all current and future members of his group.

Any GM vehicle owner seeking assistance may attend the Saturday meeting or call for details.

Who's New?

PLAINS MEMORIAL
Frank and Fabiola Dominquez of Friona are the parents of a son, Frank III, who was born Feb. 28 at 1:37 a.m. He weighed 8 pounds and was 21 1/2 inches long.

On Feb. 29, at 3:15 a.m. a girl, Olga Lillian, was born to Manuel and Uvaldina Lopez of Hart. She was 20 inches in length and weighed 7 pounds and 3 ounces.

A son, Fabian Frank, was born to Francisco and Elena Rodriguez of Dimmitt at 10:11 p.m. Feb. 29. He weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce and was 20 inches long.

OUT OF TOWN
Rick and Darena Bentley of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby boy, Jacob DeWitt, born March 1 at 9:25 p.m. at Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford. He weighed 6 pounds and 15 ounces and was 21 inches long. He has two sisters, Amy Nichole and Leah Kay. Grandparents are Milton Moore and Elsie Maxwell of Dimmitt and James and Martha Bentley of Plainview. Great-grandparents are Odie Moore of

Dimmitt, Mrs. H. D. Bentley of Plainview and Ruth Carrell of Hale Center.

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Square dance lessons offered

The Dimmitt Promenaders will be sponsoring square dance lessons starting Friday at 8 p.m. at the Boy Scout hut in Dimmitt on Southwest Third Street across from the city park.

Johnny Gillenwater will be the instructor. All ages are invited, and there is a charge.

For more information or to sign up, call 647-5328 or 647-2691.

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Noe Ureste
Janet Weaver
Ouida Willis

Patients Dismissed:

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Faye Holland
Vickie Nelson
Victoria Gutierrez
Fabiola Dominquez
Camerina Carrasco
Tracy Grand
Leslie Brockman
Uvaldina Reyes
Kevin House
Linda Ramaekers
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Oleta Raper
Elena Rodriguez
Marty Benton
Mamie Birdwell
Adam Abrego
D. L. Harvey
Floyd Ivey
Summer McLean
Kenneth Hill
Minnie Simpkins
Mattie Seale



MARCH 8 — Kristin Brockman, Donna Birkenfeld, Stewart Newsom, Denise Alford, Gloria Diaz, Herman Longoria, Gaines Howell, Garrett Maples, Kasey Wheelless.

MARCH 9 — Robby Hottel, Jeffrey Hutson, Trudy Dennis, Alfred Sammann, Frank Sepeda, Wanda Brock, Abel Reyna Sr., Katy Browning, Winifred Wagner, Ronnie Hooper, Chris Bermea.

MARCH 10 — Anita Huseman, Andrea Braddock, George Bermea, Barbie Steffens, Carie Wethington, Marlon Backus, Clay Anderson, Gale Long, Ben Benton, Alyce Killingsworth, Alma Umberson.

MARCH 11 — Sheila Langford, Lance Louder, Gerald Summers, Norris Cole, Peggy West, Daniel Higgins, Traci Knox, Michelle Davis, Manuel Mendoza Jr., Harry Grensburg, Jolene Schulte, Nelita Collins, Jessie Olvera, Leonard Wilhelm.

MARCH 12 — Dawn Ramaekers, Rodney Schulte, Kayla Acker, Bruce Hall, Greg Hoelting, Susie Schulte, Carla Petty, David Cole, Diane Hatla, Gary Norman.

MARCH 13 — Bryan Armstrong, Baxter McSpadden, Robbie Sarabia, David Hernandez, Harvey Davis, Denise Gerber.

MARCH 14 — Claude Ray, Randy Popejoy, Joe Ibarra Jr., Wayne Jackson, Mildred Bradford, Bill Dannevik, John Roberts.

MARCH 15 — Edith Graef, Louise Spinhirne, Prentiss Washington, Nellie White, Jonathon Bridges, Ruby Spencer, Joe Lewis Ibarra, Dale Albracht, Elaine Barnes, Al Huseman, Ronnie Wilhelm.

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"We will always remember this year," said Nazareth Swiftette LaDawn Schmucker Saturday after the Swiftettes had won the state championship.

It was a special season for the Swiftettes.

Special because it was a comeback year, and extra special because of a perfect 35-0 record, and an unparalleled seventh state championship.

"At the first of the season we said, almost jokingly, wouldn't it be fun to go undefeated this year after losing last year," Schmucker said. "Then, about halfway through the season we knew it was possible."

"We never dreamed that would happen at first," said senior Renee Ramaekers, "then when we won the Queens Classic tournament we felt like if we could beat the bigger schools we had a chance to go undefeated."

The Swiftettes not only went undefeated, they re-

corded wins over 22 other playoff teams, including four wins over Class 2A finalist Hale Center, two over Class 3A state champion Abernathy (62-38 and 51-37), and a 39-36 win over 4A state finalist Levelland.

The Swiftettes didn't play a 5A team this year, but defeated Class 4A, 52-13. Canyon beat Region 1-5A quarterfinalist Amarillo High.

Only two teams this season got within 10 points of the Swiftettes. Only five teams came within 20 points.

A team with a purpose, the Swiftettes felt they had something to prove this season.

Their string of six state championships was broken by Sudan last season in the Regional finals. The Hornets won 39-26 and went on to win the state title.

"It made us mad," said Nazareth post Shari Schilling. She said she couldn't describe how it felt to lose but "we didn't ever want to feel that way again."

Nazareth mentor Joe Lombard said the loss to Sudan was more of a motiva-



CLOSING IN ON A REBOUND—Swiftette Renee Ramaekers battles a Petty West Lamar post for one of her 11 tournament rebounds Saturday in the state title game in Austin. Ramona Heiman [30] and Shari Schilling [20] await the outcome.

Three Swiftettes are all-tourney

Swiftettes Ramona Heiman, Leona Gerber and LaDawn Schmucker all were selected to the Class A all-tournament team selected by sports writers and broadcasters covering the 34th annual girls' state basketball

tournament last weekend in Austin.

Heiman, a sophomore, and Gerber, a junior, were unanimous selections.

Heiman scored 40 points and garnered 12 rebounds in Nazareth's state tournament victories over Priddy (59-32) and Petty West Lamar

(64-32).

Gerber scored 23 points in the tourney, and Schmucker had 18, and the two Nazareth guards were responsible for many of the 49 turnovers from Priddy and Petty West Lamar.

Freshman Dani Battle of Petty West Lamar and Jackie Fishbeck of Moulton were the others named to the 1A all-tourney team.

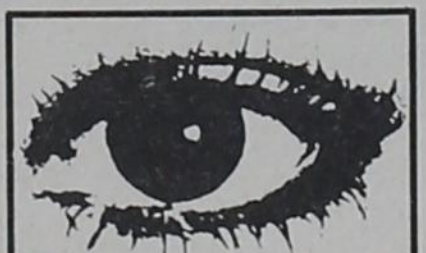
Washington competes in NJCAA meet

Randy Washington, son of Frances Washington of Dimmitt, qualified for the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) Indoor Track and Field Championships and was named to represent South Plains College Friday and Saturday in Fayetteville, Ark.

Washington, a sophomore at SPC and 1981 graduate of Dimmitt High School, competed for the Texans in the pole vault. His previous best indoor vault this season was 14-7.

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tional factor this year than anything.

"When we had a bad game, we just had to remind them how it felt to lose last year," Lombard said.

"Our goals this year were to beat Sudan and win a seventh state championship," said Renee Ramaekers, "mainly to win state."

The Swiftettes had three wins over Sudan this season, but had mixed emotions when the Hornets were upset in the Regional semifinals, 37-36 by Greenwood.

"We were kind of happy and kind of sad that they lost," Ramaekers said. "It took a lot of pressure off us when they lost."

With Sudan out of the picture, the Swiftettes breezed to their seventh state championship, in their first ever undefeated season.

Lombard, in his sixth season at Nazareth, lauded his starting five this year as probably "The best five (at working together) I've ever coached."

"Those five play so well

together," he said.

They play so well together, that despite a less than great performance in the state tournament, the Swiftettes would have been able to compete in and perhaps win, any other classification in the tournament.

"We are really close friends," Ramaekers said. "We all pull together. Everyone can score and contribute. If someone had a bad game, someone else could take up the slack."

A perfect year? "There were lots of games that we could have played better in," Schilling said, "but it makes us feel good to

know that we couldn't be beaten."

"It feels like we've done something no one else has done," Ramaekers said.

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KELLY SCHILLING grabs a rebound with a little help from teammate Debbie Schmucker (left), in the Swiftettes' semifinal game with Priddy last Thursday at Austin.



COVER OUT—Swiftette Shari Schilling guards Petty West Lamar's Chequita Barry. Schilling held the 6-0 sophomore scoreless in the state championship game.



CONCENTRATION—Nazareth sophomore Ramona Heiman makes a five foot jumper, and draws a foul last Thursday in the Swiftette's semifinal win over Priddy in the state tournament in Austin. Heiman made 12 points and grabbed seven rebounds in the game. Nazareth's LaDawn Schmucker [10] and Leona Gerber [32] watch the action.

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SNEAKING UP—Nazareth's Leona Gerber (right) and Ramona Heiman surround a Petty West Lamar guard Saturday in state tournament action in Austin.

Photos by Brenda Schulte

Season Record:

35-0

- District 6-A Champions
- Bi-District Champions
- Area Champions
- Region I-A Champions
- State Champions

Swiftettes' Roster

34	RENEE RAMAEKERS	5-9 Sr.
20	SHARI SCHILLING	5-9 Sr.
32	LEONA GERBER*	5-5 Jr.
10	LaDAWN SCHMUCKER*	5-7 Jr.
30	RAMONA HEIMAN*	5-9 Soph.
40	KELLY SCHILLING	5-9 Soph.
50	DEBBIE SCHMUCKER	5-7 Soph.
14	CECE KERN	5-5 Soph.
12	ANNETTE SCHMUCKER	5-9 Soph.
42	ANITA HUSEMAN	5-4 Jr.
22	SHEILA ACKER	5-4 Fr.
24	GAIL BIRKENFELD	5-7 Soph.
* All-State		
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	SANDY OLIVER	Assistant Coach

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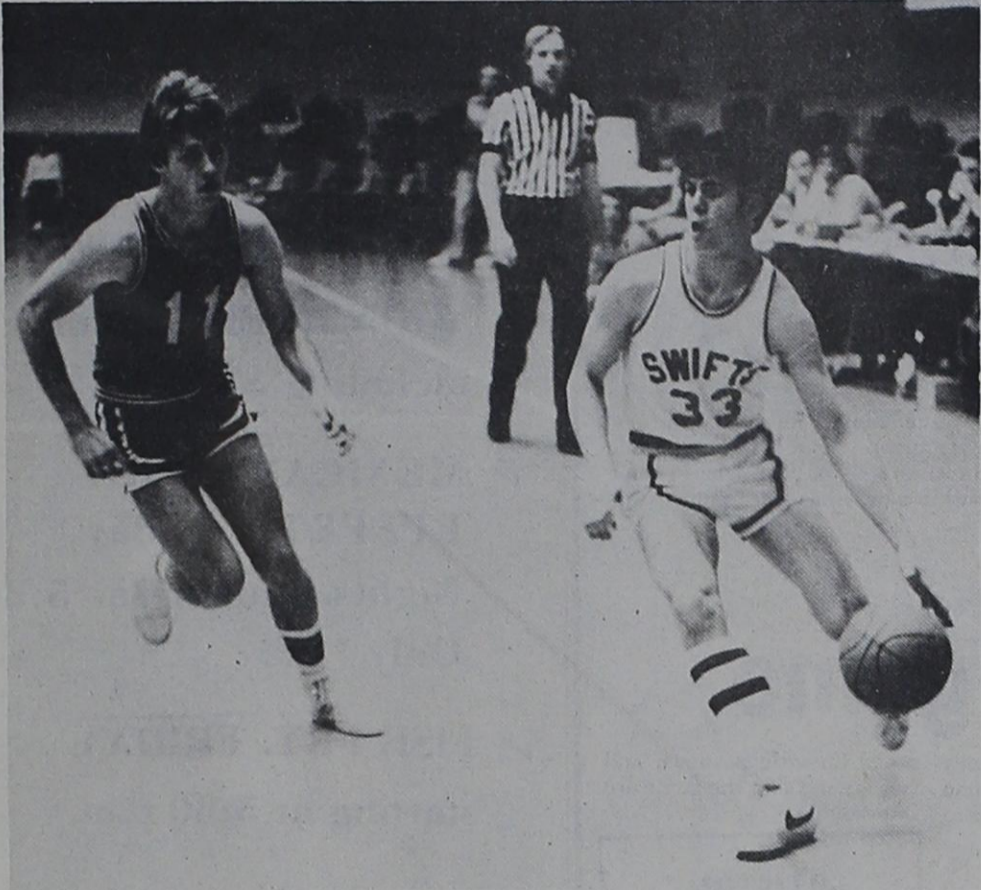
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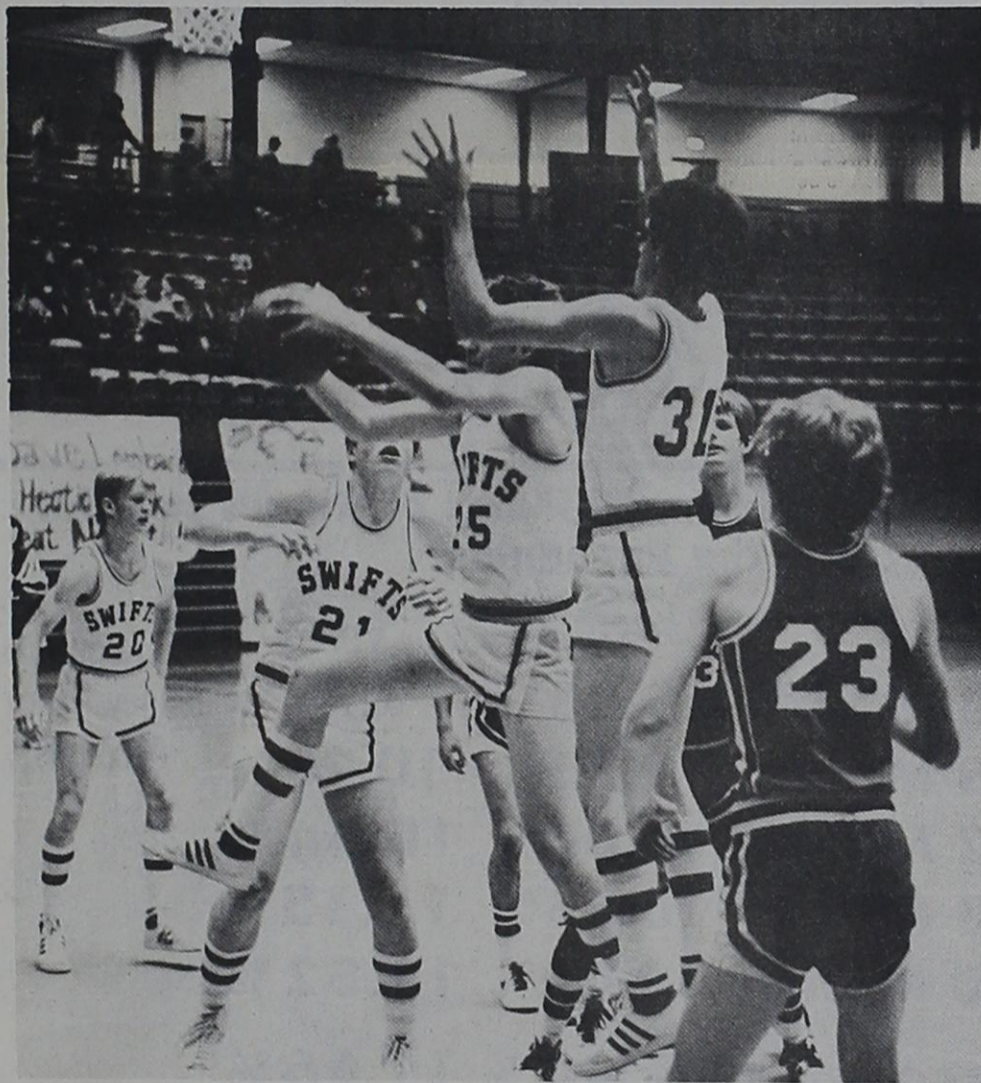
CHRIS GERBER drives downcourt after a steal during the Swifts' regional semifinals game against Sundown Saturday morning.

Record So Far: 29-2

Swifts' Roster

15	MARK HUSEMAN	6-3 Sr.
14	JOHNNY SCHMUCKER	6-1 Sr.
33	CHRIS GERBER	6-1 Jr.
24	ERIC WILHELM	6-1 Sr.
10	MARVIN SCHMUCKER	6-1 Sr.
31	RUSSELL HOELTING	6-0 Jr.
12	SID GERBER	6-1 Sr.
25	SCOTTY BOOK	6-2 Sr.
20	RICKY BACKUS	5-10 Jr.
21	RANDY LEAVITT	6-4 Soph.

JOE LOMBARD Coach
JOHNNY HAMPTON Assistant Coach



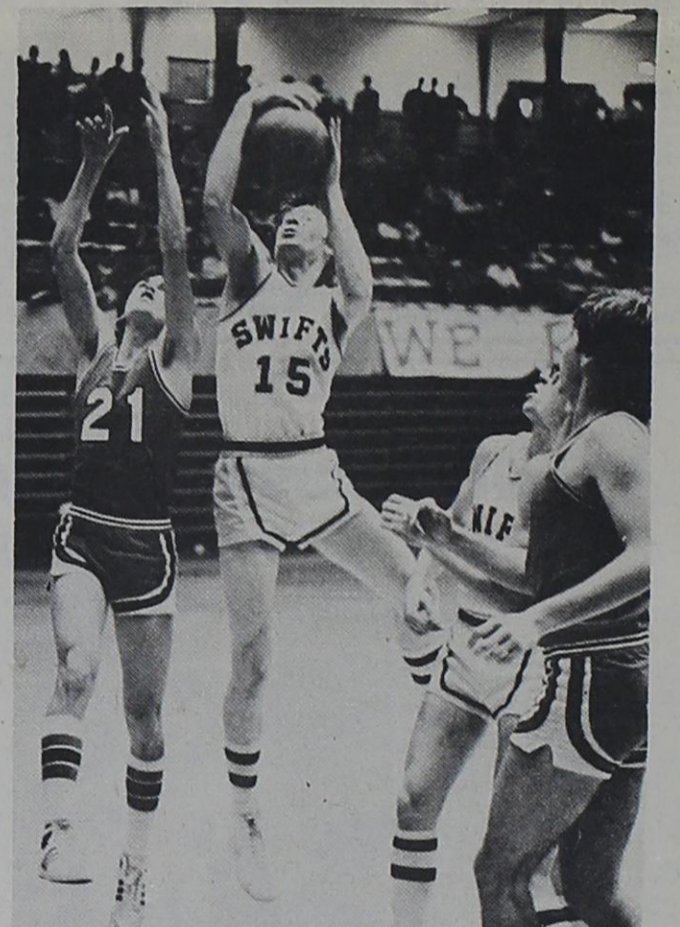
THE SWIFTS definitely have superior rebounding position in this action against Booker in their first-round game of the Region I-A Tournament Friday night. Scotty Book comes down with the ball while

Russell Hoelting draws back in mid-air, and Randy Leavitt and Ricky Backus cover the other side of the lane. The Swifts downed the Kiowas, 75-60.



MARVIN SCHMUCKER sinks a basket against Anton in the regional championship game Saturday night at South Plains College's Texan Dome in Levelland. The Swifts won the hard-fought game, 52-46, to earn the right to go to the state tournament in Austin.

*Photos by Liz Albracht
and Don Nelson*



MARK HUSEMAN snares one of his many rebounds against the Sundown Roughnecks in the regional semifinals Saturday morning. The Swifts downed the Roughnecks, 63-40, to advance to Saturday night's championship game.

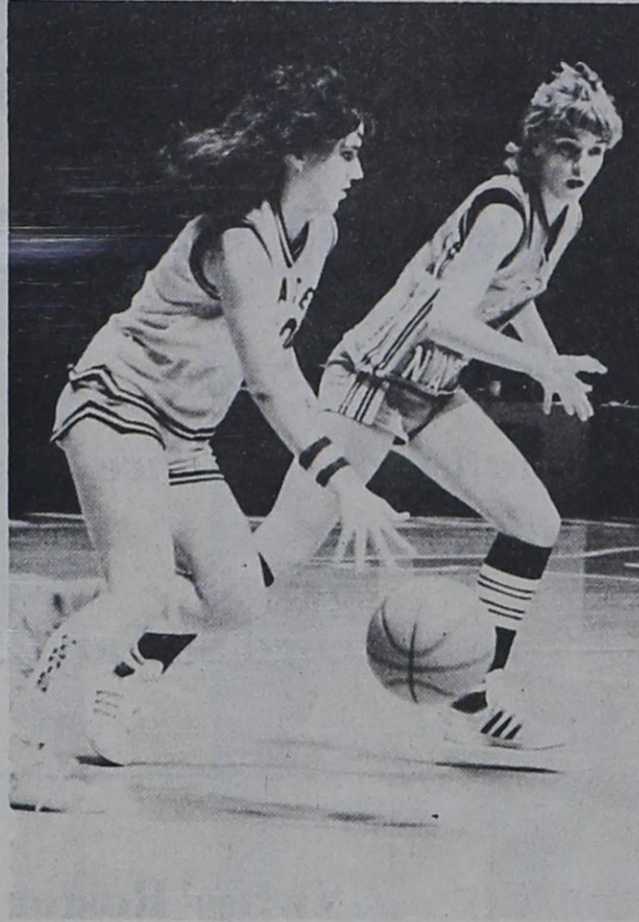
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All-state tourney picks



LEONA GERBER—The 5-5 Nazareth guard was a unanimous all-state tourney selection. "She's probably the best defensive player I've ever coached," said sixth-year Nazareth Mentor Joe Lombard. "She made so many big plays this year. When we needed a steal she would come up with it."



LADAWN SCHMUCKER [right]—an all-state tournament selection, scored 18 points and grabbed seven rebounds in the state tournament. "She's like having a coach on the floor," said Swiftette Coach Joe Lombard. "She never makes mistakes, she knows when to settle us down."



RAMONA HEIMAN—A unanimous all-state tourney selection, Heiman, a 5-9 sophomore, scored 12 points and grabbed 7 rebounds in Nazareth's 59-32 win over Priddy. She had five rebounds and 28 points in the championship game.

Swiftettes allowed 27 points only per game

Nazareth's Swiftettes out-scored opponents 2,119 to 947 points this season.

The Swiftettes averaged 60.51 points per game, while allowing only 27 points per contest.

Only five teams this season came within a 20 point margin of the Swiftettes, who finished the year with a 35-0 record and an

unmatched 7th state championship.

Only one team hit the 40 point mark against the smothering Swiftette defense. Midland Greenwood in the regional finals scored 41 points to Nazareth's 59.

The Swiftettes highest scoring game was 104 points against Lazbuddie.

The Swiftettes had wins

this season over state tournament finalists in two other classifications, and two wins over the state champion in another classification.

There was no doubt that Nazareth had the best Class 1A team in the state tournament, and many wondered if the Swiftettes could have beaten any team in the tournament regardless of classification.

Joe Lombard's 1984 Swiftettes were a typical Lombard squad with a disciplined offense, a balanced scoring attack, and that famous Nazareth defense.

A special strength of this year's team was the starting five and their ability to play well together. "These five play better together than any I've ever coached," Lombard said.

Four of the five starters averaged in double figures.

Ramona Heiman, 5-9 sophomore, hit 15 points a game. Guards Leona Gerber and LaDawn Schmucker averaged 11 points per contest. Senior Shari Schilling, 5-9, hit 12 a game and Renee Ramaekers, a 5-9 senior, averaged 9 per contest.

Gerber led the team in steals (4 a game) and assists (3 per game). Schilling was the leading rebounder with 8 per contest. Heiman grabbed 5 a game and Ramaekers got 4 per game.

Defensively the Swiftettes were led by Gerber. "She is probably the best defensive player I've ever coached," said Lombard. "She could contain her man one on one, and she made so many big plays."

Lombard said Ramaekers was probably his next best defensive player. "She usually had to guard the leading scorer from the other team," Lombard said. "She always did a good job."

Ramaekers, only 5-9, usually was quite a bit shorter than the post forwards she had to defend.

Heiman and Schilling always seemed to come up with big scoring plays when the Swiftettes needed points. Offensively they were unstoppable at times.

Schmucker, not a flashy player, was probably the Swiftettes most steady player all year. "She's like having a coach on the floor," Lombard said. "She doesn't make mistakes, she knows

when to settle us down and her instincts for the game are outstanding."

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