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City adopts uniform codes

Wreck kills 18-year-old

A one-car rollover on US 385 north of Dimmitt last Wednesday night claimed the life of John Fick, 18, of Hereford.

Fick was pronounced dead on arrival at an Amarillo hospital about 2 a.m. Thursday.

IT WAS the second fatal accident on that stretch of US 385 in less than a week, and Fick was Castro County's second 1976 traffic fatality. Dr. C. E. Hicks of Hereford died as the result of a car-truck collision on US 385 about 15 miles north of Dimmitt Feb. 22.

Fick and his wife, Theresa, were passengers in an old model Ford sedan driven by Jeffrey Hall, when it left the highway 6.3 miles north of Dimmitt about 9 p.m. Wednesday, according to Elias Nava, Texas highway patrolman who investigated the accident.

Prayer service for Fick was held Monday evening in an Amarillo funeral chapel with Rev. Terry Burke, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church, officiating.

The funeral is to be conducted in Flint, Mich., which was Fick's home before he came to Hereford only a week before his death. He was employed as a trainee by a Hereford refrigeration firm.

A native of Flint, Fick had been married only a short time. His wife was seriously injured in the accident, with broken bones and lacerations. She remains in the hospital at Amarillo.

Hall, identified as Mrs. Fick's brother, and also recently from Michigan, was less seriously hurt, Nava reported.

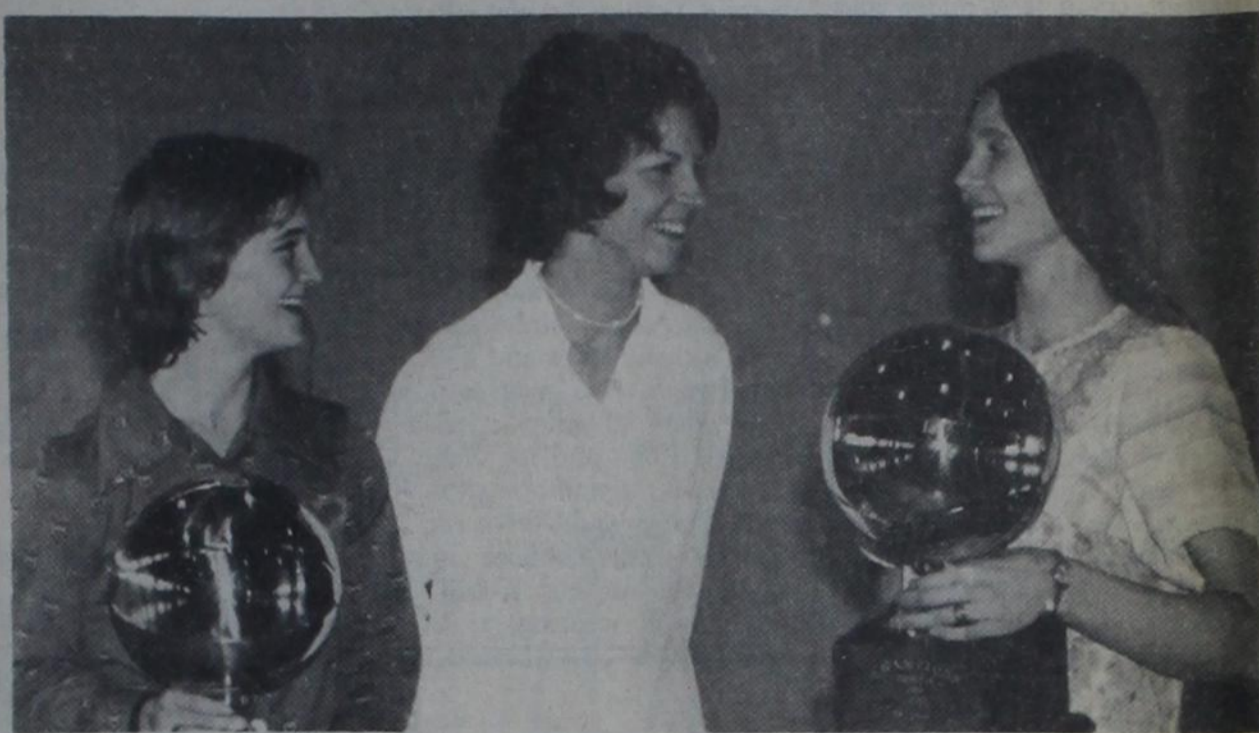
DDD coming to Nazareth

Another Castro County community will go to Direct Distance Dialing service Saturday when telephones of the Nazareth exchange are switched to the nationwide long-distance network.

REEFORD BURROUS, service center manager of Continental Telephone Co. here, said direct dialing will permit customers whose telephones are numbered with the 945 prefix to dial their own station-to-station calls to cities through the US and Canada.

Dimmitt and Sunnyside exchanges have already been switched to the "1-plus" dialing network, Dimmitt early in January and Sunnyside about a month ago. Hart is scheduled for the service in approximately another month.

An advertisement on Page 10 of this issue explains how the new service is used.



ALL-STATERS—Senior guard Vera Birkenfeld (left) and senior forward Elaine Schulte (right), shown here with Nazareth Coach Cathy Wilson, were named to the Class B all-state tournament team Monday. Others named to the Class B all-tourney squad were senior forwards Vicki Barrett and Janet Fryar

and senior guard Vanessa Anderson of the state champion Neches Tigers; junior forward Kathy Westerfield, senior forward Sharon Holmes, junior guard Tina Reich and freshman guard Misti Jones, all of Crawford; and junior forward Bonnie Buchanan of May.

Bank plans building on North Broadway

The First State Bank of Dimmitt has purchased three-fourths of a block downtown and will build a large new building there this year.

THE PROPERTY corners at North Broadway and West Etter, across the street north of Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., and includes the entire block except for the Pioneer Natural Gas Co. property and a residential lot on the northeast corner.

Bank President Bob McLean said the IOOF Lodge building, a vacant radiator shop, garage building, stucco home and mobile home will be moved off the block to make way for the new bank building and parking facilities.

The bank completed negotiations for the lots last week, McLean said.

"WE WILL build a single-story building with a large basement, and we'll have four drive-in windows, with the capability of expanding to six," McLean said.

He added, "We can't say just what the new building will look like, because our architect has just started. But we told him we don't want a Taj Mahal—we want a good, functional building that we can do our banking in. Of course, we'll want it to be a credit to the town."

Behind the bank's decision to build was the need for more floor space, more drive-in windows and a controlled-atmosphere basement for computerized business machines, McLean said.

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possibility of working with the county's Senior Citizens, Inc., to establish a Meals on Wheels program was discussed. Irene Keating, county Extension agent, suggested that one way would be to contract with Dimmitt Public Schools for meals and have them delivered by volunteers.

SHE SUGGESTED a Committee on Aging for the county and said the Texas Extension Service has special consultants available to help get programs started to benefit senior citizens.

Sides called for initiation of a five-year basic plan of program building. Pointing to increased economic activity in all areas of the state, he said the Panhandle has shown a more

dramatic growth on the value of crops and products than any other section of the state since 1965. The regional planning organization is the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP).

"A lot of this growth is due to increased value of our crops, but much of it is new production since 1965—more corn and feed cattle," he said. "It gives me the impression that maybe our area is doing a little better job than other places."

THE 1966 valuation of \$266,722,000 was compared with last year's figure, \$1,172,205,000 to show cash farm increases through production growth, marketing and development of new products.

Main PEP emphasis for the coming year will be on mental health programs, with demonstrations, Sides added.

A tentative outline of 1976 activities for Castro County was previewed by committee members, including 4-H and Family Living Committee programs.

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Effective May 1, all builders and electricians will have to comply with the Uniform Building Code and the Uniform Electrical Code in all construction inside the Dimmitt city limits.

THE CITY commission adopted the new "national" codes at its Monday night meeting after the third and final reading of their captions.

The city also adopted a new fire safety ordinance and a fire-limits code, aimed at lowering the city's overall "key rate" on fire insurance through better prevention and control of fires in commercial buildings.

The Uniform Building Code and Uniform Electrical Code will put Dimmitt on a par with larger cities across the US in construction requirements. The Uniform Codes were devised by professional associations as standards that guarantee the buyer a well-built, safe home or commercial building.

DIMMITT has always had its own building and electrical requirements, which weren't necessarily the same as any other city's. Some builders and electricians went by national professional codes instead, which were stricter, but the old ordinances made it possible for contractors or electricians to produce sub-standard buildings.

Before the city's adoption of the new codes Monday night, City Attorney Jack Edwards commented, "Our electricians, plumbers and contractors all want these codes. They don't want to have to worry any longer about bidding on a job and having an outside contractor underbid them, then use cheap materials to meet his bid. They'd like to know they have a uniform code here and that it will be enforced. That way they can all bid on an [See CITY ADOPTS, Page 13]

Flu closes Hart schools

Schools at Hart were closed Wednesday for the remainder of the week, because of absences among students and staff ill with flu.

"BY GIVING the pupils a long weekend we hope to control the outbreak," Supt. Ted Averitt said.

Absences Wednesday reached 30 percent of pupils in the seventh through twelfth grades and 18 percent among elementary pupils. Several faculty and administrative personnel absences have been recorded in recent days.

The situation has improved this week in the elementary grades, where absences have run as high as 25 percent, Averitt said.

Bobbies ranked No. 5 in state

Dimmitt's district champion Bobbies have been ranked No. 5 in the state by the Texas High School Girls Coaches Association.

COACH Sam Nichols was notified Tuesday of the final state rankings. Dimmitt is the highest-rated team of those not in the state tournament.

Phillips was given top rating, followed in order by Bellville, Hays (Kyle) and Comanche, then Dimmitt.

The Bobbies, with a 27-6 season record, lost to Abert in bi-district play after taking the District 3-AA girls' crown.

Looking up

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	68	28
Friday	76	30
Saturday	79	31
Sunday	82	35
Monday	77	38
Tuesday	78	40
Wednesday	71	28
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NAZARETH'S Elaine Schulte has a hard time getting this shot off over the hands of Neches' 6-3 guard, Vanessa Anderson, in the second quarter of the state tournament lead-off game in Austin last Thursday. Racing up for the rebound are Nazareth forwards Karen Schulte [30] and Chelle Pohlmeier, and Neches guard Debbie Jones [31]. After building a 16-10

first-quarter lead, the Swifts fell behind by four points in the second, then had to play catch-up the rest of the game before tying the score at 44-44 with 13 seconds remaining. However, the undefeated Neches team won the game in overtime, 50-46, and went on to capture the state championship.

[Photo by Shelly Cross]

Swifts tie state champs, lose contest in overtime

By MARTY CATOE

The Nazareth Swifts fell prey to the Neches Tigers in the state girls' basketball semifinals at Austin last Thursday, but only after an overtime struggle that gave the South Texas team a 50-46 victory.

An Elaine Schulte layup with 13 seconds remaining in regulation play brought about a 44-44 draw and forced the playoff.

Neches controlled the overtime tip-off and converted it into a score, then scored another field goal and two free throws to dominate the three-minute extra period. Nazareth's only tally came from a shot by Schulte when only seven seconds were left.

The Tigers went on to claim the Class B state championship by defeating the defending Texas champs, the Crawford Pirettes, 53-49.

While Neches hit 51 percent from the floor, they held the Swifts to 50 percent mainly through the efforts of 6-3 guard Vanessa Anderson.

Nazareth got off to a slow start the first quarter as almost four minutes elapsed without a Swift score. But the Swifts settled down and gained a 16-10 lead with Schulte scoring eight points in the final two minutes of the period.

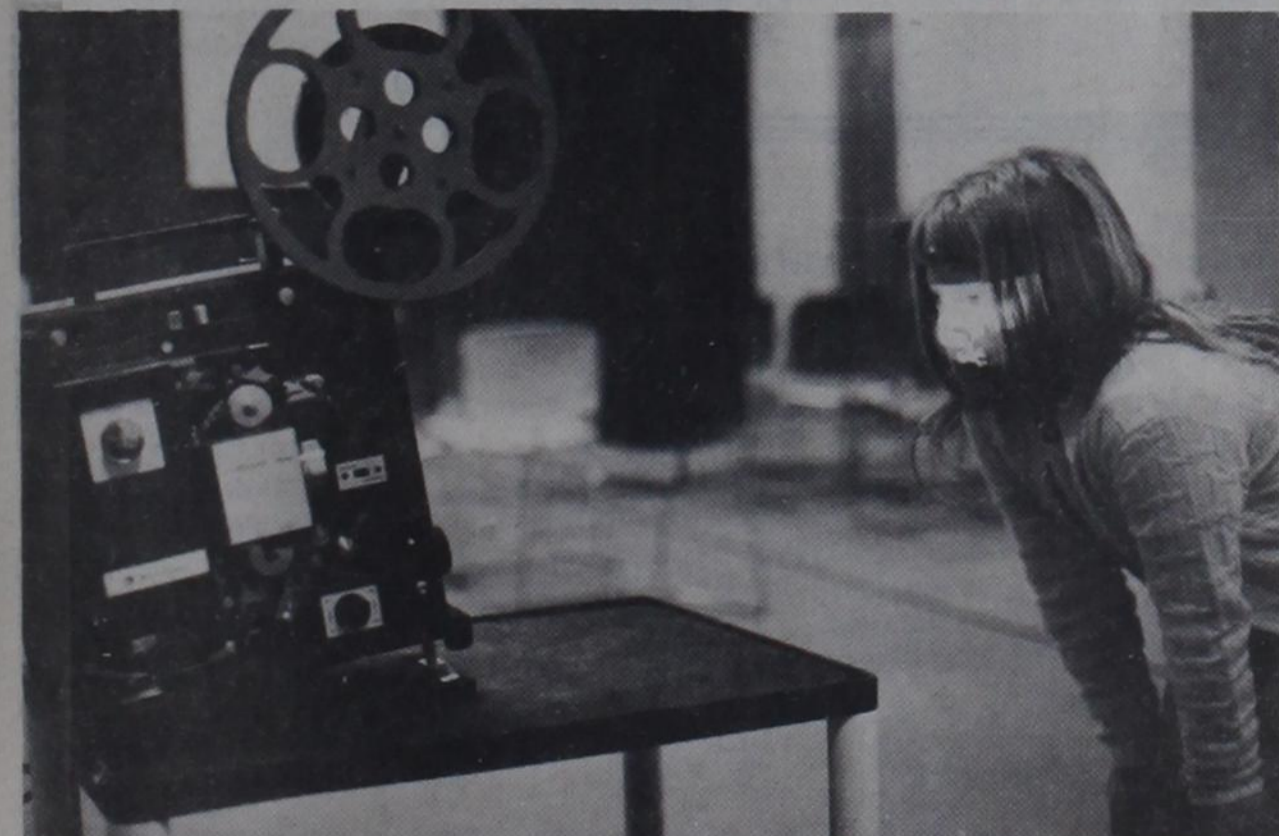
The second quarter was disastrous for Nazareth. The Tigers held the Swifts to only one field goal and a

Reception planned for Swifts Sunday

Nazareth's Swifts, home from the state Class B girls' basketball tournament, will be honored at a public reception in the Nazareth school cafeteria Sunday afternoon.

COACH CATHY Wilson's Swifts, Region 1-B champions who lost a close contest to the state champion Neches Tigers in the state semifinals last Thursday, will be the honor guests as the Nazareth PTA plays host.

"Everyone is welcome to this informal reception, which we are planning to show our community's pride in the girls' record, said Ethel Schmucker, PTA president. The party will begin at 3 p.m.



PEEKING AT DAFFY—That's a color cartoon flashing on Alicia Moyers' face as she peers into the new movie projector at Rhoads Memorial Library. Alicia, 9, is the daughter of Librarian Carlton Moyers. The public "projector fund" for the library attained its goal last week when the Bell & Howell 16mm "Filmsound" projector was purchased for \$750. The library's meeting room came with a built-in

pull-down screen but no projector. The new self-threading sound projector enables local residents to have private or group showings of a wide range of film programs—educational, feature, cartoon, documentary, travelogue—from the hundreds available through the Amarillo Public Library. The main feature at Rhoads Memorial right now is an award-winning film of a volcano eruption in Hawaii.

Sheffy's chatter

Behrendses and Otts return from Caribbean cruise

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Andy and Helen Behrends and neighbors Irvin and Alma Ott were on the big ship with 600 other people on a fine trip or cruise through the Caribbean Sea to Central America. This was sponsored by the Farmer Stockman.

THEY FLEW to Galveston from here to board ship, went on to Playa Del Carmel, a small place but most interesting where Mexico extends farthest into the sea and the Gulf of Mexico begins. They saw the Maya Toltec cities of Chichen Itza. This place was founded in 432 A.D. by the Mayans, a dark brown people. It was later taken by the Toltecs. Was one of the first cities to be excavated. The very elegant Stela Solaris ship is waiting there. They had a fine dinner at Galveston's Flagship hotel before leaving. They stopped at San Andres Islands, which are off the beaten path. English is spoken here, very good but with an accent, has fine hotels and shops full of bargain priced luxury gifts. They stopped at the Panama Canal. They saw the Gatun Locks. Did see ships going through. Much French is spoken there, as is Spanish. They heard speeches and toured the fine gardens. Saw the St. Joseph church with the golden altar, the Presidential Palace and French Plaza. They had a good dinner then they sailed to Port au Prince on Haiti, a mixture of crudeness and elegance, African voodoo and French savoir faire, many flowers over the mountains. They enjoyed the placid sail home—that is to Galveston. They made a short drive to Houston for lunch at Brennans of New Orleans fame, then out to the airport where goodbyes were said to all the new Farmer Stockmen friends.

DICK AND Marie Perrin went to El Paso for several days vacation last weekend. This is a fun trip, to see shows and go across the river to Juarez for a meal and tour.

Mrs. Florence Cowan of Hamlin is visiting her son Les Cowan and family in Nazareth. Les is the boys' football and basketball coach. Dorothy, the wife of Les, teaches school. She says where needed, business, typing or what, history, English. Now say! Aren't we proud of the Nazareth basketball girls. They went to State at Austin, played a fine game against Neches in East Texas. Nazareth only lost by four points, a close, good game.

And did you hear that Aural Davis got her car pretty well torn up in Amarillo? She is not hurt. I didn't get the details, was not her fault.

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And one of the 10-year-old basketball boys, Michael Love, son of Barry and Stefanie, hurt his leg playing ball. And David Hays was on the winning team that beat our grandson. I don't dare call those animal names wrong again.

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Elene Butler of Levelland visited her sister Frances and Alvin Frazier recently. The family grew up at Flagg.

Houston and Doris Lust and Calvin and Tommie Petty went to Falcon Lake to fish, then decided to go on to McAllen, crossed the Rio Grande to Lake Guerrero to do more fishing. I hear that Tommie catches fish when no one else can. Frank and Louise Mears who have a winter house at Zapata and their friends Mr. and Mrs. Loy Stephens of Brownfield went with them to Mexico. They had a good time and did get fish.

JIMMIE SCHULTE (the mamma of the girls) was the birthday girl Tuesday. So, Jerri Bradley baked a cake and made coffee and punch to celebrate at the Village Shop coffee hour. Several friends came by.

Another birthday party Thursday evening was for 24-year-old Johnny Vick. His sister Rita and husband Mike Stedman were the host and hostess with pickup food. Janie Sheffy baked his birthday cake. Probably 40 people went to the Stedman's party.

I made a blooper! I called one of the little teams Tigers and Bears. That was wrong. But did you know that 142 boys in the 10 to 12 year old group play basketball? They are good too and each team has an animal name, so 'scuse me please.

Retta Cluck was hostess to her bridge group Thursday afternoon. She served a salad and devil's food cake to Opal Bearden, Anita Morris, Ruth Wooten, Maggie Boren, Cletha George, Billy Cluck, Myrtle Sheffy. Anita and Retta were high score winners.

SCOTT MORRIS was the seven-year-old birthday boy one day last week, so his mother Mrs. Larry Morris took cupcakes and a fruit drink to the school so all the first grade celebrated. The teacher is Mrs. Jim Upfold.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford went to Fort Worth Thursday to attend the funeral service for a niece. They stayed for a few days visit with relatives there and with Josie's brother Rev. Johnny Roden at Denton.

Joe Lust, who is with the district Farm Bureau at Lubbock, has been home for a few days recuperating from a hurt back. When will you boys quit lifting things, as if you are Atlas. Joe is the son of Houston and Doris.

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Mayfields and friends do make music.

Melony Dowell, a student at Tech, was home for a weekend visit with Brice and Darlene and brother Kris. Melony was initiated into an honor sorority Sunday afternoon at Tech in Lubbock.

THE EARL Lusts and the Vern Lusts and Leona Stiles had many relatives in last week. Their brother Loyal and Mrs. Lust from Trail, Ore., Mrs. Paul Godfrey from Columbia, Mo. stayed two weeks. And the Earl Lust's daughter Earlene and M. B. Settles came from Hermitage, Tenn. They all visited Mildred and James Bradford.

Geneva Dennis went with her sister Jan Vada Curtis to Graham, where they went out to the big lake and caught a lot of good fish. She says big ones, too. Then on to Dallas to visit friends. On to Beaumont to visit another sister, a very good time talking and eating.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Saul of Houston were here this week to visit their daughter Elaine White and Mrs. Saul's mother Mrs. Flora Stanford and Eldon's mother who is in an Amarillo hospital. Elaine will move to Hereford this week. She teaches art in Hereford High School.

Mrs. Leona Rothwell has a new great grandson, Kyle Dwayne White of Fort Towson, Okla. He is the grandson of Kathleen and Virgil Nowell.

MRS. RUTH Wright, Mrs. Artie Rothwell of Missouri and

Mrs. Leona Rothwell were in Plainview Wednesday visiting Leona's daughter Mrs. A. W. Bates.

Artie Rothwell has been here to see her mother-in-law Leona Rothwell and they stayed in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Williams. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust, Mrs. Leona Stiles, Mrs. Bunia Shwen. All these folks were neighbors in the Bethel community years ago. Oh yes, Mrs. Leland Smith and daughter Elzada visited all the folks at Mrs. Williams' house. Artie returned home Friday, stopped in Oklahoma City to visit her sister Mrs. and Mr. A. T. Stair who came there from home at Pauls Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith spent a few days in Dallas with their daughter Zella Vee and family, the elder daughter Elzada or Mrs. Frank Funk of Houston came home with them for a visit.

Kyle Yates was the 12-year-old birthday boy Sunday, Feb. 29. This makes him have had only three birthdays. His mom Dee baked him a cake and asked his friends in for cake and Coke.

MR. AND MRS. Fred Bruegel Sr. were hosts to 18 artists who had many oil paintings on exhibit in their home Sunday afternoon. Phyllis and Jay Sanders of Seymour are the teacher and one of my favorites of Mrs. Sanders' art was "Golden Aspen" and another Texas Bluebonnets. Several local artists had work shown. R. B. Strother says he has been

painting for 25 years, I didn't know that. Alvin and Frances Frazier are new, so are Jim Aldridge, Betty Dennis and Wilton Graef. Juanita Bruegal had several paintings, her son Mike and Donna claim the "Red Barn." And Jim Hays said that Geneva Dennis kept him and Morgan from seeing a wonderful "work of nature"—a picture of a lovely girl. Shame on you, Geneva!

Betty Dennis and Darlene Dowell served iced punch and home baked cookies from a tea table on the glassed-in patio. I met Mrs. Dee Willard from west of town and her mom-in-law Mrs. E. V. Willard from Kress. And we saw Lucille Drerup and Mrs. Jake Acker among the many callers. Oh yes, Maxine Tidwell had paintings, Dorothy Mayfield and many others.

TED AND Millie Burnett and daughter Tammy have moved here from Quanah. They will live at Stafford Apartments across from the high school. Ted is with Delbert Smotherman with the Jackson Ditching and Tammy is a sophomore. I believe they will attend church with the Baptists. Millie is a sister of Delbert's and Dorothy (Mrs. Rex) Sheffy.

Allan Webb and his mother Vera Webb and her five sisters and their husbands took motor homes across Texas to Toledo Bend for a fishing trip. They stayed two weeks. Beverly and husband Milligan went too. They caught bass and had a good time. Peggy, or Mrs. Allan Webb, has been in Kerr-

ville for a while resting and she says roaming those hills and dales. Her daughters A'llan Bradley and Kristi Edward have been to see her. They went back to San Antonio, Fredricksburg for German food, Austin and all over the place.

Oh yes, Toledo Bend is near Orange. Peggy and the Swain Burketts visited Dr. Blackburn at Junction.

Connie Nelson went to Oklahoma City to a regional meeting of the Methodist youth group.

JENNIFER Robin Hanners celebrated her fourth birthday Friday at her home. Guests were David Edwards, Emily and Andrea Clary and Scott Wegs, also their mothers Jan Edwards, Lois Wegs and Vicky Clary. Favors were given to the guests when Jennifer opened her gifts. Cake and ice cream were served. Jennifer's grandparents Smoky and Lubyln Harris came from Lubbock and they all had dinner at K-Bob's. Jennifer was wearing a tiny

corsage of yellow daisies. Jerry Marvin and Susan are her parents.

Have you met Ronnie and Shirley Taylor? They moved here a few months ago from Alex, Okla. He is with W&C Farms and Shirley works in the Extension office as secretary to

the entomologist. Their children are Tammye, 11, Todd, 10 and Tyannne, 5. They attend First Baptist Church.

Ona Faye Chapman and sister (the former Lilly Mae Smith) and Mrs. Roy Smith of Plainview were here Sunday for [See CHATTER, Page 3]

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Advertisement for Church of the Nazarene, 5th and Halsell, Dimmitt, Texas. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for La Iglesia de Dios del Primojenito, East Halsell St., Dimmitt, Texas. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Presbyterian Church, Western Circle Drive, Dimmitt, Texas. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Sunnyside Baptist Church, Raymond Jones, Pastor, Dimmitt, Texas. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Lee Street Baptist Church, Bobby Gordon, Pastor, Dimmitt, Texas. Lists Sunday school and worship services.



"Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised.)"

Have faith in God. He will lead us in the right paths. He will never fail. As the highways are clearly marked and numbered so that we might easily find our way from city to city and across the nation, God's word clearly marks life's paths. Attend church regularly and exercise your faith in God.

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



Advertisement for Iglesia de Cristo, E. Lee and S.E. Third, Evangelists - Miguel Zuniga. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Iglesia Bautista Joe Bailes Memorial, 300 N.E. 7th, Pastor Van Earl Hughes. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for First Baptist Church, 1201 Western Circle Drive, Rev. John Street, Pastor. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for First United Methodist Church, Marvin Roark, Pastor, Jim Massey, Music & Education. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Macedonia Baptist Church, 412 North East Street. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Assembly of God Church, William E. Summers, Pastor, 302 S.E. 2nd. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor, 1001 W. Halsell - Ph. 647-4219. Lists Sunday mass and other services.

Advertisement for Church of Christ, S.W. 4th at Bedford, Viggo Ulrich, Minister. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

Advertisement for Church of Christ (Northside), Third and Halsell Streets, Leonard Tittle, Minister, Phone 647-5284. Lists Sunday school and worship services.

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Phone 647-3239 For Starting Time

Advertisement for Walt Disney's Treasure Island, Technicolor G, Bobby Driscoll - Robert Newton.

Sunday & Monday

Advertisement for Airport 1975, An all NEW film... Universal Picture Technicolor Animation.

Advertisement for Carlile Theatre, Dimmitt, Texas.

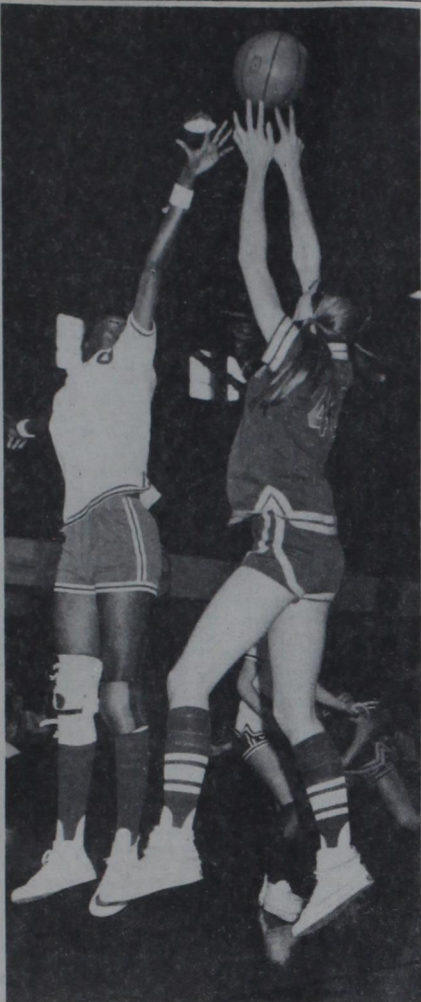
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BATTLE OF ALL-STATERS—Nazareth forward Elaine Schulte has to go high and put a good arch on her shot to get it over the outstretched hand of Vanessa Anderson, 6-3 Neches guard, in the lead-off game of the state girls' basketball tournament last Thursday in Austin. The Neches girls defeated the Swifts 50-46 in an overtime, then went on to capture the state Class B championship.

More about SHEFFY'S



[Continued from Page 2] church and business. They visited friends including the Edgar Rameys. George Barnett died at Lubbock Saturday. Services were Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Barnett built the rock house on Jones Street and he was a merchant here in the 20's.

RONNIE AND June Parker have been to Miami Beach, Fla., to attend a premier council for top qualified agents of Banker's Life. This is for all the United States. Ronnie won this trip by his good salesmanship. The Parkers came home by way of Searcy, Ark., to visit their

son Cliff, who is in college there. It is a Church of Christ related school. Cliff was running in an indoor track meet, the 440-yard dash and the mile relay. Hardin C.I.C. won the track meet.

Don Blankenship, drama teacher, tells us the Dimmitt High School one-act play cast and crew will have a car wash this Saturday to raise money for a trip to Fort Worth. They will be presenting their contest play with 15 other Texas schools at TCU. The price of the car wash is \$5 per car and they will pick up and deliver your car. For an appointment call 647-4484. The place of the car wash has not been determined. Signs will be posted around telling of the location before Saturday.

Henry Block has 17 reasons why you should come to us for income tax help.



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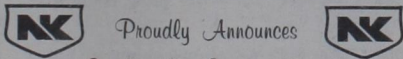
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THE INCOME TAX PEOPLE
116 W. Bedford

Mrs. Hudson's brother dies

Walter Conway, 60, of Paso Robles, Calif., brother of Mrs. George Hudson of Dimmitt, died Feb. 15 of an apparent heart attack.

FUNERAL services were conducted Feb. 18 in Paso Robles. In addition to the sister here, survivors include his wife, a daughter, a son and two other sisters.

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CRACKERS Sunshine 1 lb. box **49¢**

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PRODUCE

CAULIFLOWER Large Heads **59¢ ea.**

ORANGES Sunkist Navels **19¢ lb.**

AVOCADOS Large California **3 for \$1**

POTATOES White 10 lb. bag **89¢**

ONION Yellow Sweets **17¢ lb.**

ROOT BEER A&W 96 oz. 6-pack **\$1.19**

GREEN BEANS Del Monte Whole 16 oz. **3 for \$1**

COFFEE M.J.B. 1 lb. size **\$1.29**

CRISCO OIL 24 oz. bottle **89¢**

SNACK PACKS Del Monte Fruit or Pudding **69¢**

COLD POWER Detergent 84 oz. King Size **\$1.99**

ORANGE DRINK Rich & Ready gallon **99¢**

VANILLA WAFERS White Swan 12 oz. **49¢**

FRUIT COCKTAIL Hunts 15 oz. can **3 for \$1**

ON FINE meats

GROUND BEEF Extra Lean **99¢ lb.**

BURRITOS Beef & Bean **6 for 99¢**

PORK STEAK Shoulder Cut **99¢ lb.**

HAM Farm Land 3 lb. can **\$5.99**

BACON Peytons Sliced Slab **\$1.19 lb.**

SIRLOIN STEAK USDA Choice **\$1.39 lb.**

T-BONE STEAK USDA Choice **\$1.59 lb.**

HAM PATTIES Swift 21 oz. **\$2.59**

Ranch Style Beans 15 oz. **4 for \$1**

VIENNA SAUSAGE Hormel 5 oz. **3 for \$1**

Toast-Em Pop-Ups 10 1/2 oz. **2 for \$1**

FLOUR Gladiola 25 lb. **\$3.27**

FLOUR Gladiola 5 lb. **69¢**

SYRUP Staley 24 oz. size **99¢**

INSTANT TEA White Swan 3 oz. **\$1.17**

POTATO CHIPS Planters 9 oz. **79¢**

GRAPE JELLY Smuckers 18 oz. **79¢**

PEANUT BUTTER Bama 18 oz. **88¢**

FACIAL TISSUE Coronet 200 count **2 for 97¢**

TOILET TISSUE Coronet 4 roll **69¢**

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This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertising in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

1-28-tfc

1—REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND

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2—FOR RENT

BUSINESS SPACE for rent. Carpeted, 109 NE 2nd, Rawlings Building. 2-18-tfc

MIGHT RENT two bedroom house to permanent couple. References. Write Box 403, Canyon, 79015. 2-18-tfc

3—FOR SALE, MISC.

REDUCE safe & fast with Go-Bese Tablets & E-Vap "water pills". Parsons Rexall Drug. 3-19-8tp

GRASS HAY for sale. Extra good quality. Semi loads delivered. 505-483-2707. 3-19-8tp

REPOSSESSED refrigerators, excellent condition, with ice makers. Call Danny at 647-3180. 3-8-tfc

C.B. RADIOS—Pace and Hy-Gain as low as \$118.50. Mighty T with trunk-mount antenna, \$127.50. White's Auto, Dimmitt. 3-8-tfc

FOR SALE: 16-inch well casing, new steel, 18 1/2 cents per pound; 6 and 8-inch column pipe. Highest prices for junk iron. Farwell Pipe & Iron, Ph. 481-3287, 601 Ave. A, Farwell, Tx. 3-6-tfc

FOR SALE: Three repossessed TVs; 2 stereos; 1 8-foot pool table. Call Lenore at 647-3180. 3-8-tfc

FOR ECONOMIC Storage and Filing, see our PERMA-FILE STORAGE BOXES AND PERMA-DRAWERS. Letter size Perma-Drawers only \$9.00. Castro County News, 108 W. Bedford, Phone 647-3123. 3-19-tfc

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

STORE JUST OPENED: furniture, tools, appliances, new and used clothing, shoes, miscellaneous. Thousands of paperback books, half price. We trade; bring your books and come on in. Open 1 to 6, closed Tuesdays. 329 Main, Bovina. 3-21-2tc

RIDING LAWN MOWER, new condition. Call 647-3169 or at night, 647-2344. 3-22-tfc

FOR SALE: Twin box springs and mattress. \$35.00. Phone 647-5663. 3-22-2tp

4—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

WE ARE NOW an authorized dealer for JENN-AIR cooking units. Kittrell Electronics, 647-2197. 4-2-tfc

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

5—FARM EQUIPMENT

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

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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom home with living and dining room combination, den, fireplace, 2 baths, with an acre of land. Phone 647-2315. 1-20-tfc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom brick home, good location. Phone 647-4331. 1-20-6tc

FOR SALE: Large corner lot. Phone 647-5657 after 5 p.m. 1-22-tfc

2—FOR RENT

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

FOR RENT: Kitchenette apartments. Bills paid. Cable TV. Weekly or monthly rates. 647-3464. 2-38-tfc

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

FOR RENT: Efficiency apartment, suitable for two only. No pets. 121 E. Bedford, Ye Olde Inn. 2-21-tfc

WEST TEXAS QUALITY BUILT HOMES

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Call 647-4469 after 5 and weekends.

5—FARM EQUIPMENT

FOR SALE: CORN DRYER, used one season, A-28 Dri-All (Dryeration). Contact Tagco Industries in Hereford, Tx. 806-357-2222 or Mobile phone 806-265-3661. CALL COLLECT today. 5-17-tfc

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FOR SALE: 220-foot of used 10-inch well casing, thick wall. 945-2274. 5-21-2tp

FOR SALE: John Deere 4-bottom breaking plow; 1 40-inch Lilliston rolling cultivator; 1 30-inch Lilliston rolling cultivator; 1967 Massey Ferguson 510 gas combine. Phone 647-4472. 5-20-3tc

6—AUTOMOTIVE

FOR SALE: 350 four Honda Motorcycle. 200 actual miles, excellent condition. \$200 down, pick up payments. Call 364-1270 or 647-3688, ask for Steve. 6-22-3tp

1971 CHEVROLET Malibu, 2-door hardtop, 307, loaded. Vinyl top, A-1 rubber. See to appreciate. Call 647-3342. 6-20-4tp

FOR SALE: 1973 Honda 750, customized, good condition, 647-4133. 6-20-4tc

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

1964 PICKUP for sale or trade. Chevy with SWB, slick body. Will trade for later model pickup or tractor. With post-hole digger. Call 647-2477. 6-7-tfc

1973 MONTE CARLO for sale. Vinyl top, bucket seats, solid maroon. Very good condition. \$3,000. Call John at 647-5500. 6-19-tfc

FOR SALE: 1970 Pontiac Catalina, yellow and white. Call 647-3365 after 5 p.m. 6-22-tfc

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7—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE: Liquor Store, doing good business, nicely located, drive-up window. Age reason for selling. Reasonable, about \$12,000 will handle. S.B.A. balance. Mrs. Jack Ricketson, 302 N. 1st Street, Clayton, N.M. 88415, Phone 505-374-2243. 7-20-3tp

WOMEN TO SHOW TRICHEM LIQUID EMBROIDERY. No experience necessary. Get started without investment. Turn extra hours into extra dollars. Extra bonus during March only. Call 806-247-2556. 7-22-2tc

8—SERVICES

SEE YOUR independent insurance agent for complete insurance service. Ivey Insurance Agency, 210 W. Bedford, 647-3518. 8-6-tfc

WILL DO WELDING, evenings and weekends. Call Kenneth Oldham, Shop, 647-2667 or Home, 647-5489. 8-2-tfc

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

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FENCES—all types installed. QUALITY construction; financing available. Free estimates. Contact Gene Sanders, 647-2477. 8-42-tfc

CUSTOM DISKING, flatbreaking, fertilizing and spraying, 647-5548. 8-52-52tp

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

TREE SPRAYING, custom tree and landscape service. T. J. Carter, Tex. lic. PCL-1440Pt. LOW. Amarillo 373-4593. Dimmitt representative Randy Gilliland, 647-2448. 8-23-tfc

WANTED TO DO: Interior painting. 647-3516. 8-21-3tc

WILL SKIRT and tie down all mobile homes. Also will repair any damage or problems you have. 647-5462. 8-9-tfc

SPUDDER RIG WORK: Earl Mahler, 806-945-2281. 8-3-34tp

M&M RADIATOR & Salvage: Clean and repair, new and used radiators. Will buy junk iron, batteries and cars. 507 SE 4th. 8-16-tfc

DEEPENING WELLS. Spudder rig work. Melvin Wethington, 945-2672. 8-16-tfc

FARM DIRT WORK: Tailwater pits dug and cleaned. I am now operating out of my home. Please call 945-2255 between 8 and 10 p.m. Bill Mumme, Mumme Excavating. 8-15-tfc

PORTABLE DISC Rolling. J. W. Lumpkin. Call 647-2579, Dimmitt, Texas. 8-18-52tc

9—HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Brake mechanics. We have immediate openings for those with experience in brake and/or alignment work. Opportunity for advancement. Also brake helper trainee. Apply at Firestone Store, 105 N. Main, Hereford, Tx. 79045. Phone 364-4333. An Equal Opportunity Employer. 9-22-2tc

L.V.N. NEEDED for 3-to-11 shift. Apply in person to Joyce Adrian at South Hills Manor nursing home, 647-3117. 9-6-tfc

HOMEWORKERS needed in this area to lace leather goods at home. Earn \$150 per week. No experience necessary. Send \$1.00 (refundable) and long stamped envelope to: Cumberland Leather Craft, 1516 Magic View Dr., Kingsport, Tn. 37660. 9-21-3tp

WANTED: Bookkeeper-Typist. Write Box 67, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. 9-14-tfc

10—WANTED, MISC.

SCRAP IRON wanted. We pay \$35 per ton for scrap delivered to our shop, and \$25 per ton if we pick up. Dimmitt Welding & Electric, E. Hwy 86, 647-3128. 10-21-tfc

WILL TRADE 1970 Encyclopaedia Britannica, in top condition, for used World Book Encyclopedia. Call 647-2400 after 5 p.m. 10-6-tfc

WANTED: Good used furniture. Pat's Electric. 647-4421, 214 E. Bedford. 10-43-tfc

11—LIVESTOCK, PETS

WANTED: Weaner pigs and feeder shoats. C. R. McGhee, Hereford, 364-1045. 11-48-tfc

NOW OPEN for business — Chantel's Poodle Grooming salon, Frankie and Betty Barrett, call Hereford 364-2048, 210 West 5th. 11-36-tfc

FOR SALE: Crossbred and Duroc Gilts, Registered Hampshire boar. Robert Duke, Ph. 846-2230. 11-7-tfc

13—LOST & FOUND

LOST: Boston terrier female. Answers to name of Midge. Reward. Robert Daniel, 647-2372. 13-22-2tc

14—CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say a big thank you to each and every one for the visits, prayers and nice things you did for us during Floyd's stay in the hospital. May God richly bless you, is our prayer.

MRS. FLOYD STANFORD
Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Stanford
Mr. & Mrs. John C. Stanford
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Lillie
14-22-1tp

15—LEGAL NOTICES

SPECIFICATIONS FOR CITY OF DIMMITT GARBAGE DISPOSAL EQUIPMENT

The City of Dimmitt desires that all bids regarding Garbage Disposal Equipment be submitted on the basis as herein-after stated for equipment manufactured to the following plans and specifications:

EQUIPMENT QUANTITY

1/3 cubic yard containers 300
2 1/2 cubic yard containers 150
31975 model Ford Truck, 361 engine, 18,500 pound rear axle, 7,000 pound front axle 1
4/30-ton Packer Body with automatic cab control side lift for automatic loading of packer 1

Please submit your bids on the above described equipment to the City Manager for the City of Dimmitt, no later than 6:00 p.m. Monday, March 15, 1976, all bids to be sealed and complete with contractor's bond by a recognizable surety company. Sealed bids will be opened at the regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Dimmitt at 6:30 p.m., March 15, 1976.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

-s-Garnett F. Holland
Garnett Holland
City Secretary
City of Dimmitt, Texas
15-21-2tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER AND NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1976, by the qualified voters of Castro County, at the voting places in and for each School District in said County as follows:

Dimmitt Middle School Auditorium
Hart City Hall
Nazareth Community Hall

For the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioners Precinct No. 1, and one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioners Precinct No. 2.

Said Election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election of District School Trustees in and for each of said School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 7:00 A.M. and shall not close before 7:00 P.M.

Weldon Bradley
County Judge, Ex-Officio
County School Supt.
Castro County, Texas
15-22-1tc

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NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

City of Dimmitt, Texas 79027

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 3rd day of April, 1976 in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Two (2) Commissioners. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:

In Election Precinct No. One (1) at City Hall Community Room Building.

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall Office Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m.

Dated this the 23rd day of February, 1976.

-s- ELMER H. YOUTS
Elmer H. Youts
Mayor-City of Dimmitt
15-22-4tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD

Ciudad de Dimmitt, Texas 79027

Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad ed dia 3 de April, de 1976, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Dos (2) Comisionados. Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad: El Distrito Electoral Num. Uno (1) en el Edificio City Hall Community Room.

Los lugares de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio City Hall Office, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarta dia anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

Fecha esta dia 23rd de February, de 1976.

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

THE KENNEDY Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C., is presenting a major exhibition entitled "America on Stage: 200 Years of Performing Arts," portraying the evolution of drama, music and dance from colonial days. The exhibit will continue through the Bicentennial year.

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Dated this the 23rd day of February, 1976.

-s- ELMER H. YOUTS
Elmer H. Youts
Mayor-City of Dimmitt
15-22-4tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD

Ciudad de Dimmitt, Texas 79027

Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad ed dia 3 de April, de 1976, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Dos (2) Comisionados. Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad: El Distrito Electoral Num. Uno (1) en el Edificio City Hall Community Room.

Los lugares de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio City Hall Office, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarta dia anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

Fecha esta dia 23rd de February, de 1976.

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THE KENNEDY Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C., is presenting a major exhibition entitled "America on Stage: 200 Years of Performing Arts," portraying the evolution of drama, music and dance from colonial days. The exhibit will continue through the Bicentennial year.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

ORDER AND NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1976, by the qualified voters of Castro County, at the voting places in and for each School District in said County as follows:

Dimmitt Middle School Auditorium
Hart City Hall
Nazareth Community Hall

For the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioners Precinct No. 1, and one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioners Precinct No. 2.

Said Election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election of District School Trustees in and for each of said School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 7:00 A.M. and shall not close before 7:00 P.M.

Weldon Bradley
County Judge, Ex-Officio
County School Supt.
Castro County, Texas
15-22-1tc

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MRS. KENNY DOSS
The former Jimmy Renee Hughes

Miss Hughes bride in church wedding

A church ceremony at twilight was conducted for the Feb. 21 marriage of Jimmy Renee Hughes and Kenny Doss, both of Dimmitt. Rev. Murray Lew Brewer of Plainview officiated in the First Baptist Church here.

THE BRIDE is the daughter of Mrs. Curtis Grand of Dimmitt and Jimmy Hughes of Houston. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doss of Dimmitt.

Sisters of the bride were among her attendants, Paulette Lindeman of Abilene as matron of honor and Jaquita Hughes as bridesmaid. A cousin, Lea Lindeman of Dallas, and Junie White were other bridesmaids. Danny Newton was best man, with the groom's father, Charles Doss, Robert Johnston of Temple and Jimmy Fewell as groomsmen. Ushers were Billy Perkins of Friona, Roy Thomas, and the bride's cousins, C. B. Looper and Randy Terry, both of Friona.

YOUNG members of the wedding party were Holly Edwards and Michelle Edwards of Amarillo, cousins of the bride, as flower girls, and Kyle Mansell, the groom's nephew, who carried the rings. Gary Looper of Friona and Ricky Redfern of Fort Supply, the bride's cousins, lighted tapers in spiral candle trees and branched candelabra which flanked an altar centerpiece of pink gladioli, carnations and snapdragons set under an arch studded with daisies.

Candles based in clusters of daisies were set in the church windows. Aisles were marked

with votive candles and daisy garlands tied with pink satin bows.

MRS. TERRY Ellison was the organist and Janet Mooney sang wedding solos, "Never My Love" and "A Time For Us."

Dressed in white organza over peau de soie, the bride carried a bouquet of baby orchids, pink rosebuds and gypsophila showered with strands of pearls and satin ribbons tied in loveknots.

Her gown was accented with crystal ruching around the high neckline, down a pearl-embroidered lace panel on the bodice front, and around wide bands of the lace on bishop sleeves.

Wider ruffles of the ruching circled the full skirt and chapel train. Her fingertip illusion veil was attached to a picture hat of the lace with scalloped brim.

IN PETAL pink, the attendants' dresses were in empire style with ruffles around low necklines and adding fullness to the carpet-length skirts. They carried mums surrounded by gypsophila, with white satin streamers in loveknots.

For the reception in the church fellowship hall, the table was laid with a pink cloth and decorated with an arrangement of pink rosebuds and daisies.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss left after the wedding for Ruidoso, N.M. They are at home at 500 Western Circle Dr.

The bride is a senior in Dimmitt High School and the groom, employed at the Amstar plant, is a DHS graduate.

Grussings at home after Florida trip

Mr. and Mrs. James Grussing are at home at 702 W. Pine St. after their recent marriage and a honeymoon in Florida. The bride was Cynthia Diane Ward before the wedding.

THE CEREMONY took place in First United Methodist Church here with Rev. Ed Manning, pastor of the Dimmitt Presbyterian Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ward, Route 4, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Grussing of Wilmar, Minn.

The church altar was decorated for the wedding with 14 tiers of blue and orange candles and a large center bouquet of flowers in the same colors. Pews were marked by candles tied with blue bows.

TAMMY WARD was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were the groom's sister, Carol Grussing of Wilmar, Cindy Feldman and Laren Lomenick of Hereford.

Rex Allsup was best man and Joe Ward, brother of the bride, Dale Peterson of St. Cloud, Minn., brother-in-law of the groom, and Wally Feldman, cousin of the groom, were groomsmen.

Cindy Lomenick of Hereford and Melony Timmons lighted candles. Debbie Stanton was the flower girl and Kitzell Hoover the ring bearer. Ushers were Steve Stanton and the groom's brother, Kelvin Grussing of Wilmar.

Linda Sue Hamilton of Artesia, N.M., cousin of the bride, was the soloist and Thomas McGuire the organist. Wedding songs were "We've Only Just Begun" and "Wed-

Newlyweds establish Dallas home

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Seely are at home in Dallas after a trip to Las Vegas which followed their marriage Feb. 21 in Calvary Baptist Church of Garland.

MRS. SEELY is the former Debbie Humphrey of Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hale of that city. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Seely of 610 N.W. 8th, Dimmitt.

Rev. Joe Trull officiated for the double ring ceremony in an altar setting of arched and spiral candelabra.

Matron of honor was Gwen Martin of Cedar Hill, sister of the bride, and best man was the groom's uncle, Jim Seely of Bedford.

Roddy McCall of Lubbock and Randy Martin of Cedar Hill served as ushers. Guests were registered by Brenda Seely, sister of the groom.

ORGAN soloist was Paulette Albertson of Garland, who played "Hawaiian Wedding Song" and music from the movie, "Romeo and Juliet."

The bride wore a gown of candlelight organza with embroidered lace trim. In empire fashion, it had a blue ribbon inlay at the waistline tying in a bow at center back. Full sleeves were finished with lace.

Her veil, also in candlelight shade, was attached to a lace caplet embroidered with seed pearls. Her flowers were white roses, blue carnations and babybreath in a nosegay.

Her attendant was dressed in blue floral print, also in empire style, with sheer blue long sleeves. She carried a nosegay of blue carnations and babybreath.

A RECEPTION was held in the church parlor after the wedding.

Karen Seely and Jeanette McCall, sisters of the groom, served the three-tiered cake and punch from a table centered with a 17-branch candelabrum which held blue jewel lights. Mrs. Martin served at the groom's table.

For the wedding trip, Mrs. Seely wore a red, white and blue pantsuit.

She graduated in 1970 from a Dallas high school and Seely was a Dimmitt High graduate that year. He is manager of the Dallas distribution center of Home Interiors and Gifts, where the bride is also employed.

IN 1974, life expectancy at age 40 reached a new high of 30.9 in the United States—27.8 years for men and 34.0 years for women, according to Dorothy Taylor, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

ding Prayer."

THE BRIDE was attired in a formal gown of Chantilly lace over bridal taffeta, designed with high neckline, natural waistline, long tapered sleeves and bouffant skirt. Re-embroidered Venice lace and satin ribbon enhanced the bodice.

Ruffles on the skirt fell in waterfall tiers and the full back swept into a chapel train. A lace coil held her illusion veil. She carried a cascade of orange buds surrounding a white orchid tipped in blue.

A RECEPTION was held in the Castro County Country Club, where the table was decorated with candelabra based in orange and blue flowers.

For the trip to Florida, Mrs. Grussing wore a pantsuit of green, red and blue plaid, with a white orchid corsage.

She is a 1975 graduate of Dimmitt High School. The groom farms west of Dimmitt.



MRS. JAMES GRUSSING
The former Cynthia Diane Ward

Club will hear guest reviewer

The Dimmitt Book Club will have Molly Ritter of Clarendon as guest reviewer at its March meeting Wednesday afternoon in the Rhoads Memorial Library.

Anyone interested is invited to attend the book review, which will begin at 4 p.m.

It will be preceded by the club's business meeting, beginning at 3:30 p.m.

Election scheduled at Tops meeting

Election of officers is scheduled for Tops Club #386 at its meeting Monday evening in the clubroom over the ASC office. Members are asked to be present for the voting, and new members are always welcome in the club.

QUEEN of the Week named at this week's meeting is Darla Underwood, who registered a weight loss of 3 pounds, 12 ounces.



BRIDE-TO-BE—The marriage of Judy Gilreath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilreath of Dimmitt, and Larry Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. [Jake] Lambert of Muleshoe, will take place March 26 in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt. Miss Gilreath, a student in Amarillo College, graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1975.

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Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart

Harts to be honored

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart of Hart will be honored with a reception March 14 in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary.

FRIENDS of the couple are invited to call at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church at Hart. Hours for the reception are from 2 to 4:30 p.m.

Hosts for the Golden Wedding reception will be the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Hart. They are

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Horton of Saginaw, Mich., Troye Horton of La Habra, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Percy Hart of Hart.

Percy Hart and Edna Livesay were married March 12, 1926, at Plainview.

THE THREE most important events of human life are equally devoid of reason—birth, marriage and death.

—O'Malley.

FANATICISM harkens only to its own counsel, which it believes to be inspired.
—Francis Wilson.

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On Wall Street
By Bob Hill
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I have always envied the first-class passenger on airplanes. While I'm squeezed in between two other coach passengers, just as uncomfortable as I am, my contemporary in first-class is enjoying all the luxuries of travel which I am not enjoying.
I PROMISE myself every time I fly that some day I'm going to pay that big jump in fare between coach and first-class and enjoy the comfort, roominess and attention from the stewardess in self-conscious smugness.
Only instead of a 25% to 30% increase in the fare for first-class, the rate differential is going to 52% by April of 1977. Perhaps I don't mind getting squeezed and ignored so much after all—at least not 52% worth. The passenger in first-class is now in the spend-thrift category. Now I'm the smart one (I think).
The airlines are shrinking the first-class cabin of the airplane and increasing the coach section because other passengers are taking note of the big difference between coach and first-class fares and opting for the coach. What they don't realize is that the airlines are also cramming more seats in the coach section.
AFTER taking out 6,700 first-class seats, ten of the domestic airlines were able to add 12,000 coach seats. This is one of the reasons airline manufacturers are singing the blues. Increasing the number of seats by 5,300 is the same as adding 40 stretched Boeing 727's to the airline fleets.
Corporations, once the biggest users of first-class travel

Kiwanians busy on tournament

Progress of plans for conducting the regional Little Dribblers tournament here April 8-10 were reported at the Monday lunch of the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club, which will sponsor the annual event.

COMMITTEES, headed by Mark Cleavinger as general chairman, are meeting each Monday at 6:30 a.m. for breakfast planning sessions. Bob Crozier, chairman of ad sales, explained the schedule of program advertisements which are now being sold.
The program Monday was given by Geneva Collins of the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, who showed a short film entitled "A Picture of Health." It showed sophisticated new equipment and recent building and remodeling at the facility.
Doug Nelson, Kelly Nelson and Brad Murdock were young guests at the lunch.

are beginning to require their business travelers to fly coach or to fly first-class only on flights of 5½ hours or longer, up from 3½ hours. Airlines are wondering if first-class accommodations are going the way of the helmet and goggles. The smaller the first-class section, the more expensive it becomes to provide the service.
But, one airline, Braniff, thinks first-class is here to stay and is keeping the size of the luxury section unchanged, bless them.



FIGHTING A FIRE while suspended from a crane boom may not be a favorite pastime, but that's what these Dimmitt firemen had to do last Thursday morning when a belt caught fire near the top of an elevator leg at Dimmitt Agri Industries' South Elevator. Welders were working near the top of the leg when the belt caught fire. No one was injured, and damage was held to a minimum.

Clary receives Southland honor

Les Clary, a member of the Southland Life Insurance Co.'s Tunnick Agency in Amarillo, has been honored as a member of the company's President's Club.
IN QUALIFYING for the award, he placed over \$1,000,000 of insurance protection for his clients in Castro County.
Clary, a Plainview native, attended Oklahoma University.
Southland Life, a stock life insurance company, operates in 45 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico.

SWPS employees receive awards

Three Dimmitt employees of the Southern Division of the Southwestern Public Co. were honored recently at a safety breakfast.
RONALD GLOVER was given a presidential citation for notable achievement in accident prevention as a supervisor, for successfully completing a year without injury to any personnel under his supervision.
Ron Montgomery and Bobby Murdock also received awards.
The presentations were made by Jerry Hays, division safety supervisor, to the employees for working without a lost-time accident during 1975.

Genealogist will speak at Hereford

Area residents interested in genealogy are invited to a seminar to be sponsored by the newly formed Deaf Smith County Genealogical Society at 10 a.m. March 22 in the Deaf Smith County Library at 211 East Fourth St., Hereford.
RICHARD H. Shepherd, genealogical lecturer with Genco, Inc., will conduct the seminar. An authority on genealogical sources and techniques, Shepherd is a former microfilmer for the Genealogical Society in Salt Lake City.
He gives information to aid the beginner in family history research, as well as the professional. An expert in the use of records, he specializes in the use of little known sources which often prove valuable.

NO MAN can be wise on an empty stomach. —George Eliot.



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Here's Hart's school menu

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Hart Schools for March 8-12.
MONDAY — Pizza rolls, tossed salad, crackers, baked beans, orange cake, milk, butter.
TUESDAY — Oven fried steak, hot rolls, whipped potatoes, green beans, buttered rice, milk, butter.
WEDNESDAY — Pinto beans with ham, cornbread, pickles, onions, buttered spinach, fruit, milk, butter.
THURSDAY — Sloppy Joes on homemade buns, French fries, ketchup, green salad, oatmeal cookies, milk.
FRIDAY — Fried fish, tartar sauce, blackeyed peas, cornbread, coleslaw, cherry cobbler, milk, butter.

SORROW, like rain, makes roses and mud. —O'Malley.

GOOD TASTE is better than bad taste, but bad taste is better than no taste. —Bennett.

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Pepperoni	2.15	3.25	4.35
Mushroom	2.15	3.25	4.35
Jalapino	2.15	3.25	4.35
Black Olives	2.15	3.25	4.35
Canadian Bacon	2.15	3.25	4.35
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CHERYL HARTMAN gets one of her few clear shots during the Nazareth Swifts' state semifinal game against Neches in UT-Austin's Gregory Gym last Thursday. Following her shot are teammate Elaine Schulte (right) and Neches guards Vanessa Anderson (50) and Debbie Jones (31). The Swifts overcame an eight-point deficit and tied the Tigers, 44-44, with 13 seconds remaining, then missed a last-second shot that would have given them the victory. Neches won the contest in overtime, 50-46, then went on to defeat Crawford for the state championship. [Photo by Shelly Cross]

Little Dribblers Schedule

MAJOR LEAGUE
[High School Gym]
Friday
6—Raiders vs. Horned Frogs
7—Owls vs. Longhorns
Monday
6—Bears vs. Razorbacks
7—Horned Frogs vs. Aggies
Tuesday
6—Raiders vs. Owls
7—Longhorns vs. Mustangs
Next Thursday
6—Aggies vs. Owls
7—Mustangs vs. Raiders

MINOR LEAGUE
[MS Gym]
Friday
6—Raiders vs. Horned Frogs
7—Owls vs. Longhorns
Monday
6—Bears vs. Razorbacks
7—Horned Frogs vs. Aggies
Tuesday
6—Raiders vs. Owls
7—Longhorns vs. Mustangs
Next Thursday
6—Aggies vs. Owls
7—Mustangs vs. Raiders

Letter to the editor

Ohio prisoner seeks pen pals

Dear Sir:
I am an inmate at London Correctional Inst. at London, Ohio, male, white, age 35. I would like to hear from pen pals in my home town or surroundings. Will answer all letters. Address letters to: Bill Crawford #141-194 P. O. Box 69 London, Ohio 43140

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SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By LINDA RICHARDSON

Ann Alexander, club sweetheart, was introduced to guests of the Dimmitt Promenaders by Gary Cole, at a Valentine celebration. She was given a long-stemmed red rose, a heart-shaped cake, a crown and a sweetheart pin.

MEMBERS and guests enjoyed an old fashioned ice cream supper as plans were made to start a new series of lessons. The lessons will begin at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Country Club. So come on out and join in the fun of learning to square dance.

Andy Alexander took over his new office as president and welcomed the guests, Wally and Cindy Feldman, Jim and Diane Grussing, Nathan and Ann Pevehouse, George and Rita Book, Lynn and Donna Myers.

Johnny Gillenwater, caller, put the guests through several moves to show them how interesting square dancing is.

Club members supplied the refreshments of ice cream, cookies, cake, Cokes and coffee.

Satellite School may get full-time teacher's aide

Norma Conard, teacher in the Dimmitt Satellite Training & Work Center, reported at a meeting of the center's advisory board last Thursday that she may have a full-time aide soon, paid by the state.

"WE'VE BEEN promised money for a full-time aide from the Amarillo State Center for Human Development (which supervises the local Satellite program) if the public schools will provide the transportation," Mrs. Conard reported.

Ike Moore, director of Plan A (special training) programs in public schools here, said he felt transportation money for the teacher's aide would be available.

buy more than were needed. Carroll Webb wanted to buy four new tires, she said, but the owners of Dimmitt Safety Lane insisted on buying two. They agreed to buy two new tires each, she said.

ALSO, Dimmitt Equipment Co. and Chem-Tex Farm Supply have notified Mrs. Conard that they will buy all the gas for the school's van for a year.

At their meeting last week, which was held in Ann's Steak House, advisory board members enjoyed a birthday cake for Don Nelson, made "from scratch" by Satellite School students. Nelson has been on the advisory board since 1969.

"Also, we're still looking forward to a sheltered workshop to enable the students to earn money for themselves," Mrs. Conard said. "We've got a prospect of getting a sheltered workshop in Dimmitt eventually."

THE "SHELTERED workshop" would provide students with paying jobs under supervision, and hopefully would enable the students to become

Stones to lecture on nationwide tour

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Dean Stone of Dimmitt will join a nationwide lecture tour this fall in a program entitled "The Psychic World."

THEY MET recently in Miami, Fla., with representatives of the Jerry Grant Theatrical Agency to help plan the speaking program, which will include the Stones and other specialists in the study of psychic phenomena and practices.

The program is planned as an overview of psychic phenomena, for presentation to college audiences across the country. The Grant Agency is now arranging bookings for a nationwide tour of college campuses starting this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone were called into the planning session as consultants on occult religions. Others in the proposed program specialize in such fields as astrology, mediums, past-life studies and psionics.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone will both be speakers in the program, which will include five others in a two-hour format. "The Psychic World" is believed to be the first touring program of its type.

The Stones met other pro-

posed participants in the program for planning discussions at North Bay Village, between Miami and Miami Beach.

While in Florida, they appeared on a radio-television program and also gave presentations at the Miami-Dade County Junior College and at War Memorial Auditorium in Fort Lauderdale.

The planning session was originally expected to take two weeks, "but everything clicked, we found that all the people worked well together and it only took half as much time as we expected to put the program together," Mrs. Stone said.

AWARDS totaling \$1,000 will be given for outstanding poems with American themes in "The Bicentennial Poetry Awards" competition sponsored by San Jose, Calif., State University. Poems of 200 lines or less may be entered by March 15 and information may be obtained from the university's Department of English.

TO SEE and listen to the wicked is already the beginning of wickedness. —Confucius.



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

MARCH 4 — Janet Tuggle, Mary Edna Hendrix, Drilma Handley, Virgil Wilhelm.

MARCH 5 — Rocky Kay, Danny Schilling.

MARCH 6 — Carol Lantz, Linda Martin, Dana Wall, Sara Hill, Robin Cluck, Julene Gerber, Nancy Acker, George Hochstein, Kenneth Slough, Cecil Braddock, Walter Schulte, Neal Hoelting.

MARCH 7 — Ladonna Brockman, Allen Maurer.

MARCH 8 — Gaines Howell.

MARCH 9 — Trudy Dennis, Robby Hottel, Winifred Wagner, Tom Jones.

MARCH 10 — Anita Huseman, Barbie Jo Steffens, Marcie Spencer, Ernest Bernal, Marlon Backus.

MARCH 11 — Jan Weatherford, Norris Cole, Donna Allen, Laura Armstrong, Kelton Cates, John Cook, Mary Lou Weatherford, Gerald Summers, Jolene Pohlmeier, Nelita Warren, Leonard Wilhelm.

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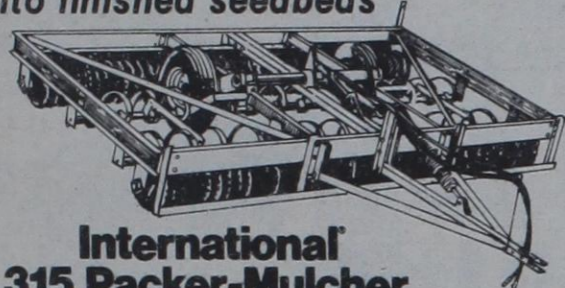
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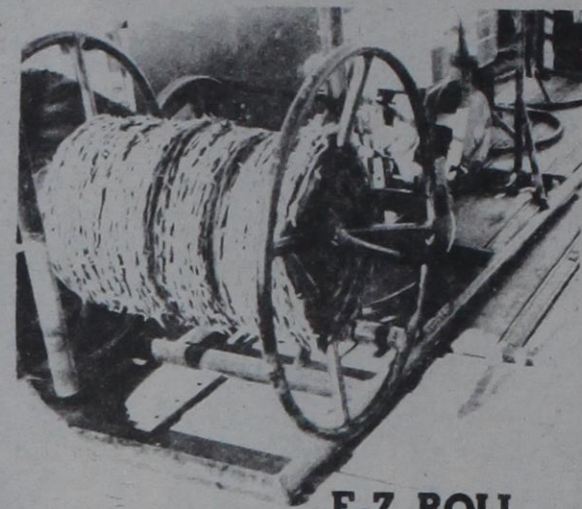


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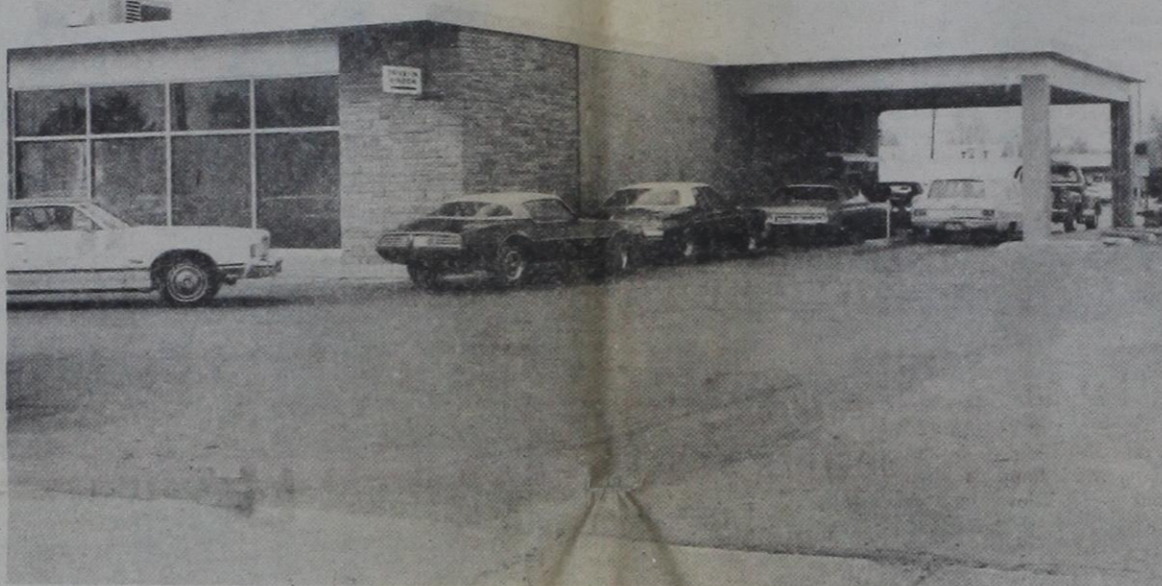
Troy has been with Western Ammonia two years, and is a member of the maintenance crew.

Raised at Winters, he attended Cisco Junior College after graduating from Winters High School. He has lived in Dimmitt since 1971, and he attends the Baptist Church. He and his wife, Wyonia, live at 210 SW Third St.

Troy enjoys fishing for catfish at Lake Conchas, and hunting bears in Montana, where his niece lives.

Troy has an 11-year-old daughter, Paula, and two older daughters who are married and live in Amarillo.

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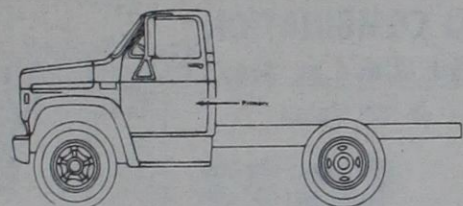
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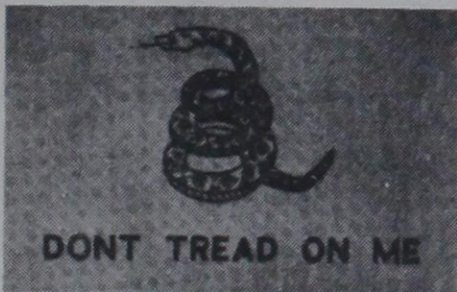
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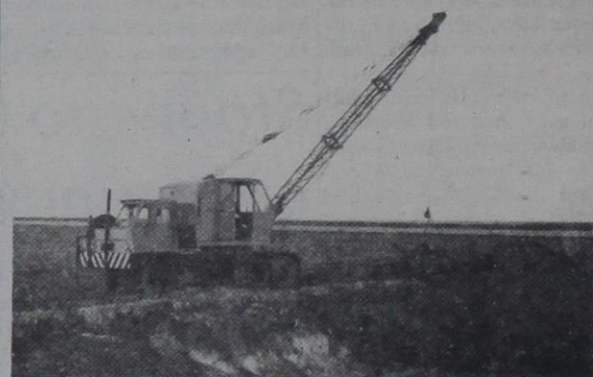
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A STATUE of Lady Justice was presented to Ross by his secretary, Barbara Wheat, as his selection was announced.

Other nominees were Jack Cartwright, Castro County sheriff; Travis McPherson, Deaf Smith County sheriff, and John D. Aikin, Hereford attorney.

Mrs. Wheat was given a trophy to mark her designation as Secretary of the Year. Mary Pagett, chosen Member of the Year, was presented a NALS pin.

She welcomed guests to the dinner in the Caison House at Hereford. Rex Easterwood, a Hereford attorney, acted as master of ceremonies and introduced Mildred Sheffy whose speech was titled "A Roast." Organ music during dinner was by Rita Stedham.

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Henderson finishes recruit training

Navy Seaman Recruit Jimmy E. Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henderson of Dimmitt, was recently graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

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Dimmitt man to direct state college programs

Dr. Stanton C. Calvert, dean of student and college services at College of the Mainland in Texas City, has been appointed Director of Community College Programs for the Coordinating Board of the Texas College and University System.

DR. CALVERT is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Calvert of Dimmitt, and a graduate of Dimmitt High School. He holds master's and doctor's degrees from the University of Texas at Austin.

He went to College of the Mainland as an intern in 1969, two years after that college was established. He returned to join the staff as dean of student personnel services in 1971, while working toward his doctorate.

In his new appointment, which became effective March 1, Dr. Calvert describes his principal duty "to promote communication and understanding between the Coordinating Board and the 53 community colleges in Texas," adding that he sees himself as a voice in Austin for these institutions.



Dr. Calvert

HIS PAST work at the Texas City college has touched a wide scope of programs rather than specializing in one area, and he feels this varied experience was a reason for his choice in the new job, he said.

He will now be involved more directly with teaching and learning, dealing with college presidents and deans of instruction, and with the state's role in instructional program development.

View from the Library



By CARLTON MOYERS
Librarian

It's here. Oh, really? Yes. Well, let me see it. Right this way please, through this door. My, my, it's handsome. And just look at those arms, so tall and graceful. Well, enough of this talk. Let's have some action. Okay. Ready on the right side? Ready! Ready on the left side? Ready! Lights! Action! Camera! (Uh, I mean ... Projector!)

WELL, there you have it, sports fans. Rhoads Memorial Library has a new staff member. It's full name is Bell and Howell Model 1545B. It lives on a diet of 16mm film and electricity and is happiest when cranking away. It loves to work so much that it takes the film leader and threads it all by itself.

We've been showing films from the Amarillo Public Library collection. There are no set times for showings right now. We'll show you a film anytime you care to drop by. Monday night was a great success.

A thank-you is in order for all the folks who contributed to our projector fund. We also made a profit on the train at Christmas which went into the fund. Now that we have a projector, it would be a shame for us not to use it. Come by and have a look-see. Right now, we need the business so badly, we'll show you a film at the drop of a crash helmet.

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Easter Seal letters sent

Easter Seal Appeal letters were delivered last week to Castro County residents, according to Sue DeVaney, county Easter Seal representative.

THE APPEAL will continue through Easter Sunday, Apr. 18, by the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

The appeal and a fall membership drive held by the society supply funds for physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs and special equipment loans to help disabled persons make the best use of their abilities to overcome handicaps.

The society also finances public education, provides scholarships for training professional personnel to staff rehabilitation centers and helps provide national research.

Mrs. DeVaney serves as contact for disabled persons needing rehabilitation services and also serves as treasurer of the Easter Seal Appeal in the county.

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Church to start world mission conference tonight

By TEENY BOWDEN

ner next Sunday.

A world mission conference will be held in the church Thursday night through Sunday with missionary speakers each night and Sunday morning. There will be a state missionary, a home missionary and two foreign missionaries. Everyone is invited to hear these missionaries each night at 7 p.m. There will be an all-church dinner next Sunday.

LARRY GAMBLIN of Sulphur Springs visited Wednesday with Eddie Waggoner and spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner and children. Brandon Cox, Greg George and the Dimmitt Aggies lost to the Longhorns Friday night. Lyle Loudder and Duke Henry Hampton and the Spring-

lake-Earth Purple team won over Joe Saucedo and Doug Freeman's Maroon team last Thursday night. Richard Saucedo and the Green team lost to the Reds. They lost again Tuesday to the Reds. The Maroons lost to the Orange team Tuesday and the Purple team won over the Blue team Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson went to Ropesville Sunday evening to be with her mother Mrs. Grady Epperson, who will undergo tests in Lubbock Monday.

Joe Fulfer won second place in the 880-yard run for Springlake-Earth in the track meet in Lubbock Saturday. Lee Brown and his team came in third in the meet.

MR. AND MRS. Ellis Wilson of Azle arrived Friday to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson. Danny Wilson of Azle joined them Saturday evening. They brought films and personal testimony from mission work in their area. Woody Northcutt from this area is missionary preacher of that area and the work is being helped by Frio Church by monthly contributions.

FRIO Homemakers Club met last week in the home of Mrs. Tony Urbanczyk for a program on growing houseplants, with a guest, Mrs. Marshal Wilson of Melrose Nursery, as speaker. She also answered questions about plant problems after the discussion. Those attending included Mmes. E. F. Vogler, Fred Walton, Billy Warrick, Annie Lee Dobbins, Frank Robbins, Tommy Sparkman, T. L. Sparkman Jr., Annie Springer,

Monday and Tuesday nights, the Phelans Monday night, Tuesday afternoon and Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden and Robert Duke attended the meeting of the Castro County Historical Museum Association in Dimmitt Thursday night.

LEE BROWN attended the all-university "College Day" at

Frio

Collegians give mission program

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

Several young people from a B.S.U. of State University, Brookings, S.D. were guests of Frio Baptist Church Sunday evening. They brought films and personal testimony from mission work in their area. Woody Northcutt from this area is missionary preacher of that area and the work is being helped by Frio Church by monthly contributions.

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Tech Friday. It was a first for Tech and was attended by several hundred high school seniors.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler taught the sixth chapter of the Baptist Women's manual to the Baptist Women Tuesday morning at the church.

The Lions Club met for its regular meeting Monday night with Cliff Brown, president,

presiding.

Mrs. Roy Phelan finished teaching the book "Tomorrow Starts Today" during prayer meeting hour Wednesday night.

REV. AND MRS. Raymond Jones returned home from their vacation Friday afternoon. They visited with his parents at Harlingen, fished with Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ott at Falcon Lake two different days and on the way home visited in Garden City with his uncle and in Comstock with her niece and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon returned home last Sunday night from an extended vacation at Falcon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Cox spent last Wednesday through this Friday at Falcon Lake. They took a four-hour trip and did some deep sea fishing and he fished some with Bob Ott. Lynn received the prize fish on the deep sea boat which was a 20 lb. drum. They visited with her cousin Margaret Parks at Corpus Christi and with an elderly friend there. Brandon and Cinnamon stayed in Dimmitt with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Odom.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Orr visited in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong Wednesday evening.

MR. AND MRS. Alton Loudder and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler attended the art show in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel Sr. Sunday afternoon.

Hershel Wilson and Daneen sang with the Singing Disciples at the ABC Rodeo Club luncheon in Lubbock Friday.

Lee Brown and Clint Dawson

were part of a brass quintet receiving a II rating in the solo and ensemble contest in Lubbock last Saturday. Lee on baritone and Clint on trombone.

Mrs. Katie Waggoner of Dimmitt spent the weekend with Mr. and Mr. J. Paul Waggoner.

CORRECTION: The group going to Hawaii heard Don Ho sing instead of seeing a Don Quixote production as reported last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler stayed in Lubbock the last part of the week with their grandchildren, Gregory and Amy Sadler, while their parents were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Erchell Keeler of Hale Center visited Sunday afternoon in South Hills Manor with Mrs. Pearl Sadler and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and with Mrs. L. B. Bowden and Mrs. Nora Loudder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan visited in Tulia Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Morris.

Mrs. David Sadler had charge of G.A.'s Thursday afternoon in the absence of Mrs. Hershel Wilson.

Daneen Wilson won a first place trophy in solo, a second place medal in military, and a second place medal in basic strut in the twirling contest in Lubbock Saturday.

MRS. A. J. JONES and children visited with friends in Jal Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden visited in Canyon Friday afternoon with Lucy Jo and Dick Loudder.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moore visited Thursday evening with

his aunt Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan and had supper with them.

Eddie Haydon and Tommy Alair were awarded appreciation plaques for outstanding support of the Springlake-Earth Junior Livestock Show last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eules Waggoner left last Sunday afternoon for Marlow, Okla. where they attended the funeral services of his cousin Marvin Baggett Monday morning. They visited with other relatives there, with an uncle, Ed Patton and his family in Wichita Falls, an aunt at Electra and other relatives at Vernon.

Kurlie Q's celebrate anniversary

The Nazareth Kurlie Q's had their first anniversary dance Sunday in the Nazareth Community Hall, with numerous guests present for an evening of square and round dancing.

CALLER for the dance was Hap Pope of Reese Air Force Base at Lubbock.

Lunch was served during the intermission and door prizes were awarded in a drawing.

A special show was presented by Sister Adrian Weaver's square dance group from the Nazareth school.

Couples from the Dimmitt Promenaders, Olton Swinging O's, Amarillo's Helium Squares, Plainview Promenaders, and Hereford's Merry Mixers were welcomed as guests, with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wildmoss of Prophetstown, Ill.

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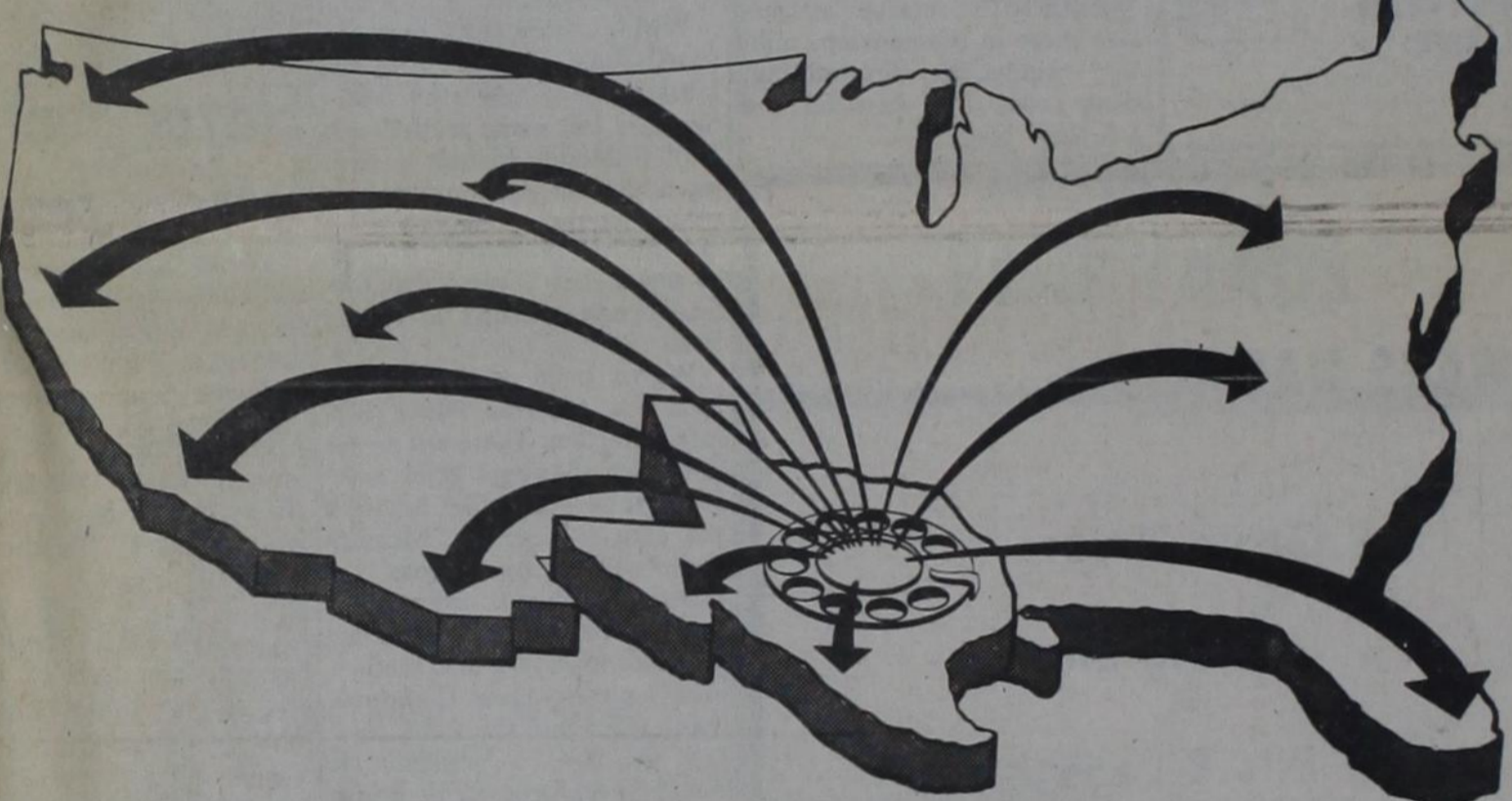
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Former Dimmitt woman aids in drug seminar

Beth Beecher McLendon, former Dimmitt resident who works with the assistant director of health services for the Dallas Independent School District, had a leading part in a recent workshop on drugs and related school problems in Dallas.



Beth McLendon

SHE IS the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beecher of Dimmitt, a 1962 graduate of Dimmitt High School. She later graduated from West Texas State University and then received a master's degree in counseling from North Texas State at Denton.

Formerly a counselor at Greiner Junior High, she was associated with the assistant director of health services in originating a sophisticated program to combat drug use and difficult disciplinary problems.

THIS PROGRAM has been developed and adopted for the entire Dallas school system, and the workshop last month trained workers for other

schools. Dr. Dave Seamons, director of mental health in Provo, Utah, schools, was the chief speaker.

Mrs. McLendon summed up the seminar by saying, "I think this is one of the most heartening developments in drug

HOSPITAL NEWS

PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL

Noble Armstrong
A. O. Mitchell
Antonio Padilla
Moses Rodriguez
Modesta Sandoval
Leona Stiles
Jessie Thomas
Wendy Voit
Earline West
Milton Hardy

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

Linnie Cauldwell
Ouida Boyd
Colleen Byrd
N. W. Anderson
Tommy Kellar
Linda Jaramillo
Belle Goldsmith
Lester McDermitt
Ethel Womack
Donna Casas
Annie Byrnes
Floyd Stanford
Mary Foster
Val Gilliland
Ester Guerrero
Jan Grand
Kate Mills
Bea Hoelting
Teresa Lister
Alexander Torres
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and disciplinary problems ever to come along. The possibilities of salvaging neglected, needy or difficult students is virtually unlimited. Problem students realize someone cares."

"The thrust of the program," Mrs. McLendon said, "is to convince students with a problem that every individual is the master of his own fate."

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF PERPETUAL CARE FUND FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975 of Dimmitt Cemetery Association (Castro Memorial Gardens), 116 W. Bedford, P.O. Box 992, Dimmitt, Texas 79027.

Location of Records, 116 W. Bedford, Dimmitt, Texas.
Location of Cemetery, one mile south of City.
Area of Cemetery, 11 Acres.
Number of Acres Fully Developed, 11 Acres.
Deed Filed Castro County
Trustees holding Perpetual Care Fund.

C. G. Miller, Dimmitt, Texas
Bob McLean, Dimmitt, Texas
Harold Stephens, Dimmitt, Texas

Detailed sworn statement of Perpetual Care Funds held in Bank or Trust Company or Trustees is attached to and made a part hereof, total of which is:

Principal amount \$26,304.01
Amount to be paid to Perpetual Care Trust Fund representing collections on hand for deeded properties, not yet deposited with Trustee \$0
Total Principal of Perpetual Care Funds \$26,304.01
Total amount of Perpetual Care Fund not yet collected on term sale contracts but allocated for Perpetual Care, now in process of collection and to be paid to Trustee as collected according to trust agreement \$630.00
Number of sq. ft. grave space disposed of under Perpetual Care

From and after 3/15/34 thru 6/30/63 at 20 cents per sq. ft.	21,850	\$4,370.00
From and after 7/1/63 thru 8/31/75 at 50 cents per sq. ft.	20,200	\$10,100.00
From and after 9/1/75 to date of this report at 75 cents per sq. ft.	300	\$225.00
TOTAL	\$14,695.00	

Total requirements for all sales made under Perpetual Care \$14,695.00
Amount placed in Perpetual Care Fund is Excessive of amount required by law (Excess) \$11,609.01
Have the requirements of Section 16 of the Cemetery Code pertaining to sign, and statement on certificate of ownership and contract been complied with? Yes

Dimmitt Cemetery Association
By E. B. Noble
Sec. Treas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CASTRO

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared WELDON BRADLEY and E. B. NOBLE, known to me to be the President and Secretary, respectively, of Dimmitt Cemetery Association and being by me duly sworn, on oath did depose and say, each for himself that each of the affiants had read the above and foregoing report of status of Perpetual Care Funds of said Cemetery, that each knows the contents thereof, and that the facts set forth therein are known by each of said affiants to be in all things true and correct.

WELDON BRADLEY
President
E. B. NOBLE
Secretary

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 16th day of Feb., 1976, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

KENT BIRDWELL
Notary Public in and for Castro County, Texas
Name and address of Bank, Trust Company, or Board of Trustees
C. G. Miller, Dimmitt, Texas
Bob McLean, Dimmitt, Texas
Harold Stephens, Dimmitt, Texas

Name and address of Cemetery Association, Dimmitt Cemetery Association, 116 W. Bedford, Box 992, Dimmitt, Texas 79027.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF PERPETUAL AND IRREVOCABLE FUNDS IN TRUST AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1975

First State Bank, Dimmitt, Texas CD#2750	\$21,500.00
First State Bank, Dimmitt, Texas, CD #3783	2,100.00
First State Bank, Dimmitt, Texas CD #4458	1,250.00
First State Bank, Dimmitt, Texas Savings Acct.	1,454.01
	\$26,304.01

LIABILITIES None
Principal in Trust \$26,304.01
I hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. B. NOBLE
Sec. Treas.
G. C. MILLER
Trustee
BOB McLEAN
Trustee
HAROLD STEPHENS
Trustee

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PLAINS MEMORIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoelting of Nazareth are the parents of a boy, Jason Clyde. Born Feb. 25, he weighed 7 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Randy Gilliland. Born Feb. 25, he weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and has been named Avery Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally G. Guerrero are the parents of a girl, Armandina. Born Feb. 25, she weighed 7 pounds, 10 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lister Jr. of Hereford are the parents of a boy. Born Feb. 27, he weighed 5 pounds, 13 1/4 ounces and has been named Jeremy Lee.

OUT OF TOWN

Stacy Brac is the name given by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McDaniel of Dimmitt to their son who was born in a Plainview hospital Feb. 26. He weighed a half-ounce over nine pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Womack of Dimmitt, the Lloyd McDaniels of Boise City, Okla., and Geraldine Davis of Amarillo. The baby has a brother, Shad.

What's cooking at the schools

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt Schools for March 8-12.

MONDAY — Barbecued weiners, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken a la king, asparagus, cabbage salad, gelatin, rolls, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chicken fried steak, sliced potatoes with cheese sauce, green lima beans, pudding, rolls, butter, milk.

THURSDAY — Pinto beans, sauerkraut and wieners, buttered potatoes, cake with chocolate icing, cornbread, milk.

FRIDAY — Tuna salad, sliced carrots, green peas, fruit cobbler, bread, milk.

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FARM BUREAU officers are (front row, from left) Danny Bruton, treasurer; Ronnie Gfeller, vice-president; Charles Summers, secretary; Gale Sadler, president; Jack Flynt, agency manager; and Lynn Polson, agent. In back row, from left, are directors Francis Wilhelm, Johnny Walker, Larry Hausmann, Dick Shackelford, Jimmie Howell, Houston Lust,

Robert Benton, Don Moore and Larry Burks. The Castro County Farm Bureau is now observing Texas Farm Bureau Week, and is conducting a month-long membership drive during March. Directors not pictured are R. J. Murray, David Behrends and Howard Smithson.

Local Farm Bureau launches drive

By GALE SADLER
President, Castro County Farm Bureau

The first week of March has been proclaimed Farm Bureau Membership Week by County Judge Weldon Bradley. However, the county organization will conduct an intensive membership drive throughout March.

FARM BUREAU is an independent, non-governmental, voluntary organization of farm and ranch families united for the purpose of analyzing their problems and formulating action to achieve education improvement, economic opportunity and social advancement, thereby promoting the national welfare.

It is local, statewide, national and international in scope and influence, and is non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-secret in character.

At the heart of today's production miracle is the farmer and rancher. This fact does not automatically give him power. George Meaney wants the final say on farm exports; Henry Kissinger would use food as a weapon of international diplomacy; the consumer demands to be heard. What's to keep agriculture from being a public utility?

FARM BUREAU is an organization that believes farmers and ranchers should speak for agriculture. Its structure guarantees membership control.

Members originate policies and through their delegates control state and national policies and election of officers and directors.

The influence of the Farm Bureau is through its members who keep informed on issues and express their desires to their elected representatives. Staffs are maintained in Austin and Washington to inform lawmakers on Farm Bureau positions and to call for membership action.

IN TEXAS, Farm Bureau is the only farm organization with full-time representation when

the Legislature is in session. During the 64th session of the Texas Legislature, Farm Bureau supported 24 bills that passed and seven that failed to pass, opposed 30 bills that failed and two that passed, and amended seven bills. This totals 61 victories and nine defeats or a batting average of 87.1 percent.

On the local level, the county organization provided \$200 in awards to livestock show winners; paid expenses for three youths, one from each school in the county, to the Youth Citizenship Seminar in Waco; sent one fireman to the State Firemen's School at Austin which Texas Farm Bureau helps sponsor.

PLANS HAVE been approved to pay expenses of two couples of the Young Farmers and Ranchers to attend a leadership conference in Waco March 13-15.

The county organization is proud of member services which are as follows:

- Fire insurance — When the fire department is called to extinguish a fire on insured property, Farm Bureau pays \$75 to the fire department.

- Casualty insurance — With dividends as declared by the Board of Directors. More than 200,000 vehicles are insured in Texas.

- Life Insurance — With dividends ranging from 8 to 28 percent or premium, depending on age and type of program. Approximately \$3.9 billion of insurance in force.

- Crop hail insurance — And

Relative of Dimmitt residents is dead

Funeral services for Richard Willis Bolt of Guthrie were attended by Dimmitt relatives Tuesday.

A RANCHER and a native of Cottle County, Mr. Bolt, 63, was a cousin of Clara Vick and C. R. Norris of Dimmitt.

He died Saturday of an apparent heart attack.

Rev. B. D. Weese of Aston officiated at the funeral in the Missionary Baptist Church at Guthrie. Burial was in the Garden of Memory Cemetery.

Mr. Bolt was a former minister in the Missionary Baptist Church. He was well known in West Texas as an oldtime chuck-wagon cook on ranches, and as the author of several cookbooks on chuck-wagon and outdoor cookery.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Allen, of the home; two sisters and three brothers.

Honor awarded student at A&M

Charles L. Heck, Nazareth student at Texas A&M University, has earned "Distinguished Student" ranking, an undergraduate honor awarded to students who have excelled academically.

HECK is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heck of Nazareth, and majors in chemical engineering at A&M.

The special ranking is limited to 10 percent of the A&M undergraduate enrollment. Recipients must have at least a 3.25 grade point ratio of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

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- Property protection program — "No Trespass" metal signs available at our county office.

- Group accidental death insurance — Automatically goes into effect as soon as dues are paid. Member and his spouse are insured for \$1,000 accidental death and each child under age 25 is insured for \$500.

WE HAVE six important committees that insure special consideration for members' interests. Committees and their chairmen are: Legislative Action, Larry Hausmann; Policy

Development, Johnny Walker; Economic Services, Francis Wilhelm; Membership, Ronnie Gfeller; Young Farmers and Ranchers, Charles Summers; Public Relations, Don Moore.

Castro County Farm Bureau believes that for \$25 annual dues it has much to offer its members and deserves the support of all farmers and ranchers who believe they should have a voice in agriculture and their destiny.

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HEREFORD, TEXAS

Rotary sees film on child abuse

Dimmitt Rotarians will hold their weekly luncheon Friday in Dimmitt High School cafeteria, an observance of Texas Public Schools Week.

AN INVITATION from School Supt. Charlie White was

accepted at last week's luncheon, when Rotary Club members were also invited to visit open house at the city's schools during the week.

The program was a film con-

cerning child abuse, supplied by the XVI Educational Center at Amarillo. It stressed the increasing problem of child abuse and neglect, which occurs nation-wide and in all levels of society.

The film's message was the

responsibility of the public to report cases of child abuse, either to the local Child Welfare unit or by calling a toll-free telephone number, 1-800-292-5400, with the assurance that the caller's name will not be revealed.

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TEXAS TALK

By Jim Hays



Ever see a 15-million dollar cattle truck? It looks as though that's where things are headed with the announcement by major air carriers that 747s are going to be converted to livestock haulers for international markets. Officials say live cattle transportation to countries outside North America is already 80 percent by air with both the volume and the percentage expected to increase during the coming years. For the animals themselves it's all first class. Interiors are redesigned and structured to resemble a barn with separate pens or stalls. Special temperature control and ventilation systems are being designed and separate studies are underway to determine other ways to increase animal comfort. No one has yet decided whether to include in-flight movies but it sounds as if they may not be far away.

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VANESSA ANDERSON, Neches' all-state guard, makes a perfect block of an attempted shot by Nazareth's Cheryl Hartman during the state tournament semifinals in UT-Austin's Gregory Gym last Thursday. The superb play of the 6-3 Anderson was the main reason the Tigers were able to defeat the Swifts 50-46 in overtime and go on to capture the state championship. Despite Anderson's near-perfect game, Hartman connected for 15 points and teammate Elaine Schulte scored 27. [Photo by Shelly Cross]

Key Club will march for MH

Dimmitt High School Key Club members will conduct a house-to-house campaign next week for the Texas Association of Mental Health.

EDUCATIONAL literature on the association's work of helping the mentally ill and their families will be distributed by club members, who will also ask for contributions to the TAMH.

Terry Ellison, faculty sponsor of the Key Club, was named by the state association as chairman for its 1976 campaign here, with boys of the club as the campaign committee. Randy Wilson is president of the DHS Key Club.

Bobcat Band sets annual Taco supper

The Bobcat Band's annual public taco supper will be held March 13 in Richardson Elementary School cafeteria. Serving time will be 5:30 to 8 p.m.

TICKETS are on sale by band members at \$2.25 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12.

Food for the supper will be prepared by parents of band members. The menu will include tacos, beans, salad, dessert and drink.

Fire calls

Grass and trash fires accounted for most of the calls to the Dimmitt Fire Department the past week. Damage was light in all the blazes.

FIREMEN were called to a trash fire northeast of the T and T Gin Tuesday, and to a grass fire at a lake area south of Dimmitt Saturday.

Inside the city, an alarm was turned in from the 100 block of NE 7th St., where burning trash set grass in the backyard on fire, and another call was to the alley between 10th and 11th Streets.

At Dimmitt Agri Industries' South Elevator, welding equipment set fire to a belt near the top of an elevator leg last Thursday morning, and firemen quickly extinguished the blaze.

Seafood dinner set Saturday

A shrimp and oyster dinner, with the public invited, will be held Saturday night by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary at the VFW Post Home.

SERVING time is 7 to 9:30 p.m. Price of the dinner will be \$3.75 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12.

Proceeds will go to a cancer aid and research program.

Plans for the benefit dinner were made at a meeting of the Auxiliary Monday night.

More about City adopts ...

[Continued from Page 1] equal footing, and the buyer will know he's getting a certain standard of workmanship and materials.

To insure that the new codes will be properly enforced, the city has been sending inspectors to special qualifying schools. Guy Waldrop and Ned Smith—the city's primary inspectors for fire safety, building, electrical and plumbing—have been attending schools and are scheduled to be qualified under the new Uniform Codes by May 1.

THE CITY will allow construction now in progress to be completed under present plans and specifications, but anyone applying for a building permit from now on will be advised that the new codes and penalties for violating them will become effective May 1.

The city commission took this other action Monday night:

—Annexed an eight-acre tract on US 385 south, on which Hays Implement Co. is building it new building;

—CLOSED The east-west access road at Dimmitt Municipal Airport for take-offs and landings, after an FAA inspector reported three "near misses" as the result of planes taking off from the access road and the runway at the same time and crossing paths;

—Approved a request by Dimmitt Aerial Spray for future access from the county road north of the airport to a 16-acre site which it has purchased near the northeast end of the runway.

Open house set at MS tonight

Open house at the Dimmitt Middle School from 7 to 9 tonight (Thursday) will be the last formal event in the observance of Texas Public Schools Week here, but visitors are still invited to all the schools through Friday.

PARENTS are especially invited to have lunch with their children in the school cafeterias this week, and most of the city's civic clubs are holding their luncheons in the high school cafeteria.

Dimmitt High School and Helen Richardson Elementary School held open house Tuesday night, with teachers on hand in classrooms and departments to meet parents and other visitors and discuss school programs.

Public Schools Week has been observed annually in Texas since 1950, when it was started through efforts of the Masonic Lodge. Masons continue to sponsor the observance statewide.

'Heart Sunday' raises \$1,182

Heart Fund contributions of \$1,182 in the door-to-door campaign last month were reported by Mrs. J. R. Matthews, chairman, at last Thursday's meeting of the Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association.

GARY COLE reported \$720 raised by the Heart Fund benefit square dance sponsored by the Dimmitt Promenaders, all to be used in Castro County.

Directors voted to hold the Heart Fund dance again in 1977 and Cole was elected chairman.

Randall Craig presided at the meeting and announced that the annual election of officers will be held at the next meeting, March 25. Beral Hance, Carol Lantz and Craig are on the nominating committee. New officers will assume their duties in June.

Susie Bradford, secretary-treasurer of the county unit, gave the financial report. Other board members present were A'lan Bradley and Barbara Keel. Joyce White of Lubbock, regional director, also attended the meeting.

MANY cattlemen have a false optimism due to misinformation and misinterpretation of some of the facts, points out a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Despite the large number of cows slaughtered last year, many replacement heifers were added to the breeding herd, leaving a breeding herd that is still quite large. Although the number of cattle on feed has increased sharply, feedlots are still not placing all the calves produced. Calf prices should increase somewhat this year and also in 1977, but the cost of inflation will take away any potential profits.

Bobbies dominate 3-AA dream team

Two forwards and two guards from Dimmitt were unanimous selections for the 3-AA All-District girls' basketball team announced this week, as the district champion Bobbies dominated the 12-girl dream squad picked from five teams.

BETH Cleveland and Kathy Wales were chosen as all-district forwards, and Mel Nelson and Marla Winders as guards.

Honorable mention was given to junior forward Joyce Wooten, junior guard Nita Parker, and senior guard Kerry Broderson.

Cleveland, a 5-5 junior, scored 776 points for an average of 24 per game. Wales, a 5-7 senior, notched 466 points for a 14-point average.

WINDERS accounted for 164 rebounds and 80 steals during the season, and Nelson's record was 152 rebounds and 113 steals.

The all-district quartet led the Bobbies to a district championship with a 27-6 season record and a ranking of No. 5 among Class AA girls' teams in Texas.

Three Friona girls won places on the all-district team as Terri Patterson was chosen as a forward and Paula London and Lucinda Aguirre as guards.

Forward Monica Phillips and guard Lori Westmoreland were named from Littlefield; forward Elaine Rodriguez and guard Jeanie Davis from Olton, and forward Susan Kadenhead of Morton.

Hart places four on all-3-A teams

Hart forwards LaDonna Hart and Dana McLain and guard Sharla Carson have been named to the 3-A all-district girls' basketball team, and Kerry George was chosen for the boys' all-district squad.

GEORGE, a junior, was a forward for the Longhorns in the season just closed.

Farwell and Vega each placed three on the all-district boys' roster, with Larry Richardson of Vega named "Most Valuable." Mike Yell and Randy Roark were his teammates on the list.

Brad Jones, Russ Jones and Sammy Merritt were selected from Farwell, Allen Rhodes and Dennis Willard from Bovina, Mart Barton and John Cleavinger from Springlake-Earth and Jon Weathered from Kress.

JUNIOR LaDonna Hart—a unanimous all-district choice—led the scoring in Hart High School's 22 games this year with 524 points for an average of 23, and was a 76% free-throw shooter. McLain, a senior, averaged 13.6 points a game.

Carson, a junior who came within one vote of being named the district's most valuable

player, had 152 rebounds and 54 steals for the season.

The Hart girls lost to Farwell in the district tournament after an encouraging season, and Coach Wes Poarch looks forward to a better year in 1977, with only two starters lost.

In addition to McLain, guard Terry King will graduate this spring.

KATHY BOOTH of Farwell was named the district's "Most Valuable." Other forwards picked as all-district are Kathy White of Farwell, Kristi Waters and DeLois Heard of Vega and Diana Naegle of Bovina.

All-district guards include Mary Fangman and Lynda Robinson of Vega, Terry Boling and Lori Norton of Farwell, Cindy Dent of Springlake-Earth and Diana Hartman of Kress.

THE NATION'S Bicentennial year is also the centennial year of Thomas Edison's first laboratory, established at Menlo Park, N.J. in July of 1876. The inventor's impact on modern society, especially on the motion picture and recording industries, is emphasized in special programs there.

Missionaries to speak in Baptist emphasis

The First Baptist Church is holding a series of special meetings observing Missionary Awareness Week, and has addresses scheduled by five missionaries from as many areas of the world. Services are at 7 each evening and the public is invited.

Rev. S. F. Longbottom, who has served in Vietnam since December 1954, will be the speaker this evening (Thursday). Before they returned to America, Rev. and Mrs. Long-

bottom were stationed at Cantho, where he was field evangelist.

THE SPEAKER Friday will be M. E. McGlamery, who will discuss his work as superintendent of missions in Las Vegas, Nev. He has been there since 1972.

Elmin Howell, a former coach in Plainview, who directs Baptist Mission work along the Rio Grande River, will be heard Saturday evening.

Two speakers will appear Sunday. Rev. V. M. Hoaldrige, missionary to Israel, who is an evangelist in the resort city of Natanya, will be in the pulpit for the morning service.

Rev. Meredith E. Wyatt, the evening speaker, will tell of his work in California. Rev. Wyatt calls himself "a chapel on wheels," referring to a mobile audio-visual teaching center he has developed.



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

MARCH 4 — Leo and Mary Ann Durbin.

MARCH 7 — Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Taylor.

MARCH 10 — Bill and Ann Henderson.

MARCH 11 — Jackie and Ronda Powers.

Jury favors county in suit

A jury verdict in a 64th District Court civil case last week found Castro County not liable for damages asked in a suit by Jess and Joe Brown.

THE BROWNS, custom farmers whose truck loaded with corn was overturned in a deep ditch on an unpaved county road in the Flagg community in 1973, charged that the county was liable.

At the time of the accident the Browns were harvesting and hauling corn for Jack Howell in the Flagg area.

The jury found that the plaintiffs had sustained damages of approximately \$11,000, but that there was contributory negligence on the part of both the truck driver and the owner of the land adjoining the road, so the county was not liable.

The truck driver, Jess Brown, was held at fault because he failed to avoid the "open and obvious ditch," and the land owner, Jack Miller, because he had deepened the roadside ditch to carry tailwater in his irrigation operations.

No final judgment has been entered in the case, and the interested parties may appeal.

Home and hobby

Here's your garden checklist for March

By IRENE KEATING
County Extension Agent

Here is the March garden calendar:

1. Shape espaliers before spring growth starts.
2. Scalp lawn and rake to remove dead materials. This will speed up new growth.
3. Apply a complete fertilizer to lawns, trees and shrubs. Don't forget pansies and calendulas.
4. REMEMBER, weeds in the lawn area are an indication of a poor lawn management program. A well-managed lawn will choke out weeds.

5. When trading plants with others, check them closely for spider mites, nematodes, weeds and other pests.

6. It's time to start hanging baskets. They may need protection occasionally from the cold but the head start will give them a chance to become established before hot weather.

7. Read pesticide labels carefully before using. The plant you save may be your most prized possession.

8. ALLOW foliage to remain on spring flowering bulbs until it dies down naturally or you will have few or no flowers next spring.

9. Beware of outlandish ads for nursery plants. Most of the time they are fast-growing, weed-type trees or else plants not adapted to our area.

10. Be elective in planting annuals and bedding plants. Set out no more than you can properly care for. For best landscape effect, use a grouping of the same variety for a mass display. Plant your annuals after all danger of frost. This is usually about April 1.

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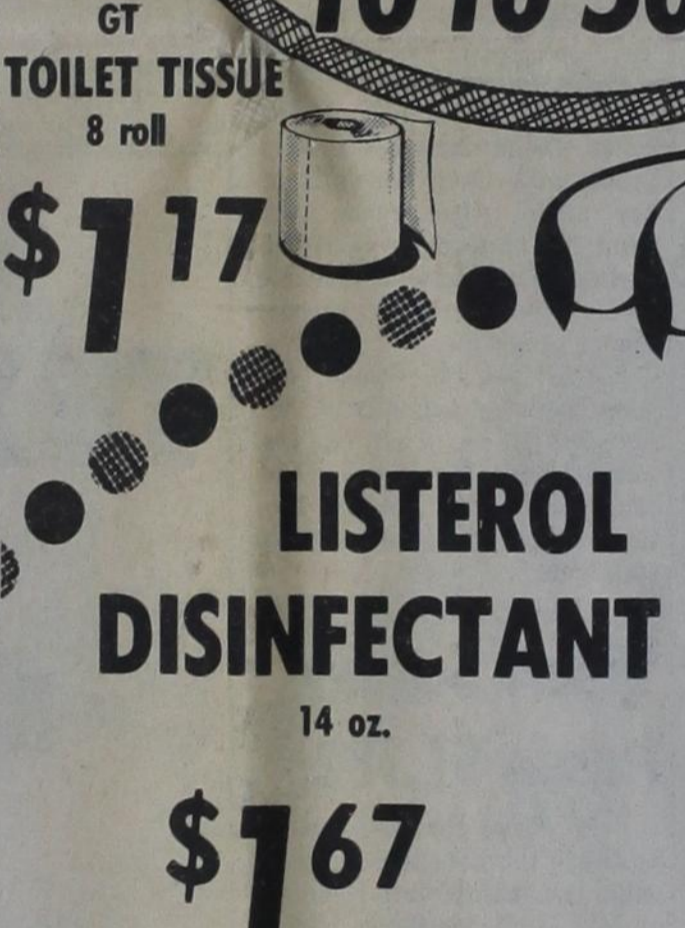
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