

Four local feedlots ordered to hold back cattle

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Voters show independence

Incumbents led the ticket in Dimmitt's city and school board elections Saturday. But the "ins" on the Hart and Nazareth school boards lost their bids for re-election as voters showed their independence. And Nazareth's mayor was elected again by write-in votes.

Although no records were set, voter turnout was heavy in all the local elections. Unofficial figures indicate that 1,087 voted in the Castro County Hospital Board election (the only county-wide balloting), 943 in the Dimmitt School District, 238 in the Hart School District, 147 in the Nazareth School District, 764 in the Dimmitt city election, 133 in the Hart city election, and 73 in the Nazareth city balloting.

Here are the results of Saturday's elections:

CITY OF DIMMITT

Roy Lilley, Fred Annen and Joe Josselet emerged as the winners in a seven-man race for three positions on the Dimmitt Board of Aldermen. Lilley, who has served on the city governing board five months after winning an alderman's seat in a special election last November, led the ticket with 512 votes. Annen received 439 and Josselet 351.

Other candidates and their totals were Larry Gonzales 254, Jackie Powers 146, Robert Daniel 130, and Arthur Kasher 33.

Annen and Josselet succeed longtime aldermen J.R. Brown and Chet Braafladt, who did not seek re-election.

This leaves Mayor Elmer Youts as the only "carryover" from the three-man commission that governed the city until five months ago. Both of the other present aldermen—Wayne Collins and Doug Lapins—were elected last November when city voters adopted the aldermanic form of government with its six-man board.

DIMITT SCHOOL DISTRICT

With three positions open, incumbents Deanne Clark and Fred Bruegel Jr. were the top vote-getters in an eight-person field.

Of the other six candidates, newcomer Stanley Nelson emerged as the winner to succeed retiring trustee Donald Wright.

Mrs. Clark polled 526 votes, Bruegel 517 and Nelson 427.

Other school board candidates and their totals were Don Reeve 349, Danny Bruton 276, Paul Garcia 213, Ben

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TAKING THE PLEDGE—Mayor Elmer Youts administers the oath of office to Dimmitt's three newly elected aldermen, [from left] Roy Lilley, Joe Josselet and Fren Annen, at Monday night's meeting of the Board of Aldermen. Standing behind the three new board members are outgoing aldermen J. R.

Brown and Chet Braafladt [right]. Lilley was elected Saturday to a full two-year term after serving a "short term" on the expanded board, and Josselet and Annen were elected to succeed Brown and Braafladt. Other aldermen are Wayne Collins and Doug Lapins.

New aldermen take office; board orders budget cuts

New members of the Dimmitt Board of Aldermen took the oath of office at Monday night's meeting.

Roy Lilley, who won a seat on the board in a special election last November, was re-elected to a full term Saturday. Fred Annen and Joe Josselet were also elected as aldermen, succeeding J.R. Brown and Chet Braafladt, who did not seek re-election. The new board's first action was to hold the required second public hearing on proposed use of Revenue Sharing funds.

In addition to the groups represented at the first hearing, the Azteca Economic Development Corp. submitted a letter requesting \$11,242 to be used for rent, utilities, telephone, office equipment, supplies and secretarial services.

Since no one from the Azteca group was present to answer questions, the board denied the request.

Mayor Elmer Youts said, "If we had had the request spelled out better, we could have considered it."

The board then gave final

approval to the Revenue Sharing budget proposed at the March 17 meeting.

The \$72,575 budget for 1980-81 Revenue Sharing funds includes \$8,400 for the city's share of ambulance service, \$240 for the city health officer, \$5,000 for mosquito

spraying, \$3,450 for Mental Health/Mental Retardation, \$5,000 for the Castro County Museum, \$14,440 for the Senior Citizens Center, \$15,000 for Rhoads Memorial Library and \$21,045 for seal coating of city streets.

Roy Bird of Customized Service Co. of Amarillo presented a bid for trash service for the city. Aldermen postponed a decision on this proposal until more facts could be gathered by City Manager Garnett Holland.

At present, the city is losing about \$30,000 per year on its charge of \$2 per month to residential customers for trash service.

A request from Holland to raise the deposit for water service to \$25, and charge a \$10 fee to turn water on again after it has been turned off for non-payment, was approved by the board.

Southwestern Public Service Co. Manager Ralph Glover presented an adjusted rate increase request. The current request is for an overall rate increase of 11.1% compared with the 14.78% that was originally requested. Under the new proposed rates, residential users would pay approximately 14% more instead of 19%.

A 120-day suspension of action on SPS's first request was voted at the March 3 meeting of the board, and members agreed Monday to continue under this suspension before making a decision.

With the fiscal year to begin May 1, aldermen discussed the 1980-81 city budget.

In response to a tentative proposal presented by city department heads, Alderman Doug Lapins said, "This pro-

Reagan hears DHS singers

The Dimmitt High School Choir, under the direction of Doug Henry, was scheduled to perform Wednesday in Amarillo at the Reagan for President Rally.

The choir was to sing several patriotic selections during the rally at the Amarillo Airmotive Hangar to welcome Republican presidential candidate Ronald Reagan.

Presentations by the Gruver High School Band also were included in the program, according to Deanne Clark, Castro County Republican chairman.

Absentee voting begins Monday

Absentee balloting will open Monday and continue through April 29 for the May 3 primary elections. Absentee ballots may be cast at the courthouse.

The contested sheriff's race is expected to draw the most interest in the county's Democratic primary. Six candidates — Joe Ben Mitchell, Santos Perez Jr., Cowboy Johnson, Lonny Rhynes, Ronnie Ballew and Donald Carmichael — have filed to succeed Sheriff Granville Martin, who is not seeking re-election.

In county commissioners' Precinct 3, Jimmie Howell is challenging incumbent Anna Margaret Moss, and Commissioner Ed Bennett in Precinct 1 is opposed by Ray Sandoval. Gerald McCathern and Bill Sarpalus are both seeking nomination for state senator from the 31st District, for the right to challenge Sen. Bob Price (R-Pampa) in November.

Kent Hance is unopposed as a candidate for re-election as US representative from the 19th District.

Democrats will also have four choices in the presidential preference primary — Jimmy Carter, Edward Kennedy, Jerry Brown or uncommitted.

On the Republican ballot, State Sen. Price is unopposed in his bid for renomination.

Robert Benton is seeking nomination for County Commissioner from Precinct 3, unopposed.

Republicans have two choices in the presidential primary — George Bush or Ronald Reagan.

In addition, two referenda will be on the Republican ballot, proposing that:

—Under the supervision of a judge, the state police should be able to use electronic surveillance methods, such as wiretapping, in cases where suspected drug dealers are involved.

—Texas should have Initiative and Referendum, a way for the public to vote directly on issues and make law in elections rather than depending only on the state legislature.

Weather

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Brown, Braafladt step down Monday

Chet Braafladt and J. R. Brown stepped down Monday night from their posts on the Dimmitt Board of Aldermen.

Neither man sought re-election in Saturday's election, and they were replaced on the board by Fred Annen and Joe Josselet.

Brown has served three full two-year terms on the board, and Braafladt has been on the board for five years, having been appointed to replace Garnett Holland when Holland was named city manager.

Looking back on his six years in office, Brown said he felt the greatest accomplishment of the city governing board during his tenure was the establishment of the new water field south of town.

"Not many people were aware of how close we were to running out of water before

these wells were established," he said.

Other steps forward in recent years which Brown is proud of are the combined city-school district tax office, improved ambulance service, one of the most modern and finest fire departments in the area, and an updated police department.

"I feel the voters have done a good job in selecting aldermen," Brown said, "and the city is in good hands."

As for the future, the city government may suffer from inflation and the probable loss of Revenue Sharing funds, but the veteran businessmen now serving on the board will be competent to cope with the problems, Brown said.

Braafladt told the News he "enjoyed immensely the time spent on the board, even though I have had to be hard-skinned at times."

"I believe it is important for the future of our city that we have a Mexican-American on the board," Braafladt said. "All people of the city need to feel they have a part in the play and are represented."

Braafladt also pointed to the new city wells as a very significant achievement during the past few years.

Altogether, the two veteran aldermen spent more than 400 hours in city commission meetings—plus countless more hours in executive sessions, outside discussions, conventions, visits and homework. The subjects with which they became familiar ranged from sewer operation to federal jargon, from seal-coating to police-car specs, from grade-drop to July water consumption.

When Brown and Braafladt stepped down Monday night after their successors had been sworn in, the new board immediately adopted a motion commending them for their years of "conscientious and dedicated" service to the city.

The audience in the city hall backed the motion with applause.



JAYCEE LEADERS—Officers and directors of the newly reorganized Dimmitt Jaycees are [seated, from left] Jim Long, president; Jamie Baldwin, external vice-president; and Mike Leavitt, internal vice-president; and [standing, from left] Ben Reyes, secretary; Stan McDaniel, treasurer; Chevo Lumbrera and Charlie Lane, chapter directors; David Baldwin, sergeant-

at-arms; and Dale Broadstreet, reporter. Not pictured is Jerry Walker, state director. The Jaycees hosted their wives at an organizational dinner Monday evening. The young men's civic organization meets each Monday at 7:30 p.m. at Ann's Steak House.

Four local feedlots are under the federal gun this week, ordered to remove DES implants from their cattle and hold the animals from slaughter for a period of 35 to 63 days.

The Federal Food and Drug Administration and the USDA ordered a stop to the sale of all cattle known to have been treated with DES until the synthetic hormone implants were removed from the ears of the cattle. The federal order was issued Friday, and FDA investigators are here checking local feedlots this week.

DES (diethylstilbestrol) is used to stimulate weight gain in animals.

The drug was banned by the FDA last summer. It has been linked to cancer in both animals and humans, and residues had been found in meat for human consumption.

Under the ban, manufacture and shipment of the drug was to cease last July 13, and feeders' usage of it became illegal as of Nov. 1.

Local feedlots charged with using DES implants after the

federal deadline are Taylor Feed Lot, Hill Farms in Hart, Diamond A Cattle Co., and Dimmitt Feed Yards.

However, "The FDA and USDA scientists have assured us there is no appreciable health risk to the public from the consumption of beef under this plan," a statement from the FDA and USDA said.

The feedlots named were sent letters ordering them to get the implants removed by accredited veterinarians and to hold the cattle at least 35 days so the residues can be worked out of the animals' systems.

If the kidneys or livers of the cattle are to be used for human food, the cattle must be held 63 days after the removal of the implants. Before the animals can be slaughtered, the affected feedlots must present the government with affidavits showing when the implants were removed.

At least 70,000 head of cattle—some of which already were slaughtered—and possibly as many as 200,000 have received the illegal implants, the FDA and USDA claimed.

Managers of local feedlots said that a person would have to eat 5,000 pounds of liver to get enough DES to cause harm.

One feedlot manager said he believes that the federal ban on DES is unnecessary, and that the FDA is not really sure that DES is cancer-causing.

Instructions on a DES bottle state that residue from DES can be found in the system as long as 120 days after the animal has been implanted. The instructions on DES give a slaughter waiting period of 120 days.

Local grocery store owners have said that the FDA investigation of local feedlots has not changed the sale of beef in the stores.

Literature from Eli Lilly & Co. describes DES as "a crystalline synthetic estrogenic substance capable of producing all the pharmacologic and therapeutic responses attributed to natural estrogens."

DES is used in the treatment of women for such systems as postmenopause, but is not used in the treatment of pregnant women.

In the mid-1960's DES was used to keep women from aborting, and another form of estrogen is still used in birth control pills, a medical spokesman said.

Autopsy shows cause of death on R. Q. Lopez

An autopsy report on Ramon Q. Lopez, 24, of Hart has revealed that Lopez died of a gunshot wound to the chest, Justice of the Peace Marshall Young reported Tuesday.

Lopez was found dead on a street inside of the city limits of Hart about 1 a.m. March 9. Cruz Quintero of Hart was arrested and charged with voluntary manslaughter in connection with the death, and was freed on \$3,000 bond.

A weapon was taken during the investigation, officers reported.

Ruling made in Werner's death

An autopsy report this week concluded that James Werner of Hart died of a gunshot wound to the head.

County Judge M. L. Simpson ruled that the fatal wound was self-inflicted.

Werner, 38, president of the Farmers State Bank in Hart for the last six years, was found dead in his wrecked vehicle March 1 east of Hart.

Simpson had ordered an autopsy to determine cause of death after investigating officers discovered a small-caliber pistol in the vehicle near Werner's body.

Simpson reported that a tape recorder also was found in the wrecked vehicle, and that Werner had recorded a message before his death.

Housing board hires manager

The Castro County Housing Authority's board of directors Tuesday night hired Lenore Aleman of Dimmitt as the new manager of the project.

Mrs. Aleman will replace Fred Moulton, who is resigning effective the end of this month.

The board also decided to terminate all other employees of the housing project to allow Mrs. Aleman to hire her own staff.

A management plan, drawn up for the housing authority by consultant Neil Larimore, was adopted at the board meeting Tuesday night.

The board hopes the new management plan will help the project pull itself out of the financial bog in which it has been mired since Texas Rural Legal Aid, Inc., filed a class-action suit against the housing authority and its board.

Board Chairman Allan Webb told the News that the members of the board are "hopeful" the financial problems may be worked out with the cooperation of Farmers Home Administration.

Weather modification group will try again

Plains Weather Improvement Association, Inc., has been issued a state license to conduct weather modification activities in the southern one-third of Castro County and in parts of Floyd, Hale and Lamb Counties.

And in a legal notice in this week's issue, the Plainview-based association is stating its intent to carry out a hail suppression program.

The PWIA received its state license Jan. 21 after being under a restraining order for almost two years.

Cloud seeding in this area was ordered stopped in 1978 after opponents of the program successfully brought the

issue to a vote and forced suspension of weather modification. The ballot-box defeat halted two cloud-seeding programs in this area.

"What we're doing now (in the legal notice) is just stating our intent," a spokesman for PWIA said. "Later, if petitions are signed by 10% of the registered voters in the four counties, an election will have to be held."

The target area would include Castro County voting precincts 6, 7, 10, 11 and 16.

Although the petitions would be circulated throughout the county, the election would be held only in the precincts within the target area, the spokesman said.

Sheffy's Chatter

Powells visit Mexico, Valley and Gulf Coast sites

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Merton and Marzelle Powell and Vickie and Joe Bennett and Amy of Lubbock had a good trip south to the valley, a stop in McAllen, then crossed the Rio Grande into Mexico, Hidalgo and Reynosa, back to Texas. On to Brownsville, made a little run on Padre Island at the south end, took another road home, which is 1,000 miles from the tip end of Texas to here.

red Kyle and Maurine Simmons Henderson and Carl also saw friends Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Messenger. Othelle and Esther lived at Flagg in their young days. I knew them then. She was Esther Traylor. That family moved to Portales. Penetha Armstrong is home from a 3 week stay in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Her sister Marvel Morrow of Marlin is here to stay with her for awhile. George Bagwell has had a kidney stone removed that was hurting him. He has been at St. Anthony's in Amarillo.

Elaine Bills, bride-elect of Dickie Brown of Earth, was the recipient of many beautiful gifts at the shower and coffee in the home of Mrs. Macky McCarty. This was Saturday morning. Greeting guests with the hostess were mothers Mrs. Richard Bills, the former Tommie Sheffy and Mrs. Gene Brown. The table was covered with white linen with spring flowers for center arrangement. Little snowball cakes, tiny rolls and coffee and fruit punch were served. Many hostesses, I didn't get names. Going from Dimmitt were the grandmothers Myrtle Sheffy and Bess Bills of Sunnyside, Dorothy (Mrs. Rex) Sheffy, Opal Bearden, Ceal Carlile, Ruth Jackson, Mrs. Ted Sheffy, Mrs. Rick Wallace from Tulia. Kin came from Abernathy, Fritch, Dumas, Sudan, Amarillo and Lubbock.

Emmett and Sue Broderson had family home for Easter Sunday dinner, daughter Joylyn from WTSU, the son Kyle and wife Kippy from Lubbock, cousins Dr. Jim and wife Ellen Shaw and three children from Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Paducah were here for Sunday dinner with daughter Susan and Garland Coleman and Mrs. Ruth Coleman, and for the christening of little grandbaby Benjamin Allen Coleman.

Al and Frances Lytle of Amarillo were in town Saturday to visit their daughter Karen and Graham Sheffy and children Gabe and Britteny. I was chatting with Alyce Killingsworth. She said she and Woodrow and friends, the George Lamberths, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mussett, Zane and Carol Ellison and Dale and Cindy Wells all went to Amarillo one evening to have supper at the Dinner Theater, Country Squire. They saw the stage show "Mary Mary." It is a good one. The star was on the Petticoat Junction show a few years ago. Susan Royal and baby of Muleshoe was a Friday guest of her parents Joe and Gladys Jensen. She was having coffee at the drug store when we were.

Clara Neumayer and daughter Sandra Bagwell were in Amarillo last Friday. They went by St. Anthony's Hospital to see about Jack Cowsert. He is very ill, but sent greetings to Dimmitt His sister Josephine was

there from the Houston area. And George Bagwell is also at St. Anthony's for a checkup and treatment. His wife Ruby and daughter Sue Boozer and Kylene were there as is probably Carolyn and George Sides. Clara had the Easter Sunday dinner with Sandra Bagwell and Milton. Their children were all home. Randy is at A&M and had a job interview. Ina Cleavinger and son Jimmy, and grandson Zeke went to Sweetwater to visit her mother Mrs. Garland Lewis and sister-in-law Mrs. Glen Allen, Sue Beth and Allen. These folks live in Bonham. Dee and Nona Umberson of Alamogordo, N.M. were here recently to visit his mother Alma Umberson who lives at South Hills Manor and he also visited his aunt Willa Mae Reynolds.

Dee has a house on the mountainside, a small settlement out of Alamogordo. He is a scientist or chemist at that big government plant. Helen Richardson was hostess at the dinner and bridge party Thursday evening. Her guests were Joe and Gladys Benson, Weldon and Ruth Skinner, Bill and Eunice Thornton, Evie Froehner, Faun Welker, Martha Dannivek, Sue Broderson and La Verne Bates. Danny Newton and son David went to Odessa last weekend to help his parents Mr. and Mrs. Buford Newton move into town. Buford is

with an oil company there. Danny and Donna have about a dozen hens in their backyard. She says they always have a fresh egg for breakfast. They live on Eighth Street south and west of me. Johnny and Harriet Goodwin of El Paso were here to visit daughter Connie and Stanley Nelson and family and Elizabeth Huckabay, and Johnny's brother P.O. and Frances Goodwin. All were at church. Robbie Sheffy of San Angelo spent the weekend with her parents Bob and Mildred, and came by for a short visit with me, her grandmother. Mildred Sheffy went to Booker Monday to help move her mother Gladys Morris to West Stinson Street here in Dimmitt. She will attend church with Western Circle Christian. Jesse and Ruby Wooten had a housefull of company in for the Easter Sunday dinner. They were Rex and Darlene Wooten and Amy, who live south of Flagg ranch, Dudley

and Bobbie and son Jason Wooten, Randy and Joyce Bills from Earth, Bob and Bobbie Ruth Hill, son Dennis and Cindy Hill from Hart. Out of town guests were Jay, a friend of Cindy, David Thursa, Kris and Mindy Shield from Gotebo, Okla. Helen Richardson and friends Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Berryhill went to Ruidoso, N.M. for a few days vacation at Helen's mountain house. It is on the side of the east hill near the Trout Lake. The road goes on south to the Inn of the Mountain Gods, an Indian owned place. Doris Lust was hostess to her bridge playing friends Thursday with games and a luncheon at "Somethin' Special." She served pickup foods and Martha says a very special dessert of strawberry and bananas in a pie shell with whipped cream. Sounds good. Guests were Mildred Bradford, Polly Simpson, Sue Merritt, Ina Cleavinger, Lois Wales, Carolyn Jones, Martha Dannivek, Carole Dyer, Margaret Parsons, Dorothy Gilbreath, Ruth Jackson and Shirley Wise. Jessie Silva and Frances and Mae Taylor had oven

fried chicken for the Friday dinner at the senior citizens. Quite a crowd of people came. Special country band music was made by the Hart Beat Band. They were introduced by Vivian Pigg and Naomi Wall. The fellows are Jimmy Ray Davis, spokesman, Dudley Aven, Curtis Snitker, Jerry Jansa, sheriff's dispatcher, and their friend Lonny Rhyms [See CHATTER, Page 9]

Dick Rankin has been here from Plano to visit his grands, Noel and Oleta Gollehon, and cousins, the Touchstones. And Kyle and Flo Touchstone of Lubbock were weekend visitors at the families Ann and Dr. Bill Murphy, Doris and Houston Lust, Truman and Betty Touchstone. And Michael Murphy of Ruidoso has spent the spring break with dad, Dr. Bill.

The church I go to was filled with people for the Easter morning service, beautiful music and sermon. I am sure all 11 of the Dimmitt churches were full. That is good for all of us. Some visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richey of Claude, parents of Joyce Wright, guests of she and Rick, also her grandmother Mrs. J. E. Jeffress of Amarillo and a sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lloyd and Christopher of Canyon. And Georgene and Laurence Wood and daughter Leslie were guests of her folks George and Irene Blanton. Georgene teaches art in the McKinney school and Laurence is an architect. They live in McKinney. Othelle Simmons and his wife Esther of Clarendon were Sunday guests of sisters Mild-

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Mobile home for sale, 207 Locust St., Dimmitt, \$2200. Call 647-3183 or after 6 p.m. 938-2679. 1-27-tfc

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TO GIVE AWAY: Puppies. Ph. 938-2418. 11-10-tfc

\$1,000 reward to the person who will lead me to the cattle that were stolen Tuesday, March 5, from K.C. Supply, 15 miles east of Turkey. You will remain anonymous. Police say thieves were pulling a white trailer with a pickup that probably had wide rear tires. Stolen were one white bull calf, baldy, 400 lbs., and these nine pregnant heifers: 1 red whiteface baldy, 750; 1 red whiteface baldy, 700; 1 red whiteface horned, 750; 3 black whiteface baldy, 650; 1 white baldy, 650; 2 yellow horned, 750.

Bull's ear mark: 

Heifer's ear marks: 

Contact Hal House, P.O. Box 1, Turkey, Ph. 806-423-1025. 11-25-4tc

12—NOTICES

PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL School of Vocational Nursing Training is now taking applications for the fall semester. Apply at the hospital business office. 12-24-tfc

13—LOST & FOUND

STRAYED from 4 miles north of Dimmitt, 1 crossbred steer, approx. 600 lbs, branded with  on left hip. James Welch, 647-5647. 13-11-tfc

LOST: Black white-faced cow with E on left shoulder. Call Ted or Graham Sheffy. 647-3246 or 647-2576. 13-28-tfc

14—CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
TO THE 526 I say "thank you." To the 25 telephone helpers, I say a special "thank you." I appreciate you.
Deanne Clark 14-28-1tc

CARD OF THANKS
I WOULD like to express my thanks to each of you who voted for me in the Dimmitt School Board election Saturday. Your support is greatly appreciated.
Paul S. Garcia 14-28-1tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
BROOKS FARMS, a partnership composed of PAUL T. BROOKS, THOMAS L. BROOKS, and NEOMA BROOKS WALL, doing business in Castro County, Texas, hereby gives notice in accordance with Article 1302-2.02, V.A.T.S., of its intention to incorporate under the name of BROOKS FARMS OF HART, INC., and to continue operation of such business under the corporate name. 15-26-4tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

Citizens interested in participating in a City Paving Program are urged to contact Mr. Larry Gonzales at Modern Carpet, or City Hall Office, and sign-up.
-s- GARNETT F. HOLLAND
Manager/City of Dimmitt 15-27-2tc

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
The city of Dimmitt is accepting bids for Multi-Peril Insurance Policy. Interest Insurance Agencies are requested to pick up required information to figure policy bids at City Hall, Dimmitt, Texas.

Address Bids to: Mayor, City of Dimmitt, P.O. Box 146, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. Mark Bid Envelope: Multi-Peril Insurance Bid.

Bids are to be presented to the Mayor on or before 6:30 p.m., April 21, 1980, Board of Aldermen Meeting. NOTE: Only Stock Insurance Companies' Bids will be accepted.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

-s- GARNETT F. HOLLAND
Manager/City of Dimmitt 15-27-3tc

THE CASTRO COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY

is seeking applications for the position of Executive Director. If you have any interest or know someone who does, contact Mr. Alan Webb, P.O. Box 1067, Dimmitt, Tex. or call 806-647-2335. The Authority operates 192 Farm Labor Apartments all in Dimmitt, Tex.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to list the names of the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic and Republican Primary Elections May 3:

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

For Commissioner, Pct. 1: Ed Bennett (incumbent)

For Commissioner, Pct. 3: Jimmie Howell
Anna Margaret Moss (incumbent)

For County Attorney: Jimmy Davis (incumbent)

For Tax Assessor-Collector: Jerry Heller (incumbent)

For Sheriff: Ronnie Ballew
Donald Ray Carmichael
Cowboy Johnson
Joe Ben Mitchell
Lonny Rhynes

For State Representative: Bill Clayton (incumbent)

For State Senator: Gerald McCathern

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

For Commissioner, Pct. 3: Robert Benton

(Rates for listing in the News's political candidates' column are \$25 for city office, \$35 for county office and \$40 for state office. Names for each office are listed in alphabetical order, with incumbents designated. Listing in this column is not a consideration in the publishing of a candidate's news-story announcement.)



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Farm Listings

CASTRO COUNTY

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160 ACRES — southwest of Easter. Good six-inch well.

EAST PARMER COUNTY

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TOP LITERARY QUALIFIERS—These Nazareth High School students qualified for the regional literary meet during the University Interscholastic League district meet recently in Amarillo. In front row, from left, are Teresa Brockman, second in informative speaking; Jeanie Wilhelm, third in prose reading; Sharon Birkenfeld, first in news writing; and Mary Jean Huseman, first in spelling. In back row, from left, are Denise Acker, first in informative speaking; George

Hochstein, first in persuasive speaking; and Dale Wilhelm, second in number sense. Other NHS literary placers were Chris Albracht, third in persuasive speaking; Pierce Brockman, alternate in informative speaking; Tammy Heck, alternate in poetry interpretation; Jeff Schmucker, alternate in news writing; Jean Wilhelm, alternate in number sense; and Pattie Schacher, alternate in science.

Nazareth

Families enjoy holiday visits

By VIRGIE GERBER
Most all our families enjoyed get-togethers of some kind to celebrate Easter. Visiting in the John Slavik home this past week were their two daughters, Judy Forestieri of Houston and Jo Braddock of Colorado; also Judy's husband Francis and sons Gregory, John and Matthew, and Jo's children Anita and Gary. Marie Hanson enjoyed her

children being here for Easter dinner. Here were Dan and Martha Koelzer and family of Bovina, Rod and Betty Green and family of Amarillo, Andrew and Beth Hanson and family of Boise City, Okla., David and Agnes Brandt and daughter of Amarillo and Jerome Hanson of Dimmitt.

Larry and Pat Dawson of Dumas visited in the Albert Gerber home Saturday after-

noon and with other friends here also. Pat taught here for three semesters, but she and Larry are both teaching in Dumas now.

Easter dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Meta Stork with an egg hunt during the afternoon. Fifty-five members of the family were there.

Meta Stork, Dorothy Pohlmeier, Virgie Gerber and Viola Pohlmeier attended the funeral services for Wesley Stork Monday in Amarillo at St. Lawrence Cathedral with

Father Tabone officiating. Mr. Stork was a son of the late Pete and Eunice Stork.

After surgery on his knee several weeks ago, Clarence Schulte had the misfortune of falling at his home and breaking his hip. He is back in an Amarillo hospital.

The Hollenstein annual family reunion was held Sunday in the Community Hall with 82 members of the family present. They came from Santa Ana, Lubbock, Plainview, Tulia, Amarillo, Happy, Dumas, Hereford and Nazareth.

METRIC BOLTS
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Possible tax savings available to citizens

A new 12-page pamphlet which may help district residents save on their property taxes is now available. Andrea Ethington, tax assessor-collector for the Dimmitt Independent School District, announced this week.

The pamphlet explains how the property tax system in Texas operates and highlights possible tax savings available to citizens, Mrs. Ethington said.

The publication was developed by the State Property Tax Board in accordance with the provisions of Senate Bill 621, passed by the Texas Legislature in 1979.

Homeowners are eligible for a \$5,000 school homestead exemption and certain disabled persons and those 65 or older may qualify for additional exemptions for the value of their property.

To qualify for exemptions, application must be made to the school tax office before the district's rendition period ends on April 30. The tax office is located in the school

administration building, 608 W. Halsell.

"District residents are encouraged to review the pamphlet and make application for all tax relief to which they are entitled before the rendition period ends," Mrs. Ethington said.

Rotarians view film on cancer

All Rotarians must turn in their contracts for trees, George Lamberth announced at the Friday meeting.

Gwen Bryant of the Cancer Society showed the film, "Let's Call It Quits."

The film on the hazards of smoking gave reasons people give for smoking, such as tension.

The Cancer Crusade's door-to-door campaign is now underway, Mrs. Bryant reminded Rotarians.

647-3123 For Printing

Fish & Wildlife Service schedules hearing on dam

The US Fish and Wildlife Service will hold a public meeting to discuss future plans for the dam at Buffalo Lake National Wildlife Refuge.

The meeting will be at 7 p.m. April 22 in Room 101 of the Science Building at West Texas State University in Canyon.

After a series of inspections over a 20-year period (with three in 1978), the Fish and Wildlife Service, the US Army Corps of Engineers, the Water and Power Resources

Service (formerly the Bureau of Reclamation), and the Texas Dept. of Water Resources found the dam's spillway to be inadequate and unsafe. Acting on this information, the Fish and Wildlife Service began draining Buffalo Lake in September, 1978.

In studying the dam's safety problems, the FWS identified five alternative solutions, ranging from no action to breaching the dam. Public safety, water availability and quality, cost and impact on flood control below

the dam were considered in each alternative.

The Fish and Wildlife Service will summarize its study of the alternatives at the meeting, and will answer questions.

Hance acknowledges county resolution

County Judge M. L. Simpson has received a letter from Congressman Kent Hance sharing concern over the possible loss of Buffalo Lake Dam.

The Commissioners' Court passed a resolution requesting members of Congress to consider repairing the dam's spillway.

The Fish and Wildlife Service has scheduled a public hearing April 22 at West Texas State University, Hance said. The results of their study will be announced at that meeting.

A study underway by the Army Corp of Engineers should be completed in September. When both studies are finished, a decision concerning the fate of the dam will be made, Hance said.

According to Hance, "The crucial factor in the determination is whether the potential cost resulting from a loss of the dam is significant enough

to justify the \$10 to \$12 million cost of repairing the spillway."

On the other hand, consideration must be given to the potential harm which would result from downstream flooding were the dam to be breached, Hance explained.

"I am studying this matter carefully and will keep your views in mind as developments occur," Hance said in his letter to the county judge.

Awards dinner set April 19

The Running Water Conservation District's awards program and dinner will be held at 7:30 p.m. April 19 at the Castro County Exposition Building.

The Flatland Bluegrass Band will provide the entertainment, and Ernie's Barbecue will cater the meal.

The Conservation Farmer, Homemaker and Teacher of the Year will be honored. Poster, essay and land judging contest winners will also be announced, and trophies and awards will be given.

Anyone wishing to attend is asked to contact the Soil Conservation Service office at 647-4324.

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FUTURE WINDBREAKS—Soil Conservationist Barney Lee shows some of the 4,000 seedling trees that were distributed by the local Soil Conservation Service office Friday. The windbreak tree program is a yearly event. The trees are obtained from the Colorado Forest Service and are available in 25

different species. Applications are available every Nov. 1, and trees can be ordered through March or one week prior to delivery, which is normally the first of April, according to Stephanie Elliott, district conservationist. The cost is \$20 per 100 for the bare-root trees and \$15 for 30 potted trees.

Crop insurance policies tailored for protection

Farmers who need more insurance protection for their crops than has been available in the past are hearing some good news from USDA's Federal Crop Insurance Corp. "And there's also good news for the farmer who needs only enough insurance for specific purposes," says Carey Johnson, FCIC District Director.

New FCIC policies being written for 1980 crops have been designed to enable each policyholder to tailor his protection to his financial needs, according to Johnson. A farmer can now choose, from a range of alternatives, what yield level he wants to be guaranteed and how much he wants to be paid for any losses.

The upper limits of coverage permit 20% more protection for corn and 40% more protection for soybeans than was available a year ago, the FCIC says. By selecting and paying for less than the maximum coverage, however, a farmer can now purchase insurance to cover specific

financial obligations.

"For example, a policyholder may want to carry only enough insurance to guarantee the repayment of his current production loans plus interest. Or, he may want insurance to cover all his debt repayment obligations for the year. Or if he is cash-renting land, he may want insurance equal to his rent payments. The policies this year give him the flexibility to buy the level of insurance protection that he decides he wants," Johnson said.

Johnson urges Castro County farmers to find out what protection is available to them on their 1980 crops and what it would cost. "With production costs and interest rates now at the highest levels in history, an uninsured crop disaster could have a devastating financial impact for most farmers," he adds. Crop insurance information can be obtained without obligation by writing to Carey Johnson, District Director, 1205 Texas Avenue, Room 214, Lubbock, 79401.

Today's the deadline to file for SBA loan

William E. Glennon, branch manager of the Disaster Loan Office of the Small Business Administration in Lubbock, has announced that farmers, ranchers and people in agri-

cultural related businesses who might be eligible for disaster loans under SBA Disaster Declaration 1708, must file their applications for these loans by today (Thursday) for physical losses on crops and by July 10 for economic injury losses on business.

The interest rates on these long-term loans are 5% and 7-3/8% on physical loss loans and 8 1/4% on loans for business losses.

Disaster Declaration 1708 covers Castro, Deaf Smith, Parmer, Swisher, Briscoe, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Cockran, Hockley, Yoakum, Gaines, Dawson, Martin, and Upton Counties and the counties adjacent to them.

Applications received after the deadline dates will not be accepted.

More information on Disaster 1708 can be obtained by calling the Lubbock Disaster Office toll free, 1-800-692-4296.

On the go

Jan and Clayton Robison and sons, Caleb and Zachary, of Canyon, Dave and Cindi Noble and daughter, Allison, of Lubbock, and Lily Kunitka spent Easter Sunday with E.B. and Evelyn Noble, Rick Noble and Ester Noble.

KEEP highly perishable foods, such as deviled eggs, meat spreads or poultry, "refrigerator cold," if held two or three hours before eating.

ASCS notes 1980 farm program provisions detailed

By CHARLEY HILL
County Executive Director
There is no set-aside or paid voluntary diversion program in effect for 1980. However, all farms that grow a program crop (wheat, corn, barley, grain sorghum or cotton) will be eligible for target price and disaster production.

Producers who stay within their normal crop acreage (NCA) will qualify for farm program benefits based upon the new announced target prices: Wheat \$3.63 per bu.; Corn \$2.35 per bu.; Grain Sorghum \$2.50 per bu.; Barley \$2.55 per bu.

Producers who exceed their NCA will qualify for benefits based upon the formula target in the Food and Agricultural Act of 1977: Wheat \$3.08 per bu.; Corn \$2.05 per bu.; Grain Sorghum \$2.45 per bu.; Barley \$2.29 per bu.

The 1980 target price will be 58.4 cents per pound for upland cotton.

The new act extends the disaster payment program through 1980 crop year, with a combined disaster payment under all programs limited to \$100,000 per person.

May 15 is the final date to report wheat and other fall seeded crops.

July 15 is the final date to report your cotton, grain sorghum, corn, sunflowers, sugarbeets, dry edible beans, peanuts and soybeans.

To be eligible for program benefits and avoid a possible penalty, file an accurate acre-

age report on all farms you have an interest in. Watch the above dates, don't let them slip by, and if we can help you with your acreage please come by and visit with us.

In the near future you will receive your notice of 1980 Normal Crop Acreage and Yields. You will have 15 days from the date of the notice to make any appeals. Appeals based on proven production for the base years of 1977, 1978 and 1979 may be adjusted if the crop in any year was disaster affected.

Film on SALT booked Sunday

"The SALT Syndrome," a 26-minute documentary produced by the American Security Council Education Foundation, will be shown at 8 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church.

The film was produced to help inform the American public about the changing trends in the strategic balance and how SALT II will affect our nation.

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STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DIST. NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
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ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks		Mil.	Thou.
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection		6,669	1
3. U.S. Treasury securities		297	2
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		7,348	3
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		200	4
6. All other securities		1,571	5
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		5,750	6
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$ 6,971,330) (From Schedule A, Item 8)		20,394	7
9. Lease financing receivables		-0-	8
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		1,026	9
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises		-0-	10
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding		-0-	11
13. All other assets		756	12
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)		43,711	13
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		15,521	14
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		19,613	15
17. Deposits of United States Government		46	16
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		3,779	17
19. Due to banks		-0-	18
20. All other deposits		-0-	19
21. Certified and officers' checks		457	20
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)		39,416	21
a. Total demand deposits		16,973	22a
b. Total time and savings deposits		22,443	22b
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		-0-	23
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money		-0-	24
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable		-0-	25
26. Unearned discount on loans		161	26
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding		-0-	27
28. All other liabilities		538	28
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)		40,115	29
30. Subordinated notes and debentures		-0-	30
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses		303	31
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 127,500)		1,275	32
33. Certified surplus		1,400	33
34. Undivided profits		618	34
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves		-0-	35
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)		3,293	36
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)		43,711	37

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT
James R. Horton
AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO. (806) 647-4151
DATE SIGNED April 3, 1980

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT
JAMES R. HORTON
Executive Vice President
We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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By Ace Reid



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LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

The City of Dimmitt, is accepting Seal Bids on a, 1955 Pontiac Ambulance Serial Number # 2556457. Bidders interested in inspecting this vehicle can contact Mr. Rex Cowart at the Adult Probation Office, Castro County Courthouse, Dimmitt, Texas. Mr. Cowart's phone number is: 806-647-3415. Bids are to be turned in to the Chief of Police, Dimmitt, Texas, on or before, 6:30 p.m., 21 April 1980. Address Bids to: City of Dimmitt, P.O. Box 146, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. ATTN: Chief of Police, Ronald R. Mitchell, 1955 Ambulance Bid. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

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TRI-STATE HONOR CHORUS—These five Dimmitt High School students have been selected for the 1980 Tri-State Honor Chorus. From left, standing, are Ginny Guy, second alto; Janis Hutcheson, second alto; Steve Anderson, baritone; and Richard Rodriguez, first tenor. Seated is Jacquie Washington, first alto. The 400-member Honor Chorus was

selected from among 1,750 applicants, and will perform in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 3, at the Tri-State Music Festival at Enid, Okla. Auditioning was done on tapes made by the students and their director, Doug Henry, using pre-selected music provided by the Tri-State Festival's auditioning committee.

Fight inflation -- plant a garden

Gardeners all over Texas are looking at their backyards as a potential site to help fight inflation.

"Vegetable gardening is sweeping Texas as well as the rest of the country," says Dr. Sam Cotner, horticulturist.

"Not since 1974 has there been such an interest in converting backyard areas into productive vegetable gardens.

"Although the grocery bill is probably not the ideal place to cut costs because many things have increased at a higher rate than food, it's the one place where many Texas families feel they can actually do something about the high cost of living," notes Cotner.

If you plan on having a vegetable garden this year, Cotner offers these guidelines for an "inflation fighting garden."

Determine which vegetables you want to grow in your

garden. Plant only those crops which your family likes most and which you feel will be relatively high priced at the grocery store. If your garden is small, do not plant crops requiring a lot of space.

Locate your garden where it receives plenty of sunlight, is well-drained, and is free from competition with existing trees and shrubs.

Make a garden plan. Note where crops will be planted and how much space each needs.

Plant taller-growing crops on the north side of the garden. Group remaining vegetables according to their maturity rate.

Have your garden's soil tested to determine what type of fertilizer and how much to apply. Your local county Extension agent can help you take a soil test.

Plant only recommended varieties. Check with successful gardeners and your county Extension office on

varieties best suited for your particular area.

Do a good job in preparing your garden soil before planting. Work the soil to a depth of 8 to 10 inches—the deeper the better. Add liberal amounts of organic matter such as compost, grass clippings, hay or similar material.

Use healthy, vigorous, disease-free transplants where possible. Check at local nurseries and garden centers or grow your own.

Follow recommended cultural practices. Keep your garden weed-free and try to keep an even supply of moisture. Add fertilizer if needed during the growing season, and use a mulch to control weeds and conserve moisture. Inspect your garden closely

for insects and diseases. Your "shadow" in the garden will prevent many potential problems before they start. If you do have problems such as diseases and insects, use recommended chemicals according to label directions.

Harvest your garden vegetables at their peak of quality. Do not let crops such as squash, green beans and okra overmature on the plant or yields will drop.

Finally, keep a record of your garden activities. A record of varieties planted, amount and type of fertilizer used, and planting and harvesting dates will go a long way toward insuring a successful "inflation fighting garden," Cotner says.

DHS judging teams place at regional

Members of Dimmitt High School FFA judging teams placed well in the regional meet held at West Texas State University Saturday.

Teams from more than 70 schools participated in the judging contests.

The dairy products team, composed of Jeri and Julia Mann, Deanna Moore and Carla Carpenter, placed fifth. Jeri Mann was second high individual, and Deanna Moore was fifth.

The livestock judging team of Danny Underwood, Kelly Nelson, Lonnie Robb and Lee Schilling placed 11th, as did the dairy team of James Roberts, Brad Brock, Rodney Hunter, Mike Anthony and Greg Burleson.

Phil King, Quint Waggoner, Jay Nelson and Ross Armstrong, members of the land judging team, placed sixth.

Gail Kleman gets UT honor

Gail Ann Kleman, 1977 graduate of Nazareth High School, has been named to the Magna Cum Laude honor roll for the 1979 fall semester in the College of Natural Sciences at the University of Texas, Austin.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kleman, she is majoring in nutrition.

To be eligible for the Natural Sciences honor roll, a student must earn at least 52 grade points during the semester, passing all courses undertaken. Total grade points are calculated by multiplying the number of semester hours by the value of each grade with an equaling four points.

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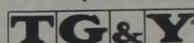
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What's cooking at the school

Here are the lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for the week of April 14-18.

MONDAY - Chicken and dumplings, candied sweet potatoes, green peas, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY - Green enchilada casserole, cabbage salad, mexi-beans, pudding, rolls, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hot dogs, French fries, fruit cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY - Bean Chalupas, tossed salad, buttered corn, jello, milk.

FRIDAY - Fish patties, mixed vegetables, fruit salad, cookies, rolls, butter, milk.

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'Key volunteers' named for drive

Jackie Smotherman and Carmen Catano have been named as "key volunteers" for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Wheels for Life Bike-a-thon.

Smotherman is the rider recruitment and follow-up chairman, and Catano is refreshment chairman.

"Our committee people are giving their time and talent to help in the fight against cancer and other catastrophic childhood diseases," Jo Parks, chairman, said.

Funds raised will support St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, the largest childhood cancer research institution in the world. Cancer is second only to accidents as a killer of children in this country.

Since opening in 1962, the non-sectarian research center has become the leader in developing new treatment procedures to save children stricken by catastrophic diseases.

"You can put your muscles to work for a child's life in this Bike-a-thon," Mrs. Parks said. "We need every bike and every rider."

Persons interested in riding in the Bike-a-thon may contact Mrs. Parks at 707 SW Sixth St., or by calling 647-4466.

View from the Library



By BRICK AUTRY

Dee Brown wrote "Bury My Heart At Wounded Knee" a number of years ago. Quite rightly, it was widely acclaimed. It was a fantastic book. The theme of the book was the American conquest of the North American continent.

In her next book, "Creek Mary's Blood," Dee Brown continues her theme. This time she highlights the Southeast Indian tribes, the Creek, Cherokee and others.

"Creek Mary's Blood" is highly acclaimed, too. Right on the cover two very fine writers give glowing reviews. "Beautiful" says one, "thrilling" says another. One thing they forgot to say is "boring."

It is unfortunate but it seems like every Indian novel ends up boring when the writer tries to approximate

Indian speech patterns. And for some reason Indian culture turns dry and uninteresting when in print. Dee Brown didn't have much help in her new book where interest is concerned. The Creeks and Cherokees had the most boring culture. (I ought to know, Grandmother was Creek and her people were always boring.)

"Creek Mary's Blood" is the only book that can go from the Trail of Tears to the Battle of Wounded Knee (which this book does) and still end up being dull reading.

The reason is not that there is too much Indian history or culture or that the story does not move; it's that the reader never gets too excited about reading about Creek Mary, the heroine. And the reason for that? Dee Brown has done such a fine job in creating a real Creek woman that Creek Mary comes off just like my grandmother and her people—nice, admirable and boring.

The best reading for Indian buffs is still "Bury My Heart At Wounded Knee." Another better book is "House Made of Dawn" by M. Scott Momaday.

More about



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was there also. Several other guests were at dinner including Raymond Wilson from his winter place at Phoenix, Ariz., Sheriff and Mrs. Granville Martin and their daughter and Mrs. Coy Dunn. Coy comes quite often.

Harlin and Bobbie Dodd were hosts to the Birdwell clan for Sunday dinner. Bill couldn't count all of them.

Polly Bell went to Canyon for a weekend of girl sitting with the granddaughters, while Don and Karen Sheffy made a pleasure and business trip to New Orleans.

Roger Reed and his family John and Charlene Reed went to Lorenzo to visit his aunt, Ruth Timmons. This young man works for Walt's Supermarket, as does his mother.

Fred Sr. and Juanita Bruegel had a few of the family home like Mike and Donna and little Mike from Amarillo, Sandy and James Baker, Jaime and the little girl, Fred Bruegel Jr. had to fly up to Washington, D.C. on business. His mom-in-law Jo Biggs was home and all the kids were home. And Sherri who teaches Home Ec at Cameron and Teresa who is working on her masters in speech pathology at Denton University were home at Carl and Gail Bruegel's. The boys were home too, Curtis, a farmer and Gary from Amarillo TSTI.

Alice Anthony, her daughter Helen and Fred Kuntz, son Rick spent the weekend at El Paso visiting Linda and husband M. Jerry.

Saturday, after the Bill's shower, probably 25 people went out to LaVelle Clayton's house for lunch. Each lady brought a salad, all kinds, fresh baked monkey bread, ham and desserts. I knew Susan Chism, Sunny Randolph, Naomi Wood, my daughter Tommie Bills. Several others too, helped. From Dimmitt were Ruth Jackson, Mrs. Rex Sheffy, Opal Bearden, Ceal Carlile and Myrtle.

Oh yes, the hostess at the shower Mrs. McCarthy. I saw Rowena Cleavinger and young Mrs. Parish and Mrs. Haydon (Sherri) I think, from Sunny-side.

H.M. Baggerly of Tulia and Cindy Dyer of Lockney, the Harold Bob Bennetts of Hart and the Joe Bob Sanders were Sunday dinner guests of Goldman and Carole Dyer. You remember Mr. Baggerly as the Country Editor of the Tulia paper.

Bill and Katy Graham of McLean, Mrs. Rachel Graham Kevin and Virginia Malone of Hereford, Beth and Rick Wallace, Graham and Karen Sheffy were all Sunday guests of Ted and Dorothy Sheffy.

Peggy and Allan Webb had the family home for Easter, Kristi and Steve Edwards, Ami and Allan, Allan and Ray Bradley, Matt, Hallie and Carrie, mom-Vera Webb, Sue Miller and Johnny Webb.

George and Adeline Rush are going to their place at Bull Shoals, Ark. for a few days. Those hills should be pretty now with Dogwood and Redbud.

Richard and Darlene Wale moved here from Guymon recently. They live in the trailer park north of the hospital. Richard is a truck dispatcher for Chet Braafladt. Darlene is job seeking.

Charles and Jill McLean had her family in for Easter dinner. They are Chet and Helen Braafladt, Chuck and Pat and children, Todd, Tiffany and Christian, Joan Thrasher and sons Chip and Phil and the grandmother Mrs. Esther Galloup.

Jack and Carolyn Thompson and family went to Lubbock Sunday, and had dinner with his sister Lyndell Sinclair and his mother Mrs. W. E. Thompson. Easter time is family and church time.

Betty Cartwright took Genevieve Howe out for dinner Sunday, a good visiting time at the restaurants.

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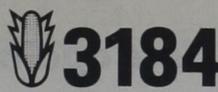
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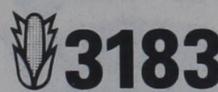
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Clean-up day set Saturday for Girlstown

Saturday has been designated "Clean Up Days" at Girlstown's Borger Campus. Anyone interested in cleaning up the debris from the recent fire is asked to show up at the campus, 3 1/2 miles east of Borger at 9:30 a.m., with rakes, shovels, brooms, and old clothes to help get the building ready for the rebuilding process. All workers are asked to bring sack lunches.

The administration building of the Borger campus that was destroyed by fire will be re-built as soon as possible. Bob Wilson, superintendent of Girlstown's Borger unit said.

In a meeting with a long-range planning committee of District 2-T1 Lions, plans were made to start the rebuilding process as soon as plans can be finalized for the financing of this restoration of the original building.

Under the direction of District Gov. Charles Cooley and Past District Gov. Jimmie Pigman, the Lions Clubs of the Panhandle — together with all of the citizens who wish to support Girlstown — have started a campaign to raise \$250,000 to replace the destroyed building and contents.

"Much of the lost value was in inventory of supplies, garden tractors, paint, clothing for the girls, and office equipment and supplies," Wilson stated. All of this will have to be replaced.

KGNC Radio of Amarillo also is conducting a campaign to raise funds for this cause by asking for "\$1 per listener." Each Lions Club is asked to be a central agency for collecting any clothing, equipment, supplies or money that any community would like to contribute to this re-building cause.

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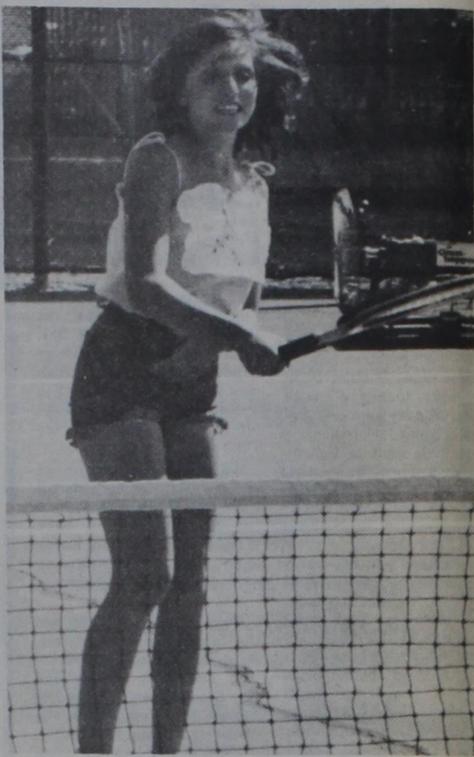
DHS senior runs in Texas Relays

Dimmitt High School senior Vicki Cleveland participated in the prestigious Texas Relays Friday in Austin. Cleveland was the only high school student competing against a field of college students from over the country.

In the low hurdles, she had placed second in the preliminaries, but fell during the

main event and did not finish. Cleveland was also a member of the relay team which placed fourth in the prelims, and on a sprint medley team which was fourth in the finals with a time of 1:48.

Cleveland said that more than 18,000 people attended the finals of the meet, and that it was "an exciting experience."



Ramaekers is named first team all-state

Doretta Ramaekers of Nazareth has been named to the first team of the girls' Class B all-state basketball team selected by the Waco Tribune-Herald.

Ramaekers was cited for leading her team to its fourth consecutive state title, and was noted as one of the state's best outside shooters. She averaged 15 points per game, mostly from the wings, hit 50 percent from the field and 80 percent from the charity line, and has been an all-state-tourney choice the last two seasons.

Sharon Gerber, Nazareth junior, was named to the third team in the Herald-Tribune's Class B all-state selections. Another Panhandle player

named to the Class B all-state team was Bonnie Reisdorph, Hartley senior, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reisdorph, formerly of Dimmitt. The first team is rounded out with Kay Hull of Brock, Teresa Swanson of Como-Pickton and Scherea Mathis of Avinger.

Watch Your Mouth

Avoid very hot food, scalding tea and coffee, and heavy alcohol use, the American Cancer Society warns. These could cause changes in the mouth that might trigger cancer. Regular dental checkups make it easy for dentists to spot suspicious conditions in the mouth, the Society says.

Tulia, Lockney, Friona win junior titles here

Tulia, Lockney and Friona were the most consistent winners in the postponed Dimmitt Junior Bobcat Relays, held here April 1.

In the eighth grade boys' division, Friona posted the most team points with 126, followed by Dimmitt with 112 1/2, Tulia, Littlefield, Lockney and Clovis Yucca.

In the eighth grade girls' division, Lockney won with 120 points, followed by Tulia with 118, Friona 77, Dimmitt 73, Littlefield 69 and Clovis Yucca 68.

Tulia captured the team title in the seventh grade boys' division with 144 points, followed by Friona, Littlefield, Clovis Yucca, Dimmitt and Lockney.

Tulia also won the seventh grade girls division with 169 points, followed by Littlefield, Clovis Yucca, Lockney, Friona and Dimmitt.

Dimmitt placers in the relays were:

- EIGHTH GRADE BOYS**
 Long jump — 1. Bruegel, 18'4"; 2. Kenworthy, 16-11.
 High jump — 3. Dominguez 5-10.
 Pole Vault — 4. Sanchez, 8-6; 6. Nelson, 8-0.
 Shot put — 3. Gilbreath 38-6 1/4; 5. Tijerina, 37-6 1/2.
 Discus — 1. Simpson, 123-10; 6. Nelson, 105-8.
 440-yd. relay — 4. Dimmitt, 50.3.
 880-yd. run — 3. Garcia, 2:18.7; 6. Navarro, 2:29.5.
 120-yd. hurdles — 2. Barton, 18.6.
 100-yd. dash — 6. Martinez, 11.53.
 440-yd. dash — 4. Creighton, 59.62.
 330-yd. hurdles — 1. Bruegel, 46.26; 5. Holcomb, 48.6.
 220-yd. dash — 1. Martinez, 26.53.

fourth in 600-meter dash. The 800-meter relay team of Mark Coker, Albert Gonzales, Nathan Nelson and Sears placed second. A third was earned by the 800-meter medley team of Darrel Washington, Nelson, Gonzales and Sears.

Friday the junior high track teams will travel to Friona for a triangular meet.

- 1320-yd. run — 3. Casas, 3:59.41; 5. Mendez, 4:04.4.
 Mile relay — 3. Dimmitt, 4:09.85.

- EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS**
 High jump — Benton, 4-6; 3. Tishler, 4-4.
 Long jump — 2. Benton, 13-4; 6. Solar, 12-9.
 Triple jump — 4. Solar, 25-8 1/4.
 Shot put — 6. Hicks, 25-7 1/4.
 Discus — 1. Hicks, 72-5; 3. Tishler, 66-7 1/2.
 440-yd. relay — 5. Dimmitt, 60.7.
 440-yd. dash — 4. Ballard, 73-30.
 100-yd. dash — 2. Benton, 12.44.
 100-meter hurdles — 1. Benton, 17.52; 6. Parish, 18.54.
 Mile relay — 5. Dimmitt, 5:12.0.

- SEVENTH GRADE BOYS**
 Long jump — 1. Sears, 16 3/4.
 High jump — 2. Sears, 4-10; 3. Washington 4-10.
 Pole vault — 3. Gonzales, 7-0.
 Shot put — 4. Thomas, 32-2 1/4.
 440-yd. relay — 5. Dimmitt, 53.5.
 880-yd. dash — 3. Gonzales, 2:31.1; 4. Trevino, 2:33.3.
 100-yd. dash — 4. Sears, 11.8; 6. Nelson, 11.94.
 440-yd. dash — 6. Washington, 65.4.
 Mile relay — 5. Dimmitt, 4:33.4.

- SEVENTH GRADE GIRLS**
 High jump — 6. Boozer, 4-0.
 Triple jump — 5. Washington, 25 1/4.
 Shot put — 6. Touchstone, 23-6.
 Discus — 2. Touchstone, 60-1.
 440-yd. relay — 6. Dimmitt, 62.0.
 880-yd. run — 5. Solar, 3:03.6.
 100-meter hurdles — 5. Touchstone, 19.64.
 880-yd. relay — 6. Dimmitt, 2:21.9.
 1320-yd. run — 4. Stone, 4:55.0.
 Mile relay — 4. Dimmitt, 5:19.6.

DHS girls' track team places second at Spur

Beth Benton won first place in three events at the girls' high school track meet at Spur Friday to lead the Dimmitt squad to second place in the meet behind Abilene Cooper.

Benton was first in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 15.2, with teammate Beth Mohon placing third at 15.7. She won the long jump with a leap of 16-1, while Mohon placed fourth at 15-1; and placed first in the triple jump with a leap of 32-3.

Lori Dyer tied a school record in the high jump with a leap of 5 ft., which gave her first place.

A new school record in the mile run was set by Rita Ramos with a time of 6:04.6 as she placed second. Mary Ann Herrera was third at 6:14.7 and DeeDee Bishop fourth at 6:18.1.

Other Dimmitt placers in the Spur meet were:

- 440 relay — Dimmitt (Katherine Lewis, Hortensia Quinonez, Mohon, Benton), 1st, 52.5.
 880 run — Sonya Andrews 3rd, 2:36.2; Brenda Parker 5th, 2:40.6.
 440-yd. dash — Quinonez 1st, 64.6; Jackie Anthony 4th, 67.6.
 220-yd. dash — Katherine

Lewis 1st, 29.1; Denise Dobbs 2nd, 29.8; Paula Porter 6th, 31.2.
 880 relay — Dimmitt (Lewis, Dina Heard, Porter, Dobbs), 3rd, 1:59.9.
 100-meter dash — Benton 3rd, 13.1.

Mile relay — Dimmitt (Parke, Andrews, Susan Collins, Anthony) 2nd, 4:34.6.

Shot put — Jackie Rivers 5th, 32-2 1/2; Lynna McGuire 6th, 31-2 1/2.

Discus — Teresa Brown 5th, 98-1 1/4.

100-meter dash — Benton 3rd, 13.1.

Dimmitt High School's girls will travel to Olton Saturday for the District 3-AA meet.

On the go

Carol Hance and children Ron and Susan of Washington, DC, were here last week to visit father-in-law and grandfather Raymond Hance in the hospital and mother-in-law and grandmother Beral Hance and in Hereford with Carol's mother Nancy Hays and other relatives. Ron and Susan were on their spring school break. Dad Con. Kent Hance had to stay in Washington and work as Congress was still in session.

ADVANCES TO REGIONAL—Lupe Saucedo of Dimmitt finished as the District 3-AA runner-up in girls' singles last week, defeating Gwen Maurer of Friona and Stephanie Coleman of Morton before losing to Anita Shelton of Morton in the championship match. As the 3-AA runner-up, she advances to the girls' regional tennis tourney in Lubbock April 18 and 19. Saucedo has finished in the top two or three in a Plainview tournament and two Plains Tennis Association tourneys this season. Other Dimmitt girls who competed in district were Tonya Polivoda in singles and Virginia Alamaza-Becky Ortiz and Julia Mann-Pam Nelson in doubles.

Junior high boys compete at Clovis

Seventh and eighth grade boys' track teams from Dimmitt participated in the Friendship Junior High Relays at Clovis Friday.

The eighth grade boys placed fourth in the 12-team event, while the seventh graders were seventh.

Dimmitt's only first place was won by Roy Tijerina in the eighth grade 100-meter dash.

Other eighth grade placers were Robert Espinosa, second in pole vault and David Barton, second in 65-meter high hurdles.

Fourth places were won by

the 800-meter relay team of Tim Kenworthy, Hal Gilbreath, Mark Bruegel and Nick Martinez; Scott Simpson in discus; Robert Nelson in the 65-meter hurdles; the 800-meter medley relay team of Kenworthy, Ramon Enriquez, Martinez and Espinosa; and the 1600-meter relay team of Randy Creighton, Ruben Sanchez, Tijerina and Mark Bruegel.

Bruegel and Kenworthy tied for fifth in the long jump. Jay Sears was second in the high jump for seventh grade boys, Jimmy Thomas fourth in shot put, and Raul Ramos

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF THE DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Dimmitt ISD hereby announces that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are 65 or older OR under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by April 30, 1980. Application forms are available at the school tax office located at: 608 W. Halsell, Dimmitt, Texas.

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The blood insurance policy assures that a person who donates a pint of blood will receive any blood transfusions needed by a member of his family during the following year.

The last drive collected 73 pints of blood, and the Jaycees hope this drive will do even better.



BOYS' STATE DELEGATES from Hart this year will be [from left] Kevin Belt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Belt; Chad Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black; and Leslie Reed [alternate], son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Reed. The youths, all juniors in Hart High School,

will be sponsored by the Hart Lions Club and the Hart American Legion Post. Boys' State, a "working course" in city and state government sponsored by the Texas Dept. of the American Legion, will be held in Austin in June.

Genealogy group to meet

The Castro County Genealogical Society will hold its April meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Rhoads Memorial Library.

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'Spiritual Renewal' scheduled at Hart

Hart's First United Methodist Church will conduct a "Spiritual Renewal" April 13-16.

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The speaker will be Rev. Kerry Hurst, pastor of the First United Methodist

Church of Sudan. Music will be directed by Rev. Wesley Putnam, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Hale Center.

Brenda Campbell and Donna Allen will play the piano and organ at all services.

After each evening service there will be a fellowship "After-Glo."

Here's Hart's school menu

Here are the menus for Hart schools for the week of April 14-18.

MONDAY — Breakfast: Hot cereal, buttered toast, juice, milk.

Lunch: Enchilada casserole, tossed salad, buttered corn, pineapple cake, milk.

TUESDAY — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, apple sauce, milk.

Lunch: Cheeseburger on homemade bun, peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Breakfast: Bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch: Pinto beans, corn bread, fried okra, cole slaw, rice pudding, milk.

THURSDAY — Breakfast: Cold cereal, bananas, milk.

Lunch: Roast beef, brown gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, apple cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY — Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk.

Lunch: Hamburger on homemade bun, potato chips, tossed salad, peanut butter cookies, milk.

ACCORDING to data from the Council on Pet Education, it costs about \$154 per year to keep an average-size dog in the United States.

HHS boys runners-up in Wolverine Relays

The Hart High School boys' track team placed second in the Wolverine Relays at Springlake-Earth Saturday.

S-E, with 149 points, was the team winner, followed by Hart with 95, Petersburg, Lubbock Christian, Christ the King, Nazareth, Farwell and the S-E JV.

Keith Newsom of Hart placed first in the 330-yard hurdles with a time of 40.9; second in the long jump, 20-6; and third in the high jump, 5-8.

Chad Black placed second in the high jump with a vault

of 5-10, and was third in the long jump at 20-2.

In the 880-yard dash, Kevin Belt of Hart placed second in 2:12.0.

Rene Gonzales was third in the mile run with a time of 5:10.1.

Lorenzo Valenzuela won the discus throw with a toss of 124-11, and placed third in the shot put. His brother, Santos, was third in the discus with 109-11.

Brian Huseman of Nazareth placed second in the shot put with a toss of 42-1 1/2.



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Info needed on musical band of 1908

From 1908 until about 1916, a musical band performed regularly at the bandstand that was built near the county's second courthouse.

The Castro County Historical Committee knows that Mark Cowsert played the drums and that Reubin A. Holland and a Mr. Ireland were in the band.

But the committee would like to know the names of any others who may have been in the group. The CCHC would also like to have a picture of the group, if one exists.

County history books from other counties that were loaned by the publishing company need to be returned to the museum, a committee spokesman reminded. Anyone having one of the volumes is asked to return it to the museum or call 647-2611 and someone will pick it up.

HOSPITAL NEWS

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If you're over 40, that's your business and you can keep it to yourself. But it's the time to ask your doctor for a "procto" examination as part of your regular health checkup. The American Cancer Society says this is one of the ways to protect yourself against colorectal cancer.

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HAS SPRING REALLY SPRUNG?—Many fruit trees in the area seem to be going by the calendar instead of by the thermometer—including this apricot tree that blossomed recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Poldo Molina, 602

W. Lee St. Although we're officially three weeks into spring now, nighttime temperatures are still dipping regularly to the freezing level. According to the National Weather Service, the final freeze in this area usually hits from April 6 to May 6.

When will last freeze be?

Farmers and gardeners get the urge to plant spring crops just as soon as there are a few days of warm weather. But there's still plenty of time for freezing temperatures over much of Texas, according to data compiled by the National Weather Service at Texas A&M University.

Keith Hays, NWS agricultural meteorologist, has compiled information on the last freeze dates for various parts of Texas. In the accompanying table, "early" represents a 90 percent chance for a freeze (32 degrees F.) later than the date indicated. "Average" represents a 50-50 chance of a freeze after the date indicated, while "late" indicates only a 10 percent chance of a freeze occurring after the date shown.

Due to a generally milder winter season so far, the odds are

AREA	EARLY	AVERAGE	LATE
Panhandle	April 6	April 22	May 6
South Plains	March 27	April 11	April 25
Rolling Plains	March 17	April 1	April 17
North Central	March 9	March 26	April 12
Northeast	March 8	March 24	April 8
Far West	March 13	March 28	April 12
West Central	March 14	March 29	April 13
Central	March 9	March 25	April 10
East	March 3	March 19	April 4
South Central	Feb. 26	March 15	April 2
Southeast and Upper Coast	Feb. 1	Feb. 25	March 22
South	Dec. 30	Feb. 1	March 5
Southwest	Feb. 5	Feb. 28	March 24
Coastal Bend	Jan. 19	Feb. 17	March 17

good for an early spring, notes Hays. In other words, chances of a freeze later than the "average" date listed in the table will likely be slim.

So, farmers and gardeners will want to keep that date in mind when planting warm-season crops that could suffer freeze damage if planted too early.

According to the National Weather Service, Castro County has the latest average date for the last spring freeze—April 22—because of its higher elevation. Average final-freeze dates for surrounding counties are April 18 in Deaf Smith, April 11 in Swisher, April 14 in Parmer, and April 8 in Lamb and northern Hale County.

Best food buys

Best food buys at Texas grocery markets for the next two weeks include pork, poultry, eggs, salad greens, potatoes and carrots.

Fresh-fruit season is just beginning, so be on the lookout for strawberries, pineapples, oranges, apples and melons, too, says Dr. Carol Akkerman, consumer information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

April price-quality trends are:

Meat — Pork is the "glamour" buy, followed by chicken and turkey.

Canned hams and bacon are features in many markets, along with whole chickens or fryer parts.

Chicken is still the top buy when you consider price per pound and nutritive value, though.

Beef prices remain high —

but careful shoppers can put variety into meals economically if they'll choose from the less-expensive cuts.

Less-expensive cuts include round steaks, beef briskets, short ribs, ground beef and chuck cuts.

Egg prices continue low. When there's only a few cents difference between jumbo and large sizes, jumbo is the better buy.

Refrigerate eggs to maintain their quality. Also, since they're protein food, cook them slowly at a low temperature for best results.

Vegetables — are becoming more abundant. Add variety to salads by selecting from these lettuces: bibb, romaine, red-leaf and curly endive. Fresh cabbage and spinach also make excellent salad ingredients.

Here's another salad idea: use cucumbers, bell peppers, green onions and tomatoes as special salad items.

They'll be plentiful in upcoming weeks, and since each has a unique flavor, select a combination, add your special dressing and a sprinkling of celery seed or dill, and you'll have a tantalizing salad.

Other plentiful vegetables are carrots, sweet potatoes and onions.

In fact, as we enter spring, many vegetables will enjoy supply increases accompanied by price drops.

Each week, then, introduce one or two seldom-eaten vegetables into your family's diet — for additional variety and interest.

Fruits — Strawberries, pineapples and pears are excellent buys.

Remember, these are seasonal, so you can easily freeze them for later use, or make them into jellies, jams and preserves. That would be an economy-wise thing to do, because usually when a fresh-food item is plentiful, its price is lower.

Of course, the same item in frozen or canned form usually has lower prices as well.

More plentiful fruits include a variety of apples and oranges.

Give cantaloupes and honeydews a few more weeks for peak flavor and ripeness, though.

In general, remember, you can add variety and interest to meals economically — by using the best buys.

What's to Fear?

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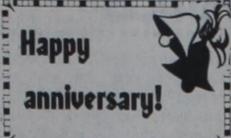
Thirty-seven women attended the Ladies Golf Association membership fiesta supper recently.

Patti Summers was head of the food committee, and Delma Myers led the membership drive.

The meeting included a fashion show narrated by Myrtle Sheffy, with fashions from the Shoe Tree and the Village Shop.

Bob Lindsey, club pro, gave a talk and announced he will give four free golf lessons to beginners with the dates to be announced later.

Audry Shottenkirk, president, conducted the business session. It was announced that the Scotch Foursomes have been changed from Sundays to Fridays.



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

APRIL 10 — Jack and Carolyn Thompson.

APRIL 11 — Bill and Carla Scott, Jimmy and Gwen Buckley.

APRIL 12 — Harold and Laura Broadstreet, J.W. and Mary Louise Stone, Earnest and Ann Mayhew.

APRIL 14 — Freddie and Jo Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Acevedo.

APRIL 15 — Abner and Louise Roberts.

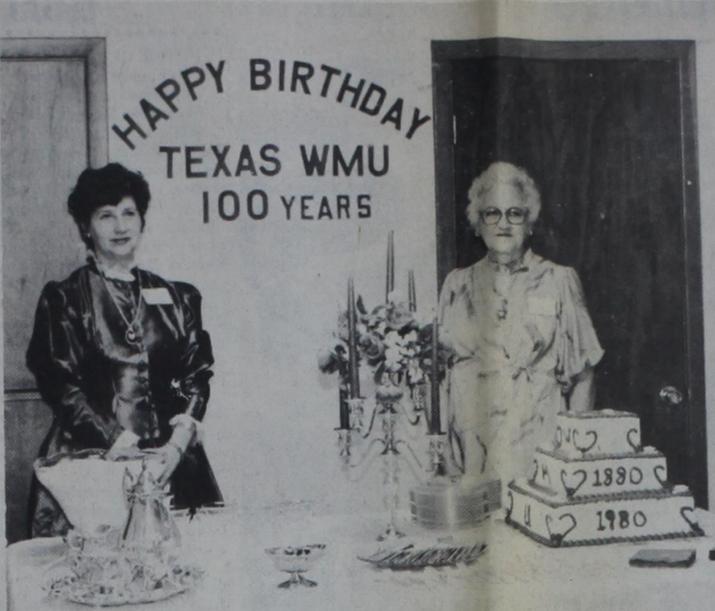
Tops awards March honors

Twenty-four members of the local Tops Club weighed in Monday night and registered a total weight loss of 11 pounds.

Kops of the Month was Fay Varner; Tops of the Month was Karen Moss, with a loss of 3 1/2 pounds; Male Tops of the Month was Tom Moss; and Angel of the Month was Alyce Killingsworth.

James Slough was Male Tops of the Week with a loss of 3 1/2 pounds; Sally Parmer, who lost 2 1/4 pounds, was Tops of the Week; and Emily Clingsmith was Kops of the Week.

CATTLE numbers are down in Texas compared to a year ago, but there are more ranching operations. Cattle numbers dropped about 700,000 head from Jan. 1, 1979 to Jan. 1, 1980, while cattle operations increased by about 2,000.



W.M.U. CELEBRATES 100 YEARS—The Llanos Altos Baptist Association of the Women's Missionary Union met in Sunnyside Baptist Church last Thursday to celebrate the Texas WMU Centennial Birthday. The Llanos Altos Association WMU is made up of six counties. Here, at the serving table, are Mrs. V.C. Hopson (left), the association's Centennial chairman, and Mrs. Roy Phelan, Century I chairman for the Sunnyside Baptist Church. Five women in attendance had been members of WMU for 50 years or longer. Louise Agee of Muleshoe presented a brief history of the association. Local observances of Century I will be Sunday, Oct. 5 in each church.

Jean Bradford Historians' seminar set earns honors

A program on Historical, Research and Writing will be presented at 7 p.m. next Thursday at Swisher County Library in Tulia.

The program is funded by a grant from the Texas Committee on Humanities at Arlington and is open to the public.

Jerry Hollingsworth, attorney and member of the Amarillo Historical Preservation Foundation, is program chairman.

Other participants in the program will include Ernest R. Archambeau, past president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Association; Dr.

Joe F. Taylor, retired chairman of the history department of Amarillo College; and Claire Kuehn, librarian/archivist at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum at Canyon.

Watch Out! Sol

Don't get too much sun at one time. It can be painful and may eventually cause skin cancer. The American Cancer Society says to use sunscreen lotions, wide-brim hats and beach umbrellas.

English-Miller vows exchanged

Caessa Lynn English, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mauk of Dimmitt, and Tracy Leland Miller were married in a formal double-ring ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Oakwood Baptist Church in Lubbock.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Leon English of Lubbock, former Dimmitt residents. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Miller, also of Lubbock.

Joe Jones officiated the service in a church decorated with bouquets of white daisies and pompons leading to an altar adorned with greenery, white doves and candelabra.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white organza and Venice lace. The molded bodice featured a Queen Anne neckline defined in Venice lace and seed pearls. Sheer bishop sleeves were shirred to wide cuffs which came to a petalpoint over the hand. The Empire waistline fell to a natural waistline in back and was encircled in a row of matching lace. The A-line skirt swept to the back, forming a watteau train.

The bride carried a lace collar nosegay made of silk white roses, pink and white daisies centered with a white orchid, with lace and pearl streamers.

Matron of honor was Cindy Stout of Lamesa. Carla Reed and Karen Cain of Lubbock acted as bridesmaids.

The bride's attendants wore identical gowns of candy pink voile. The bodice featured an elasticized scoop neckline with a flounce forming a capelet over the shoulders and down the back. The

floor-length circular skirt fell from an elasticized empire waistline. They carried bouquets of silk burgundy mums and pink daisies in a background of heather and baby's breath, with pink burgundy streamers.

Sammy Dobbs acted as best man, and Dennis Hood and Talton English were groomsmen.

Candelighters were Shane Hamrick and Brad Hamrick of Farmington, N.M., and flower girls were Lisa Miller and Ursula Hays.

Lonnie English, uncle of the bride, and Wayne Reeder, uncle of the groom, were ushers.

Sherryl London was organist. Sue Bounds, soloist, sang "The Wedding Song," "The Lords Prayer" and "Longer."

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M., the couple are making their home at 2301 51st St. in Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Monterey High School and attends Jessie Lee's Hair Design Institute. The groom is employed at Sax Auto Parts & Machine, and is also a graduate of Monterey High School.



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APRIL 10 — Beth Touchstone, Faye Killough, Dustan Buckley, John Merritt, Becky Rutkowski, Ricky Hargrove, Jeannette Sammann, Darla Rials.

APRIL 11 — Elonda Mixon, Wanda Murdock, Delbert Smotherman, Esther McRee, Cindy Ellis.

APRIL 12 — Shirley Hanson, Ann Cox, Ronnie Cole, Martha Skelton, Velda Johnson, Sandra Tischler, Calvin Jackson.

APRIL 13 — Hazel Bagwell, Mike Anthony, Karn Josselet, Amber Henrickson.

APRIL 14 — Reeford Burrous, Jimmy Buckley, Ernest Sammann, Douglas Hays, Beth Welch, Bryan Brown.

APRIL 15 — J.H. Myatt, Chad Ellis.

APRIL 16 — George Hudson, Janice Johnson, Shirley Underwood, Carmon Pigg, Bill Sava, Charlene Hunter.

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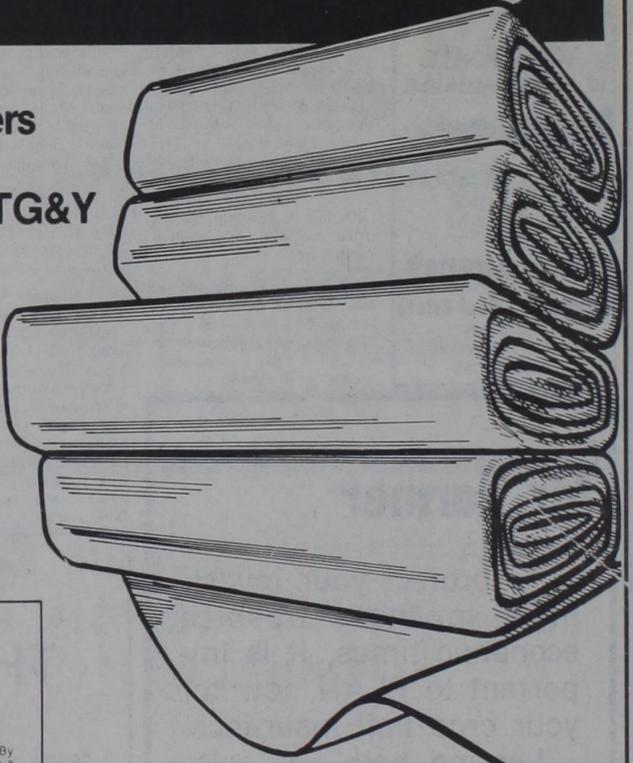
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Hart High's girl golfers set new mark

For the first time in recent memory, Hart High School will send a team to the regional golf meet.

In the tourney at Farwell Monday, Hart High School's girls placed second behind Farwell, qualifying them for the regional tourney at Odessa April 17-19.

Members of the Hart team are Laura Miller, Betsy Berry, Janet Black, Lana Tucker and Lesley Franks.

Extra riders on the farm signal danger

Extra riders on farm equipment continue to account for many farm and ranch accidents each year, points out Dr. Gary S. Nelson, a safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"A large share of extra rider victims of such accidents are children who should not be allowed near farm machinery operations," warns Nelson.

"The wisdom of letting children climb, run and play freely in a machine shop while dad works as a welder nearby would be questioned immediately by all. Yet, many times children are allowed to play freely around dangerous moving farm equipment even though the hazards may be much worse," points out Nelson.

Most motorized farm equipment has no provisions for safely carrying passengers other than the operator. Also, trailing implements and vehicles are not designed to haul people, emphasizes the engineer. Rider falls from farm equipment can be eliminated only by keeping extra riders off the equipment in the first place.

"It boils down to recognizing the fact that children do not belong near operating farm equipment and that extra riders of any age have no place on moving equipment," cautions Nelson. "Operators should also mount 'No Riders' stickers on farm equipment to serve as a daily reminder to enforce this rule."

Easter parade



THE RACE IS ON IN THE UNITED LIONS' EASTER-EGG HUNT SATURDAY . . . Smallest youngsters get help from mothers in city park



BIG BROTHER LENDS A HAND . . . United Lions scattered 120 pounds of candy eggs around park

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1. The area in which equipment will be operated and the target area are coterminous and are described as follows: Floyd County Election Precincts 3, 4, 7, 16 and 18; Hale County Election Precincts 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17; Castro County Election Precincts 6, 7, 10, 11 and 16; Lamb County Election Precincts 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, being that area originating at Highway 86 and the Parmer County Line, then east on Highway 86 to Highway 1055, then south to Highway 1524, then east approximately 13 miles to the northeast corner of precinct number 10, then approximately 3 miles north to the northwest corner of precinct no. 6, then approximately 10 miles east to the Swisher County line, then south to the Hale County line, then east on Hale County line to the northeast corner of Hale County, then east on the Floyd County line approximately 5 1/2 miles to the northeast corner of Floyd County precinct no. 7 (which is the northeast corner, section 33, block B-4, Floyd County), then south 7 miles to the northwest corner of Section 60, Block D-2, Floyd County, then east approximately 2 miles to the intersection of Highway 378 and Highway 2286 (which is the northeast corner, Section 59, Block D-2, Floyd County), then south approximately 5 1/2 miles on Highway 378 to the southeastern corner of Section 935, Block D-2, Floyd County, then west to southwest corner of Section 935, Block D-2, Floyd County, to the southeast corner of Section 501, Block D-2, Floyd County, then west to the northeast corner of Section 73, Block G, Floyd County, then approximately 7 miles south to the northern boundary of precinct no. 4, then approximately two miles east to the northeast corner of precinct no. 4, then south along the eastern boundary of precinct no. 4, five miles to the southeast corner of Section 25, Block G-2, Floyd County, then approximately 2 1/2 miles west, then approximately 1 mile south and then 1 1/2 miles west following the boundary of precinct no. 4 to the eastern boundary of precinct no. 16 (which is the northeast corner of section 5, Block H, Floyd County), then south approximately 8 miles to the Crosby County line on Highway 378, then west to the southeast corner of Hale County, then north approximately 13 miles on the Floyd-Hale County line to the southeast corner of precinct no. 2, Hale County, (which is 1.6 miles north of the intersection of highway 784 and the eastern Hale County line), then west to the northeast corner of Section no. 60, Block R, Hale County, then south to the southeast corner of Section 58, Block R, Hale County, then west to the northwest corner of Section 36, Block R, Hale County, then south to the southeast corner of Section 8, Block R, Hale County, (which is a point on Highway 37), then west to the southwest corner of Section 14, Block R, then north to the northwest corner of Section 18, Block R, then west approximately 5 miles to the northwest corner of Section 18, Block R, then west approximately 5 miles to the northwest corner of Section 36, Block A-4, then south to the southeast corner of Section 51, Block A-4, then west to the northeast corner of Section 94, Block A-3, then south to the southeast corner of Section 93, Block W, then west to the northeast corner of Section 6, Block W, then west to the northeast corner of Section 6, Block W, then south to the southeast corner of Section 5, Block W, then west to the southwest corner of Section 3, Block W, then south to the northeast corner of Section 1, Block DT, then west to the Lamb County line, then south on the Hale-Lamb County line to the southeast corner of Lamb County, then west eight

miles along the Lamb-Hockley County line to the southwest corner of Precinct no. 3, then north on Highway 1072 to the intersection of Highway 2197 with Highway 1072 (which is the southeast corner of Labor 10, League 756, State Capitol Lands), then west 4 miles on Highway 2107 to the southwest corner of Labor 8, League 658, State Capitol Lands, then north to the northwest corner of Labor 3, League 658, State Capitol Lands, then west to the southwest corner of Labor 25, League 651, State Capitol Lands, then north to the northwest corner of Labor 5, League 643, State Capitol Lands, then west to a point 4 miles north of Highway 37 on Highway 385 (which is the southwest corner of Labor 21, League 635, State Capitol Lands), then north approximately 5 miles on Highway 385 on its intersection with the southern boundary of precinct no. 15 (which is the southeast corner of Section 29, Block T-1, Lamb County), then west to the southwest corner of Labor No. 25, League 234, Dallam County School Lands, then north to the northwest corner of labor 5, League 234, Dallam County School Lands, then west to the Lamb-Bailey County line, then north to the northwest corner of Lamb County, then east along the Lamb-Parmer County line to the southwest corner of Castro County, then north along the Parmer-Castro County line to the beginning point;

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West Lawn board elects directors

Mrs. Walter Leal, Frances Goodwin and Tina Rawlings were elected as directors of West Lawn Memorial Park at its annual meeting March 27.

Other members of the board are Don Gregory, Russel Moran, James Slough, O.A. "Shorty" Oldham, Jim Killingsworth and Oleta Raper.

The treasurer's report indicated the corporation is in sound financial condition but will need the support of all property owners to help pay for upkeep this summer. Julian Rodriguez was appointed caretaker.

Plans were made by the board for beautification of the cemetery grounds. Also, arrangements are being made to sell stock in the corporation as well as lots.

VETERAN'S SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH
County Service Officer

A new federal program to give tax breaks to employers is expected to provide additional job opportunity for thousands of Texas Vietnam Era veterans and veterans of all eras who have received rehabilitation training for service-connected disabilities.

The program is sponsored by the Department of Labor and the Internal Revenue Service and is supported by the Veterans Administration through its regional offices.

The program offers employers a "targeted jobs" tax credit for hiring individuals from seven groups the government is seeking to help. The credit can amount to 50 percent of the first \$6,000 in qualified wages paid employees during their first year on the job and 25 percent of the first \$6,000 paid the second year.

Eligibles sought by the VA include economically-disadvantaged Vietnam Era veterans under age 35 at the time of hiring and service-disabled veterans who have completed or are receiving VA rehabilitation training.

Tax credit is based generally on wages paid to qualified employees first hired after Sept. 26, 1978, and earned between Jan. 1, 1979, and Dec. 31, 1980.

Applicants who qualify for the tax credit program are given a voucher that explains to prospective employers the individual's eligibility for certification if hired before a certain date. To receive certification, the employer completes the declaration on the voucher and returns it to the local Department of Labor Jobs Service Office.

Individuals who believe they can qualify for the program are urged to contact local state employment offices. Veterans may also receive assistance from VA regional offices in determining eligibility.

Seminar participants urged to turn in fees

"Although many people have expressed an interest in attending the Castro County Constitutional Seminar, money has yet to be turned in to the Farm Bureau office," Edgar Dennis reported this week.

Dennis is heading up the drive to sign up seminar participants.

The money is needed so materials can be ordered for the April 18-19 seminar. The cost of \$35 per family unit can be paid at Farm Bureau office at 304 N. Broadway.

"Payment is needed immediately, as time is of the essence in securing the minimum of 100 families and knowing how many books to order," Dennis said.

The tentative agenda is:
Friday April 18
12 a.m.-1 p.m.—Registration
1-5 p.m.—Session
5-6:30 p.m.—Break for dinner
6:30-9 p.m.—Session

Saturday April 19
9-11:30 a.m.—Session
11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.—Break for lunch
1 p.m.-7 p.m.—Session

Purpose of the constitutional seminar is to restore confidence in the Founding Fathers' unique formula for constitutional government and free enterprise economics which made America great, Dennis said.

Social Security in Castro County

By JANICE B. ULMER



Increases in the cost of living are foremost in everyone's thoughts. Prices are continually going up as people search for the means to make ends meet. Your local Social Security office is trying to help by expanding services available over the phone.

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Lapins, second in newswriting; and Mary Ann Howell, tie for third in slide rule. In front row, from left, are Shelly Frye, third in feature writing; Toby Burleson, third in informative speaking; Valerie Broadstreet, second in spelling; and Norma Trigo, second in informative speaking.

Sunnyside

Church hosts regional meetings

By TEENY BOWDEN
The Sunnyside Church hosted both the Llanos Altos Associational Brotherhood and WMU this week. 110 attended the Brotherhood supper and program Tuesday night, and 60 were registered for the WMU program Thursday morning. Ashley and Beverly Alexander brought the special music and the program Tuesday night in the form of a concert. Hershel Wilson, president, presided. The WMU program was celebrating the 100th year of the Texas WMU. Carolyn Wiseman of Plainview brought the special music. Sara Hill of Dimmitt was the speaker. Dorothy Hopson of Dimmitt, Centennial chairman, had charge of the prayer calendar of prayer. Betty Williams of

Dimmitt presented corsages she had made to the past presidents or directors present, which included Juanita Blackburn of Earth, Mrs. Don Murphy of Bovina, Mrs. Louise Agee of Muleshoe, and the present director, Mrs. Gladys Kaltwasser of First Baptist, Farwell. Mrs. Mae Magness of Calvary Baptist, Friona, called the meeting to order, and led in prayer, and Rev. Raymond Jones gave the welcome.
Rain, sleet, and hail was received Monday. The rain gauge showed one-half inch of moisture, but the ground showed it to be more like one inch.
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carson and new baby, Casie, arrived from Dodge City, Kan., Thurs-

day to visit over the weekend with Mrs. Lillian Carson and the rest of the family. Resa Carson arrived Friday afternoon, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradley, Sharon, Jack, Justin, and Joel and Gregg George of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean Carson and Deakon, and Mrs. Geneva Brooks and Phyllis Bates of Lubbock had dinner with them Sunday. Resa, Gregg, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carson and Casie attended the Sunday morning services with Lillian and the family.
Rev. Murle Rogers visited with several at Waggoners Store Tuesday morning while Mrs. Rogers attended the WMU meeting. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Waggoner.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan returned home Monday night from a two-week visit in Weatherford with relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Sadler spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Lubbock with Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Gregory and Amy.
Mrs. L.B. Bowden showed slides at South Hills Manor Wednesday afternoon.

Ashley and Beverly Alexander of Perry, Okla., were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson Monday through Wednesday as they gave concerts in the area. Monday they gave a concert for the two nursing homes in Littlefield, and Monday night

gave a concert at Girls Town USA. Hershel and Rev. Raymond Jones accompanied them. Tuesday they gave a performance at South Hills Manor in Dimmitt. Hershel accompanied them.
Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson visited in Monument with friends Wednesday afternoon, and he gave a performance in the Baptist church there Wednesday night. They had meetings of the Heritage Corporation in Monument, Lovington, and Hobbs Thursday and Friday, and he gave a program of music for the residents of the LaSiesta Nursing Home in Hobbs Friday afternoon. They also visited in Jal Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Freeman and children. Saturday they visited with her parents and grandparents and his grandmother in Ropesville and Wolforth on the way home.
Mrs. Roy Phelan was honored with a birthday party in her home Friday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Ray Axtell and Mrs. J.E. Shirey from Earth, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. Lloyd Blanton, and Mrs. Alton Louder.
Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones took their grandchildren, Ray, Darla Kay, and Danna Jo Jones to their home in San Angelo Thursday and returned home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Jones, James, Jason, and Stephanie and Bubba Jones, all of Fort Worth, arrived Saturday and visited through Sunday with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones. They were visitors in the Sunday morning services.
Gregg George of Dimmitt spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradley and kids and his grandmother, Lillian Carson and other relatives.

Police calls DHS has bomb scare

A bomb threat at Dimmitt High School at 11:14 a.m. last Wednesday brought city, county and state officers, plus volunteer firemen, to DHS for what turned out to be a false alarm.
Bernice Bernethy, school secretary, told police that she received a phone call from an unknown female advising her that she had a brother who attended DHS and "was very unhappy" with his school situation.

The woman reportedly told Mrs. Bernethy that she had been cleaning the boy's room and found a plan for a bomb that should go off in 10 minutes.

When officers arrived at the school, it had already been evacuated.

A 20-year-old Dimmitt man was arrested for possession of marijuana Tuesday and placed in Castro County Jail.

Locks were broken off of overhead storage tanks in an attempt to steal gas last Friday at the Mobil Oil Company. Police said it looked as if a tire tool had been used. The rtd that goes through locks had been bent and twisted until broken. The case is still under investigation.

An AM/FM tape and radio combination was taken Saturday from a pickup belonging to Corky Morris. The case is still under investigation.

On the go

Bill Sarpalius of Hereford, Democratic candidate for 31st District State Senator, met Saturday evening with some area farmers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Kaderly to discuss issues in his campaign.

Attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Odom, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smithson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ben Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Bruton.

Sarpalius will be in Dimmitt again to meet with various organizations April 26.

The first talking film ever made in England, *Blackmail*, was produced in 1931. It was directed by Alfred Hitchcock.

SCS using 'mobile lab' to aid irrigation tests

There's a good chance you can improve your irrigation application and pattern efficiencies, save energy, boost your crop yields and realize a cash savings by inviting the Soil Conservation Service to pay a visit.

A field water conservation irrigation team is gearing up for a series of irrigation efficiency demonstration workshops during the spring and summer of 1980 and 1981 to work with producers in the field.

The team can help you learn, by hands-on demonstrations, how to identify and use simple, inexpensive and commercially available equipment to evaluate the efficiency of your irrigation system. Their demonstration approach is a complete evaluation, using water metering and soil moisture monitoring tools to examine the soil moisture profile, analyze the water delivery system and its application rates and uniformity, and may include a test of the pumping plant's efficiency.

SCS has enlisted, trained and equipped irrigation teams to assist farmers with a practical evaluation of their on-farm water management practices.

The teams are equipped with mobile field water conservation laboratories, which are trailers equipped with meters, gauges, probes, instruments, hand tools and other equipment for evaluating the efficiency of various irrigation methods.

Three mobile field laboratories are available to serve the High Plains area from SCS stations in Lubbock, Amarillo and Muleshoe.

The mobile water lab that serves the Running Water District is stationed in Amarillo and has been on display at several meetings and conventions here this spring.

If you'd like your irrigation system tested for efficiency or planning purposes, or if you'd like to have the mobile water lab demonstrated at your farm, contact the Soil Conservation Service office in Dimmitt, 647-4324.

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10-12 noon — Social Security Representative, Court-house Assembly Room.
7 p.m. — Genealogical Society, Rhoads Memorial Library.
7:30 p.m. — Rebekahs, Rebekah Lodge.
7:30 p.m. — Firemen, Fire Station.
8 p.m. — United Lions, El Sombrero Restaurant.
8:30 p.m. — Amvets.
Friday
12 noon — Rotary Club, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
Saturday
10-4 p.m. — Little League Baseball Registration, Rhoads Memorial Library.
Monday
12 noon — Kiwanis, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
6:30 p.m. — TOPS, Rhoads Memorial Library.
7 p.m. — Firemen's Auxiliary, Fire Station.
8:30 p.m. — VFW & Auxiliary, VFW Post.
Tuesday
12 noon — Ladies Golf Association Officers, Country Club.
12 noon — Lions Club, Colonial Inn Restaurant.
7:30 p.m. — Oddfellows, IOOF Lodge.
8 p.m. — Lucky 7 CB Club, City Hall.

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THEY'RE OFF! PRE-SCHOOL YOUNGSTERS AND MOTHERS RACE ONTO CITY PARK'S BASEBALL DIAMOND SATURDAY. United Lions Club's public Easter egg hunt was over in minutes

Obituaries

A. R. McGuire

Funeral services for A. R. "Dock" McGuire, 87, brother of Luke McGuire of Dimmitt, were conducted Tuesday at the 78th University St. Church of Christ in Lubbock, with David Cox of Muleshoe officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park. Mr. McGuire died Sunday at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

County, he moved to Lubbock County in 1927 and was a farmer. Other survivors include two sons, A.R. Jr. of Muleshoe and Hubert of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; three daughters, Artis Roberson and Virginia Freeman of Lubbock and Bonnie Ruth Halylor of Austin; a sister, Iona Hutton of Shallowater; another brother, Lee McGuire of Shallowater; 12 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Jaycees host wives at Banquet Monday

Dimmitt's newly reorganized Jaycees hosted their wives at a get-acquainted dinner Monday evening at their regular meeting place, Ann's Steak House.

He explained that community betterment, leadership training and self-improvement are among the main Jaycee goals, and said, "This is where you can make a mistake and it doesn't cost you anything."

More than 40 attended the dinner. Guest speaker was Don Nelson, who was president of the Jaycees here in 1969-70.

"Jaycees can make a big difference in a community—in its personality, in its direction, in its attitudes, and in its feelings about itself," Nelson said.

President Jim Long introduced the chapter's other officers: Mike Leavitt, internal vice-president; Jamie Baldwin, external vice-president; Ben Reyes, secretary; Stan McDaniel, treasurer; Jerry Walker, state director; Chevo Lumbraera and Charlie Lane, chapter directors; David Baldwin, sergeant-at-arms; and Dale Broadstreet, reporter.

He urged the Jaycees to consider such community needs as the United Way, the improvement of racial relations, completion of a new city park, and establishment of a community entertainment show as possible projects.

The Jaycees, a civic club for young men 18 to 36, meet at 7:30 p.m. each Monday at Ann's Steak House.

"There's a whole world of opportunities and challenges out there for the new Dimmitt Jaycees," Nelson said.

DAI completes initial testimony

Dimmitt Agri Industries, Inc., has completed its initial testimony in Federal District Court in Amarillo in DAI's \$32 million lawsuit against CPC International.

The suit alleges that CPC conspired to lower the market price of corn starch and syrup during the time the local plant was in production, thus forcing the co-op out of the corn milling business.

Following an Easter recess, James R. Harsh, who was president of Dimmitt Management Co. — the firm which operated the plant for DAI — began testimony in his personal damage suit against CPC, which is being heard in the same trial.

The eight other major corn processing companies charged in the original suit have made out-of-court settlements with DAI.

Pupil transfer deadline nears

Students wishing to transfer from the school district in which they reside to another district must apply before May 1.



PLAINS MEMORIAL
Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mireles Jr. of Dimmitt are parents of a boy, Carlos III. Born April 4, he weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces.

OUT OF TOWN
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lopez of Amarillo are the parents of a girl, Krystal Faye, who was born April 4 at Palo Duro Hospital in Canyon. She weighed 6 pounds and 13 ounces. Her grandfather is Manuel Lopez of Dimmitt, and her great-grandmother is Margarita Lopez, also of Dimmitt.

Many scholarships offered to 4-H'ers

By TERESA L. CRISWELL
County Extension Agent

There are numerous 4-H Scholarship opportunities for the youth of Castro County on the County, District, State, and National levels. The Castro County Extension Homemakers Council offers a \$300 scholarship to a senior boy and girl currently enrolled in 4-H in Castro County. Applications include a brief history of your 4-H work, a financial need statement, college major, leadership activities in church, school and sports, etc., reason for applying for the scholarship, a transcript, and a statement of recommendation by your 4-H leader. The application is due in the Extension Office on or before April 9th.

(State Award) plus possible Congress trip. High School seniors submit a National 4-H Report form and a 4-H Story. A national award in Agriculture provided for a 1980 College freshman for \$600 and a national award in animal science for \$1,000 for 1980 College Juniors. Applicants should submit a special National 4-H Scholarship Application form, two photographs, transcript, and a letter from the academic advisor.

The Aubrey W. Russell 4-H Scholarship is donated by the District 2 Extension Homemakers Clubs including Castro County. This is a \$500 scholarship and two \$125 scholarships to assist worthy 4-H club members attending Texas Tech University to major in Home Economics. Eligibility for the scholarship includes completing or enrolling in the third year of 4-H work, and plans to enter college as a freshman within the year, or is enrolled as a freshman. Required materials submitted for judging include a complete 4-H record book by the guidelines for Santa Fe or Achievement records in the current Texas 4-H Opportunities Handbook, and an official high school transcript. Deadline for this scholarship is June 15th.

The National 4-H Council has also arranged a scholarship in Veterinary Science for \$1,000 for a student in Veterinary College. Applications include a special National 4-H Veterinary Scholarship Application form, 2 photographs, transcript, and a letter from the academic advisor.

Four scholarships are arranged for by the Texas 4-H Foundation. These include the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo for \$6,000 (for Agriculture majors only), the C.J. Davison \$2,800, Texas Farm Bureau for \$1,000, and the Raymond Dickson Foundation, \$500. Eligibility includes currently in 4-H, high school graduate in the spring of current year, in upper quarter of class and plan to attend a Texas College or University. Application forms can be picked up at the County Extension Office.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, or national origin.

Along with the application you need a picture, high school transcript and SAT score. The deadline date is April 15th.

The Friends of the Library will sponsor a Silver Tea to feature art, music

The Texas Extension Homemakers Association provides three \$500 scholarships, one \$200 scholarship and one \$100 scholarship. Three years in 4-H, excell in 4-H Home Economics, leadership, and personal development; in college spring and fall after judging, not passed 19th birthday by January 1st of current year and a 4-H record book plus transcript and one page statement on why the 4-H member is applying are required. Applications for this scholarship are judged in January.

The event will begin at 2 p.m. with a concert featuring Dwight Joiner and Helen Braafadt, and selections by Doug Henry, Joan Thrasher and other musicians.

Three scholarships are arranged for by the National 4-H Council. Agricultural Careers \$500

Following the concert, refreshments will be served and guests will have an opportunity to view works by area artists, including Kenneth Wyatt, M. Loys Raymer and Jon Birdsong. A variety of art media will be represented by local artists.

School menus at Nazareth

MONDAY — Chili dogs, pork and beans, cole slaw, vanilla pudding, milk.
TUESDAY — Mexican casserole, tossed salad, green peas, soapillas and honey butter, pear halves, milk.
WEDNESDAY — Sausage patties, corn, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, whipped gelatin, milk.
THURSDAY — Fried chicken, scalloped potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot buttered bread, peach slices, milk.
FRIDAY — Ham and beans, tater tots, carrot sticks, corn bread, butter, syrup, apple cobbler, milk.

More about Voters show independence...

[Continued from Page 1] Reyes Jr. 202, and Rev. James Alexander 142.

Mrs. Clark, Bruegel and Nelson will serve three-year terms on a board that also includes carryover members Charles Wales, Jimmy Cluck and Don Gregory.

CITY OF HART
This was the most cut-and-dried local election Saturday. Only one position was open on the Hart City Commission, Ronnie Truelock was the only candidate, and he received all 133 votes that were cast. There were no write-ins.

It was a far cry from last year's city election, which saw three candidates and a write-in campaign vying for two commissioners' posts. Truelock joins Mayor Frank Barnes and Commissioners Bob Bowden and Bill Sanders on the Hart city governing board.

HART SCHOOL DISTRICT
Challengers Weldon Davis and Jerry Kittrell both won out over incumbent Cecil Ray Jones in a three-man race for two available posts. Davis polled 176 votes while Kittrell garnered 174 and Jones received 97. Davis and Kittrell will join carryover trustees Larry Lee, Elias Martinez, Mike Reed, Harold Bob Bennett and Neoma Wall on the Hart School Board.

CITY OF NAZARETH
Mayor John Slavik was elected to a second term Saturday—and he still hasn't had his name on a ballot.

When no candidates filed two years ago for the mayor's post, Slavik agreed to serve if the voters wanted him. The word went around, and he won by a handy write-in margin.

This year it was the same game—the mayor's post was up for grabs, but Slavik didn't file for re-election, and no one else filed for the job, either.

Nazareth voters returned Slavik to office Saturday with 56 write-in votes (out of 73 ballots cast). The only city commission candidate, incumbent Carroll Gerber, received 68 votes—plus four write-in votes for mayor.

Serving with Slavik and Gerber on the three-man city commission is Jerry Lange.

NAZARETH SCHOOL DISTRICT
Here, too, the incumbent fared badly in a contested race.

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More about Aldermen ... Lions prepare for birthday

[Continued from Page 1] posal presents a deficit of \$200,000 for next year, and I cannot bless such a budget."

Deficits in the trash collection service, potential operation of the swimming pool, and higher costs for labor and materials were cited as contributing to the increased expenditures.

The proposed budget was returned to city department heads to be whittled "till it bleeds, if necessary."

A revised budget will be considered by the board at its next meeting.

In other action, the board: —Extended the deadline for accepting bids on multi-peril insurance for one more month.

—Canvassed and certified the results of Saturday's election.

The Dimmitt Lions Club has two big events coming up this month.

April 22 will mark the local club's 50th anniversary. The Lions will hold a special "Ladies' Day" meeting that day with their wives as guests, and will hear a special program on the club's history.

And April 26 is the date for the Lions' annual "Radio Day," during which they will "take over" the KDHN Radio station for a continuous Saturday-morning broadcast.

Lions are now calling on local businesses, selling commercials to be aired during Radio Day. Robert Ryan is the club's Radio Day chairman.

LCC to host garage sale

The Lubbock Christian College Associates will hold their spring garage sale today (Thursday) through Saturday in the former Wright Grocery Building.

The Associates raise money with various projects to help LCC. Last year the Dimmitt Associates bought couches and chairs for the T.V. room and visitors area in the boys dorm.

Dimmitt Volunteer Firemen responded to a call Thursday afternoon at 406 N.E. 7th St. A bathroom heater caught fire, but no damage was reported.

Monday afternoon the fire sirens went off repeatedly because repairs were being done on the system.

CONTRARY to common belief, snow is not frozen rain.

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APPLY:
at the Jaycee meeting,
7:30 Monday night, at
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