

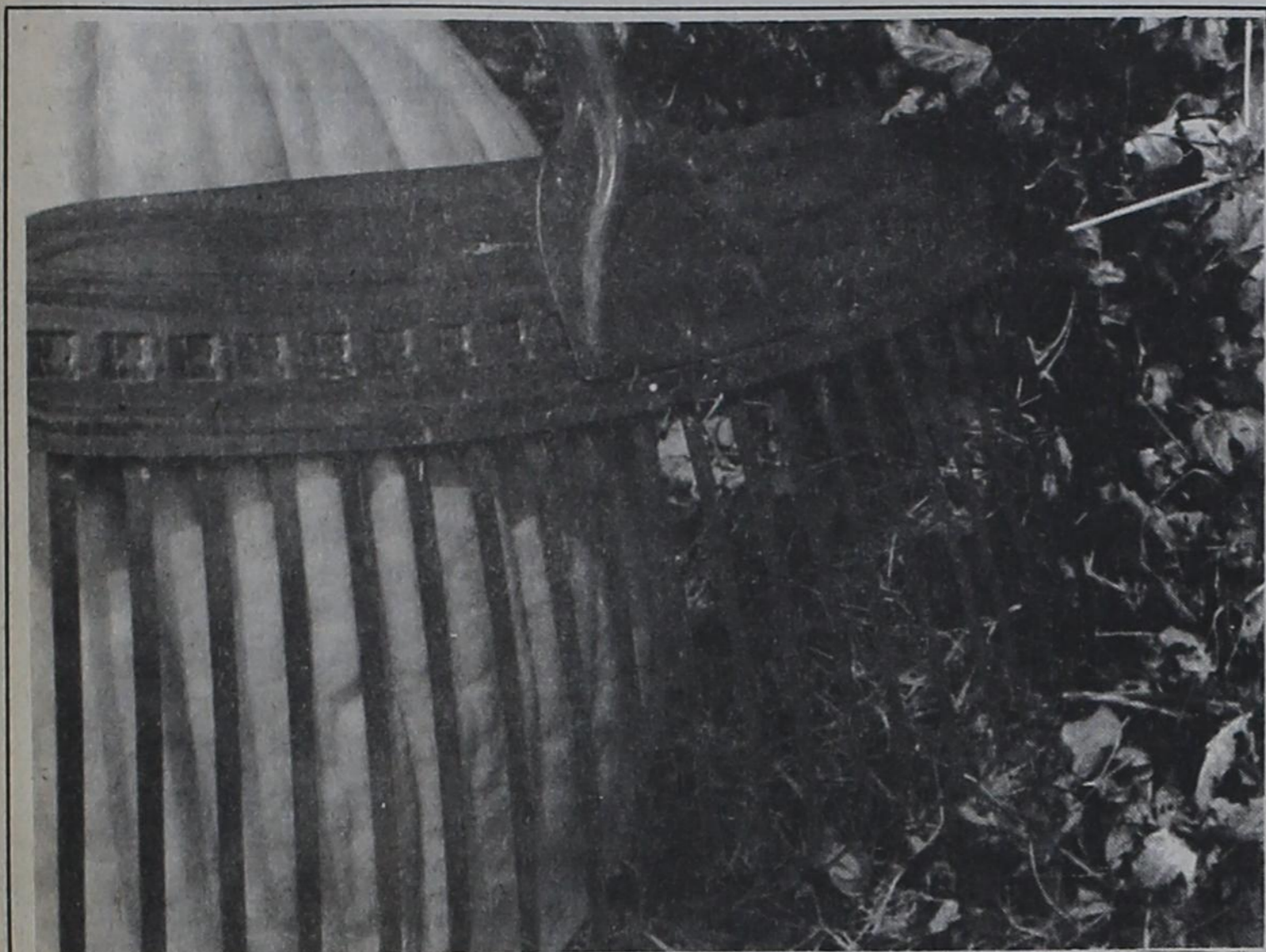
The Castro County News

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IT'S TIME FOR a little yard work as sun finally shines on Castro County after four days of winter-like weather over the region. Dimmitt received 1.64 inch of rain during the four-day storm, most of which fell during a thunderstorm Monday night. The winds knocked leaves to the ground and pumpkins around, forcing homeowners to drag out the rake for a little yardwork. Farmers, meanwhile, need a little more sunny weather to sufficiently dry out fields so harvest of sugar beets, milo and smatterings of corn can begin again.

Winders, McCathern, Clements local winners

Dale Winders and James Dobbs grabbed easy wins in local races, while Castro County voters endorsed Gerald McCathern and Bill Clements in Tuesday's general election.

Voting was heavy all day in the county, with 2,315 voters, or 53% of those registered in the county, going to the polls.

Clements claimed an easy, statewide victory over Gov. Mark White to reoccupy the governor's chair he first won in 1978. In Castro County, Clements won by 101 votes, 1079-978.

White carried only three boxes in the county.

McCathern took a 620-vote victory in the local election in his bid to unseat Rep. Larry Combest. McCathern carried the county 1,314-694, and carried every box in the county.

McCathern was not so lucky outside the county, though, as Combest showed surprising strength in rural areas where the Hereford farmer-activist was expected to do well.

Combest carried Ector County, the Odessa area, by about a 2-to-1 margin, and was carrying a 60-40 lead in Lubbock County.

Incumbent Edd Wilson, running

as a write-in candidate, was blitzed by Winders, 511-262, for Precinct 2 commissioner.

Winders had taken the seat from Wilson by a narrow margin in the May primary. Wilson, feeling many of his supporters had crossed over into the Republican primary to vote for Kent Hance in his ill-fated bid for governor, opted to run as a write-in candidate.

In the primary, Wilson had taken the "town" vote in Box 2, but Winders claimed a 376-236 win Tuesday, and added a 112-10 win in Box 6 at Flagg.

Dobbs was elected to the long-vacant constable's post in Precinct 3 with a 273-57 win over Republican Sam Burke.

In Dimmitt's Box 3, Dobbs won, 176-42, then raced past Burke in Box 7 at Frio, 82-9.

Besides Clements' win, the next-closest challenge by a Republican to the Democrat slate in the county and over the state was Judge Roy Barrera's bid to unseat Attorney General Jim Mattox.

Barrera carried Box 3, 145-101, while Mattox carried the remainder of the boxes by mostly narrow margins. Mattox claimed victory before midnight Wednesday, although the race was too close to call.

Among local unchallenged officeholders, County Treasurer Oleta Raper led the popularity parade with 1,845 votes. County Judge Polly Simpson polled 1,785 votes, while County Clerk Joy Jones captured 1,780 votes and County Surveyor John Alldredge received 1,725 votes.

County voters approved all four amendments.

Here are the unofficial returns from Castro County in highlighted races:

Commissioner, Precinct 2:	
Winders.....	511
Wilson.....	262
Constable, Precinct 3:	
Dobbs.....	273
Burke.....	57
US Representative:	
McCathern.....	1314
Combest.....	694
Governor:	
White.....	978
Clements.....	1079

County returns from state and local races are on Page 15.

TRLA faces deadline

Texas Rural Legal Aid has been given a Dec. 1 deadline to prove it is "in compliance with applicable law" or could risk losing its \$4 million annual grant from its parent, Legal Services Corporation.

Placed on month-to-month funding last April in the wake of several allegations about improprieties in its program, TRLA must satisfy several LSC allegations and questions raised in a report released Friday.

TRLA's Hereford office has been involved in several actions against Castro County, the Castro County Hospital District, and several local individuals and businesses.

LSC says the "most critical of TRLA's violations is TRLA's failure to cooperate with LSC's monitoring process during the monitoring reviews. Specifically, TRLA substantially denied LSC access to certain materials unusually premised upon the attorney-client privilege or other confidentiality doctrines."

"We have given them 8,000 documents, but there are few which are disputed," said TRLA Executive Director David Hall. "We claim they are protected by attorney-client relationship and can't be released without client approval, which has not been forthcoming. We've given every document which the law and our ethics says we can."

"If they could have made a case for denial of funding they would have done it by now. They put 17 people on this investigation and they don't have anything."

"The LSC has found that TRLA violated federal law," said Rep. Larry Combest. "Not another federal

dollar should be spent on this organization. The clear violations of federal law are reprehensible, particularly when those illegal activities have been financed by taxpayers' dollars. TRLA has been violating federal law with federal dollars. The LSC has a responsibility to see that this abuse is stopped once and for all.

"I certainly believe that every American citizen should have access to our judicial system. I do not believe, however, that any one who misuses federal funds and breaks federal law should be above the law."

The most major of seven violations of the LSC Act listed in the 146-page report said TRLA failed to:

"*prohibit its employees from engaging in or encouraging others to engage in any public demonstration or picketing, boycott or strike;

"*permit only TRLA employees to respond to a request from a governmental agency or a legislative body, committee or member; and

"*insure that none of its funds were used to initiate the formation or act as an organizer of any association, federation, or similar entity."

Other apparent violations cited by LSC were failure by TRLA to conduct and convene at least four meetings per year; compensation of board members;

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Meshach

Kenyan cultivating 'foreign missions'

Kenyan evangelist Meshach Ominde is in the United States doing "foreign mission" work to help establish portable video Bible teaching centers throughout his home country.

Ominde, a non-denominational evangelist, is spending November in the Oklahoma and Texas panhandles, hoping to raise enough money to purchase televisions, video cassette recorders and cassettes, and public address systems for Bible studies throughout the Kenyan countryside.

Ominde spoke at the Sunday morning service at the local Presbyterian church and attended the Monday Bible study at the Castro County Senior Citizens Center.

"Most of the people who will be participating in the studies will be ministers," Ominde said. "It is impossible for them to leave their families or leave their ministries to come to one place far away from home. With the videocassettes, they will be able to take their training right where they are."

The minister said most African ministers do not have a chance to attend Bible school, "not because we don't have them, but because most ministers can't sponsor themselves. They need a sponsor. That is why we are working on this video Bible school. We can set it anywhere among the tribes, and train

the nationals to reach their own people with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

"We want to purchase everything we can buy here in the USA, because a television set in Kenya costs from \$1,500 to \$2,000, and a video player costs \$1,500. We also want to purchase an evangelistic van that can help us reach the tribes in the remote areas.

"We are trying to reach people who can afford to buy something and let me have it, or donate anything big or small, that can help me get started. If they would like to make a donation they can do so in care of Edward Freeman (Presbyterian minister)."

According to Freeman, Kenya is 72% Christian — "more than the United States"—and Ominde said the African people "have a great zeal for God."

"Africa was known as 'the dark continent' simply because people knew nothing about it. During the recent past, American evangelists visited parts of Africa and caused a great revival all over the continent."

Ominde said that because of the revival, he obtained his name.

"My mother was saved when she was 12, in 1951, and was taught about the three Hebrew children, Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, that should have been consumed by fire. She said when she was mar-

ried, she would name her first child Meshach. My father became a minister in 1953.

"We are especially westernized in Kenya, and have the Church of England, Lutheran, Episcopalian, Catholic, Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches. We also have a large charismatic movement that started when Oral Roberts came to Kenya many years ago.

"The sick were healed, the crippled walked and the dumb could speak, and it made the African people have a great zeal for God.

"There is now a large re-awakening underway in Kenya, and it is going strong in the US. I saw a program on the Christian Broadcast Network that showed even Catholics are becoming charismatic, believing in the gifts of the Holy Spirit. I believe we are on the verge of a universal revival, where people will believe in the same beliefs, and prepare the Church, the bride, for the groom, Jesus Christ, to take her home.

"With a small adjustment the American people will be fine. The whole world is looking for America to give the answer, and the answer American people have is to give the people God. If the standard of righteousness or holiness in America would come up, this country can be a very strong force or power in God's hand."

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By Don Nelson

Okay, one more time. You know the words, so shout along:
We don't need any more of this kind of weather right now!

Thursday night, Nov. 20, is going to be a memorable night in Dimmitt. Mark your calendar.

That's the night the downtown area will "light up" for the Christmas season, with a lot of beautiful new things to see.

The fire siren will sound at 7 p.m. to officially open the Holiday Open House downtown. Along the streets, brand-new pole decorations will be turned on and luminarias on the sidewalks will be lighted. Many of the flower barrels along the streets will have colorful new cutout Christmas trees in them. On the courthouse square, lights on the trees will be turned on, and floodlights will illuminate new Christmas cutout scenes.

Downtown stores will re-open from 7 to 9 p.m., many with new window decorations and holiday displays.

The evening will end with a caroling ceremony on the courthouse square at 9 o'clock.

The Downtown Open House is a really great way to kick off the holiday season, and the Chamber of Commerce and a lot of fine people are working to make it better every year.

If you need to write an excuse for your kid missing school, don't try one of these—they've already been

used. The spelling is exactly as it appeared on the original notes. Thanks to Donna Stump for the list:

"Dear School: Please excuse John for been absent January 28, 29, 30, 32 and 33."

"Chris has an acre on his side."

"Mary could not come to school because she was bothered by very close veins."

"John has been absent because he had two teeth taken out of his face."

"I kept Billie home because she had to go Christmas shopping because I didn't know what size she wear."

"Please excuse Gloria. She has been sick and under the doctor."

"My son is under the doctor's care and should not take P.E. Please excuse him."

"Lillie was absent from school yesterday an she had a going over."

"Please excuse Joey Friday. He had loose vowels."

"Please excuse Joyce from P.E. for a few days. Yesterday she fall out of a tree and misplaced her hip."

"Carlos was absent yesterday because he was playing football, he

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Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday.....	66	45	
Friday.....	71	46	Tr.
Saturday.....	69	47	
Sunday.....	53	31	.02
Monday.....	44	37	.42
Tuesday.....	46	40	1.12
Wednesday.....	40	31	.08
October Moisture.....			2.60
November Moisture.....			1.64
1986 Moisture.....			29.04

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Holiday Calendar

FRIDAY: Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's annual Holiday Bazaar, featuring homemade arts and craft items in the County Expo Building.

Nov. 20: Holiday Open House in downtown Dimmitt, 7-9 p.m. Lighting of luminarias, pole decorations, courthouse trees and Christmas scenes on courthouse square at 7 p.m.; stores open 7-9 p.m.; caroling service in front of courthouse at 9.

Nov. 23: Nazareth Annual Holiday Arts and Craft Bazaar and Thanksgiving Dinner. Bazaar sponsored by the Nazareth Art Club in the Nazareth school cafeteria. Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings in the Nazareth Community Hall sponsored by the Christian Mothers Society.

Dec. 6: Dimmitt Young Home-makers annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Expo Building.



KENYAN EVANGELIST Meshach Ominde, right, talks over his video ministry plans with Presbyterian minister Ed Freeman. Ominde will

be in the area for a month collecting items for his mobile, video bible school that will be used throughout Kenya.

On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Meshach Ominde, an evangelist from Nairobi, Kenya, has been a guest in the home of Ed and Betty Freeman. He spoke at the Adult Sunday School Class and at the morning service at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

The Freemans and Ominde were dinner guests in the home of Dwight and Beth Joiner Sunday evening.

The second Community Concert presented the Tennessee River Boys. This is a group of talented young men who kept everyone trying to keep time with the fast music. Danny Gregg sang and played rhythm guitar, Matt Davenport sang and played bass, Marty Roe sang and played guitar and mandolin, Jim Olander played guitar and banjo, Brian Prout played drums and Dan Truman stole the show by playing the keyboards!

Elaine Steinle brought her five fourth grade classes to tour the museum on Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. Since they had been discussing Bluebonnets in their class, I was glad we still had two Bluebonnet plants in bloom at the museum. This is unusual for them to still be in bloom at this time of year. Mothers and two fathers who came with the five classes were: Joyce Rickerd, Lois Waggoner, Gaye Keaton, Sharon Cline,

Jan Yeary, Kari Frazier, Frank Valdez, Christine Mireles, Linda Person, Sandra Baker, Vicki Buckley, Karen Sheffy, Felis Nino and Richard Young.

Museum board members who helped show the museum to the students were: Lon Woodburn, Ralph Lambright, H.C. Nelson, Jim Elder and Harley Dyer.

Kelvin and Amy Parsons and children, Ty and Joel were guests in John and Sue Merritt's home over the weekend. They enjoyed lunch with Lint and Connie Merritt on Saturday.

Avie Lewis presented her nine first grade classes in a clever Halloween program "Halloween on the Farm" on Monday night. The stage was decorated with bales of hay, cardboard horses and other barnyard animals. Each class had a different program with cute costumes. The teachers who led their class into the auditorium were: Donna Smith, Susan Anthony, Pat Keith, Ruby Teaschner, Gladys Fortenberry, Robyn Wise, Dorothy Sheffy, LaVene Bates and Jan Bryan. Avie is the elementary school music teacher.

Ray and Jettie Sheffy's guests last week were Flo Shuffin from Canyon and Oneta Blair from Rotan. They came to see the results of Jettie's quilting lessons. They also visited their Dad who is seriously ill in Amarillo.

Ysleta Ball and her aunt Ura Ginn, also named Ysleta, from Amarillo recently went to Pecos to visit Yvonne Davis, Ysleta's sister. They enjoyed the visit by shopping, eating and, of course, talking a lot!

Garner and Ysleta Ball went on a barnstorming tour with the Gerald McCathern group on Monday. They had a very interesting day. They met people they didn't know and even got on TV. Such Celebrities!

Mrs. Aldyth Harrison and her husband from Hugoton, Kan. came to the museum on Tuesday afternoon seeking some information about the Rushings who lived in Castro County several years ago. If you know anything about this family, let me know and I will pass the information on to Mrs. Harrison.

Other visitors at the museum last week were Mrs. Garland Lewis and Mae L. Pate, both from Sweetwater. Mrs. Lewis is Ina Cleavinger's mother and Mrs. Pate is her aunt.

The Museum held their monthly board meeting on Thursday evening with Lon Woodburn presiding and Clara Vick reading the minutes. Others attending were: Helen Richardson, Madge Robb, Mary Edna Hendrix, George Bagwell, Ralph Lambright, and Jim Elder. Plans

were made to decorate the museum for "Open House" in December.

Emily Clingsmith was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a fun day of bridge. Emily won high score and Era Heckerson won second high. Others playing were Alice Collyer, Susie Reeves, Oleda Schumacher, Jo Gregory, Ferne Dickey, Johnnie Vanoy, Elizabeth Huckabay, Virginia Crider, Jean Christian and Bernice Hill.

Robert and Jeanne White and children, Ryan, Eric, Alan and Autumn of Amarillo spent the weekend with Homer and Tommie Sue Nisbett. The Whites came over for the Dimmitt-Friona football game since they had lived in both places at one time. They were all at the game to watch Kevin Petty play. Kevin is Tommie Sue's grandson and he is doing a great job with the team.

Elzie and Sarena Teague entertained their cousins, Bud and Lola Hodges, from Clovis one day last week. They ate lunch with the Senior Citizens instead of cooking so they could spend more time visiting. Bud is a retired professor from Texas Tech and now is head of the Genealogical Society. The Teagues enjoyed the day discussing the Stephens family history.

Cliff and Avie Lewis have reported that their son, Kerry, is doing fine at Texas A&M. His ROTC Cadet Corps squadron attended the A&M-SMU football game in Dallas and will be attending the University of Texas game in Austin on Thanksgiving. Kerry visits with other Dimmitt students at A&M including Jill Smith and Stephanie Ryan.

Clara Gladden's relatives have been staying with her since her eye surgery. They are Dollie May and Mr. and Mrs. George Newell, all from Shawnee, Okla. They visit with other relatives here, including Mauzee Youts and Bob and Phyllis Mooney.

Richard Young took his adult choir to Springlake Saturday night to meet the Littlefield choir to practice the Christmas cantata the combined choirs will be presenting for Christmas. They met at Boonesburger, USA, for supper, then went to the Springlake Baptist church for practice. About 35 from the two churches had a good practice on a cold, misty night. Richard's brother, George, is the director of the Littlefield choir (and they tell me there is one more "Young" brother!)

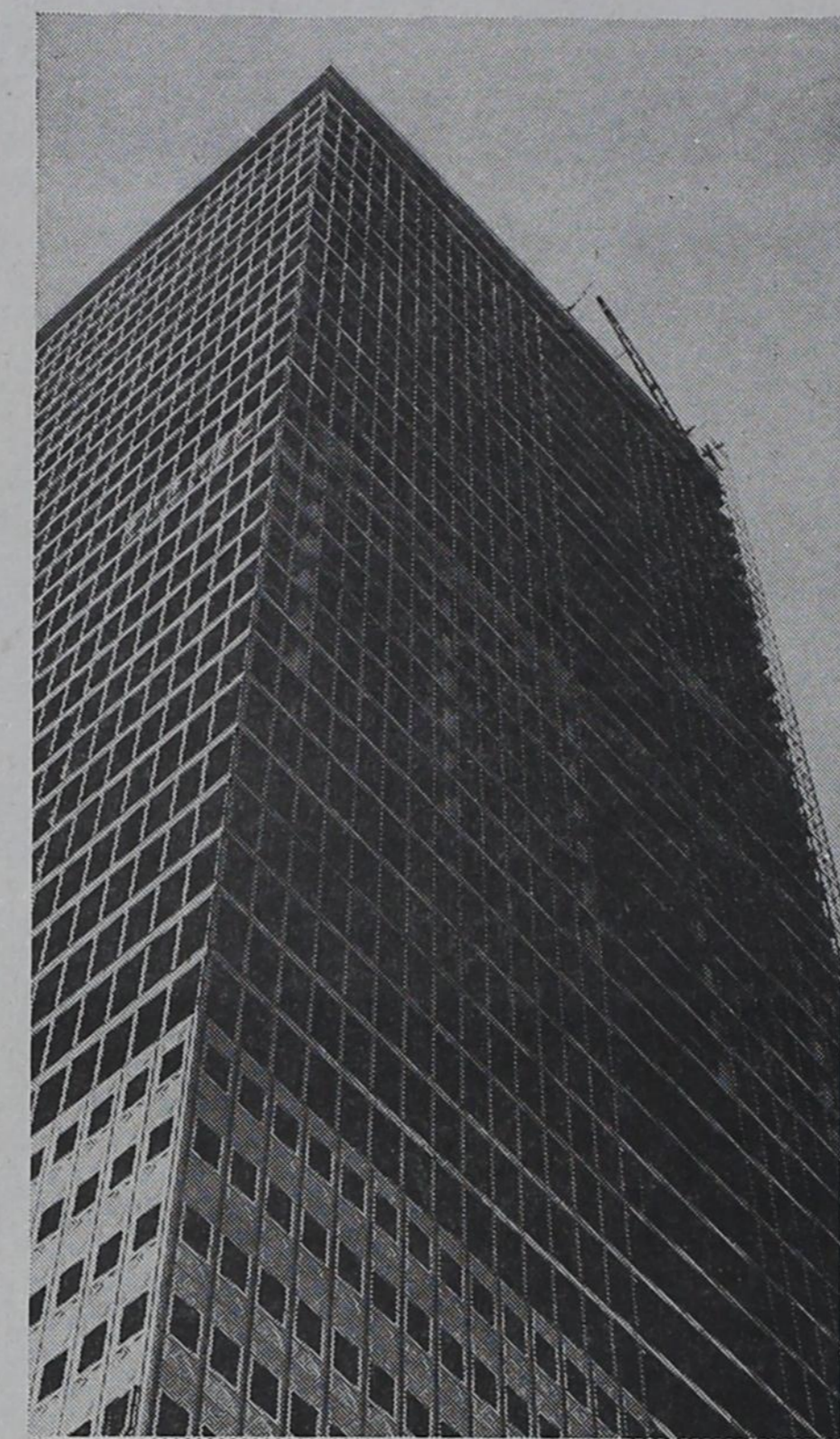
Jan Sisson from Littlefield is the soloist with the group and John Brooks of Dimmitt is the narrator. Jan is Tommie Sue Nisbett's niece and she told me she had taught Tommie Sue all she knows about

music!

The Friday Bridge Club met at their usual time at the Senior Citizens Center with Retta Cluck as

hostess. They enjoyed lunch and a day of bridge with Opha Burks winning high score and Dorothy Elder winning second high. Others

playing were Neva Hickey, Oleda Schumacher, Ruth Coleman, Anita Morris, and Betty Renfro from Amarillo.



PROGRESS

Progress is on the march. There is a great boom in building. Cures are being found for maladies that have killed mankind for centuries. Industry is doing magnificent things. But what sort of progress is being made in human relations—this term that includes respect for the person and property of others and good will among men.

There is one agency striving for progress in this field. This agency is the church. At the birth of Jesus Christ, the following prophesy and promise was given to mankind by a host of angels: "Glory to God in the Highest Heaven! Peace upon earth among men of goodwill!" Luke 2:14, (Phillips translation). Only when the majority of men on earth are men of goodwill, will we have peace.

Attend church this week and align yourself with the forces of God.

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



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Presbyterian happenings

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible Class meets at the home of Emily Clingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"Trusting in God" is the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m. There will also be a Gideon speaker.

Jerry McMennamy will speak at the Vespers Service at 5 p.m. The nursery will be open.

"You Can Transform Personal Relationships," Colossians 3:18-4:1, is the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Happy Anniversary

NOVEMBER 6—Jimmie F. and Joyce Davis.

NOVEMBER 7—Ernest and Marie Sammann, Stanley and Rhonda Dyer, Carol and John Gary.

NOVEMBER 8 — Clay and Mildred Anderson.

NOVEMBER 10—Raymond and Dora Bermea, Clifford and Kim Braddock, Dale and Mona Brockman, Mr. and Mrs. Eusebio Robledo, Jr.

NOVEMBER 11—Frank and Lisa Aleman, J.C. and Jocelyn Pohlmeier.



We Salute

Our Veterans

Our nation will observe Veterans Day Tuesday to commemorate the courage and patriotism of all the men and women who have served in our armed forces.

To update you on the history of this national holiday, President Woodrow Wilson proclaimed Nov. 11 as Armistice Day in 1919 to remind Americans of the tragedies of war and to honor those who had given their lives in World War I. Nov. 11 was chosen because that was the date the armistice was signed in 1918, bringing an official end to "the war to end all wars."

In 1938, Congress adopted a law making Armistice Day a federal holiday. And in 1954, Congress changed the name of Armistice Day to Veterans Day to honor all American veterans of all wars.

Other countries, such as Great Britain and France, still observe Armistice Day on Nov. 11. In Canada, it's called Remembrance Day. Whatever we call it, it is one of our great and necessary national holidays, because it honors those who have fought to gain, protect and preserve the freedoms that we cherish and enjoy.

Many of our veterans went through unspeakable anguish as they fought on battlefields around the globe to protect us. Many made the supreme sacrifice. Many others are still paying the price because of wounds they received which now keep them disabled or hospitalized.

There is no way to adequately honor our veterans for the price many of them paid in our behalf.

We have tried, and continue to try, in many ways to thank our veterans for what they have done for us. The President will lay a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery Tuesday morning. There will be impressive and solemn ceremonies at Arlington and at other cemeteries all across the nation during the day.

In keeping with the spirit and scope of Veterans Day, our activities Tuesday should honor all our veterans, living and dead, of all our armed forces. Whether they served in wartime or peacetime, whether they saw battle or not, they served when called.

Veterans Day is for all of us. It's an annual reminder for us. You don't need a ceremony to observe the special day. You could do something for a disabled veteran who is still suffering. You could wish a happy day to any veteran you know. You could say a prayer of gratitude for those of our nation who earned the title of "veteran," and for what their sacrifice or service means to you in your daily life.

We need Veterans Day now, to remind ourselves of why we needed our veterans then.



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Church Directory

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. Norman McCutchen, Pastor
302 SE 2nd

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Evangelistic Service 7:00
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Service 7:00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ken Cole, Pastor
1201 Western Circle Drive

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

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
501 SE 3rd - 647-2402
Rev. Kenneth Carroll, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday—
Wednesday Service 7:00

LEE STREET BAPTIST
Phone 647-2300

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 6:00
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services 7:30

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY
Pastor Vernon Nevill
309 NW 4th - 647-3403

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday—
Wednesday Service 7:00

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
600 Western Drive - 647-5478
David Keller, Minister

Sunday—
Bible Study 9:45
Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday—
Bible Study 7:00

LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA
"Full Gospel" - 400 NE 5th
Pastor Ruben Velasquez

Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Sunday Night 7:00
Wednesday—
Wednesday Night 7:30
Friday—
Friday-Prayer 7:30

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC
Nazareth - 945-2616

Sunday—
Sunday Morning Masses 9:00
Saturday—
Saturday Night
Obligation Mass 7:30
Week Days—
Morning Masses 7:30
Baptism—last Sunday of each month.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Hart

Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator
Tuesday—
Evening Reconciliation 7:00
Evening Mass 8:00
Sunday—
Sunday Morning Mass 11:00

CHURCH OF CHRIST
SW 4th at Bedford

Sunday—
Bible Study 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday—
Bible Class for all 7:30

NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James Alexander, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 7:30
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services 7:30

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST
Bently Gwyn, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 6:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Wednesday—
Prayer Service 7:30

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Hart

Steve Ulrey, Pastor
Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
UMF 5:00
Evening Worship 6:30

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
Vernon O'Kelly, Pastor
110 SW 3rd - 647-4106 or 647-4107

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 10:45
MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30
Evening Worship 6:30
Wednesday—
General Meeting
WCSL, Morning 9:30
Choir, Night 7:30

IGLESIA DE CRISTO
E. Lee and SE 3rd
Evangelista - Jose Valdez

Sunday—
Bible Study 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday—
Bible Classes for all 7:30

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAPTISTA MEXICANA
301 NE 7th

Dimmitt, Texas
ORDEN DE LOS SERVICIOS:
Escuela Biblica Dominical 9:45
Culto de Adoracion 10:45
Culto de predicacion 6:00
Tel. 647-7289
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MACEDONIA BAPTIST
412 North East Street

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 6:00
Evening Worship 7:00
Monday—
W.M.U. 4:30
Tuesday—
Brotherhood 7:55
Wednesday—
Prayer Meeting 7:30
Friday—
Sanctuary Choir.....

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator
1001 W. Halsell — 647-4219

Saturday—
Evening Mass 6:00
Sunday—
Morning Mass 8:00
Morning Mass 9:30
Weekday Mass—
Friday 8:00
Reconciliations—
Friday 7:00

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Western Circle Drive
Edward D. Freeman, Pastor

Sunday—
Church School 10:00
Common Worship 11:00
Wednesday—
Bible Study 7:00

LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO
East Halsell St.

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00
Sermon 11:00
Lord's Supper and Feet Washing 11:30
Evening Worship 7:30
Wednesday—
Wednesday Services 7:30

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Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

Ray Joe Riley was in Denver last week as a delegate to the American Sheep Producers Association. Jack Bradley broke a finger on his right hand while playing football last Friday. He was able to go back to school Monday. Kari Frazier was dismissed Monday from Plains Memorial Hospital

in Dimmitt. Phillip Jones of Olton, a resident of the Sunnyside community most of his life, was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital last Friday. He was still having difficulties Monday. Flossie is staying with him and Charlie Hall, Debbie Jones, and Renee and Lonnie Wilson are taking care of his mother, Loraine Jones, in Olton.

Hershel and Retha Wilson participated in the Arts and Crafts show in Hart Saturday. Their crafts did well at the show. Gale and Verna Sadler went with Olan and Leslie Moore of Dimmitt to the Tech-Texas game Saturday in Lubbock.

Nazareth

By Uirgle Gerber, 945-2669

Dora Albracht is home after spending three weeks in Houston with her sons, Art Albracht and Elmer Albracht and his family. She also visited her granddaughter, Barbara, and her husband Russ Reed and family. She enjoyed three Astro-Mets ballgames while there. On the way home she stopped in Dallas and visited with Joe and Elaine Sullivan and family.

Congratulations to Raymond and Kimmie Huseman of Amarillo on the birth of a girl, Katie Elaine, Oct. 27 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Grandparents are Willie Faye Huseman and Francis and Betty Wilhelm of Nazareth.

.35 of an inch of rain was recorded for Saturday through Sunday from the light rain and drizzle. The Rileys had .50 of an inch. The dirt roads are about impassable except for four-wheel drive vehicles.

Erin Bridges and Christi Gwyn were inducted into the National Honor Society at Springlake-Earth on Oct. 20. Brannon Byers presented them and the other new members to the society.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn started a study of the Foreign Mission book, *A Measure of Success* Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The study covers the lives of Wally and Betty Poor of Uruguay and will continue Nov. 9 and 16 at 5 p.m.

Dr. Myles and Linda Sadler, Gregory and Amy of Lubbock were visitors in the Sunday morning services and had dinner and spent the afternoon with Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler. Gale and Verna Sadler had dinner with them also. Hershel and Retha Wilson attended a church "Western" fellowship at Lee Street Baptist Church Saturday night. They and Rev. John Mitchell were Sunday dinner guests of the Alan Steinles' in Dimmitt. Rev. Mitchell was the guest speaker at Lee Street Sunday.

Colin Best of England, an agriculture exchange student living at Lazbuddie, was a guest of Sharon and Laura Sadler Friday night.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn attended an Associational Christian Motivation Seminar at the First Baptist Church in Littlefield Thursday.

Jodie Riley was home from Tech Oct. 25 to celebrate his birthday with his family.

Jack and Dorothy Hill of Amarillo visited Monday with her aunt, Lillie Ivey, and Sharon Sadler, who has been staying some with her. In the afternoon Larry and Judy Coghurn of Irving visited with them. Larry used to work for Mr. Ivey several years ago.

Terri Loudder attended choir practice at the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt last Wednesday.

Erin Bridges was the seventh grade "Student of the Week" at Springlake-Earth the week of Oct. 20 through 24. She was also the only seventh grader on the "A" honor roll. Christi Gwyn was on the "B" honor roll. Brooke Byers was on the sixth grade "B" roll.

Rev. Bentley, Kathy, and Holly Gwyn attend the Springlake-Earth Junior High game at Hart last Thursday where Christi performed with the cheerleaders. They also attended the varsity game Friday where Christi marched in the band.

The Sunnyside church will have a Thanksgiving meal following the services Nov. 23. It will also be high attendance day for Sunday School. Everyone is invited to bring a covered dish and enjoy fellowship together.

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Social Security in Castro County

By TERRY J. CLEMENTS

People who work in employment covered by Social Security should check their work record every three years to make sure the records are correct.

This is especially important if the person changes jobs often or has more than one job. A free form is available at any Social Security office which a person can use to request a statement of his earnings as recorded in Social Security records.

A person's earnings record is very important. Eligibility for and the amount of any benefits due will be based on the information contained in that record.

Once a person receives a statement of earnings, he or she should check it carefully to make sure the proper amount of earnings has been

reported to Social Security. If the person's own records do not agree with the amounts shown on the statement, he or she should contact a Social Security office right away.

This is important because most corrections to an earnings record must be reported to the Social Security Administration within three years, three months, and fifteen days after the end of the year the earnings were paid. The person should provide his or her own records of the earnings that are available so that an investigation can be made.

More information about social security earnings can be obtained at the Social Security office at 1401-B West 5th Street, or you may call us at 293-9623.

Cleaning can help chimneys

Preventative measures can help reduce dangerous creosote and tar buildup in your fireplace chimney and flue, according to an Extension Service housing specialist.

"Both flue and chimney units should be cleaned before the first fireplace fire of the season," says Dr. Susan Quiring. "It also may require cleaning again during the winter, especially if you burn wood that has not been air-dried or seasoned."

The specialist says a quarter-inch accumulation of creosote indicates the flue needs cleaning.

She suggests checking the fireplace by hanging a flashlight from the top of the flue to a third of the way down the flue. Then, look up the lighted flue from the fireplace with a mirror to get an estimate of the buildup.

Wood stove distributors and some home improvement stores sell

wire and plastic cleaning brushes that fit square, rectangular or round chimneys, for do-it-yourself cleaning. Or, you can hire a professional chimney sweep to perform the service.

Then, Quiring says, every time you start a fire, allow a small quantity of dry wood to burn hot for at least 20 minutes before adding more fuel. This small, hot fire will burn off some of the creosote, reducing buildup.

The chimney should also be checked regularly for heat damage and deterioration. Repair any cracks in the mortar and places where the mortar has broken loose and fallen out.

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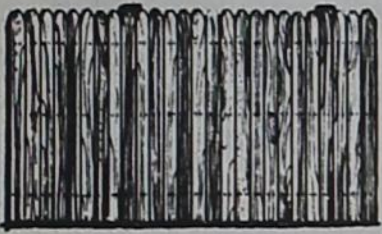
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15—LEGAL NOTICES

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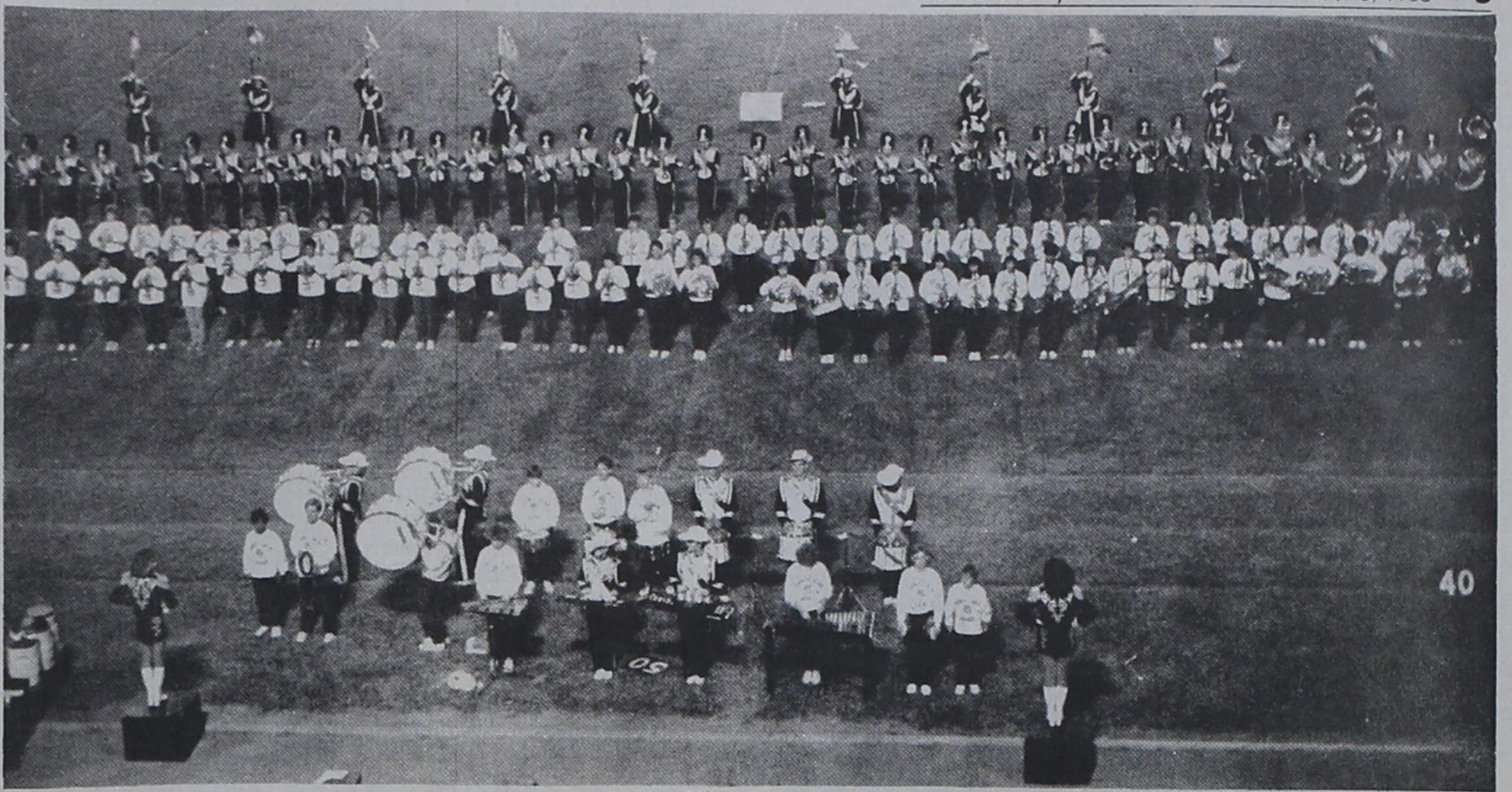
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Ira E. Brown, deceased, were issued on the 17th day of October, 1986, in Docket No. 1835 pending in the County Court of Castro County, Texas, to: Grace Brown.

The residence of the Independent Executrix is 1831 San Felipe, Santa Fe, N.M. 87501, the post office address is: c/o James W. Witherspoon, Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 1818, Hereford, Tx. 79045.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED this the 31st day of October, 1986.

GRACE BROWN
by James W. Witherspoon,
Attorney for the Estate
15-7-1tc



THE COMBINED Dimmitt High School and Dimmitt Junior High bands combined for a rousing halftime performance in the final home game Friday at Bobcat Stadium. Featuring the DHS Band flag corps

and DJH and DHS twirlers, the bands performed Survivor's *Burning Heart* and Bruce Springsteen's *Rock in the USA*, which featured a special routine by the junior high twirlers and the flag corps.

Letter

Parmer chairman's charges are inaccurate

Dear Editor:

I am writing this letter two days before the election in response to the letter written by Garvin Thorne, Republican county chairman from Parmer County. Regardless of the outcome of the congressional race and whether Garvin or other voters prefer Larry, he deserves the opportunity to clear the inaccurate charges made by Thorne.

Because of an error made by the Lubbock County Tax Appraisal District, Larry Combest was shown to be in arrears in paying his taxes.

FFA team wins district

The junior chapter conducting team of the Nazareth FFA captured first place at the district leadership contest at Texas Tech University in Lubbock Saturday.

The team will advance to the area contest at Clarendon in three weeks.

Members include Dana Schulte, Marla Ramaekers, Bobby Kern, Harold Verkamp, Brent Durbin, Marty Gerber, Brian Schmucker and Howie Annen.

The senior chapter conducting team finished fourth in the district contest.

Members of the senior team are Shawn Wilhelm, Kenny Kern, Alan Birkenfeld, Todd Hill, Craig Huseman, Chris Schmucker, Heath Schulte, Randy Hochstein, Troy Johnson, Brian Klein and Brad Kleman.

Interact Club to sponsor garage sale

The Dimmitt High School Interact Club will sponsor a "Giant Garage Sale" Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The garage sale will be held in the old Western Auto Building in Dimmitt.

When he showed his cancelled checks, the appraisal district acknowledged the mistake was theirs and offered to print a public apology. Larry thought that would not be necessary.

The unfortunate part of this matter is that the Lubbock Combest Campaign members are aware that some of the American Agriculture Movement members verified this matter before the printing of Garvin's letter, and still it was sent to area newspapers. To know the truth and to distort the facts tarnishes a person claiming to respect "traditional family values."

Congressman Combest has been divorced two times and is now married for the third time. Mr. Thorne's letter stated married four times — another piece of misinformation also probably known by the writer. I, too, have been divorced and remarried and am vitally interested in traditional family values, perhaps even more so because I know firsthand of the importance of having a strong family life.

Recently I mentioned to Mr. Thorne that I would resign my position as Republican county chairman if I felt as strongly about Congressman Combest's opponent as he does, and if I wanted to work for the Democrat counterpart. Mr. Thorne said to me, "I probably should." I suggest that Mr. Thorne has not only betrayed his county's Republican supporters, but that he has allowed himself to be guilty of the very things he accuses Mr. Combest of being.

It is a shame that some voters may have been influenced by this letter, but perhaps it will serve as a warning to voters to detect suspicious motivation in the future should a similar situation occur.

MRS. DEANNE CLARK
Chairman, Castro County
Republican Party

P.S.—John Brooks, in the short time you have been writing for the *Castro County News*, you have managed to alienate several different groups. At this rate and in this size town, you will be able to get EVERYONE.

Litterbags are available again

The state's tough-talking antilitter program has made litterbags and bumper strips touting "Don't Mess with Texas" so popular that the highway department has trouble keeping them in stock.

Texans who missed getting a litterbag or bumper strip will now find them available free at all State of Highways and Public Transportation offices and Texas Tourist Bureaus.

"We distributed one million litterbags and 500,000 bumper strips in a two-month period when they were first introduced last spring. Initially, we expected that quantity to last us six to eight months, but we just couldn't keep them in stock," said Don Clark, director of travel and information with the highway department.

"We are encouraged by their popularity. Research indicates that states with active litterbag distribution, combined with a strong public awareness program, are making ma-

ior progress in reducing litter," Clark said.

Last month, the highway department released figures showing that litter had declined 29 percent since the "Don't Mess with Texas" program was implemented.

The "Don't Mess with Texas" slogan has proved so popular that several entrepreneurs are now selling T-shirts and caps bearing the logo.

"We've even heard that some people are selling our free litterbags and bumper strips," Clark said. "But why buy what you can get free?"

Texas Tourist Bureaus are located in Amarillo, Anthony, Austin, Denison, Gainesville, Langtry, Laredo, Orange, Texarkana, Harlingen, Waskom, and Wichita Falls. Offices of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation are located throughout Texas, with at least one in most Texas counties.

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People



Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Fleming

Flemings celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Fleming of Lubbock, former Dimmitt residents, were honored on the event of their 50th wedding anniversary Oct. 25. The Flemings were wed on Oct. 25, 1926, in Clovis, N.M. Mrs. Fleming is the former Marie Beall. The couple were honored by their children, Don and LaVon Reeve of Lamesa and Ray Dean and Jan Fleming of Friona and celebrated

with a family dinner at their home in Lubbock.

Others attending the celebration were their grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Milton, Karla, Dallas and Shasha Dixon of Friona, Jay, Rhonda, Brittany and Ashley Reeve of Friona, Reece and Patches Fleming of Friona, Kevin and Kippi Ward of Winnert, and Julie and Jamie Reeve of Lamesa.

DYH to attend state YH convention

Four members of the Dimmitt Young Homemakers will join over 300 members and advisors from across the state in attending the 25th annual State Young Homemakers of Texas Conference in Fort Worth.

The conference begins today and will continue through Saturday.

Young Homemakers attending from Dimmitt include Debbie Anen, past state president, Danice Wright, local president, Joanne Snider, advisor and Becky Jones, advisor.

25 Years! Preparing Today for Tomorrow, was chosen as the meeting theme by the Young Homemakers, an association of young adults who believe that everyone is a homemaker and that homemaking is an occupation.

Ann Murchison (wife of Clint Murchison, former owner of the

Dallas Cowboys) of Dallas, will give a keynote address, highlighting the two-day conference in Fort Worth.

Two breakout sessions will feature speakers Valerie Nogues, a teacher and a dedicated pioneer in the research of *Right Brain/Left Brain Thinking* from Kerrville and Cynthia P. Dear, R.N. from Houston.

Nogues will instruct participants on enhancing brain power. Pre-menstrual syndrome, the sickness most doctors years ago believed "was all in women's heads" will be the topic of Dear's lecture.

The Friday morning speaker will be Marsha Kendall, the president and founder of the organization FLAME.

Young Homemakers achievement awards will be presented during the annual awards luncheon. The awards are given to chapters who have contributed toward the growth of individual members and the improvement of the community through planned educational programs, projects and service activities.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in the Hospital: John Hutchison, Gloria Munoz, Phillip Jones, Helen Morris.

Patients Dismissed: Esta Vandiver, Mary Brice, R.L. Baker, Eva Saenz, Mable Brock.

What's Cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for the week of Nov. 10 through 14.

DIMMITT
MONDAY — Hot dogs with chili and cheese, French fries, pears, wacky cake and milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter, fruit cocktail and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Personal pizzas, lettuce and tomato salad, blackeyed peas, coconut pudding and milk.

THURSDAY — Bean chalupas, whole kernel corn, shredded lettuce, jello with fruit and milk.

FRIDAY — Sandwiches, potato chips, pork and beans, dill pickles, cookies and milk.

HART
MONDAY — Chili beans, cornbread, salad, peaches, peanut butter cookies and milk.

TUESDAY — Steak fingers, hot rolls, June peas, creamed potatoes, apricot cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cheeseburgers, tossed salad, French fries, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY — Burritos, cheese sticks, salad, Ranch Style Beans, cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Enchilada casserole, tortillas, tossed salad, buttered corn, pineapple cake and milk.

NAZARETH
MONDAY — Meat loaf, green beans, carrot sticks, hot buttered bread, apple cobbler and milk.

TUESDAY — Mexican casserole, sopapillas and honey, peas, peaches and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers, French fries, prunes and milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, corn, hot rolls, apricots and milk.

FRIDAY — Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, tossed salad, hot buttered bread, pineapple cake and milk.

PMH to sponsor screening x-ray mammography program

The Mobile Breast Imaging Center of St. Anthony's Enterprises, Inc. in Amarillo will be in Dimmitt at Plains Memorial Hospital Saturday, Nov. 15 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The screening program is open to the first 50 women to register.

Anyone wishing to register should call the hospital at 647-2191 and then pick up the pre-project information at the hospital. Payment will be accepted when participants pick up their pre-project information, according to Vicki Buckley, director of nursing and project coordinator at Plains Memorial Hospital.

The MBIC will be in Dimmitt at the request of Garry Allan, administrator of Plains Memorial Hospital and its purpose is to provide baseline screening x-ray mammo-

graphics on women in Dimmitt and in the immediate service area of the hospital.

The project is being held with the cooperation of local physicians.

Area women will have an opportunity to have screening mammograms performed at the MBIC for a reduced rate of \$60.

In addition to breast screening, participants will also be provided with blood pressure and diabetes screening. These additional screenings will be provided by Plains Memorial Hospital's Home Health Agency at no additional charge.

The result of the project will be sent to the woman's personal physician within ten days of the project date.

The project is aimed at educating

the public about breast cancer detection and treatment, and to encourage women to take advantage of available breast cancer screening methods.

"Breast cancer continues to be the number one cause of cancer deaths among women," Allan said. "Many of the 37,000 deaths attributed to breast cancer each year can be prevented through breast cancer screening and early detection."

Allan strongly urges all area women take advantage of the opportunity. "It is only by early detection and treatment of breast cancer, that the survival rate can be improved."

The American Cancer Society recommends that women between the age of 35-39 have a baseline screening x-ray mammogram on which to compare future mammograms, that women between the ages of 40-49 have an x-ray mammography every one to two years and women over 50 have a mammogram every year.

There is no minimum age restriction for the baseline screening project with Plains Memorial Hospital.

Group planning special holiday for foster children

The Golden Spread Foster Parent's Association of Castro, Parmer, Oldham and Deaf Smith counties is making preparations for a special Christmas for the foster children placed in these counties and asks that individuals or groups help in their effort by donating funds to the group.

Money donated will be used to

buy clothing and stocking stuffers for the foster children that are cared for in these counties.

Any group or individual wishing to help may send donations to Golden Spread Foster Parents Association, c/o Hereford State Bank, Box 272, Hereford, Tex., 79045 or to the Christmas chairperson, Christine Acker, HCR1, Box 81, Nazareth, Tex., 79063.

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HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEMBERS show items created for display at their annual holiday buffet and bazaar to be held Friday. Auxiliary members are (standing, from left) Willa Mae Sadler, Virginia Nelson, Ruby Wood, Reta Welch (sitting, from left) Bea Hardy, Edith Graef and Jackie McLeroy.

Auxiliary buffet, bazaar is Friday

Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary members will hold their annual holiday buffet and bazaar Friday in the County Expo Building.

The buffet will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Prices for the meal will be \$4.50. Carry-out plates will be available.

A variety of salads, casseroles

and desserts will be served along with the featured main dishes of turkey and dressing and ham.

The bazaar will open at 10 a.m. and will close at 3 p.m.

Handmade gift items, holiday decorations and baked goods will be featured among the various displayed exhibits. Special items avail-

able this year will include a queen size crazy quilt and wall hanging made of satin, velvet and taffeta and a needlepoint bell pull.

The proceeds from the bazaar, as in past years, will go to benefit the hospital.

Everyone is invited to attend the meal and bazaar.

Low-fat products cut calories

If you're already drinking skim milk to cut calories, you can save even more by cooking with other low-fat dairy products.

"Yogurt can be substituted in just about any dish that calls for sour cream," says Extension Service nutritionist Dr. Alice Hunt.

Yogurt works well in cold dips, or to stretch mayonnaise-based dressing in cole slaw, tuna and

potato salads.

In cooked foods, yogurt tends to separate and become watery, Hunt said, but this can be avoided by whisking some flour into the yogurt before cooking, or adding the yogurt to cooked foods after removing them from heat.

A cup of plain, low-fat yogurt used instead of a cup of sour cream saves 375 calories, Hunt claimed.

Imitation sour cream can be made by blending low-fat cottage cheese along with several tablespoons of skim milk or yogurt until smooth. This mixture is suitable for dips or dessert recipes.

Cottage cheese also makes a

good substitute for ricotta cheese and sour cream in casseroles, Hunt says. Using one cup of low-fat cottage cheese for an equal amount of whole-milk ricotta saves 250 calories. Replacing the ricotta with regular cottage cheese still cuts 190 calories.

Low-fat ricotta cheese has less fat and fewer calories than regular ricotta, but is still higher in both than regular or low-fat cottage cheese.

For sauces, casseroles and omelettes, Hunt suggests low-fat processed cheeses. It saves 60 calories, but should not be used by people on low-sodium diets.

ACT sign-up ends Nov. 14

Nov. 14 is the deadline for high school juniors and seniors to register for the ACT Assessment, which will be given Dec. 13 at Dimmitt High School.

The basic registration fee for the test is \$10.50, with late registration accepted for an additional \$10 late handling fee.

The registration fee includes the cost for the test and a copy of *Preparing for the ACT Assessment*, which contains information about getting ready for the examination, plus a complete practice test.

Registration forms may be obtained from the DHS Counselor's office.

Book Club to host Silver Tea

The Dimmitt Book Club will host its annual Silver Tea next Wednesday at 4 p.m. in Rhoads Memorial Library.

Kim Hays will review the book *Texas* by James Michener.

Everyone is invited to attend.

VA to honor women vets

The Veterans Administration will host a reception and coffee in honor of women veterans in the area Tuesday at the Veterans Administration Medical center in Amarillo.

The reception will be held in the Education Conference Room from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Women veterans at the reception will have an opportunity to meet and talk with fellow women veterans and with Women Veteran's Coordinator, Ellen Jacobs.

Ministerial Alliance

Edward D. Freeman will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of Colossians 3:18-4:1 Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church.



LEANDRE LYNN (left), a South Plains College freshman from Dimmitt, was elected historian of the Texas Home Economics Student Sections of the American Home Economics Association at a THESS workshop hosted recently by Texas Tech University. 17 members of SPC's Home Ec Club attended the workshop with the club's sponsor, Jerri Adams (right), assistant professor of home economics. Lynn is the daughter of Hank and Syd Lynn of Dimmitt.

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SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By Cyndy Reynolds

The Kurlie Q's held an Anniversary Dance Oct. 24. We had nine squares in attendance with clubs from Plainview, Tulia, Hereford, Littlefield, Lubbock, Clovis, N.M. and others I probably missed.

Sid Perkins was our caller and Bill Harman cued the rounds. Everyone had a great time dancing and our stew and cornbread supper was delicious.

The Kurlie Q's will be starting lessons at 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17 at 113 W. Bedford. Caller-teacher will be Sid Perkins from Plainview. Lessons will be \$3 per person, per lesson.

There will be no charge for the first three lessons on Nov. 17, 24 and 31. That way you can come out and try it without any obligation those first three Mondays. Everyone is welcome — you don't have to bring a partner. We have lots of helpers.

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The end of each dance is a good time to let off steam. Just remember that when you clap at the end of a square you have enjoyed, you're applauding the caller and you're saying "thank you" to the others in the square, but you're also applauding "you", who experienced that wonderful sense of accomplishment that comes with being a square dancer.

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Sports

Chieftains crush Bobcats, 45-0

In one of the most-lopsided wins ever in the 51-year history of the rivalry, the Friona Chieftains edged a step closer to a post-season play-off berth, shutting out Dimmitt 45-0 Friday at Bobcat Stadium.

Friona is now 7-2 for the year and 3-1 in District 2-3A, while Dimmitt is now 2-6-1 in 1986, and is winless in four district games. Friona is tied for second place in the conference with Tulia, but defeated the Hornets 28-21 on Oct. 31. If Friona beats Floydada, it must still wait on the outcome of the Tulia-Littlefield game.

Dimmitt, seeking to diversify its offense, inserted Mat Bradley in the starting lineup at quarterback, while Ricky Zimmer, who had been starting ahead of Bradley all season, concentrated on defense and backed up Jim Nelson at tight end.

Nelson played tight end because regular Todd Durham was moved to fullback. Durham responded with 43 yards on nine carries to lead Dimmitt's rushers.

Durham also played his best game of the year at linebacker, making 17 tackles, recovering a

fumble and receiving credit for the "big hit" of the game by the Bobcat coaching staff.

Durham's efforts weren't enough for the Bobcats, though, as Friona coasted to a 28-0 halftime lead, then rang up 17 fourth-quarter points before pulling off late in the game.

Friona struck for three first-quarter touchdowns, never having to move more than 49 yards for a score.

Quarterback Daniel Echols ended a five-play, 41-yard drive by zip-

ping around the left side on the option for 25 yards and a touchdown with 7:36 left in the first quarter. Sam Montoya added the PAT kick for a 7-0 lead.

The Chieftains then moved 42 yards in eight plays, with Phillips going in from the one with 2:12 left in the quarter. Montoya's PAT made it 14-0.

Following a Shy Burney interception with 32 seconds left, Phillips scored on the last play of the quarter on a 48-yard Phillips run. A fumbled snap by Burney foiled the PAT, leaving Friona ahead, 20-0.

Friona ate up eight minutes of the second quarter as it moved 67 yards on 15 plays. Phillips went in from a yard out with 1:21 left in the half, then Burney took another fumbled snap and ran in a two-point PAT to give the Chieftains a 28-0 halftime cushion.

Durham's fumble recovery, on the second play of the second half, gave Dimmitt its best field position of the night as the Bobcats started at the Friona 43. The drive was snuffed out six plays later when Phillips picked off a Bradley pass in the end zone.

It appeared Phillips caught the ball just outside the end zone, then wandered back across the goalline, where he was tackled. Officials, however, gave the Chieftains the ball at their own 20.

Another Phillips interception, at the Dimmitt 39 with 1:23 left in the third quarter, set up Friona's longest-ever field goal.

Facing fourth-and-4 at the Dimmitt 33, Montoya booted a wind-aided 51-yard field goal with 11:09 to play, giving Friona a 31-0 lead.

Boosted by a 42-yard pass from quarterback Patches Fleming to split end Stephen Thornton, the Chieftains moved 40 yards in three plays for their next score. Williams scored from the six, and Montoya added the PAT for a 38-0 lead with 7:58 left.

Phillips and Montoya shared the

load on the last Friona scoring drive, as the Chieftains drove 52 yards in seven plays. Williams scored from the four, and Montoya added the PAT, to give Friona its final 45-0 edge.

	DMT	FRI
First Downs	6	20
Rushing Yards	86	278
Passing Yards	26	55
Passes Comp-Att	1-11	1-4
Intercepted by	0	3
Fumbles lost	0	1
Punts-Avg	6-35	2-31
Penalties-Yds	7-45	5-50

Friona	20	8	0	17	—	45
Dimmitt	0	0	0	0	—	0

Scoring summary:

First quarter:
 F—Daniel Echols 15 run (Sam Montoya kick)
 F—Lonnie Phillips 1 run (Montoya kick)
 F—Phillips 48 run (pass failed)
Second quarter:
 F—Phillips 1 run (Shy Burney run)
Fourth quarter:
 F—Montoya 51 FG
 F—Jimmy Williams 6 run (Montoya kick)
 F—Williams 4 run (Montoya kick)



MARK WEST makes a leaping sideline catch of a pass from Mat Bradley to give Dimmitt a first down at the Friona 45-yard line in the first quarter of Friday night's District 2-3A game here. Defending is Friona's Stephen Thornton.

Naz, Hart aim for state berths

Defending state champion Nazareth and top-ranked Hart will run for state meet berths in the Regional Cross-Country Meet Saturday morning at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

Nazareth is shooting for its fourth-straight 1A-2A crown, while Hart is led by Tammy Menchaca, who finished third place in 1st year's state race in Georgetown.

"It should be between us and Hart for the regional championship," said Nazareth coach Sandy Oliver. "I think our chances are real good because we have a lot of depth, but there's no doubt who the top two teams are going into regional."

"Abernathy, Sudan and Coleman should be strong challengers."

"We're pretty fired up," said Hart coach Mark Albin. "We're looking forward to regional. I don't know if we have the horses to beat Nazareth or not, but we're going to give it our best shot."

"We're ranked first in the state, Nazareth is second and Abernathy is fifth, and it should be between the three of us. We are the three class teams. There could always be a surprise team, but it should be between us, Abernathy and Nazareth."

"We'll find out about 8:22 Saturday morning right after the race starts. The runners start going up a big hill, and that thing separates the women from the little girls. It's a tough course."

Harris Picks

Here are this week's picks in games of local and area interest by the Harris Rating System.

Home teams are listed in caps.

Dimmitt 2 over MULE-SHOE; LITTLEFIELD 1 over Tulia; Friona 19 over FLOYDADA; HART 18 over Hale Center; OLTON 8 over Springlake - Earth; ABERNATHY 16 over Lockney; Happy 14 over NAZARETH; VEGA 33 over Kress; GROOM 48 over Claude; Estacado 15 over BORGER; Canyon 20 over PAMPA; ODESSA PERMIAN 3 over San Angelo Central (loser leaves football); Amarillo High 1 over Tascosa; Palo Duro 39 over CORONADO; LEE 19 over Abilene High; PERRYTON 12 over Dalhart; CHILDRESS 12 over River Road; Roosevelt 30 over SLATON; BOWIE 12 over Jacksboro; HIGHLAND PARK 12 over Lazbuddie; MORTON 3 over Shallowater; VALLEY 46 over Chillocothe; Munday 39 over ROBY; HEREFORD 53 over Open.

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Ham	Onion Rings	Chicken Sandwich	
Ham and Cheese		Corn Dog	
Grilled Cheese		Burrito	
Fish Sandwich		Hot Dog	
Steak Sandwich		With Chili or Chili & Cheese	
Chicken Sandwich		Roast Beef	
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Burrito		Roast Beef	
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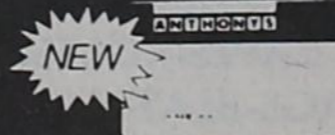
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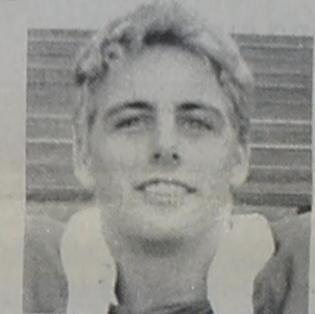
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VARSITY

Bobcats 12, Roosevelt 38
 Bobcats 3, Slaton 0
 Bobcats 7, River Road 7
 Bobcats 6, Abernathy 20
 Bobcats 31, Olton 0
 Bobcats 0, Littlefield 28
 Bobcats 7, Tulia 54
 Bobcats 3, Floydada 16
 Bobcats 0, Friona 45
 Nov. 7 MULESHOE*, There 7:30

(* District 2-AAA Game)

JUNIOR VARSITY

Bobcats 6, Roosevelt 0
 Bobcats 0, Slaton 21
 Bobcats 7, River Road 8
 Bobcats 42, Abernathy 20
 Bobcats 45, Olton 0
 Bobcats 14, Littlefield 28
 Bobcats 6, Tulia 0
 Bobcats 6, Floydada 0
 Bobcats 14, Friona 6
 Nov. 6 MULESHOE, Here 5:00

SEVENTH & EIGHTH GRADE

8th Grade Bobcats 6, River Road 12
 8th Grade Bobcats 28, Abernathy 14
 7th Grade Bobcats 8, Abernathy 6
 8th Grade Bobcats 0, Olton 12
 7th Grade Bobcats 12, Olton 0
 8th Grade Bobcats 0, Littlefield 8
 7th Grade Bobcats 28, Littlefield 6
 8th Grade Bobcats 18, Tulia 8
 7th Grade Bobcats 22, Tulia 8
 8th Grade Bobcats 6, Floydada 22
 7th Grade Bobcats 14, Floydada 0
 8th Grade Bobcats 29, Friona 8
 7th Grade Bobcats 26, Friona 14
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'Horns get treat, tricks in 42-19 win

Hart got a trick and a treat Friday night as the Longhorns dumped the Springlake-Earth Wolverines 42-19 at S-E.

The Longhorns looked like Casper the Friendly Ghost, running through, over and around the Wolverines. The win was a costly one, though, as three Hart starters were lost, two possibly lost for the year.

On consecutive plays in the second quarter, linebacker and back-up tailback Danny Vadelez suffered a broken collarbone, and starting tailback and defensive end Johnny Washington, who had just passed the 1,000-yard mark for the season, injured his knee and is questionable for the remainder of the season.

Also hurt was flanker-cornerback

Cody Myrick, who suffered hairline fractures across three ribs but is expected to return.

Hart is now 7-2 for the year, 3-1 in District 3-2A play, and is staring a playoff berth right in the face. If the Longhorns beat Hale Center and Abernathy beats Lockney, the 'Horns place second and play in bi-district next week. Hart can still lose its game and be in the playoffs, provided Abernathy beats Lockney.

The only way Hart can miss the playoffs is if Lockney wins. If Lockney and Hart win, it would create a three-way tie and necessitate a coin flip for both playoff spots. If Lockney wins and the Longhorns fall to the Owls, Lockney and Abernathy would represent

the district.

"I don't think that (Lockney beating Abernathy) is going to happen," said Hart coach Mark Stroebel.

Against S-E, Hart wasted no time in getting on the scoreboard. After a short S-E punt, Washington raced 33 yards on the first play for the game's first score. The PAT failed, leaving Hart with a 6-0 lead just two minutes deep in the game.

After two changes of possession, S-E retaliated. On fourth down from the eleven, Mike Scott got behind the Hart secondary to haul in a Kyle Jones touchdown pass. The PAT was good, giving S-E a 7-6 lead at the end of the first quarter.

Hart came right back on a 10-

yard, 67-yard drive, with Rodriguez scoring the first of his four touchdowns on a two-yard plunge. The PAT failed and Hart led 12-7 with 8:37 left in the first half.

S-E roared back with a 51-yard drive, and Jones scored with 4:39 left in the half. The two-point conversion failed, making the score 13-12.

The Longhorns scored two more

touchdowns in the next four minutes. The first score came after a 62-yard drive set up by the running of Ramirez and Junior Washington. With 2:03 left in the first half, Rodriguez scored from the seven, then added the two-point conversion to give Hart a 20-13 lead.

S-E's Jerry Spencer returned the ensuing kickoff 80 yards for a touchdown, but the two-point run failed, leaving Hart with a 20-19 lead.

Hart's final score of the first half came on the arm of quarterback Brett Ritter, who led the team on a 90-yard drive, completing four of six passes for 72 yards. With three seconds left in the first half, Ritter hit tight end Paul Ramirez in the end zone to cap the drive. The two-point PAT failed, and Hart led 26-19 at halftime.

The second half was a total disaster for S-E, thanks to a fiery defense led by Cecil Diaz, Carmelo Medrano, Jesse Rubalcaba, Alonzo Sarabia, Rodriguez and Washington. The Horns limited S-E to minus-9 yards rushing and only 12 yards passing. Hart added two fourth-quarter scores, both by Rodriguez, with Ramirez and Larry

Brown adding two-point conversion runs.

	SE	HRT
First Downs	10	24
Rushing Yards	25	272
Passing Yards	95	122
Passes Comp-Att	8-17	6-13
Intercepted by	0	2
Fumbles lost	1	1
Punts-Avg	5-32	3-41
Penalties-Yds	4-38	10-115

Hart	6	20	0	16	—	42
Spr-Earth	7	12	0	0	—	19

Scoring summary:

First quarter:
 H—Johnny Washington 33 run (kick failed)
 S-E—Mike Scott 7 pass from Kyle Jones (Jeff Burch kick)
 Second quarter:
 H—Chris Rodriguez 3 run (pass failed)
 S-E—Jones 1 run (run failed)
 H—Rodriguez 7 run (Rodriguez run)
 S-E—Jerry Spencer 80 kickoff return (run failed)
 H—Paul Ramirez 10 pass from Brett Ritter (run failed)
 Fourth quarter:
 H—Rodriguez 3 run (Ramirez pass from Ritter);
 H—Rodriguez 10 run (Larry Brown run)

Swifts pummel Claude

By STACY ALBRACHT

Nazareth unleashed a powerful first-half passing attack and kept their half of the playoff bargain as they walloped the Claude Mustangs, 42-28, Friday at Claude.

Vega, however, didn't fare as well in its game with Happy, losing 28-24 to dash the Swifts' playoff hopes.

Nazareth scored five first-half touchdowns to claim a 35-0 halftime lead. The Swifts then inserted their junior varsity and racked up another score before Claude scored four second-half touchdowns.

Nazareth struck early, with Chris Schmucker throwing 12 yards to

	CLD	NAZ
First Downs	14	22
Rushing Yards	102	117
Passing Yards	129	301
Passes Comp-Att	9-29	13-25
Intercepted by	2	3
Fumbles lost	2	2
Punts-Avg	4-17	3-36
Penalties-Yds	7-65	5-25

Nazareth	14	21	7	0	—	42
Claude	0	0	14	14	—	28

Scoring summary:

First quarter:
 N—Randy Hochstein 12 pass from Chris Schmucker (Todd Hill kick)
 N—Brad Hoelting 21 pass from Schmucker (Hill kick)
 Second quarter:
 N—Alan Birkenfeld 21 pass from Schmucker (Hill kick)
 N—Gregg Gerber 55 pass from Schmucker (Hill kick)
 N—Birkenfeld 33 pass from Schmucker (Hill pass)
 Third quarter:
 N—Wes Dobmeyer 6 run (Hill kick)
 C—Jep Harrison 26 pass from Landon Landry (Joe Farah pass from Landry)
 C—Jerry Cooper 31 pass from Landry (run failed)
 Fourth quarter:
 C—Joel Johnson 78 interception return (run failed)
 C—Lance Wood 1 run (Charles Triplet pass from Landry)

Randy Hochstein with 9:47 showing on the first-quarter clock. Todd Hill kicked the first of six PAT's for a 7-0 lead.

The teams exchanged punts before Schmucker found Brad Hoelting open on the right side from 21 yards out for a 14-0 lead with 4:27 left in the opening period.

Nazareth mounted its third successful drive early in the second quarter, going 48 yards in nine plays. Alan Birkenfeld hauled in Schmucker's third TD pass, a 22-yarder, to give Nazareth a 21-0 lead with 7:20 left in the first half.

Nazareth used up just three plays on its next possession to run the score to 28-0 when Gregg Gerber finished off a 55-yard pass-and-run play with 6:01 left in the first half, giving the Swifts a 28-0 advantage. An interception by Heath Schulte set up the Swifts fifth touchdown, with Schmucker connection with Birkenfeld for a 33-yard touchdown. The Hill PAT gave Nazareth a 35-0 halftime lead.

Claude fumbled the ball away on

its first possession of the second half. Five plays later, Wes Dobmeyer ran the ball in from six yards out to give Nazareth a 42-0 lead with 5:37 left in the third quarter.

Claude scored four times in the second half on two passes by Landon Landry, a 78-yard interception return by Joel Johnson and a one-yard run by Lance Wood.

Ruiz runs past Friona

Robert Ruiz scored four touchdowns to lead Dimmitt's undefeated seventh grade Bobcats to a 26-14 win over previously-undefeated Friona last Thursday at Bobcat Stadium.

Ruiz scored on runs of 1, 27 and 28 yards, and caught a five-yard touchdown pass from Billy Ray Thomas.

Thomas also scored on a two-point conversion run. Ruiz led Dimmitt with 133 yards on 21 carries.

The seventh graders take their 8-0 record to Muleshoe for their final game of the year today at 5 p.m.

Rocha leads 8th Bobcats

Henry Rocha picked up 116 yards on 13 carries and scored four touchdowns to lead the eighth-grade Dimmitt Bobcats to a 29-8 win over Friona at Bobcat Stadium last Thursday.

Rocha scored on runs of 1, 4, 6 and 21 yards.

Raul Jackson kicked one PAT, while Dennis Petty ran for two points and caught a two-point conversion pass thrown by Scott Acker.

The eighth graders will finish their season today at Muleshoe at 6:30 p.m.

JV Bobcats down Friona

Johnny Garza and Clay Lytal each ran for touchdowns as the JV Bobcats defeated Friona 14-6 last Thursday at Friona.

Garza, who gained 75 yards on 15 carries, scored on a 12-yard run, while Lytal scored from a yard out. Josh Gonzales finished off Dimmitt's scoring with a two-point conversion pass from Lytal.

Lytal was seven-of-17 for 70 yards.

Punter Brac Wardlaw was given special credit by the Dimmitt coaches for his kicking, which twice moved Dimmitt from poor field position.

The JV Bobcats, 6-3, will end their season tonight at 6 p.m. at Bobcat Stadium against Muleshoe.

Thanksgiving dinner set Friday night

The junior class from Muleshoe High School is sponsoring a Thanksgiving dinner Friday night from 5 to 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

The meal will be served prior to the Muleshoe - Dimmitt football game in Muleshoe and Dimmitt fans are invited to attend.

The menu will include turkey, dressing, green beans, mashed potatoes, homemade rolls and pumpkin cake.

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Hart hosting revenge match Friday

The Hart Longhorns are looking toward moving into the Class 2A playoffs while Dimmitt and Nazareth look to a successful end to their season in the final regular-season games of the year Friday.

Hart puts its 12-game home-winning streak on the line against Hale Center, the last team to beat the 'Horns at home and Hart's playoff spoiler for the past two seasons, while Nazareth hosts Happy and Dimmitt travels to Muleshoe.

Muleshoe, meet Friday in Muleshoe, with the inner avoiding the cellar, while the loser finishes district play 0-5.

Muleshoe went 4-1 through its non-district slate, but has fallen on hard times. That doesn't mean Muleshoe is weak, though.

"Muleshoe will run a lot of sweeps and throw the ball quite a bit," said Dimmitt coach Clifford Smith. "Quarterback Johnny Garcia throws a lot, and his passes are quick. Tailback Michael Dunham runs the sweep very well, and fullback Armondo Del Toro is a very good blocker. Wingback Todd Besire and split end Sergio Gonzales are very good receivers.

"Tackle Greg Moton is probably their best defensive player, and linebackers Del Toro and Richie Tille-

ma are very good.

"Our secondary is going to have to play very well, and we'll have to put some pressure on the quarterback. Muleshoe threw the ball 26 times against Littlefield, and they would throw several short passes and then lob, alley-oop, a pass. We've got to stop the pass and the sweep to win.

"We need the whole team to play as well as linebackers Todd Durham and Ricky Zimmer played last week. They were our leading tacklers. I think we played well in the third quarter against Friona, but that 51-yard field goal kind of zapped us."

Hale Center at Hart

The last time Hart was beaten at home, it was the Hale Center Owls who did the dirty deed, in 1984. Last year, when the Longhorns

had a shot at the playoffs, it was Hale Center, using a guard-around play, that sent the 'Horns home and moved the Owls, 3-7, into the playoffs.

So, to say the 'Horns are looking forward to Friday's game with the Owls would be an understatement.

"The two games we have been looking forward to since the first of the year have been Abernathy and Hale Center," said Hart coach Mark Stroebel. "Revenge is a definite factor, and our kids are looking forward to this game with fire in their eyes.

"Our big problem this week is going to be depth. We're going to be without Danny Valedex (out for season with broken collarbone) and Jonny Washington (out for this week with a deep knee bruise), and that leaves us with only one backup at outside linebacker, an important position in our 5-3 defense. But our

backups went in and did a super job last week, and gained quite a bit of confidence.

"We want to go out and do a good job, look good, and beat Hale Center."

Happy at Nazareth

If Sosa, Moore, Middleton and Johnson sounds like a law firm, it is. The quartet has laid down the law in District 1-A South, rolling to a 4-0 conference slate and zoinc championship.

Friday, Nazareth provides the law west of US 87, hoping to put the first dent in Happy's district record. "Gaylon Johnson is definitely

their team leader," said NHS coach Rex Minshew. "He's not very big, only weighs 140 pounds or so, but he must be all muscle. Jimmy Moore and Jesse Sosa are very good running backs, and we can't let them get loose on us.

"They've got two big tackles. Chris Cogburn and Derrick Collins each weigh over 250, and all they have to do for those backs is make a little seam and the backs squirt through.

"We're going to have to throw the ball, I think, because no one has been able to run on Happy all year. We can't make any mistakes, because they capitalize on every break they get."

Obituaries

Vivian Arnn

Services for Vivian Arnn, 88, of Littlefield, were held Wednesday in the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield with Rev. Bill Watson, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Littlefield Cemetery under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Arnn, a native of Erath County, died at 7 a.m. Monday in Littlefield Medical Center after a lengthy illness. She had lived in Littlefield for 28 years. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include a sister, Virgie Baisden of Littlefield; three grandchildren, Marilyn Vann of Spade, Barbara Steffy of Dimmitt and Linda Runyan of Lewisville; and six great-grandchildren.

Ann Arnold

Rosary for Ann Arnold, 34, of Lubbock, was recited at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Geo. C. Price Funeral Chapel with Rev. Bob Ibe, pastor of St. Phillip Neri Catholic Church in Pep, officiating.

Services will be held Thursday morning at 10 in St. Philip Neri Catholic Church with the same officiant.

Burial will be in St. Philip Neri Catholic Church cemetery under the direction of Geo. C. Price Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Arnold died at 7:45 a.m. Tuesday in Lubbock's Brentwood Manor after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Littlefield and graduated from Pep High School in 1970. She was a 1972 graduate of South Plains College. She had been a resident of Lubbock since graduating from college and was employed as a purchasing agent for Goulds Pumps Inc. in Lubbock. She was preceded in death by her father, Wilbert Albus in 1964 and a brother, Terry Albus in 1981. She was a Catholic.

Survivors include her mother and stepfather, Evelyn and Earl Backus of Pep; two brothers, Mike Albus of Hobbs, N.M., and Gary Albus of Odessa; a sister, Gail Sams of Levelland; a stepbrother, John Backus of Amarillo; and a stepsister, Mary Verkamp of Nazareth.

The family requests memorials be made to the National Multiple Scler-

osis Society, Panhandle Chapter, 1416 West Eighth St., Amarillo, Tex. 79101.

Clydie Loraine Robertson

Last rites for Clydie Loraine Robertson, 68, of Dumas, will be held today at 10 a.m. in the First Street Church of Christ there with Kenny Bayles, minister, officiating.

Graveside services will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery in Plainview at 4 p.m., under the direction of Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Robertson died Tuesday. She was born in Lubbock County and had lived in Dumas for 30 years. She co-owned and operated Robertson Drilling Co., and farmed in the Dumas and Plainview areas. She was a member of the First Street Church of Christ. Her husband, Charles, died in 1980.

Survivors include two daughters, Barbara Daniels of Dumas and Betty Sue Jones of Booker; two sons, Delbert and Donnie, both of Dumas; three sisters, Bessie Mae Young of Plainview, Annie Penner of Lockney and Helen Bynum of Kingston, Okla.; three brothers, Elton Wylie of Lockney, Price Wylie of Plainview and Oscar Wylie of Dimmitt; 14 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Adolescent behavior to be meeting focus

A dozen local parents are trying to form a "support program" to help families deal with adolescent behavior problems and related family crises.

They've scheduled an open meeting for 7 p.m. Tuesday in the city hall, and have lined up speakers with experience in successful programs that deal with adolescent and family problems.

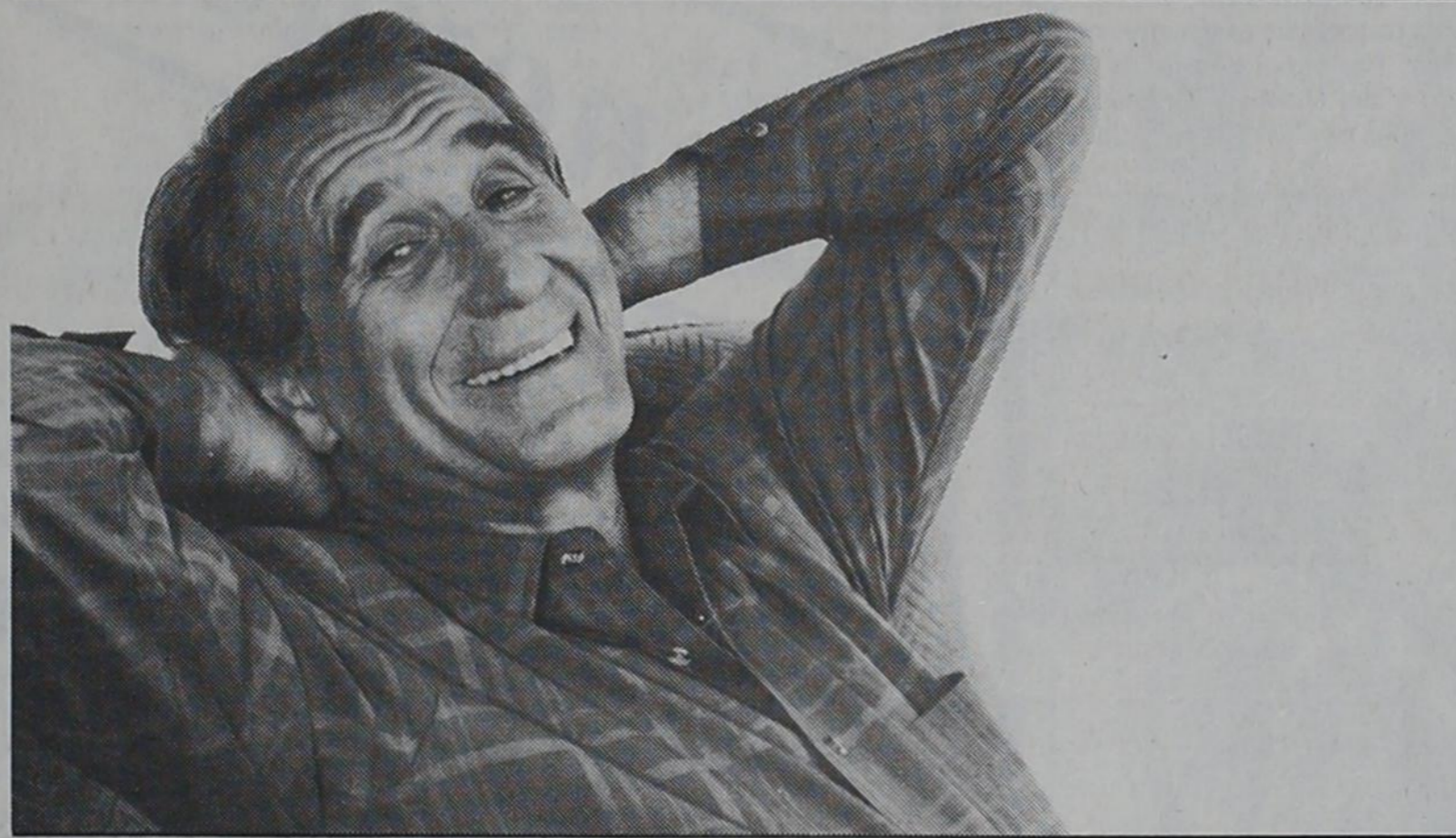
"Our speakers have promised to give us a lot of information on programs that have worked—such as the Toughlove program and drug/alcohol awareness programs—and we'd like to see a big attendance of concerned individuals," a spokesperson for the parents' group said. "We feel that we have some problems here among our kids, and that our kids need our help, and our families need each other's support."

Speakers Tuesday night will include Diane Bosch of St. Anthony's Care Unit in Amarillo; Kim Barlow, Amarillo Toughlove coordinator; and Garold McDaniels of the Dimmitt Police Dept. crime prevention unit.

The spokesperson stressed that Tuesday night's meeting isn't just for parents of adolescents and teenagers, but for all interested indi-

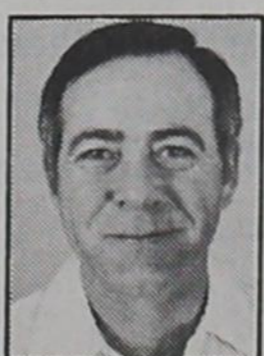
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PIK AND ROLL—Thursday was the last day for farmers to sign up for what was called "PIK and Roll" at the Castro County ASCS office in Dimmitt. The program, which was used to help alleviate grain storage problems, had caused heavy trading in generic payment-in-kind certificates at prices as much as 135% of par value. Substitute

grains could be used for the generic certificates, and created a short-lived marketing loan for farmers. Business was brisk throughout the day at the ASCS office before the 5 p.m. deadline, according to County Executive Director Charley Hill.

Hightower releases economic blueprint

State Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower has made public a 126-page, in-depth analysis of the multi-billion dollar growth potential available to Texas through agricultural diversification, processing and direct marketing.

"To generate a new age of economic growth, we've got to go wildcatting again," Hightower told a State Capitol news conference. "One of the promising fields for striking it rich is that old reliable—agriculture."

Entitled *Economic Growth Through Agricultural Development: A Blueprint for Action*, the study by the Texas Dept. of Agriculture contains a series of legislative proposals that can, according to TDA, help Texas farmers, ranchers, cooperatives and food businesses produce \$15 billion per year in new income and create 165,000 new jobs in the state.

"We're not talking about some high-cost, high-tech, pie-in-the-sky future shock in this report," Hightower said, "but about down-to-

earth, here-and-now profitable enterprises that Texans can plant and grow throughout the state. Added together, these small- and medium-sized ag ventures will help create the billions of dollars in new income and hundreds of thousands of new jobs that the Texas economy must have if we are to grow out of today's economic stagnation."

Hightower said the grassroots approach will work "because it already is working in dozens of ventures that TDA has been assisting during the past few years." The commissioner said the study is a case analysis of the operations, and offers lessons learned from 40 different projects.

"Our role is simply to serve as a problem-solving catalyst for the enterprise of Texans, assisting them with market development and penetration, capital formation and the removal of bureaucratic barriers," Hightower said. "By offering this kind of modest help to generate and nurture hundreds of these enterprises, the state can help to turn our agricultural economy around, making it a solution instead of a problem."

Hightower said farmers and ranchers can, by diversifying their production, add \$6.1 billion annually to the state's economy and establish 75,000 jobs, while processing facilities can add \$3 billion in sales and create 90,000 new jobs. The commissioner pointed out that Texas is the nation's second-largest producer of raw commodities but processes only 6% of the nation's food.

Hightower said the 40 processing projects in Texas already established, ranging from operations like Flatland Mills in Dimmitt to inland shrimp processing and jobba growing in south Texas will add \$400 million in first-year sales and create 3,600 jobs.

The study also calls for an increase in international marketing.

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Tax Notes

By David Schaeffer, CPA

On Oct. 22, President Reagan signed into law the "Tax Reform Act of 1986." In a series of weekly installments, I will try to highlight and explain some of the major changes which taxpayers will need to know and use when considering their personal business and investment situations.

The first and most-publicized change was the lowering of the tax rates to individuals. This rate change will be phased in over two years. In 1987, the income tax rates will range from 11 to 38.5%, compared to a maximum rate of 50% in 1986. After 1987, the tax brackets will be reduced to two rates, 15 and 28%. However, for higher income taxpayers there will be a "phantom" tax rate of 33% on some income.

Other changes which will exempt additional income are the increases in the standard deduction and personal exemptions. These changes are best explained by considering a family of four who, in 1986, can earn \$7,990 without being subject to income tax. For 1987, that family can earn \$11,360, and, for 1988, can earn \$12,800 with no income tax. The two changes combined will have the effect of removing about six million low income taxpayers from the federal tax rolls.

These changes are positive to individual taxpayers, but, with the budget deficit, the government could not afford to actually reduce income taxes, so this bill is revenue neutral. For every positive change, there is a negative change.

One such negative change was the reduction of the additional exemptions which elderly and blind taxpayers were given in the past. Another negative change is the removal of the personal exemption which a dependent child has been able to use in the past to offset income earned from savings or summer jobs. Also, for high income taxpayers, the benefit of the personal exemption will be phased out.

A major change affecting working couples is the repeal of the two-earner wage deduction. Through 1986, if both a husband and wife worked, that couple was allowed a deduction equal to 10% of the smaller salary earned by the couple.

Based on the fundamental changes we have discussed this week, it seems the average taxpayer should have savings of over 10%, but the overall tax savings for individuals is

projected at 6%, with that reduction being offset by a \$120 billion tax increase in corporate income taxes. The next installment will discuss additional negative changes affecting most individual taxpayers.

There are hundreds of special rules which benefit only one or two companies which are inserted in this tax bill. These rules are referred to as "transitional rules" and give special relief from the tax laws.

An example is a special \$70 million tax break given to General Motors in this rule:

For purposes of determining whether an automobile manufacturing facility (including equipment and incidental appurtenances) is transition property within the meaning of Section 49(e), property with respect to which the Board of Directors of an automobile manufacturer formally approved the plan for the project on January 7, 1985, shall be treated as transition property, but only with respect to \$70 million of regular investment tax credits.

How many boards met on Jan. 7, 1985 and approved a plan to build an automobile plant?

David Schaeffer is a certified public accountant with Schaeffer, Sutton and Schaeffer in Dimmitt.

City looking at new sales tax

Dimmitt city aldermen will consider calling for an election on an additional, 0.5% sales tax that could reduce Dimmitt property taxes.

City Manager Reeford Burros broached the subject at the Monday night alderman's meeting, telling aldermen he learned about the tax at a recent workshop in Plainview.

An election on the issue could be held next April, when a similar issue will be on the county-wide ballot. Burros explained that if the tax is approved, it would go into effect on Jan. 1, 1988, and aldermen would drop taxes the following April based on assessments levied in October, 1988. Property taxes must be dropped by the amount brought in by the additional sales tax.

Aldermen said they would study and discuss the subject at a later date.

The aldermen voted to change an ordinance passed in 1930 that would make the fire marshal answerable to the city manager.

The original ordinance, passed Nov. 14, 1930, made the fire marshal responsible to the city commission. The move was made "to improve the chain of command," according to City Attorney Jack Edwards.

City Mayor Wayne Collins swore in new fire marshal Tim Roberts, and the aldermen heard a report on improvements made at the city animal shelter.

The aldermen also approved a plan to plant grass alongside the runway and taxiway at Dimmitt Municipal Airport to cut down on soil erosion.

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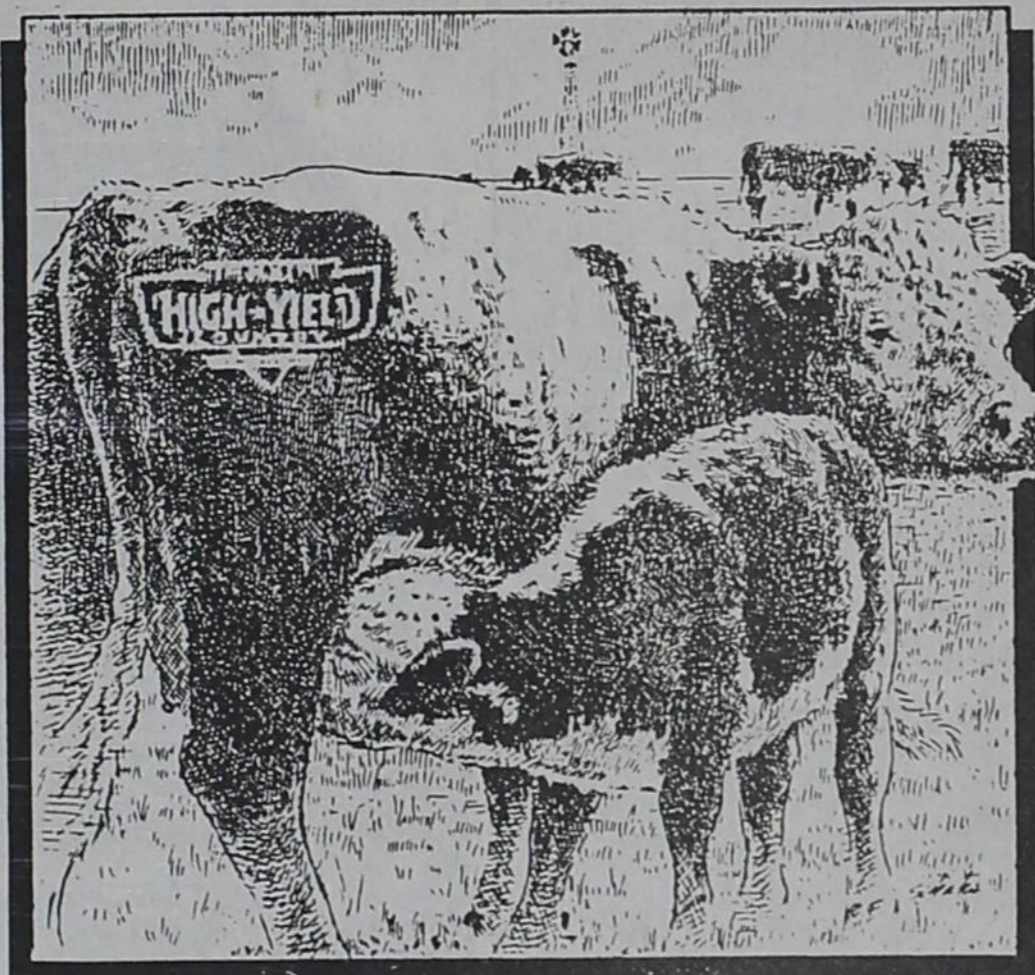
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Babbling Brooks

By John Brooks

Well, they did it again. The Boston Red Sox have lost the World Series.

They lost the World Series in '46, lost in '67, lost in '75, and lost in '86.

You would think God would be a little kinder to the Bosox. The Red Sox won the first World Series, in 1903. They won their last World Series in 1918.

1918, Mark Twain had only been dead eight years. Richard Nixon was five, Jonas Salk was four, Orson Welles was three, Frank Sinatra was one.

Jim Thorpe, the Olympic decathlete, was the best athlete in baseball. Gambling was king, but the White Sox wouldn't sully their stockings for another year.

Those people baseball nuts today dream about, like Ty Cobb and Walter Johnson and Tris Speaker and Christy Mathewson, were actually playing. Writers were using nicknames, like Dinty, Slats, Flash, Zip, and Cracker, to identify ballplayers, but the great ones had great nicknames. Cobb was The Georgia Peach. Walter Johnson was The Big Train. Tris Speaker was The Grey Eagle. Christy Mathewson was simply The Most Feared Pitcher in Baseball.

And the best left-handed pitcher in baseball was George Herman Ruth.

Yep, the Babe. The Sultan of Swat was the best left-handed pitcher in the American League. And he pitched in Fenway Park. Home of the Green Monster. Usually, death for left-handers.

By 1918, Ruth was mainly an outfielder, but he pitched enough to finish the year 13-7 and won nine of his last eleven starts. Ruth started Game One of the series against the Cubs, and started again in Game Four. He won the first game, 1-0, and extended his scoreless streak, which began in the 1916 series, to 29 2/3 innings before being touched for a run in Game Four.

Why, 1918 was so long ago that Babe Ruth only had 22 home runs through the 1918 season. He would hit 693 more over the next 16 years.

The Red Sox won the World Series, four games to two.

It was the last time they would win the world's championship.

They couldn't win in 1946, when they had Ted Williams, *Teddy Ballgame*, *The Splendid Splinter*. Enos Country Slaughter took care of that, going from first to home on a single to win the game for the St. Louis Cardinals.

The Sox had a chance in 1948. They tied for first place with the Cleveland Indians, but were beaten in a playoff.

Boston's next chance was 1967, but Bob Gibson, who had pitched well all season, was spectacular in the Series and beat Boston in the seventh game.

In 1975, Boston won one of the greatest games ever played, the sixth game of the Series against the Cincinnati Reds, but lost in game seven.

In 1978, they had another chance, but Bucky Dent pulled out his nine-iron and golfed a three-run homer into the screen atop the Green Monster, and the Yankees defeated the Bosox in the playoff for the AL East title.

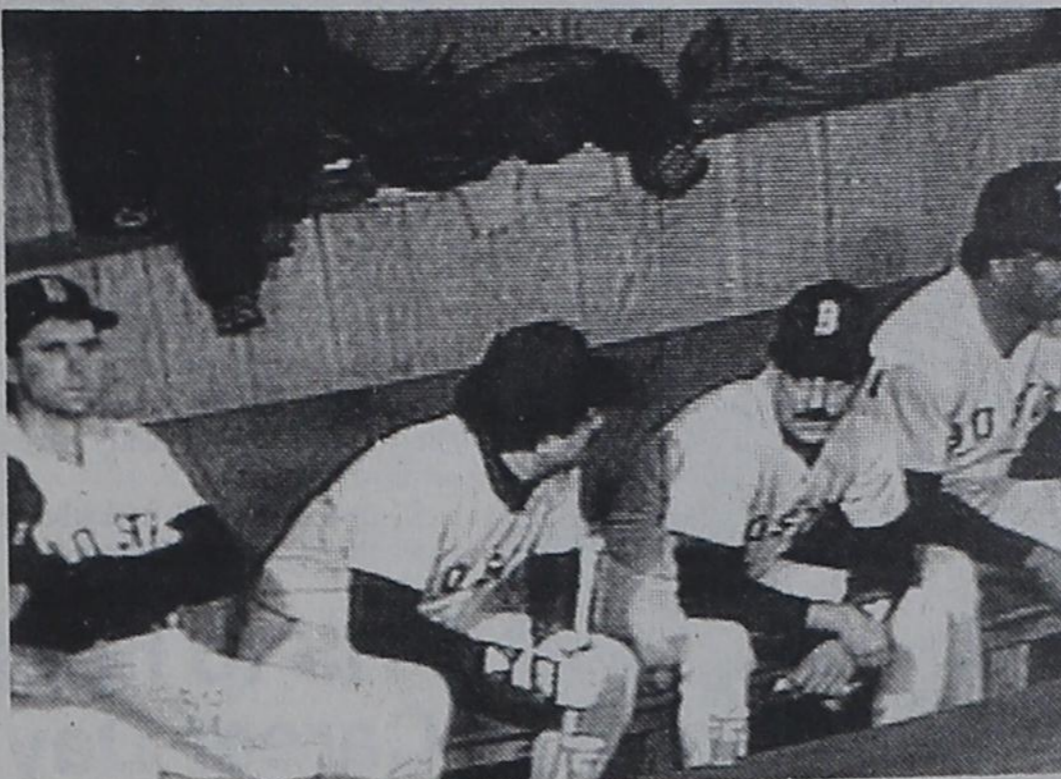
And now, God has turned his back once again on Boston.

In my life of 30 years, every

minute of which has been spent as a baseball nut, the Red Sox have been involved in three great World Series. 1967 was the year of The Pitcher, when the strike zone was from your head to your toes, the mound was 80 feet high, and flame-throwers, like Gibson, ruled the roost. 1975 was the year Carlton Fisk kept waving that ball back into fair territory until it was a home run to win Game Six in the bottom of the twelfth. It has never been the year of the Red Sox.

When I was born, a "Met" was an opera house in New York City. Now, it's a baseball team that has once again made things intolerable for the life of most New Englanders.

It may remain intolerable until Babe Ruth appears on the mound again in a Red Sox uniform.



WAIT 'TIL 1918!
... Boston Red Sox lose another World Series.

Use precautions with preservative-treated wood

To avoid possible danger to individuals and the environment, certain precautions are necessary when handling, using and disposing of preservative-treated wood.

Chuck Stayton of Overton, wood products specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says that all three of the most common chemicals used to treat wood may present certain hazards.

Creosote, pentachlorophenol and the inorganic arsenicals, CCA, ACA and ACZA, are commonly used to commercially treat wood to protect against insects and decay fungi, Stayton points out. These chemicals are EPA-registered pesticides.

"The inorganic arsenical treatments are recognizable by their light green or greenish-yellow color," notes Stayton. "They are water soluble salts that become insoluble after treatment."

Woods treated with these preservatives are used most often by the public and are found inside residential, industrial, commercial and farm buildings. But all sawdust and construction debris must be cleaned up and disposed of once construction is completed, cautions Stayton.

Penta-treated wood normally has a light brown color or natural wood color. It is used mostly for poles, posts, construction timbers and railroad crossties. Creosote-treated wood is typically dark brown or black and may have an oily surface. It is used mostly to treat timbers and crossties.

Use Sealers Indoors

Penta and creosote can be used for some interior situations if they receive two sealer coats, explains Stayton. Urethane, shellac, latex

epoxy enamel and varnish are acceptable sealers for penta. "Coal tar pitch and coal tar pitch emulsion are effective sealers for creosote-treated wood block flooring while urethane, epoxy and shellac may be applied at the installation site.

"Creosote-treated wood should not be used in residential interiors," cautions Stayton. "It can be used inside industrial buildings for components which are in ground contact and subject to decay fungi or insect infestation and for wood block flooring. However, the wood must be sealed."

Penta-treated wood can be used in residential, industrial and commercial interiors as laminated beams and building components which are in ground contact, but they also must be sealed, says the specialist.

"Wood treated with penta or creosote should not be used in situations where frequent or prolonged skin contact occurs unless an effective sealer has been applied," Stayton warns. "Examples would be chairs and other outdoor furniture."

Neither treatment should be used for farm building interiors where there is direct contact with domestic animals or livestock which may bite or lick treated wood. Treated wood can be used if animal biting and licking is unlikely and building components will be in ground contact. However, effective sealers must be applied, advises the specialist.

Avoid Food, Feed and Water Areas

Stayton cautions against using any of the treated woods when the preservative may become a component of food or animal feed. Also,

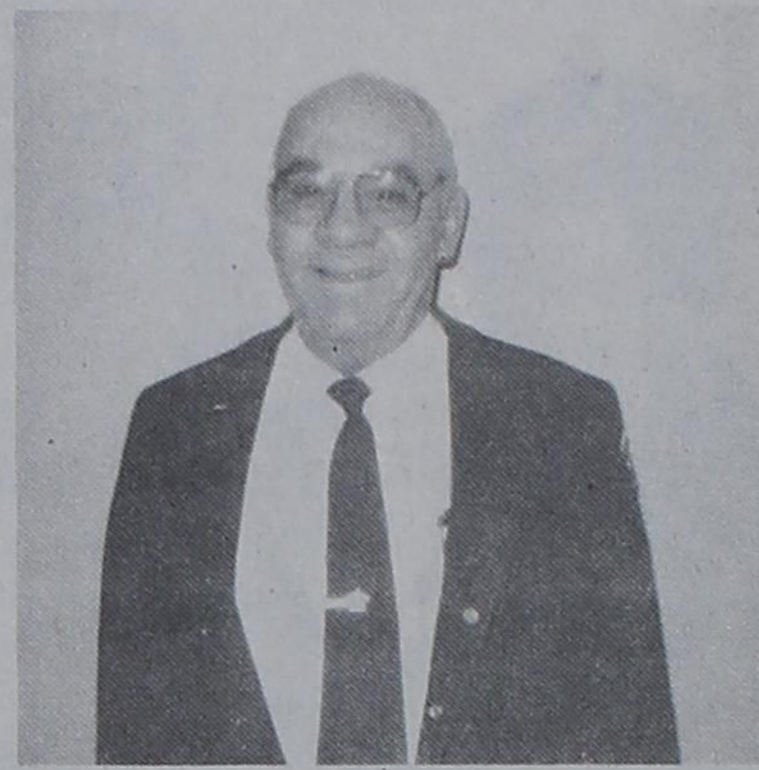
penta- or creosote-treated wood should not be used for farrowing or brooding facilities.

"No treated wood should be used where it may come into direct contact with public drinking water except for uses involving incidental contact such as docks or bridges," adds Stayton. "In addition, do not use penta- or creosote-treated wood where it may come into direct contact with drinking water for domestic animals or livestock except for uses involving incidental contact."

Stayton also says not to use any treated wood for cutting boards or countertops. For patios, decks and walkways, use only treated wood that is visibly clean and free of surface residue. Furthermore, do not use treated wood for construction of those portions of beehives which may come in contact with honey.

Avoid Sawdust Inhalation, Skin Contact

Stayton also warns against frequent or prolonged inhalation of treated wood sawdust. "A dust mask should be worn when sawing and machining treated wood," he says.



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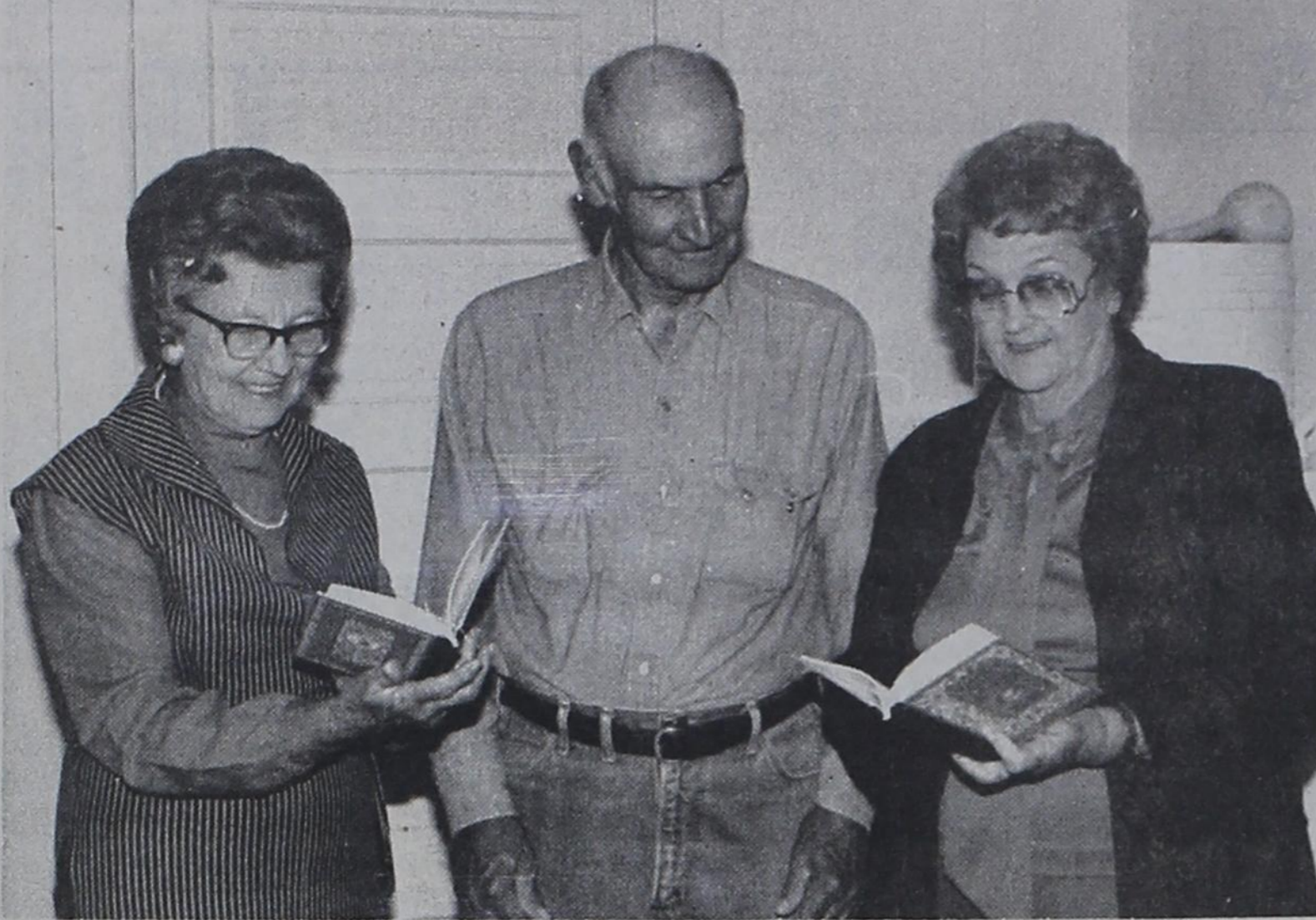
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FORMER TEACHERS Madge Robb (left) and Helen Richardson (right) look over McGuffie Readers that were presented to Castro County Museum Association President Lon Woodburn (center) last Thursday at the museum. The books, which were used by several generations of Ameri-

can schoolchildren, were originally published in 1881 and were liberally laced with moral lessons geared to fortifying one's character, and taught the alphabet, penmanship, vocabulary and spelling. Seven of the readers are on display at the museum.

Local WIFE members work in state fair booths

Members of Panhandle Agri Partners, the Dimmitt chapter of WIFE joined WIFE members from Hale Center, Silvertown and Dalhart, representatives from the Texas Corn Growers Association and members

of the Nuclear Task Force to operate booths during the recent State Fair held in Dallas.

Participants worked in the Texas Department of Agriculture sponsored Food and Fiber Pavilion and

distributed 2,000 brochures about the WIFE organization. They handed out information about the versatility of Texas corn and told fair goers about other products grown in this area.

They also collected over 50,000 signatures on a petition to keep the Nuclear Waste Repository out of West Texas. This petition will be presented to Vice-President George Bush.

Lois Wales, president of the Dimmitt chapter, said the group collected as many as 1,800 to 2,500 signatures a day and that about 95% of the people inquiring about the Nuclear Waste Repository were against having it in Texas.

She said that people from the Dallas area were particularly interested in the petition because of the recent disclosure of a proposed truck route which would carry nuclear waste through that area.

Of the 18 WIFE members who manned fair booths, 10 were from Dimmitt, four were from Hale Center, two were from Silvertown and two were from Dalhart.

The Texas Corn Growers Association staff opened and closed the booths and helped with the project.

A meteorite explosion large enough to affect the global climate occurs in the earth's atmosphere about once every 100,000 years, reports International Wildlife magazine. Should a meteorite larger than one-third of a mile in diameter hit the earth, it would send up a great cloud of debris that would alter the climate, possible producing effects similar to those of a nuclear winter.

Police Calls

Approximately \$1,000 in merchandise was reported missing from the Arturo Leyva Rueda residence at 404 NE Sixth.

Rueda told police that someone had entered his residence between 5 p.m. last Thursday and 4 a.m. Friday and removed a 19 inch color television, video cassette recorder and stereo equipment.

Officials report no further information available at this time.

Jose Angel Juarez of Dimmitt was charged with leaving the scene of an accident Sunday evening after his 1972 Ford F-100 pickup, traveling west in the 400 block of East Bedford, struck a rail at the railroad crossing.

The vehicle sustained light damage in the accident.

A 1981 Buick Regal, driven by Danny Martinez of Dimmitt, was attempting to back out of a parking spot at the Colonial Inn Sunday when it struck at 1986 Toyota pickup legally parked and left unattended in the Colonial Inn parking lot.

Both vehicles suffered light damage.

A 1977 Pontiac Phoenix, driven by Tammy Leatherwood of Dimmitt, was traveling north on Western Circle Drive last Thursday afternoon when it was struck from behind by a 1978 Ford Thunderbird driven by Clyde Antonio Smithers of Dimmitt.

According to police, Smithers' vehicle had just passed an uninvolved vehicle when it failed to control its speed and struck the Pontiac.

Police also investigated a report of shoplifting at Dimmitt Thriftway.

Dance is set

The Nazareth FHA will sponsor a dance Friday night.

It will begin after the Nazareth-Happy football game and will last until 1 a.m.

Admission to the dance, which will be held in the Community Hall, will be \$3.50.

Music will be provided by the Roughriders.

Kids, Inc. to hold meet

Dimmitt Kids, Inc., will hold an at-large meeting Nov. 13 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce.

"This meeting will be open to everyone," said KI President Jerry Stump. "People have been complaining about different phases of the program, and this would be an ideal place to air their grievances and maybe have them resolved."

"Several seats on the board will also be filled, so anyone who would like to serve is especially urged to be there."

KI operates youth basketball and baseball programs in Dimmitt.

DHS to hold 'Career Day'

Career Day will be held at Dimmitt High School from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday.

The program is designed to provide students with information on a wide range of possible vocational and educational opportunities, and individuals from Dimmitt, Lubbock, Levelland, Plainview and Amarillo will discuss their career field, covering such topics as career requirements, education and training, personal and physical qualifications, working conditions, rewards of the career and how to get started.

The day will begin at 1 p.m. with a general assembly in the DHS Auditorium. Greg Odom, a 1983 DHS graduate and currently a Texas Tech University student, will address the assembly.

From 1:30 to 4 there will be four, 35-minute career sessions, in which students will have their choice of programs. 34 different fields will be discussed, including cosmetology, nursing, fashion merchandising, teaching, auto/diesel mechanics and auto body repair, welding, photography, engineering and accounting.

The sessions are open to the public.

SS rep here today

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the Castro County Courthouse from 10 a.m. until 12 noon today to meet with persons with problems or questions about Social Security or Medicare.

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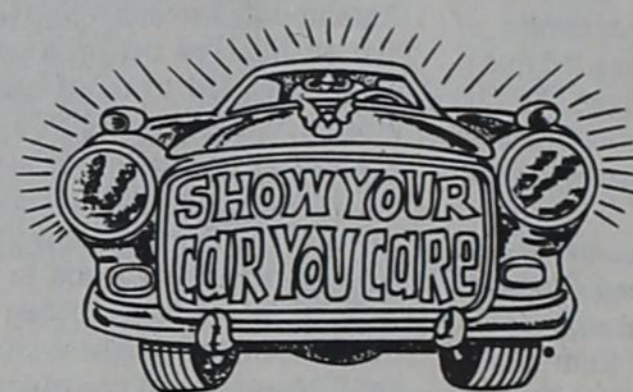


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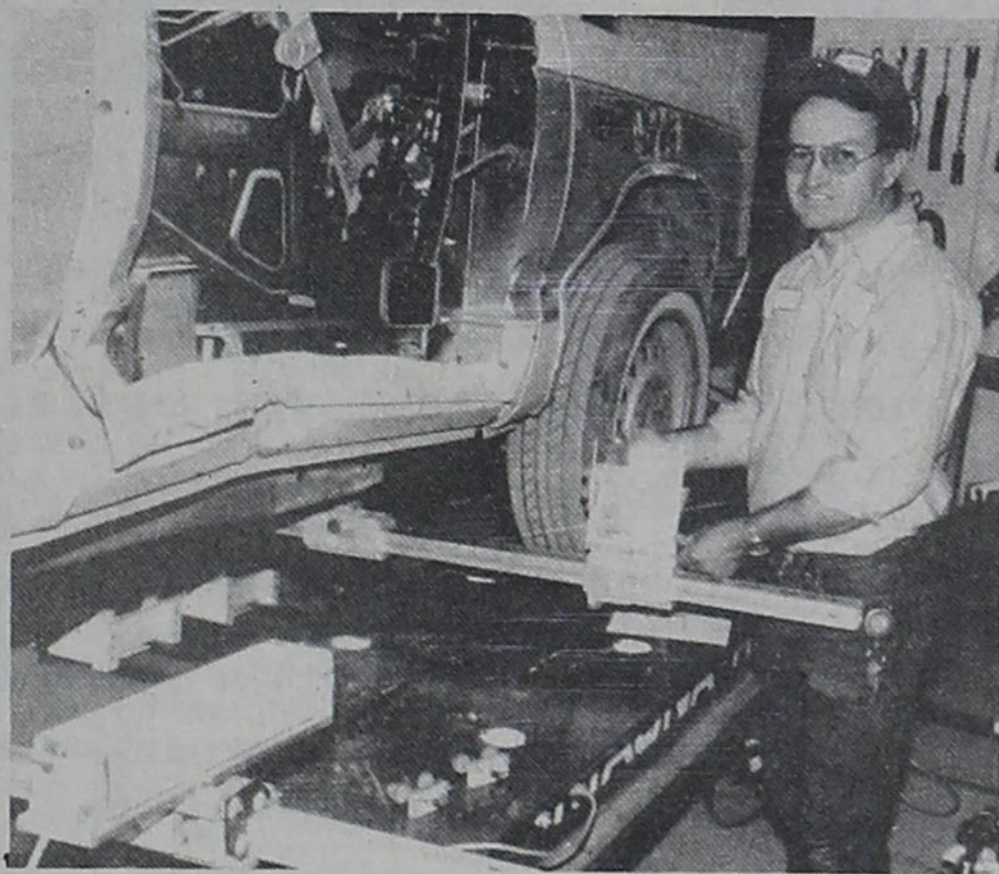
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Here are the unofficial, precinct-by-precinct returns from Tuesday's general election for county and statewide offices from Castro County:

Box	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Ab	Total
US Representative:										
McCathern	77	388	139	170	208	78	55	149	50	1314
Combest	36	228	116	46	63	47	37	71	50	694
Governor:										
White	62	295	67	158	186	38	37	94	41	978
Clements	55	331	195	82	93	87	54	121	61	1079
Lt. Governor:										
Hobby	80	404	145	177	226	67	53	139	60	1351
Davidson	34	203	102	50	42	47	35	70	40	
Attorney General:										
Mattox	63	367	101	157	204	70	51	117	57	1187
Barrera	53	257	145	73	69	50	42	101	45	835
State Comptroller:										
Bullock	87	455	186	192	230	76	66	163	79	1574
State Treasurer:										
Richards	91	481	171	191	229	84	65	164	81	1615
Land Commissioner:										
Mauro	76	399	145	190	219	71	60	148	64	1446
Anderson	34	179	96	33	38	41	22	51	29	465
Ag Commissioner:										
Hightower	73	373	146	183	211	65	57	134	62	1369
Powers	43	236	100	42	62	56	35	75	38	687
Railroad Commissioner:										
Sharp	75	385	135	174	213	71	43	149	58	1303
Fox	36	181	91	37	42	37	34	47	36	541
Place 1, Supreme Court:										
Mauzy	69	334	104	166	208	60	44	121	45	1151
Howell	40	235	121	48	47	43	32	71	47	684
Place 2, Supreme Court:										
Campbell	75	367	117	179	212	62	42	123	51	835
White	34	195	99	34	43	38	30	60	39	572
Place 4, Supreme Court:										
Gonzalez	64	297	105	177	195	59	43	113	48	1101
Bates	45	266	120	53	70	47	35	79	43	758
County Judge:										
Simpson	95	564	223	198	245	105	79	188	88	1785
District-County Clerk:										
Jones	97	567	217	200	240	106	73	184	96	1780
County Treasurer:										
Raper	96	565	279	202	243	107	74	186	93	1845
County Surveyor:										
Allredge	93	544	210	197	237	104	71	180	89	1725
Commissioner, Precinct 2:										
Winders		376				112			23	511
Wilson		236				10			16	262
Justice, Precinct 2:										
Young		539				105			36	680
Constable, Precinct 3:										
Dobbs			176				82		15	273
Burke			42				9		6	57
Commissioner, Precinct 4:										
Guggemos				193				180	21	294
Amendments Railroad stock:										
For	51	286	140	55	125	44	45	102	45	893
Against	43	261	146	97	93	48	37	76	41	842
Bill titles:										
For	48	338	191	72	144	56	57	130	61	1097
Against	41	206	94	80	71	35	27	51	25	630
Mutual Insurance:										
For	48	206	150	64	122	44	51	117	51	922
Against	42	269	133	87	92	48	32	59	34	796
Branch banking:										
For	56	311	182	88	127	42	53	127	58	1044
Against	43	26	122	74	102	61	36	73	29	801

More about

... TRLA deadline

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inadequate oversight of shelter programs; and failure to tell private attorneys of the maximum allowable fee.

LSC says it cannot "conclusively determine or insure that TRLA:

• "properly implements its eligibility guidelines;

• "maintains an applicant/client grievance file;

• "does not provide to certain private attorneys more than 50% of their annual income from Private Attorney Involvement (PAI) participation;

• "does not contribute or make available corporate funds or program personnel or equipment to any political party or association, or the campaign of any candidate for public or party office;

• "is not engaging (directly or indirectly) in various prohibited activities;

• "is providing the most economic, efficient and effective delivery of legal assistance;

• "consistently fills out pre-printed eligibility forms for all clients; and

"keeps its board members fully apprised of its activities and relationships."

LSC says it was not able to fully document those issues and others because of "obstruction by TRLA's program staff during the monitoring visit" from Aug. 19 through 23, 1985. LSC contends "limited LSC's monitoring to one week, whereas completion of the monitoring process needed two weeks..."

LSC says TRLA "generally denied, constructively denied, or edited documents in what appeared to be a concerted effort to prevent full disclosure of their activities."

"For example, TRLA provided LSC with copies of certain materials after whitening out various words/phrases and in some instances appeared to add new words... According to TRLA this was done because the report contained information subject to privilege or to other professional ethical responsibilities, though no legal support for such doctrines were offered, at the time."

"TRLA provided to LSC inaccurate and/or incomplete responses to questions." LSC requested a list of cases in which TRLA had represented unions, but the list omitted two cases, including *International Union of Agricultural and Industrial Workers v. Dimco*.

More about

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was hurt in the growing part."

"My daughter was absent yesterday because she was tired. She spent the weekend with the Marines."

"Please excuse Jimmy for being. It was his father's fault."

"Mary Ann was absent December 11-15 because she had a fever, sore throat, headache and upset stomach. Her sister was also sick, fever and sore throat, her brother had a low grade fever and ached all over. I wasn't the best either, sore throat and fever. There must be something going around—her father even got hot last night."

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College program is Tuesday

So You Want to Go to College, a 50-minute presentation for high school juniors and seniors and their parents, will be presented Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at the Dimmitt High School auditorium.

lege, the program touches on several areas.

"Students and parents have really enjoyed the presentation," said DHS Counselor John Thomas. "It is so good for the students to hear from someone else what I have been

telling them about college. This program covers it all — the admissions process, financial aid, the college routine, even the 'why go' question."

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Helmet bill will be debated soon

By State Senator Bill Sarpalius

At least once or twice a legislative session, there arises an issue that leads to one of the oldest debates in our democracy. How far can government intrude in the name of safety before it infringes on the basic liberties of the American people?

There's no pat answer to that question, we're afraid. No handy constitutional amendment or court decision clearly outlining the parameters of government intrusion. It instead is a question that can be answered only on an issue-by-issue basis, with the amount of intrusion constantly being weighed against the value of the safety being offered.

We cannot predict every instance in which the intrusion-versus-safety issue will be dredged up during the forthcoming legislative session, but we can promise you it will come up at least once—when we debate a bill to require all motorcycle riders to wear helmets while riding their motorcycles.

This indeed may prove the quintessential liberty - versus - safety issue. Motorcycle riders will argue they harm no one but themselves by riding without a helmet, that no government intrusion is necessary to protect them from themselves.

Proponents of the proposed law will point out that motorcyclists who wear their helmets are being harmed, financially, by those who do not. As a higher percentage of Texans ride without helmets, proponents argue, a higher percentage of motorcycle riders will be injured or killed, hence higher insurance rates for all riders.

These very same riders will counter with statistics they believe prove helmets to be of limited safety value and to have little effect on insurance rates. They also will point out that there is little hue and cry from the helmeted riders to make their unprotected brethren wear helmets.

Naturally, the proponents in turn will hold tight, claiming the lives that undoubtedly would be saved by a helmet law more than justifies the government's right to make riders wear helmets.

Next year's helmet-law debate will be a classic, because, unlike last year's mandatory seat-belt law debate, it will be pure, virtually unencumbered by worldly arguments.

A huge federal hammer hung over the seat-belt bill when it was approved by the Legislature because the Department of Transportation was threatening to require airbags in all automobiles if 2/3 of the nation's populace wasn't covered by a mandatory seat-belt law. Airbags, by the way, add an extra \$1,000 to the price of a new car and cost several hundred dollars to replace after they've discharged.

There is no federal threat involved in the helmet law, just those who believe safety alone gives the government a little extra leeway and those who believe the government has no right protecting a person who is harming no one else but himself.

We said earlier that there are no hard-and-fast answers to the question. We know at least 1,000 lives

have been saved by the seat-belt law and consumers saved an added expense on their new automobiles. We can estimate a substantial number of lives probably would be saved by a

helmet law. But, we do not know for sure whether government would be pushing too far by passing such a law. Benjamin Franklin, some 200

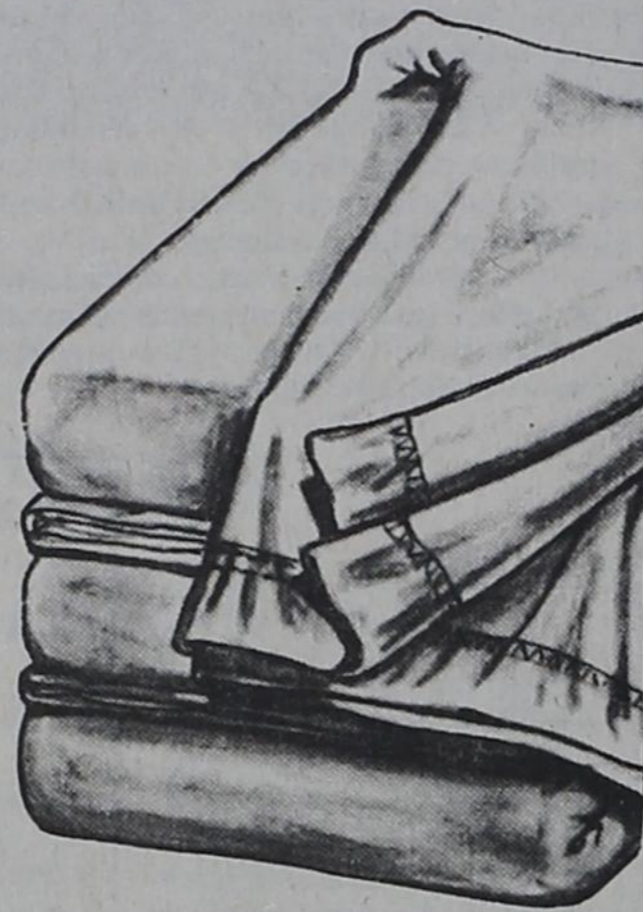
years ago, came as close as anyone to answering the question when he said, "Those who would give up some essential liberty for a little temporary safety deserve neither

liberty nor safety." Unfortunately, Franklin didn't tell us whether riding a motorcycle without a helmet constitutes an essential liberty. We're reserving judgement until

the full debate is laid before us in the Senate. In the meantime, though, let us know how you feel by writing us at P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Tex., 78711.

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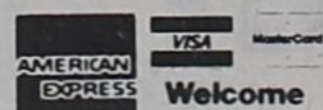
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