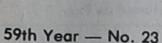
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Open with Cayuga today

Swiftettes gunning for ninth title

The Nazareth Swiftettes will be looking at something of a mirror-image of themselves Thursday morning when they face the Cayuga Wildcats at 10 a.m. at the Super Drum in Austin in the first round of the Class A girls state tournament.

Cayuga, which is southeast of Dallas, brings a 24-7 record into the tourney. The Wildcats were there once before, in 1975, and are led by head coach Joyce Williams, a four-year veteran at the school which should be familiar to Swiftette cross-country fans who have fought with the Wildcats for the state cross-country crown.

"They run a very deliberate half-court offense and try to work the ball inside," said a coach who played the Wildcats twice this year. "They have a lot of movement on offense, and move-pass-the ball very well. Their real strength is passing.

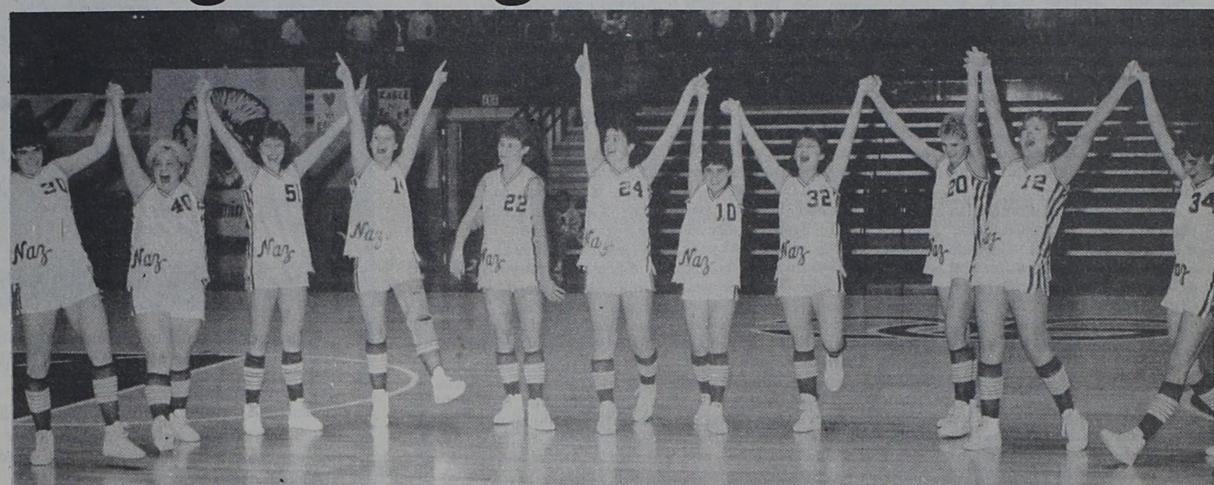
"On defense, they use an aggressive man-toman throughout the game unless they are really up on someone, then they switch to a zone, but they use a man-to-man full-court press, and that's the real strength of their defense."

The Wildcats' field general is Sherri Wisenbaker, a 5-8 guard who is averaging about 14 points a game. She is joined by 5-6 wings Regina Cunningham and Vicki Allen, and posts Linda Allen, 5-7, and Nancy Kimbrough.

"Wisenbaker and Linda Allen seem to be their best two players," the coach said. "Their wings are adequate, and Kimbrough is alright, but you have to shut down Linda Allen and Wisenbaker, and you can't keep putting those two players on the foul line, because those two players are excellent free throw shooters."

Meanwhile, Nazareth Coach Sandy Oliver is looking forward to leading her first team to the state tournament.

"Some of the pressure is off of me now because we're going to state," Oliver said after



SWIFTETTE CELEBRATION-Nazareth Swiftettes Mona Heiman, Sheila Acker, Barbie Steffens, CeCe Kern, Rachel Huseman, Gail Birkenfeld, Stephanie Brockman, Traci Hill, Kelly Schilling, Annette Schmucker and Missy Brockman gather at mid-court Saturday at the

Saturday's regional final win over O'Donnell. "Of course, there's a lot of work between now and Thursday, but I feel good about our chances down there (Austin). I think our team's past experience will be invaluable, and I think my past experience down there will be invaluable. I've had to do a lot of preparation the last two years when Joe (Lombard) had to come back and coach the boys during the regional tournament, so it will be a lot of the

"I really relaxed after Tuesday (Nazareth's win over Sudan in the Area championship) because I thought Sudan might have the second-best team in the region, then I got here and saw the other teams in the tournament and really felt better. Of course, you never know about the state tournament and the teams you play down there, but I know we've played several people down there that three or four teams in our regional tournament could have

Texan Dome at Levelland to celebrate their Region I-A championship. The Swiftettes breezed past Vega, Motley County and O'Donnell to claim their tenth regional championship and another shot at the Class A state championship.

Oliver feels the Swiftettes will have to work hard to claim their ninth state tournament.

"There were a lot of questions when Abernathy beat us (ending the Swiftettes 69-game winning streak), but we have put things together since. We probably don't have as much talent as we have in the past, but a lot of heart made up for the lack of talent, plus a lot of hard work. There's no doubt we're going to have to work hard to win the state championship this year."



same for me.

CANDIDATES for the Dimmitt City Board of Aldermen and City Manager Paul Catoe (far left) drew names for ballot positions Monday for the April 5 City elections. Candidates include, from Catoe's left, Wayne Proffitt, Ann

Cox and Don Sheffy. Absent was Harold Hyman. None of the four have filed for public offices before, and the quartet will be vying for the three positions on the board.

City ballots full, school races open

Four persons have filed for the three positions available on the Dimmitt City Board of Aldermen, with all three incumbents opting not to file for re-election this year.

Joyce Hunter, Ann Armstrong and David Behrends have all decided not to run for re-election to the board, which was without any prospective candidates until two days before last Wednesday's filing deadline for the city offices.

Don Sheffy, Harold Hyman, Ann Cox and Wayne Proffitt have filed for the seats on the Board of Aldermen. The names will appear on the April 5 ballot in that order. The candidates drew the names for ballot order Monday morning.

In Nazareth, Councilman

Carroll Gerber will be challenged by Jerry Lange for the available seat on the City Council. Mayor Tom Hoelting has filed for re-election.

In Hart, Ronnie Truelock will face no opposition on the ballot in his attempt to regain his seat on the City Council.

March 5 is the filing deadline for positions on the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth school

In Dimmitt, Sara Hill is the only person who has filed for the three positions that will be available. Incumbents Fred Bruegel, Jr., Stanley Nelson and Deanne Clark have indicated they won't seek re-

No one has filed in the Nazareth school board race, where the terms of Louis Huseman and Hubert Backus

expire. Backus was appointed to the board last year to fill the unexpired term of Rita Book.

In Hart, incumbents Weldon Davis and J. D. Myrick have filed for re-election to the school board.

Cox, in a prepared statement Monday, said she chose to run for Alderman "because it is an important part of the city's government. Everyone thinks Dimmitt needs this or that but they just sit back and let someone else do the job.

"I'm proud to have been raised in Dimmitt. I hope each youth that leaves or remains in Dimmitt will have the same satisfaction. We are a strong town. Together, we can build for the future, but we can't wait for the future-we have to plan for it today."

We can thank our lucky stars, and the Roosevelt Eagles, that the Bobcats got to play their area championship game Tuesday night in Levelland, instead of somewhere in the Land of Enchantment.

The Eagles, runners-up of District 3-AAA, had to go into a different time zone to play their bi-district game against Canutillo, champion of District 4-AAA.

were a crow and were to fly straight north from Canutillo, you'd go over Albuquerque and cross the Continental Divide west of Denver. If you were to fly straight south from Canutillo, you'd go right over Chihuahua, Chihuahua, Mex-

The Roosevelt-Canutillo bidistrict game was played in Carlsbad. If Canutillo had won. then the Bobcats would have had to play Canutillo Monday or Tuesday night for the area championship - probably in By Don Nelson

Carlsbad or Hobbs. But, luckily, Roosevelt won the game in overtime and saved us a trip of more than 400 miles on a weeknight.

If you ever get the urge to go to Canutillo and look around, go to Dodge City, Kan., or Pueblo, Colo., instead. They're

Have you ever really looked at those packets of full-color brochures that you receive Now, Canutillo is as far west regularly from your credit-card as you can go in Texas. If you companies? The packets offer all kinds of exotic goodies that (Continued on Page 18)

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US Weather Observer

Cats ease, Swifts breeze into region

Using a strong first half, the Dimmitt Bobcats eased into Friday's 3A regional tournament in Lubbock with a 68-66 win over Lubbock Roosevelt, while the Nazareth Swifts overcame a sluggish first quarter to post a 70-36 win over Spade to jump into the 1A regional tournament Friday in Levelland, in two area playoff games Tuesday at Levelland's Texan Dome.

The Swifts will play Claude Friday at 2 p.m. at the Dome, with the semifinals at 9:30 a.m. Saturday and the finals at 7 p.m. Saturday, while the Bobcats play at 7 p.m. Friday at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum, with the finals Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

The Bobcats used an almostperfect second quarter, when they shot 10-of-11 from the field and forged a 40-30 halftime lead, to provide the margin of victory over an Eagle team that stormed back from a 13-point third-quarter deficit to leave the Bobcats shaking their heads and holding their breaths as

Roosevelt's Jim Miller missed three 15-foot jumpers in the last 22 seconds, any of which could have tied the score.

"We played super in the first half," said a relieved Dimmitt Coach Kenneth Cleveland after the area game. "Pat got 10 jillion points (22 in the first half on 10-of-11 shooting), and it's not his fault we didn't play well in the second half, but we played poor defense and didn't hit our free throws (the Bobcats were 16-of-30 from the line, matching their field goal percentage for the game at

"I guarantee you, if you don't play well and you don't hit your free throws, you don't go to Austin, and we're going to have to play better than this. We let Roosevelt score way too many points, but they played super. We've just got to start hitting at the end."

McDonald ended up with 27 points in the game, which looked like a repeat of the earlier Nazareth contest, where the Swifts pulled away from the (Continued on Page 16)

Dimmitt woman dies of asphyxiation

Law enforcement authorities are investigating the death of an 18-year-old Dimmitt woman and the near-asphyxiation of a Dimmitt man Tuesday morn-

According to Justice of the Peace Marshall Young, Rachel Lara and Jessie Lara were found inside a car that was parked in a shop building at the Rafter 3 Feed Yard, six miles west and 11/2 miles south of Dimmitt, at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday by a Rafter 3 employee.

According to Young, the car's ignition switch was on, the gas tank was empty and the battery was run down when investigating officers arrived at the scene.

Young pronounced Rachel Lara dead at 7:20 a.m. Tuesday and ruled death by asphyxia-

Jessie Lara was listed in critical condition at High Plains Baptist Hospital in

Amarillo Wednesday morning. Jessie Lara was an employee at the feed yard, Young said.

Services for Rachel Lara will be at 3 p.m. today (Thursday) in the First Baptist Church in Hart with Rev. Roger Velasquez, pastor of Pentecostal Church of Hart, officiating. Burial will be in the Hart Cemetery, under the direction of Foskey Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

She was born in Plainview. Aug. 8, 1967, and moved to Dimmitt four years ago from Hart. She was employed at Town and Country Convenience Store in Dimmitt as a clerk. She was a member of the Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Crystal Nicole of the home; her mother, Sara Lara of the home; a sister, Elida Lara of the home; eight step-sisters and two step-brothers.

Touchstone of San Diego, Calif.! He will be on "Joker's Wild" Thursday, Feb. 27 at 11:30 a.m. on Channel 4 from Amarillo. Tobin will be on the program for six days, so be sure to watch. Tobin is married to Angela Ross and he is the son of Ann Touchstone of Paducah and Truman Touchstone of Dimmitt and the grandson of Oleta Walser.

Oma Dee Heard took her grandson, James White, to Canterbury Villa on Thursday morning where he sang "Jesus Loves Me" for the residents at the Nursing Home. Others singing were: Oma Dee Heard, Debbie Annen, Irene Carpenter, Zelma Smith, and Mary Edna Hendrix. Irene Carpenter brought the devotional.

Jo Gregory was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a fun day of bridge. Johnnie Vannoy won high score and Loranell Hamilton won second high. Others playing were: Bernice Hill, Cleo Forson, Elizabeth Huckabay, Louise Mears, Ferne Dickey, Edith Graef, Era Hickerson, Faun Welker and Oleda Schumacher.

Kathleen Foster celebrated her birthday by inviting a friend in for lunch and Kathleen and her mother, Gladys Leeth served a birthday cake.

The 65th Annual Session for Panhandle Pastors' and Laymen's Conference was held at Wayland Baptist University who attended from Dimmitt were Rev. Ken Cole, Milton Bagwell, Richard Young and a few members from the choir, Oma Dee and Tammy Heard, Mauzee Youts, Irene Carpenter, Sandra Bagwell, and Mary Edna Hendrix, who sang several selections with the "Caprock-Plains Area Choir" on Tuesday evening. Oma Dee took us in her van and Richard had a sack lunch for everyone to enjoy eating along with all the fruit and vegetables that Oma Dee furnished.

The Conference theme was "Revive Us Again" and some of the speakers were: Floyd Bradley from Plainview, Carlos McLeod from Dallas, Paul Powell of Tyler, Charles Davenport of Tulia, and Larry Heard from Idalou. Some who brought special music were: Kim Broadstreet of Tulia, Paul and Christy Newberry of Floydada, Fred Wilmer of Lubbock, Sylvia Ruiz of Plainview, Joe Bolin of Amarillo, Jennie Lynn Hodges of Plainview, and several special choirs: "Sounds of Praise" from Crosbyton, "Rejoice" from Wayland Baptist University and "Heartsong" a BSU singing group from West Texas State University in Canyon.

We visited with Clyde and Nancy Vaughn from Tulia at the conference. They were my parents' neighbors for several years. Dr. Forman from Tulia was also singing in the choir. We visited with Larry Heard after the service. He is Dan Heard's cousin.

"Good Morning America" devoted their entire program (two hours) on Friday morning giving a "Tribute to Texas" during the Texas Sesquicentennial Celebration. All during the program they played "The Yellow Rose of Texas.'

Prince Charles from England cut the huge birthday cake with 150 candles (made by the Colonial Bakery in San Antonio) in Austin and Gov. Mark White made a talk.

Dave Murray, the ABC Weatherman, was in Lubbock

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Congratulations to Tobin where he reported the weather from the Ranch and Heritage Headquarters at Texas Tech. Alvin Davis, president of the Heritage Center, made a short

> Tom Landry and his wife, Alicia, from Dallas were interviewed by David Hartman, as well as Luci Johnson Turpin from the LBJ Library in Austin.

> Steve Fox, a correspondent for ABC showed several pictures along the Rio Grande River from El Paso to Laredo where the river flows into the Gulf of Mexico. They also showed some members of the Border Patrol. They mentioned Ron Stewart and the Texas Rangers from Waco, Lloyd Bentsen, who is 92 and the father of Senator Bensten, and Charlie Dunn, a bootmaker.

> They showed several pictures of Billy Bob's nightclub in Fort Worth and talked with Rep. Jim Wright, the House Majority Leader. They showed scenes from the Livestock Show in Houston and interviewed Lewis Field, the Rodeo World Champion and Charmayne Jamer, the World Champion Barrel Racer.

> They interviewed Charles Long with the Alamo and the Mayor of San Antonio, and they showed pictures of the beautiful Azaleas in Tyler. They interviewed T. Boone Pickens from Amarillo in Beaumont and mentioned Willie Nelson and Kenny Rogers as the talented singers from

Pat George, the Fashion in Plainview on Monday and Editor with "Good Morning Tuesday, Feb. 17 and 18. Some America," presented some Texas Fashions. All in all, a lot of good publicity for Texas and the Sesquicentennial!

> I met Jeannie Dixon last Friday. She and her husband own and operate "The Hamburger Station" - a good place to get a hamburger.

> Cyndi Marsh and two of her friends from Tech, Jim Bob and Rae Ellen Salazar, were in

Dimmit on Thursday visiting Cyndi's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Marsh. They visited the museum and were interested in everything especially the windmill. Jim Bob and Rae Ellen are from El Paso and had not seen a windmill. I turned it on but the wind did not cooperate you know it takes a strong wind to turn a windmill.

with Mary Edna Hendrix. 647-3343

Ysleta Ball drove to Amarillo and took her aunt Ura Ysleta Ginn out to eat on her birthday.

Melanie and little Michael Fant were guests in the home of her parents, Bryce and Darlene Dowell, and grandparents, J.O. and Florence Carpenter.

Irene Carpenter went to Lubbock with the Dowells to take Melanie to the airport and while they were in Lubbock, they visited Darlene's sister and family, Kay and Leroy O'Brian and Teena.

Friday, Tammy, Alicia and Oma Dee Heard visited in Plainview with Tammy's grandmother Nadine Roach. They also visited with Joy Baker and Joy's mom, Ruthie Burrows, from Savre, Okla.

Dan and Oma Dee went to Amarillo to the Dinner Theater Saturday night. They enjoyed a delicious meal and saw a very good comedy "Captains Outrageous." This night out was a gift to the Heards.

P. L. Hoyler returned home Saturday night after spending three weeks in St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo. He had surgery and will be confined at home for awhile.

Steve McCord, missionary from Taejon, South Korea was a weekend visitor in Dimmitt and guest speaker at First Baptist Church Sunday morning. Debbie, his wife, and young daughter Mindy Lee, were unable to accompany him as Debbie is expecting their second child early next month. Steve directs church education in over 20 churches in the Taejon area. Taejon is a city of

800,000 people about 100 miles from Seoul, South Korea. After April 1, the McCords will be in Richmond, Va., where he will

be a resident missionary helping to introduce newly selected missionaries to their work. Steve and Debbie were staff members at First Baptist Church from January 1980 to August 1981, when he was call-(Continued on Page 3)



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IMA TUFF SHINY shown by Delle Moore (right) of Dimmitt was named High Point 1985 Mare at the Panhandle Quarter Horse Exhibitors Association banquet and the Golden Spread Quarter Horse Association banquet. Quincy's Degree, (not pictured) shown by Karla May of Dimmitt was named High Point Gelding in the PQHEA show. The PQHEA covers the entire 806 area code area. The GSQHA covers a 250 mile radius around Amarillo.



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MARCH 5-Bobby Reed, Olivia Ibarra, Tobin Touchstone, Rocky Kay, Shelly Mayhew, Kelly Mayhew, Todd Durham, Tammy Leatherwood, Danny Schilling, Walter Verkamp.

Congratulations to the Nazareth Swiftettes and their coaches on Saturday's I-IA regional win at South Plains College Texas Dome in Levelland. They will travel to Austin this week for the State playoffs. Good Luck.

Congratulations also to Theresa Wilhelm and Lee Kleman of the Nazareth High School Band who entered the UIL solo contest Feb. 22 at Texas Tech University. Lee played a class II, alto saxophone solo and earned a II rating. Theresa played a class I solo and received a I rating. This rating will move Theresa to the state solo level contest held June 2 in Austin. Good Luck.

The Nazareth contestants competed in the District playoffs of the Free throw contest Sunday afternoon in Hereford. Michael Schmucker of Nazareth will now go to San Antonio to compete next weekend. This contest is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Good Luck Michael.

On Feb. 19, Sister Louise Sharum, the prioress of the Benedictine Sisters at Fort Smith, Ark., visited with the Sisters from that community at Nazareth, Canyon, Amarillo

More about

On the go

(Continued from Page 2)

ed to be a missionary to Korea. The McCords will leave for South Korea in October to return to their field. While in Dimmitt this weekend, Steve was an overnight guest of Garner and Ysleta Ball and Debra. Steve enjoyed Sunday dinner and fellowship with Jack and Charlene Howell.

The William Hall Chorale will be heard in concert at Plainview next Thursday at 8 p.m. People with Castro County Community Concert Association tickets may use them at this concert.

There will be a Stress Management Seminar on Thursday, March 6, at 7 p.m. at the Castro County Expo Building.



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Prioresses in Boerne, Texas. Sister Rosalie Ruesewald, the vocation director of the Benedictines, held an informal meeting with the high school girls in Nazareth. She showed films of the life and work of the sisters and of the convent in

and Lubbock. From here, she

will be attending a meeting for

Fort Smith. Sister Cordelia and Corinne Lange of Amarillo visited at the home of their brother, Joe and Dorothy Lange, over the weekend. Sister Martha Loran accompanied them and visited with the Langes and the

Greg and Tinie Hoelting and George and Mary Brockman went to Amarillo Sunday to celebrate the 72nd birthday of dinner was hosted by the Albracht children.

Leonard Gerber is still a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital, where he is recuperating from surgery. We wish him a speedy recovery.

We enjoyed visiting with Albert and Rita Hartman of Wheeler after church Sunday morning. They were in Levelland over the weekend for basketball playoffs.

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

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1 - REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND

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TAKE UP PAYMENTS on two- and three-bedroom homes. Qualify by phone. Call 381-1352, collect. 1-21-3tc

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HOUSE FOR SALE. To be moved. Large, wood frame, 705 SW Third. 1-23-2tc

TRAILER HOUSE for sale. 14' wide, to be moved. Needs some repair. \$2,500.938-2166. 1-23-4tc

2 — FOR RENT

NICE TWO BEDROOM, fenced, storage shed, \$275. Three bedroom, fenced yard, \$300. Deposit, references. 1-655-7360. 2-11-tfc

2 - FOR RENT

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6-AUTOMOTIVE

FOR SALE: 1979 Ram Charger. Last opportunity, only \$3,000. See at 210 NW 11th or call after 6 p.m. 647-5380.

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12-NOTICES

IF ALCOHOL is causing a problem in your life, call Al-Anon, 647-5219, or

14—CARDS OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to all the kind people of Dimmitt and close friends who were kind and wonderful to us in our sudden loss of our beloved husband and father, Alejandro Martinez.

Thank you for the flowers and food and prayers and personal expressions of sympathy.

Our special Thanks to Brother Van Earl Hughes and Brother Ruben Velasquez and to Plains Memorial Hospital and staff and Canterbury

Villa and all the employees. FROM THE FAMILY OF JULIA AGUILAR, ROLANDO.

RUBEN & ABEL MARTINEZ THE GUERRA FAMILY THE OLTIVEROS FAMILY THE LOPEZ FAMILY 14-23-1tp

15 — LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids addressed to the City of Dimmitt, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 11:00 a.m. on March 14th, 1986, and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for constructing hangar aprons at the Dimmitt Municipal Airport.

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

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered.

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

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

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

CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS By: Wayne Collins, Mayor

15-LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE FOR INSURANCE BIDS Notice is hereby given that the Castro County Commissioners Court will receive bids until 10:00 A.M., Monday, March 10, 1986 to provide insurance coverage for Castro County. Coverage will be for a three year period.

A description of present coverage together with other needed information can be obtained by contacting Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr., at the Courthouse, Dimmitt, Texas, phone 806-647-4451.

All bids will be opened and read aloud at 10:30 A.M., March 10, 1986. Castro County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive for-

-s-Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. MRS. M. L. SIMPSON, JR. Castro County Judge Castro County, Texas 15-23-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

Plains Memorial Hospital intends to provide a minimum of \$47,000 of free or reduced-cost care during the fiscal year beginning May 1, 1986, to applicants who are approved for financial assistance under the Hill-Burton Act. This notice is published in accordance with Federal regulations governing the administration of free and reduced-15-23-1tc cost care.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Hart ISD will take bids for the addition of one room to a school house. Bids will be opened Monday, March 10, 1986 at 8:00 p.m. Specifications may be obtained by contacting J. B. Wilson, Superintendent, Hart ISD, (806) 938-2143, P. O. Box 490, Hart, TX 79043.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

For Commissioner, Pct. 2 Edd Wilson (incumbent) Dale Winders

For Commissioner, Pct. 4 Fred Acker Vincent Guggemos (incumbent) Jerry Wilhelm

For County Judge Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. (incumbent)

For County-District Clerk Joy Jones (incumbent)

For County Treasurer Oleta Raper (incumbent)

For Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2 Marshall Young (incumbent) Judge Baldridge

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ALFRED SAMMANN 647-2217



Financial management seminars set in Dimmitt

The Castro County Family Living Committee, in cooperation with the Extension Service, is presenting a pair of seminars dealing with stress and financial management in the next two weeks in Dim-

Dr. Wayne Hayenga, ag economist and attorney for the Extension Service specializing in ag finance, income tax and estate planning, will speak on debt restructuring, refinancing, asset restructuring, liquidation, sale-lease back and last choice-bankruptcy and tax implication associated with actions taken, at the financial seminar slated Thursday, Mar. 13 from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m. at

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients In Hospital: Chuck

Braafladt, Cruz Castillo, Anna

Mays.

the Expo Building.

Dorothy Taylor, extension family life specialist dealing in family relations, value clarification, stress, management, career development, crisis management and mental well-being, will speak at the stress seminar slated next Thursday night from 7 until 9 at the Expo Building.

Taylor will speak on causes and symptoms of stress and coping with stress on the fami-

All persons interested in either subject area, especially anyone involved in agriculture. are invited to attend the seminars.

Who's New?

It's a girl for Tommy and Sherri Kenworthy :f Dimmitt. She was born at 6:05 a.m. Tuesday at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed 7 lbs., 1/2 oz., was 19 inches long and has been named Shavla Jenea. She has two older sisters, Shawna and Sharla. Grandparents are Donald and Katy Wright of Dimmitt, Janice Burke of Atlanta, Ga. and the late Buck Kenworthy.

Jim and Sandee Hoelting of Nazareth are the parents of a baby boy, Monte Raymond, born Feb. 17 at 1:18 a.m. in Plains Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs., 14 oz. and was 20 inches long. He has four older brothers, Cory, Wade, Nathan and Barry, and a sister, Whitney. Grandparents are Sylvia Hoelting and Albert and Virgie Gerber of Nazareth. Greatgrandmothers are Katherine Dirks of Plainview and Meta Stork of Nazareth.



Medeles, Sherri Kenworthy. Patients Dismissed: Mae Cox, Sandee Hoelting, Estela Leyva, Willie Mae Radford, Alene Lilley, Joe Balderaz III, Susan Coleman, Petra Medrano, Pablo Pena, Veronica Casas, J. B. Raper. Lena Allen, Don Dillard, Reid Fry, Cleve McLain, Frank Elder, Nelly Aguilar, Bob Hitting a happy note with many parents-electronic keyboards that make Ellis, Leland Jennings, Eric learning music fun. CONVENIENCE STORES PRICES EFFECTIVE

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Castro County Sesquicentennial Quilt block winner

Langford wins county Quilting Bee

Claudine Langford of Dimmitt was recently named the Castro County winner in the Texas 1986 Sesquicentennial Quilting Bee and displayed her quilt Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon.

The Quilting Bee is cosponsored by the museum and the Texas Agricultural Extension service.

The Quilting Bee is the final event in the 1985-86 Panhandle wide Sesquicentennial Quilting Project. Quilt block competitions have been held in the top 26 counties, with local quilters entering their own special quilt blocks designed to represent a specific characteristic of each quilter's own county.

The top blocks were chosen in each county by panels of judges. Entries were evaluated on overall appearance,

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The food plan was easy for me to

follow and the products were an aid in

my weight reduction. I particularly

enjoyed the lemon drink in the

My family is excited with the progress

I've made. Mother calls me her "little

girl" again, and my husband

compliments me, and my daughters are

worried that "Mom" will get smaller

Carolyn Curtis

than they are.

met my goal, and you can, too!

workmanship, originality of design, adherence of theme, appropriateness of material and use of color.

The first-place blocks arrived in Canyon at the museum, where they will become part of a queen-size Sesquicentennial Quilt. Each county will have a block and the remaining four blocks will represent the museum, the Extension service, the Sesquicentennial and the Panhandle.



MARY CLUCK

Grand Opening!

Hart, Texas 79043

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ENMU names Nazareth students to dean's list

Two Nazareth students have been named to the Dean's list at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, N.M.

for the 1985 fall semester. LaDawn Schmucker and Russell Hoelting, freshmen at ENMU, are among 423 students at the university to be

named to the list. Eastern students receive one 3.25 to 3.59 GPA.

of four designations as a dean's honor roll student and are graded on a 4.0 scale. Summa cum laude students have a 3.8 to 4.0 grade point average, while magna cum laude recipients have a 3.7 to 3.79 GPA. Cum laude students hold a 3.6 to 3.69 GPA and students receive honors if they have a

PCCA sets concert

The Plainview Community Concert Association will present the William Hall Chorale

Eastern Star sets meeting

The Order of the Eastern Star will hold a special meeting Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

Noma Lou Rainer of Floydada, Deputy Grand Matron will attend the meeting.

in concert next Thursday at 8 p.m. in Harral Memorial Auditorium at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

The concert will include performances of choral literature ranging from the classic masterworks to opera choruses, musical comedies, spirituals and folk songs and a revue of American musical theater.

This is the third program in the 1985-86 series.

Admittance is by membership cards from the Plainview, Dimmitt and Hereford Community Concerts Association.

Reed wins scholarship

Keith Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reed of Hart, has been selected by the Golf Course Superintendent's Association of America as one of eight recipients for a scholarship awarded at the annual convention in San Francisco which was held Jan. 28 through Feb. 2.

The award is open to persons majoring in turf grass management or related areas.

Reed is a junior at Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, Okla., and is majoring in turf management.

He was selected to the Presi-

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He is a 1978 graduate of Hart High School. He attended West Texas State University in Canyon until 1980. After being out of college for five years, he enrolled in OSU to complete his education.

He is married to the former Teri Wilcoxson of Gage, Okla. They have one son, Chris.

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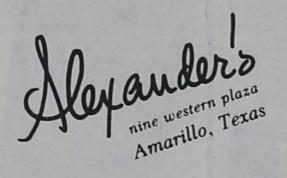
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Voting places for the May 30 election will be designated for each town. A voter must be



Poppy Hulsey

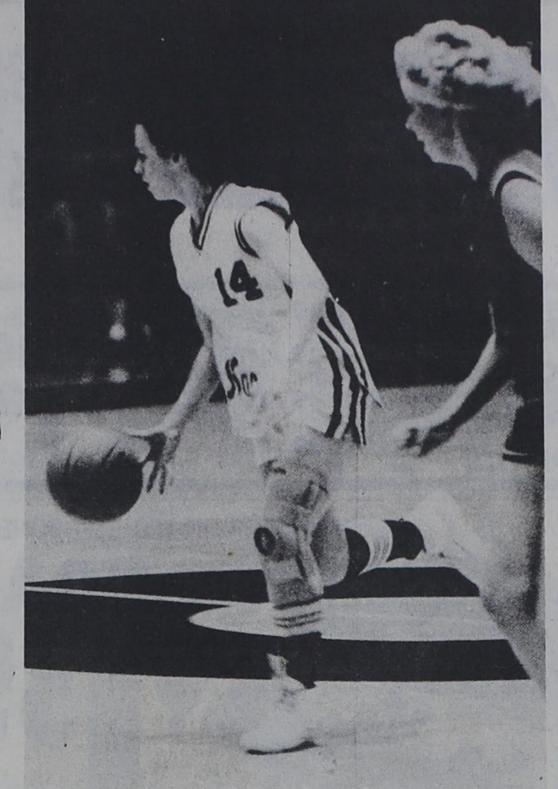
Poppy Hulsey of Dimmitt registered to vote in Texas and be 60 years of age or older as of

Hulsey came to Tulia as the The TSHL will consist of 116 bride of W. K. (Kirk) Hulsey 45 elected representatives, with years ago. They have been engaged in farming and ranching, an operation begun in the early 1890's by his grandparents. They are the parents of four children and have hosted two foreign exchange students, a boy from New Zealand and a girl from West Pakistan.

She was the editor of the Swisher County History Book, "Windmilling" and was named "Woman of the Year" by Tulia Chamber of Commerce in 1977. She was presented the "distinguished Service

Award" in 1979 by West Texas State University. She is currently serving on the private Industry Council of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission for the Tulia Industrial Foundation and is representing Swisher Electric Cooperative, serving as a consultant.

"Some of the issues we are addressing in this campaign include displaced workers, older workers and job training," said Hulsey. "My participation in this program gives me knowledge that I think I can use as we seek solutions to older Texans' problems.'



AND AWAY WE GO!—Nazareth's CeCe Kern breaks upcourt after stealing a Motley County pass in the Region I-A semifinals Saturday morning in Levelland. The Swiftettes defense held the Lady Matadors to just 10 points in the first half while getting a lot of transition baksets on plays such as this. Nazareth won by a lopsided 73-40 count.

Senior Citizens

Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones and is open day, Monday, and Wednesday Monday through Friday from 9 at 10 a.m. a.m. to 4 p.m. Quilting, crafts, and table games are daily activities. A nutritious meal is served daily from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bridge will be played today, Friday, and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge will be

Cancer

Castro County Senior played on Monday evening. Exercise classes are held Fri-

> Eastern Star will be using the building on Friday evening.

There is a noontime Bible

study every Monday. There will be an evening of table games on Tuesday begin-

ning at 6:30 p.m.

open to everyone who is 50 years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, color, race, ethnic background, nadenominational preference, political party, economic status, or handicap.

Society

The Castro County Unit of the American Cancer Society met Feb. 15 for a special Service and Rehabilitation Workshop presented by Kaye Dickey, District 15 Service/Rehabilitation Trainer.

Val Davis, who is a member of the Service/Rehabilitation Committee with the Castro County Unit arranged for Dickey to present the workshop.

Members of the Service/Rehabilitation Committee of the Castro County Unit are Shelly Rice, chairman and contact person; Davis, Bettye Huckabay, Betty Vaughan, Linda Grand, Juanita Bruegel and Doris Lindsey.

The goal of the workshop was to educate volunteers in services available to the community and the rules of confidentiality between cancer patient and volunteer.

A "Keys to Services" for Castro County will be placed in local businesses, doctor's offices, the hospital and post offices in Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth. There will be services listed from the American Cancer Society and other services available to the community in health and financial related fields.

Dedication set Sunday

The First Baptist Church of Dimmitt will hold a Dedication Service for their new organ Sunday at 3 p.m. in the church auditorium.

David Lowe, organist for the First Baptist Church in Amarillo, will be the guest organist. Janis Mooney Davis, a former Dimmitt resident who is now pianist for the Amarillo church, will accompany Lowe on the piano.

Everyone is invited to attend the service.

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Mar. 14 is deadline for ordering trees

March 14 is the deadline for RWSWCD is ordering both ordering trees from the Runn- hardwood and evergreen seedling Water Soil and Water Conservation District office in Dimmitt, according to District Technician Lilly Nicholson.

"Some species of trees are already sold out, and the closer we get to the deadline the fewer varieties there will be available. We will try to have a Membership in the Center is few extra trees, but everyone that wants a special variety should place their order as soon as possible," Nicholson said.

All of the small seedlings (1 tional origin, religion, to 3 ft.) can be ordered over the phone, but no less than 30 potted or 50 bare-root trees can be ordered in that size.

> The one-gallon potted trees require payment in advance, and are \$5 each with no minimum order.

35 species have been available in the past, but several have sold out. ings, and anyone may order the

To order trees, call the district office at 647-4324 or go by the office at SW Third and Bedford in Dimmitt.

Hart senior citizens set Mar. 11 meet

Hart senior citizens will meet for lunch and fellowship at 12 noon Tuesday, March 11 in the Community Room of the Farmers State Bank of Hart, weather permitting.

Nurses will be on hand to check blood pressures, and all Hart-area senior citizens are urged to attend.

LVN test set next Thursday The Licensed Vocational

Nursing (L.V.N.) aptitude test will be given next Thursday beginning at 8 a.m. in Room 104 of the Muncy Building, 708 Yonkers in Plainview.

Anyone wishing to take the test must have completed an application for admission. Application for admission forms may be obtained from the office in Room 101C at the Muncy Building or by calling 296-5521, ext. 548.

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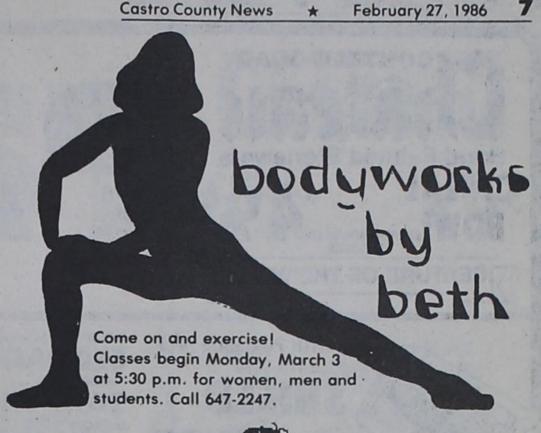
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SWIMMING UPSTREAM is easy, compared with trying to get the ball upcourt against the Nazareth Swiftettes' full-court press, as the Motley County Lady Matadors (dark uniforms) learn during second-quarter action in the Region I-A semifinals game Saturday morning at Levelland. Swiftettes, from left, are

Mona Heiman, Gail Birkenfeld, Annette Schmucker and Traci Hill. Nazareth's trapping tactics forced a traveling call against the Lady Matadors on this play. The Swiftettes won the game handily, 73-40, en route to their 10th regional championship in 11

Babbling Brooks

By JOHN BROOKS

Not that many years ago . . . I was a fat kid trying to learn how to swim. At the time, there was only one place in Dimmitt to swim, and just two people to teach you, Kenneth and Libby Cleveland.

I was 10 years old - old enough to be deathly afraid of the water. Since I had almost drowned three years before and an uncle pulled me out of a swimming pool, my fears were compounded.

Kenneth and Libby were extra-patient with me. They didn't have to be, because there were a lot of other kids who were willing to learn, but they saw I had a problem and chose not to ignore me, but to work with me.

Since I looked like a buoy out in the ocean, they taught me how to float, because that was easy. It was easy, and I eventually became a little less afraid, and finally kinda began to swim.

Then came the big test. It was the last day of the lessons, and I decided I wanted to jump off the diving board. Kenneth had already gotten out of the water and dried off, but that didn't make me any difference —I wasn't jumping into that deep pool unless he was out there waiting for me.

"Okay, John, I'll do it," Kenneth said, "but only if you jump." "Okay, Coach, I'll do it." So Kenneth grabbed an inflated innertube and plunged into the water, then swam out

to the middle. I walked to the end of the diving board. And I panicked. "Come on, John," Kenneth and Libby urged. But I wouldn't go. I stood up there for 10 minutes while Kenneth shivered in the water, but I

wouldn't do it. Kenneth didn't say a word about my not jumping. But he did mention that he was proud I had worked up enough courage to try to learn to swim.

Kenneth and Libby have been patient with a lot of other kids over the years. This is his twenty-third basketball season in Dimmitt, and he's seen all kinds of changes - in kids, basketball and life - but he's not changed that much. He's still patient with every one of them, still trying to teach them the lessons they need to learn to play basketball like he tried to teach me how to swim, and he's out there in that gym every day waiting to help anyone just like he was out there in that pool trying to cajole me off the diving board.

Fortunately, he's been a lot more successful teaching kids to take the basketball plunge than fat little swimmers like me to take the diving plunge.

I guarantee you he couldn't have done any of what he's done without Libby.

Now, with some luck, he's going to do something this weekend that has been accomplished by very, very few people - win 700 basketball games. If the Bobcats win the regional championship, it will

be Ken's - and Libby's -700th win as a varsity basketball coach, with 665 of those wins coming in Dimmitt.

have done well wherever he had gone, but I don't think Dimmitt would have been as well off if he had gone somewhere else. The man is respected by his peers, and that might say more than anything else can say about the man. In some places people jeer, but that's because they're jealous. In other places, people he has seen at basketball games but has never really met come and shake his hand and say 'hi,' just because they know him for what he is.

He's earned their respect and if the Bobcats win the regional championship this weekend, he will have earned it 700 times.

About the same time I was a fat little swimmer, I was also a fat little third baseman, all bat and no arm, struggling through the minor leagues, spending afternoons in the back of a car going from field to field to try to hit more balls than I let go by me in the field.

Usually, coaches tried to hide their worst fielders in the outfield, but I was too slow - I

was born with a piano on my back. I also had a very weak arm. Some people have a "lollipop" arm - I had a box Kenneth probably would full of all-day suckers for an

> My bat was good, though, and the coaches had to play me. One of my teammates was a pretty good ballplayer even though I was a grizzled veteran and he was a rookie, he was one of my closest friends on the team, and had all the tools. Usually, I'd bat fourth and he'd bat fifth. Unless I got lucky and hit the ball so far I could waddle all the way around the bases and score, he was assured of someone getting on base so he could advance the waddler, er, runner.

> Johnny Hampton would usually hit the ball far enough for me to at least rumble to third, and sometimes I'd put on a big burst of speed and actually score. One time he passed me - I had started from second, he had been the batter so my run didn't count.

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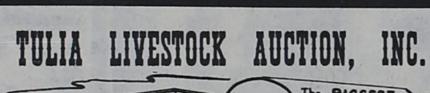




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Twenty-nine residents of the community, representing 20 homes, met at the community building Tuesday night and formed a Community Crime Watch. Deputy Frank Valdez of the Castro County Sheriff's Department presented the program, assisted by Fidel M. Reyes Jr. of the Hereford Sheriff's Office, and Glen Snitker, deputy. The community was divided into four zones. Lee Bradley will be the Community Coordinator; Roger Sanders the Zone Captain for the southwest part of the com-munity; Gerald Elkins the Zone Captain for the southeast part of the community; R. V. Bills the Zone Captain for the northwest part; and Matt Gilbreath Zone Captain for the northeast part of the community. Signs will be posted on the highways that our property is being watched and machinery and personal property will be marked.

Gale and Verna Sadler were honored at the annual Recognition Day Chapel at Wayland Baptist University recently. Gale was named recipient of the Master of Business Administration award from the Division of Business and Verna was presented the Business Administration award. She is a senior and has been named to Alpha Chi National Honor Society and has been on the dean's honor roll throughout her career at Wayland.

Rev. Bentley and Kathy Gwyn and Holly attended the 65th annual session of the Panhandle Pastor's and Laymen's Conference at Wayland in Plainview Monday and Tuesday.

Hershel and Retha Wilson. Verba Sadler and Teeny Bowden attended the funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Simpkins at Lee Street Baptist Church in Dimmitt Saturday morning. She and her family moved to the Sunnyside community in 1941. Her husband, Walter, farmed the Dwight Axtell place. He died in 1943, but J.B. and Buck Raper, her older sons, continued to farm the place for several years. Mrs. Simpkins would have been 92 April 1.

Winston and Judy Waggoner and Molly Gay, Mike and Michele Bell, Zachary and Michaele, Rick and Susie Bell, Caleb and Kacie, and Coby and Connie Gilbreath attended the Bobcat-Borger game Tuesday night at the Tascosa Gym in Amarillo. All the Bells and Matt Gilbreath and Coby and Connie Gilbreath attended the Bobcat-Dalhart bi-district game at the WTSU Fieldhouse in Canyon Friday night.

Rick and Susie Bell bought a new double-wide mobile home from the factory and moved to their lot this week. Some work was done on it this week, but it will be a week or two before it will be ready for them to move into. Mike and Michele, Zachary and Michaele will move into Dimmitt during the' spring break. They have purchased a house in town.

Verba Sadler played with the Hereford Bluegrass Group at Canterbury Villa in Dimmitt Saturday afternoon. She and Ezell hosted the group for a chicken fry in their home Saturday night.

Erin Bridges was on the Springlake-Earth sixth grade "A" Honor Roll for the last six weeks and Christy Gwyn was on the "B" roll. Brannon Byers was on the seventh grade "B" roll.

The Sunnyside Volunteer Fire Department met Monday night at the community building. Rev. Bentley Gwyn became a new member. They responded to a barn fire southwest of Sunnyside recently but the Springlake Fire Department and neighbors were already taking care of the

Larry and Sharon Sadler and Ezell and Verba Sadler attended the funeral services of the father-in-law of a cousin, Jim-

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my Grisham, in Rotan Sunday afternoon.

Snow was still in the west bar ditch north of Sunnyside Sunday night attesting to the depth of some drifts from our recent snow.

Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler spent the day Sunday with her aunt, Buna Gerlach, and her daughter and her husband in Memphis.

R.V. and Bess Bills kept their grandchildren, David and Angie Bills last Sunday through Wednesday while Larry and Debbie were in Dallas where he was honored by the National Grain Sorghum Producers Association for winning the Irrigated Division yield contest for his 144.78 bushels per acre of DeKalb 69 corn. He received two plaques, one trophy, \$500, and a trip to Hawaii in December.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn brought the Bible study for the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in Dimmitt Tuesday.

Willie Mae Sadler and Ethel Weiland attended the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary meeting in Dimmitt Wednesday morning.

R.V. and Bess Bills attended a birthday party honoring their great-granddaughter, Beckie Brownd, daughter of Dickie and Elaine Brownd in Earth Sunday afternoon.

Willie Mae Sadler visited in Earth Saturday afternoon with Mary Shultz and Howard and Monarae Cummings.



JAMES ALEXANDER caps a four-man steal-and-break play with a driving layup to give Dimmitt's Bobcats a 21-10 lead over the Dalhart Wolves in the second quarter of the bidistrict championship game Friday night in Canyon. Alexander finished with 16 points as the Bobcats won handily, 95-56.

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1-1978 John Deere 4640 Tractor, P.S., Weights, F.C., A.C., Heater, Q.H., With 18.4X42 Tires & Duals

1-1978 John Deere 4640 Tractor, P.S., Weights, F.C., A.C., Heater, Q.H., With 18.4X38 Tires & Duals 1-1978 M.F. 2705 Tractor, 24 Sp., P.S., A.C., F.C.

Dual Remote, 20.8X58 Rubber PICKUPS & JEEPS:

1-1978 Ford F-150 Custom Pickup, L.W.B., 4 Speed Trans., 6 Cylinder, 300 C.C. Motor 1-1979 Ford F-150 Custom Pickup, L.W.B., Auto.

1-1981 Ford F-150 Ranger Pickup, L.W.B., Auto. Trans.

1-1982 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Scottsdale Pickup With LPG 1-1979 (4X4) Jeep Pickup 1-1948 (4X4) Jeep

FARM MACHINERY:

1-John Deere Maxi Merge Planter, 12 Row, 30", With Insecticide Boxes & Sprayer, AHN & Monitor. Plateless (Very Good) 1-Miller Offset, 21'

1-John Deere, Model N. 825, 12 Row, 30" Cultivator With Fenders (Like New)

1-Krause 28' Hyd. Fold Tandem, Model No. 1956 1-John Deere 400 Rotary Hoe, 30

1-Rhino 10' H.D. Blade, Double Cylinder, 3-pt., Mode 1-Hamby Cultivator, 12 Row, 30", Triple Bar, With

Heavy Duty Gauge Wheels, 30' 8-John Deere Flex 71 Planters, 4"X4" 1-Hamby Field Cultivator, 32', 3-pt. & Hamby Harrow.

With Hard Surface Sweeps & Fold-Up Wings 1-Wylie 1000 Gallon Water Tank, Poly Glass On Tandem Axle Trailer, With 3 H.P. B & S Engine &

1-Wylie Front Mount Sprayer, 200 Gallon Tank, With Electric Controls & Ace Pump 1-Wylie Front Mount Sprayer. 300 Gallon Tank With

Ace Pump 1-Tye 4 Row Ripper Bedder 1-Hamby A.A. Applicator, 30', Triple Bar, With Chisels, Excellent, Like New

1-Servis 1310, 4 Row Shredder (Excellent) 1-Spray Boom, 12 Row, 30"

1-Hamby 6 Row, NH3 Rig With Nitrolator 1-Bingham Bros. Row Weeder, 12-30" 1-Bingham Bros. 30' Knuckle Marker 1-Wylie 12 Volt Portable Sprayer 1-3-pt. Cherry Picker With Cylinder H.D.

1-40', 6" Grain Auger 1-20', 6" Grain Auger 1-Eversman 3-pt. V-Ditcher 1-John Deere 3X16" Rollover Breaking Plow

Deere Harrow (Nice)

1-Rhino 8', 3-pt. Blade 1-Hancock Float 1-3 Bottom Oliver Breaking Plow 1-John Deere 33', 1610 Chisel Plow, With John

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1-Continental 3 Ton Cherry Picker 1-Victor Cutting Torch With Cart, Less Bottles 1-Quincy Air Compressor 5 H.P. With 120 Gallon Tank

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1-Rolling Shop Seat 1-Homelite Chain Saw 1-Shop Vise, 412" Jaws (Atholl) 1-Shop Table. 30"X8"

1-Portable Air Tank 4-Parts Bends With Bolts & Etc. 1-Electric (Makita) Miter Saw, 10" 1-Ammco Tire Changer & Spreader 1- 14 H.P. Craftsman Grinder (Table)

1-Herbi Hand Sprayer 2-3" Chain Hoist Trolleys 1-Black and Decker Bit Grinder 1-Super 21 Fence Charger

1-Black and Decker 752" Electric Hand Saw 1-20 Amp. Battery Charger (Sure Fire) 1-Milwaukee 'Sawzall' Saw 1-Starline 235 Arc Welder 1-Craftsman 10' Table Saw With Blade 1-4" Cross Slide Vise

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT:

1-Squeeze Chute, Portable

1-20 Ton Hydraulic Jack

1-14' Hale Tandem Stock Trailer 1-10' Single Axle Horse Trailer 1-10' Stock Tank 16-10'X6' Steel Corral Panels 4-Steel Hay Racks 4-Cattle Oilers 1-10' Hay Rack

IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT & **MOTORS:**

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1-250 Kawasaki Tricycle Field Sprayer With 2-11 Gallon Tanks

1-Barrel Gulf Universal Tractor Oil 1-Barrel Gulf X H D. Motor Oil 30 Weight 2-8' Fluorescent Lights. New 1-All Steel Box Car. 48' (Located 1/4 Mile East Of

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2-4 Drawer Filing Cabinets 1-Lot Assorted Sweeps

TOOL MAKEUPS &

MISCELLANEOUS:

1-Lot Fertilizer Shanks With Chisels

1-Tire Spreader, Manley MFG Division

1-Set Snap-On Duals, 18.4X38

6-IHC Lister Beams

1-Lot Various Sizes New & Used Tires (Mostly 15") 1-Lot All Kinds NH3 Shanks & Clamps

1-214 Diamond Toolbar, With Gauge Wheels & 3-pt.

2-Single Stand Gas Pumps With Dollar & Gallon

1-Storage Shed On Skids. With 3 Doors, 10'7"X7'2"

1-All Steel Crew Rider With Tool Compartment &

Fuel Tank To Be Mounted On Truck

2-2 Wheel Fertilizer Tank Carts, With Hitch, 11 25X24

Owners — ROBERT MYERS & OTHERS Tuesday, March 4, 1986 — Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.

1-6 Row Knifing Sled With Bigham Bros. Rodweeder,

1-7 Row John Deere Lister, Double Diamond Bar.

1-6 Row Double Diamond Bar Cultivator, With 1X3

Shanks & 4X212 Shanks, With Koll-A-Cone H.D.

Planter, With Dual Gauge Wheels & Metal Boxes

1-John Deere 6 Row. Double Diamond Bar Buster

With Row Markers & Coulters, With H.D.

Roll-A-Cone Gauge Wheels

1-6 Row Knifing Sled (Good)

1-6 Row. IHC. 3-pt. Cultivator (Good)

1-IHC 4 Row Front Mount Cultivator

1-Drag Type Corsicana Blade On Wheels

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1-#11. IHC. 4 Row Buster Planter & Stabilizer

75 H.P. Mercury Motor With Electric Start

HARVEST EQUIPMENT:

1-Fleet Craft 15' Fiberglass Boat & Motor. With Trailer.

1-560 IHC I.PG. With 24-A Hesston Stripper With IHC

1-IHC M Farmall (Gasl, With 21 Stripper & Triangle

1-P/W 3-pt. Ditch Filler

Gauge Wheels

1-4 Row Crustbuster

5-Wood Cotton Trailers

With Hamby Gauge Wheels With Hamby 1X3 Shanks

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TRACTORS & COMBINES:

1-1976 1175 Case, With A/C, Htr., Stereo. 18.4X38 Good Rubber, 1100-16 Front Rubber, With 11 Suitcase Weights

1-901 H/C Select-O-Speed Ford, 1959 Model 1-VIC-High Boy With Ferguson Drive Train 1-1976, 760 Massey Combine, With Cab. A/C. Hydrostat Drive, 6 Cylinder Engine, With 24'

Platform, 24.5X32 Rubber, 14L-16-15L Rear Rubber

PICKUPS & CAR:

(Low Hours)

1-1974 % Ton Club Cab IHC Pickup, With 4 Speed Trans., V-8, Radio, Htr., 7.50X16 Rubber, Flatbed

& Headache Rack (Clean) 1-1979 F-150 Custom Ford 12 Ton, With 302 V-8 Automatic Engine, Htr. (Clean)

1-1974 El Camino Classic, New Automatic Trans., New Ex System, New Tires, With Radio, A/C. Htr. & 1-1979 LTD Ford, 4 Door, 302 V-8, With Overhaul

AM/FM Radio-Cassette Player, Automatic Trans.,

New Tires (Nice)

FARM MACHINERY: 1-6 Row, 4X4 Bigham Bros. Bar Center Furrow Rig. With 1X3 Shanks, 3-pt., With H.D. Gauge Wheels 1-John Deere 60 Buster Planter, With Metal Boxes & Guide Cones, With 4X7 Bar & Single Gauge Wheels 1-Roll-A-Cone 6 Row Rotary Hoe With Hamby Gangs

1-Moline 14'2" Tandem Disc 1-Double Diamond Bar 13 Shank Hoeme, With Gauge Wheels & 3-pt.

1-Sam Stephens 12 Row Sandfighter, With Hyd. Wings

1-21', H.C., 4X4 Chisel, With H.D. Gauge Wheels &

1-24'6" Grain Auger

1-11'4" Grain Auger, With % H.P. Motor

1-Pickup Fuel Tank, L-Shape With Pump

1-800 Gallon Fuel Tank 1-150 Gallon Fuel Tank With Stand 1-500 Gallon Butane Tank, 200 PSI On Chassis

1-1000 Gallon Water Tank, With Aqua Master Pump, 3 H.P. Motor, With Linco Axles

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IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT: 15-Joints 6' Gated Pipe 1-AMC 258 6 Cylinder Irrigation Motor

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3-Barrel Pumps & Hoes

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1-ITC Citizen Adding Machine 2-Check Protectors By Paymaster 2-Moore Statement Receipt Savers 1-Ennis Statement Receipt Saver 1-Columbia Statement Receipt Saver

1-Transit

I-Makita Sander Grinder

1-Addressograph Machine **MISCELLANEOUS:** Several Small Items

THIS SALE WILL FEATURE MANY OTHER NEW CONSIGNMENTS NOT LISTED.

1-Large Lot: Screwdrivers, Hammers, Punches, Chisels, Files, Crowbars, Bolt Cutters, Bearing Pullers, Pliers, Channel Locks, Allen Wrenches, Drill Bits, Ratchets, Socket Sets (All Sizes), Tape Measures, Saws

1-Black and Decker Sander Grinder, 41/2"

Owners — THOMAS BROTHERS

Saturday, March 8, 1986 — Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATION: From Lockney, Texas — Intersection U.S. 70 and F.M. 378 North, 1 mile North to Intersection Texas 97 and F.M. 378 then 1 mile East on 97, then 11/2 miles North on Dirt Road, then 1/2 mile East.

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TRACTORS & COMBINES:

1-1973 John Deere 4630 1-1968 John Deere 4020, With Cab & Fenders 1-1974 IHC 1566 1-1967 IHC 1206 With Cab

1-M.F. 65 LP 2-John Deere 105 Combines, Gas, With 20' Platforms

GRAIN TRUCKS & PICKUPS: 1-1963 Chevrolet 60 Grain Truck, 16' King Bed (All

Steel), 8.00X20 Rubber, S.A., V-8, 4 Sp.-2 Sp.
1-1962 Ford F-600 Grain Truck, 20' All Steel Kiser Bed,
Tandem Axle, 8.25X20 Rubber, V-8, 4 Sp.-2 Sp.
1-1980 Ford F-100 ½ Ton L.W.B. Pickup, A/C, Auto.

Trans., 351 Engine
1-1976 Chevrolet Custom Deluxe 20, % Ton Pickup,
350 Engine, Auto. Trans., A/C, Bush Guard
1-1974 Ford F-100 ½ Ton L.W.B. Pickup, 351 Engine,

EQUIPMENT:

1-S and S 8 Row Cultivator, 4X4 Bar, L.T.M., H.D. Gauge Wheels
2-John Deere 400, 8 Row Rotary Hoes
4-John Deere 850 One-Ways, 16
1-1000 Gallon Water Tank On John Deere Chassis,

1-1000 Gallon Water Tank On John Deere Chassis, With 3 H.P. B and S Engine, Pump 1-Krause Tandem, 21', With Spring Foldup Wings 1-Hamby 33' Hyd. Foldup Hoeme 4X4 Bar, High Clearance, Dual & Single Gauge Wheels 1-S and S 8 Row Bar, With Hamby 8 Row Rodweeder & Markers, H.D. Gauge Wheels 1-Bar Ditch One-Way Plow, 3-pt. 1-Tye Planter 8 Row, On S and S 4X4 Bar, With H.D. Gauge Wheels

Gauge Wheels
-Hancock 8 Yard Dirt Mover With Chain Elevator 1-Service 2 Row Shredder, H.P., 3-pt. 1-Bush Hog 4 Row Shredder 3-1HC Grain Drills, With 3 Drill, 40' Hitch

2-4 Row Stalkcutters
1-Wylie 200 Gallon Poly Tank On Front End Mount,
With Pump & 6 Row Spray Boom
1-Wylie 30 Gallon Poly Tank With 12 Volt D.C. Hand

Sprayer 2-SM 6', 3-pt. Ditcher Blades 1-Eversman 3-pt. V-Ditcher 1-Ford Dirt Scoop 1-INT 2 Row Planter With Boxes 1-D.B. 2 Row Cultivator 1-D.B. 2 Row Furrow Plow

STRIPPER, FUEL TANKS:

3-John Deere 24' Flatbed Trailers
1-John Deere 20' Flatbed, With 200 Gallon Tank, 250 Gallon Diesel Tank, 250 Propane Tank
3-John Deere 20' Grain Trailers, W.S.B., 225 Bushel Wheat Capacity
9-8'X8'X24' Big 12 Cotton Trailers, Expanded Metal
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MOTORS & WINDMILLS:

1-8"X220' Oil Lub Pump & 50 H.P. Electric Motor,
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1-Lot Pipe Wrenches 1-Lot Boomers

1-8' Star Wheel & Tail 1-8' Star Wheel 1-Myers Pressure Pump, With 1 H.P. Motor & 60 Gallon Galvanized Tank

LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT:

1-S.M. Branding Iron Heater 1-Lot Bridle Bits 1-Lot Bridles 1-S.M. Loading Chute
1-Lot Electric Fence Chargers
1-Hale 16' Open Top Stock Trailer. S.S.B.
1-S.M. Steel Stock Tank, 3X10X16

3-10' Gallon Water Tanks
1-Powder River Calf Cradle
1-Gebo 3-pt. Posthole Digger
1-Billy Cook Saddle
1-Carl Darr Saddle
2-Portable Steel Panels 3-Portable Steel Panels

SHOP EQUIPMENT & TOOLS: 5-Tap & Die Sets 1-Lot Crescents

3-Thor Electric Drills 1-Black and Decker Electric Impact 1/2" Drive 1-Manley 25 Ton Shop Press 1-Walker Turner Drill Press 1- Water Pipe & Bolt Threader, 110 Volt
1-Sears 6 & 12 Volt, 60 Amp. Battery Charger
1-Duracraft Drill Press, 1¼" Capacity
1-Large Lot Trailer Pins & Clevises
1-Craftsman Radial 100 Saw With Saber Attachments 1-Shop Fan
1-Large Mavel Hack Saw
1-Speedaire Air Compressor, 110 Volt, 1 H.P.
1-Lincoln Electric A.C./D.C. Arc Welder, With Leads & Trucks 1-Craftsman Tool Cabinet 1-Land Measuring Steel Tape 1-Weldmaster Propane Cutting Torch, With Private Bottles & Cart 1-H.D. Electric Bench Grinder, 10" Wheels, 11/2 H.P. 3-Sets Lettering Dies For Steel 1-Set Wood Or Leather Dies 1-Lot Axes & Hatchets 1-Craftsman 7" Electric Hand Saw 1-Craftsman 200 Sodering Iron 1-Lot Sledge Hammers 1-Large Lot Shovels, Grain Scoops 1-Lot Handy Man Jacks 1-Lot Blocks (Pulleys)
1-Western Quincy Portable Air Compressor, 1/2 H.P. 1-Lot U Joints 1-200 Pound Live Anvil With Stand

1-Lincoln Electric 225 Amp., A.C. Welder, With Leads, Hood, Trucks 1-Lot Log Chains

MISCELLANEOUS: 1-Double Tree To Set Cotton Stripper Basket 4-Buggy Top Tractor Umbrellas 4-John Deere Wheels With 750-16 LT Tires 5-8.25X20 Nylon Truck Tires 1-Lot Trailer Tires Too Numerous To Mention

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Obituaries

Bob Belew

Bob Belew, 53, of Earth, died Saturday.

Services were held Monday in the Earth United Methodist Church with Rev. Jimmy Nunn, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Earth Memorial Cemetery by Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

He was born in Flagg, and had been a 27-year resident of Earth. He was a farmer and a ginner. He was married to Mary Kate Ramseur in 1959 at Brownfield. He was active in Earth civic affairs and was a Methodist.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Brenn Belew of Los Angeles, Calif.; two sons, Biff of Dallas and Bart of Carrollton; his mother, Golda Belew of Earth and a sister, Beth Phifer of Earth.

Harry Gibbs

Harry Gibbs, 80, of Canyon, Foskey Funeral Home. died Friday.

He was the brother of Ruby Lewis of Dimmitt.

Monday at N. S. Griggs and Sons Pioneer Chapel in Amarillo with Rev. James Peach officiating. Burial followed at Clarendon.

He was a resident of the Amarillo area since 1926 and was caretaker and maintenance man for Llano Cemetery for 12 years before retiring in 1970. He married Lucy Johnson in

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Pennelphia Gibbs, Virginia Evans and Mary Whatley, all of Amarillo; one other sister, Jewel Gibbs of Amarillo; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Clara Roundtree

Clara Roundtree, 83, died Friday.

Funeral services were held Monday at Foskey Funeral Home Chapel with Dale Wells, minister of the Fourth and Bedford Church of Christ, officiating. Burial followed in Littlefield Memorial Park.

She was born July 31, 1902 in Oklahoma, and lived in Wellington for many years. She married Jess Roundtree in 1920 in Wellington. She moved to Dimmitt from Littlefield in

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1977. She was a housewife and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Winston of Dimmitt and Don of Durango, Colo.; a daughter, Frances Terrell of Cleveland, Ohio; two brothers, Guy Moore of Cloverdale, Calif., and Homer Moore of Sacramento, Calif.; four grandchildren; and five greatgrandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Canterbury Villa Activity Fund at the Dimmitt nursing home.

Minnie Simpkins

Minnie Simpkins, 91, died last Wednesday in Amarillo.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Lee Street Baptist Church with Rev. Ed Barrentine, pastor, and Rev. Ken Cole, of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens by

Mrs. Simpkins was born in Vera and moved to Sunnyside in 1941. She later moved to Funeral services were held Dimmitt. She was a housewife and a member of Lee Street Baptist Church.

Her husband, Walter, died in 1941.

Survivors include three daughters, Ruby Dempsey and Joyce Angel, both of Amarillo, and Mary Woodburn of Dimmitt; two sons, J. B. Raper and Sam "Buck" Raper, both of Dimmitt; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

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 Mrs. Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"Rejuvenate I Exuberance" is the title of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon on Psalm 103 at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m.

There will be a family covered-dish dinner following church in the community room at the courthouse.

"We Have Seen Jesus . . . in the Teaching of God's Word" will be the theme of the Lenten Service on Wednesday at 7 p.m.



NAZARETH'S TRACI HILL steps around an O'Donnell defender to make a pass inside Saturday night in Regional action in Levelland. The Swiftettes defeated O'Donnell 57-37, to capture their tenth regional title in 11 years.

What's Cooking

Here are the school lunch menus for French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth public schools for the week of March 3-7.

DIMMITT

MONDAY-Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, honey butter and milk. TUESDAY-Beef tacos with cheese, and milk lettuce and tomato salad. Mexican corn, tortillas, fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY-Spaghetti with and milk. meat sauce, pinto beans, fried squash, WEDNESDAY-Cheeseburgers, batter bread, fruit and milk. THURSDAY-Cheeseburgers, fruit and milk.

Ministerial Alliance

Ken Cole, pastor of First Baptist Church, will be the March benevolence chairman.

Dale Wells will lead a Bible study of the Gospel of Matthew, chapter 24, for the Castro County Ministerial Alliance, on Tuesday, March 4, at 10 a.m. at the Fourth & Bedford Church

chocolate pudding and milk. FRIDAY-Bean chalupas with cheese, whole kernel corn, shredded

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And the other day that we do not worry about is tomorrow.

TOMORROW with all its possible adversities, its burdens, its perils, its large promises and poor performances, is as far beyond our mastery as its dead sister, Yesterday. The sun will rise in splendor or behind a mask of weeping clouds, but it will rise. Save for the Star of Hope that gleams on the brow of Tomorrow, shining with tender promise into the heart of Today, we have no possession in that unborn day of grace. Tomorrow is God's day. It will be ours.

There is left for ourself, then, but one Day in the week — Today!

Any man can fight the battles of Today. Any woman can carry the burdens of just One Day. Anyone can resist the temptations of Today. It is only when we willfully add the burden of those two awful eternities, Yesterday and Tomorrow, that we bread down.

Therefore, we think, and we do, and we journey but one day at a time — Today.

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Correction

In last week's issue of the News, it was reported that Christi Wilson-Stewart, competitor in the Mrs. Texas pageant, was voted Miss Illinois, Miss Teen USA and Miss United Teenager. She was a finalist in the pageants. The News regrets the error.



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NAZARETH: Darryl Hoelting 4-1-9; Kevin Hoelting 5-4-14; Chris Schmucker 2-0-4; Billy Steffens 3-2-8; Randy Leavitt 6-1-13; Kenny Kern 4-1-9; Todd Hill 4-0-8; Craig Huseman 3-0-6; Gregg Gerber 1-0-2; Marlon Backus 0-0-0; Kyle Schilling 0-0-0.

TOTALS: 32-9-73.
TOTAL FOULS: Silverton 12, Nazareth 12. REBOUNDS: Silverton 12,

Nazareth 34. TURNOVERS: Silverton 20,

Nazareth 12. BLOCKED SHOTS: Silverton 4. Nazareth 11.

FOULED OUT: None. TECHNICALS: None. ATTENDANCE: 400.

Bobcats 95, Dalhart 56 Dimmitt 15 29 18 33 - 95

Dalhart 10 13 17 16 - 56 DIMMITT: Warren McDonald 2-0-4; Pat McDonald 11-7-29; James Alexander 7-2-16; Jeremy 6-1-13; Marc Bennett 1-2-4; Woody Glass 2-4-8; Blake Brown 1-0-2; Todd Braafladt 0-2-2; Joe Porter 0-0-0; Danny Martinez 3-1-7; Mark Smothermon 2-2-6; Milton Carrasco 1-0-2; Scott Hill 0-2-2; Todd Durham 0-0-0. TOTALS:

DALHART: Lechner 2-3-7; Cunningham 2-2-26; Field 4-5-13; Torres 0-3-3; Whaley 3-2-8; Barber 1-3-5; Roelzer 0-0-0; Stewart 0-1-1; Mitchell 3-2-8; Parker 2-1-5. TOTALS: 17-22-56. Dalhart 20.

TURNOVERS: Dimmitt 16, Dalhart TOTALS: 25-7-57.

FG: Dimmitt 36/68-53%.

FLOOR PLAY: Pat McDonald 12C, TOTALS: 11-15-37. Jeremy Warren 13C, 6R, Woody Glass 9R.

Swiftettes 45, Vega 15 11 6 16 12 - 45

3 6 10 6-15 VEGA: Tonya Jackson 0-1-1; Stacee Jackson 1-2-4; Wendi Gipson 1-2-4; Corrina Brorman 0-0-0; Dawn Gray 0-0-0; Joan Potter 1-0-2; Jana Walker nell 20. 2-0-4; TOTALS: 5-5-15.

NAZARETH: Mona Heiman 7-3-17; Kelly Schilling 5-4-14; Annette

Schmucker 0-0-0; Gail Birkenfeld 1-0-2; CeCe Kern 0-0-0; Sheila Acker 0-0-0; Traci Hill 4-0-8; Missy Brockman 2-0-4; Rachel Huseman 0-0-0; Barbie Steffens 0-0-0; Stephanie Brockman 1-0-2. TOTALS: 19-7-45.

TOTAL FOULS: Vega 16, Nazareth FOULED OUT: Stacee Jackson,

Vega. FG: 19/38-50%.

FT: 7/13-54%. FLOOR PLAY: Heiman 6R, Missy Brockman 9C, Schilling 6C.

Swiftettes 73, Motley County 40 Motley County 4 6 9 21 - 40 17 22 14 20 - 73 MOTLEY COUNTY: Peggy Bearden 0-0-0; Tammie Brown 3-0-6; Leigh Barton 1-1-3; Dena Renfro 0-0-0; Kim Hand 5-6-16; Shawna Campbell 2-2-6; Koree Campbell 0-0-0; Donna Mangrum 3-3-9. TOTALS: 14-12-40.

NAZARETH: Stephanie Brockman 1-0-2; Annette Schmucker 1-1-3; CeCe Kern 1-1-3; Kelly Schilling 4-2-10; Rachel Huseman 0-3-3; Gail Birkenfeld 2-0-4; Mona Heiman 10-6-26; Traci Hill 2-4-8; Missy Brockman 2-0-4; Sheila Acker 2-2-6; Barbie Steffens 1-2-4. TOTALS: 26-21-73.

TOTAL FOULS: Motley County 28, Nazareth 23.

FOULED OUT: Brown, Hand, K. Campbell, Motley Co.

REBOUNDS: Motley County 16, Nazareth 35. TURNOVERS: Motley County 30,

Nazareth 20.

Swiftettes 57, O'Donnell 37 Nazareth 11 24 11 11 - 57 9 5 11 12 - 37 O'Donnell NAZARETH: Stephanie Brockman TOTAL FOULS: Dimmitt 22, 0-0-0; Annette Schmucker 1-0-2; CeCe Kern 0-0-0; Kelly Schilling 7-3-17; FOULED OUT: Cunningham, Tor- Rachel Huseman 0-0-0; Gail Birkenfeld 1-0-2; Mona Heiman 9-1-19; Traci Hill REBOUNDS: Dimmitt 45, Dalhart 3-1-7; Missy Brockman 3-1-7; Sheila Acker 1-0-2; Barbie Steffens 0-1-1.

O'DONNELL: Stacy Bessire 2-6-10; Billie Jo Garces 1-0-2; Tammy Rogers FT: Dimmitt 23/42-54%; Dalhart 5-2-12; Holly Pugh 2-1-5; Jalyn Williams 1-2-4; Amy Ortiz 0-4-4.

TOTAL FOULS: Nazareth 21, O'Donnell 12. FOULED OUT: Pugh, O'Donnell;

Gail Birkenfeld, Nazareth. TECHNICALS: None.

REBOUNDS: Nazareth 37, O'Don-

TURNOVERS: Nazareth 13, O'Don-



PAT McDONALD of Dimmitt draws a foul from Dalhart's John Whaley (30) as he lofts a shot early in the bi-district championship game Friday night at the West Texas State University Field House. McDonald scored 29 as the Bobcats won the title game,

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2-0-4; Travis Anderson 0-0-0; Timmy Lopez 0-1-1; Delmar Walters 0-0-0. TOTALS: 12-12-36.

NAZARETH: Darryl Hoelting 3-0-6; Kevin Hoelting 1-1-3; Billy Steffens 6-3-15; Randy Leavitt 10-0-20; Chris Schmucker 3-0-6; Kenny Kern 1-3-5; Todd Hill 3-0-6; Craig Huseman 2-1-5; Gregg Gerber 0-4-4; Marlon Backus 0-0-0; Kyle Schilling 0-0-0. TOTALS: 29-12/18-70.

TOTAL FOULS: Spade 16, Nazareth 20. FOULED OUT: Reed, Spade; Darryl

Hoelting, Nazareth. TECHNICALS: None. ATTENDANCE: 1500.

Bobcats 68, Roosevelt 66 16 14 14 22 - 66

17 23 13 15 - 68 ROOSEVELT: Jim Miller 4-6-14; Mike Carmichael 1-2-4; Donovan Martin 2-0-4; Allen Dolberry 2-0-4; Rob Poynor 3-5-11; Kin Moore 1-0-2; Rodney Dowell 4-7-15; Steve Sides 1-0-2; Paul Etheridge 2-2-6; Rick Willis 2-0-4. TOTALS: 22-22-66.

DIMMITT: Jeremy Warren 3-3-94 Danny Martinez 4-2-10; Warren McDonald 2-4-8; Marc Bennett 1-0-2; James Alexander 5-2-12; Woody Glass 0-0-0; Pat McDonald 11-5-27; Mark Smothermon 0-0-0. TOTALS:

TOTAL FOULS: Roosevelt 21, Dim-

FOULED OUT: None. TECHNICALS: Roosevelt Coach Naurkal, Willis. ATTENDANCE: 1500.

DFG: 26/49-53%. DFT: 16/30-53%. FLOOR PLAY: Glass 6R, Warren 6R, Alexander 7R, P. McDonald 13C.

Essay, poster contests set

for Dimmitt school students are currently underway to help promote beautification in Dim-

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You will recall that a gas contract dispute threatened to shut down the Goodpasture Plant in Dimmitt last November.

The situation was created when the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission handed down a ruling which prevented Goodpasture from contracting with outside suppliers for natural gas.

The regulation gave Cabot Corporation, the existing gas supplier, the right to be the sole transporter of gas to the Dimmitt plant. When Cabot insisted that Goodpasture sign a five-year contract that was unacceptable to the Company, Goodpasture refused and Cabot threatened to terminate the supply of gas to the plant.

At the time, the rule was described as a well-intentioned action by a Government agency that resulted in a negative effect.

Recently, Goodpasture received a 7-C permit from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission which allows the company to transport its own gas to the Dimmitt plant. The permit, granted this month, allows Goodpasture to buy gas at the market price and ends its dependence upon a sole supplier.

The fact that this problem has been resolved is good news for our community. Goodpasture, one of our most important industries is continuing to operate and for that, we are grateful.

Essay and poster contests mitt. The contests are being sponsored by the Education Committee of the Mayor's Council for City Beautification.

> The poster contest is for students in grades one through six, and the essay contest is for students in grades four through eight. The posters and essays should deal with keeping Dimmitt litter-free.

> Prize-winning posters will be displayed in Dimmitt businesses during March to advertise this year's CUFUPU campaign, and should be no larger than 22" by 28". The student's name, grade and homeroom teacher should be printed on the back of the poster.

than 100 words. The prize-KDHN radio during CUFUPU Week, Mar. 17 through Mar. 22, and will be printed in the Castro County News during March. Students may turn in their essays to their homeroom or English teachers by Wednesday, or to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce by next Friday. Posters should also be turned in to the schools by next Wednesday.

"The poster and essay contests are one way to get students involved in the MCCB's efforts to remind everyone to help improve Dimmitt's appearance,"said Education Committee Chairman Susan Hanners.

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Sports

Same old story--Naz takes region

It was another typical day at the office for the Swiftettes at the Region I-A Tournament at the Texas Dome in Levelland last Friday and Saturday as the Swiftettes knocked off Vega, Motley County and O'Donnell to claim their tenth regional crown and the accompanying ticket to the Super Drum in Austin and the Girls State Tournament, which the Swiftettes have claimed eight times.

All fans could do was compare this year's annihilation of opponents with that of previous years as the Swiftettes won their three games by an average of 24 points and were pressured only briefly in the finals, which they won 57-37, while getting to rest everyone during Friday's 45-15 win over Vega and Saturday's 73-40 shellacking of Motley County.

None of those three victims had lost a game by such commanding margins as they did in the regional tourney as the Swiftettes usually made things final by halftime.

The final game was the most typical as the Swiftettes, who led by two, 15-13, with 5:50 left in the second quarter over the Eagles, went on an 18-1 scoring spree to forge a 33-14 halftime lead.

"We got up on them early (11-3 in the first quarter) and then kind of sat back," said Nazareth Coach Sandy Oliver, who is leading the Swiftettes to the state tournament for the first time as head coach this year. "We were ready to play, but we knew we couldn't sit back because of the way they had come back against Wheeler Saturday morning. We realized that we had to keep building up the lead on them."

The Swiftettes didn't employ their full-court press in the first quarter of the final game, "but we changed that to start the second quarter," Oliver said. "We put the press on and started to push the ball up the floor more. We felt O'Donnell was tired because of their close ball game Saturday morning (when they beat Wheeler 52-51). We were a little more fresh because we had been able to rest our players some during our game Saturday. No question, though, both teams were drained by the end of the game (Saturday night)-I think you could tell from the number of fouls - but it's tough to play three games in two days."

Nazareth couldn't score in the last two minutes of the first quarter as the Swiftettes saw their eight-point lead dwindle to two, 11-9, by the end of the first quarter. It wasn't a two-point game for long, though, as the Swiftettes forced seven turnovers in the last 5:50 of the first half to help account for 18 points while O'Donnell could manage just a free throw during the stretch.

"The press had so much to do with that," Oliver said, "plus pushing the ball up the floor, forcing a faster tempo. They just couldn't respond."

O'Donnell didn't score a field goal from the 6:33 mark in the second quarter until there were just 14 seconds left in the third quarter as the Swifts extended their lead to as much as 30 points, 44-14 on a Sheila Acker field goal with 2:58 left in the third quarter. O'Donnell scored just six more points from the field for the rest of the game as the Swiftettes outscored the Eagles 50-22 from the floor.

Saturday morning, Oliver let her starters take it easy as

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GAIL BIRKENFELD puts defensive pressure on Motley County's Tammie Brown in the second quarter of the Nazareth Swiftettes' Region I-A semifinals game Saturday morning in Levelland. The Lady Matadors became the 26th victim of Nazareth's suffocating defense as the Swiftettes posted a lopsided 73-40 victory en route to the Region I-A championship.

Swiftettes raced to a 73-40 win over Motley County in the regional semifinals.

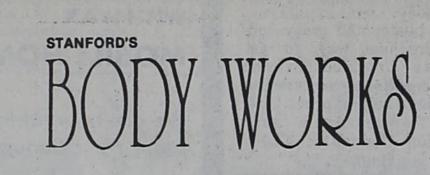
Motley's crew had 19 turnovers in the first half, compared to just seven for Nazareth, as the Swiftettes jumped to a 17-4 lead in the first quarter while holding the Matadors to just one basket and a pair of free throws, and claimed a 35-10 halftime lead

much as possible as the before Oliver decided to almost totally rest her starters during the second half.

Even without the normal scorers, the Swiftettes outpointed the Matadors 35-30 during the last two quarters.

One huge difference was in rebounds, where Nazareth enjoyed a 35-16 edge, including a 21-7 margin through three

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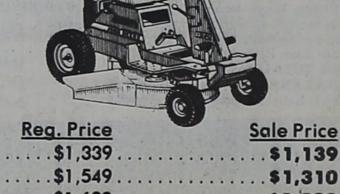


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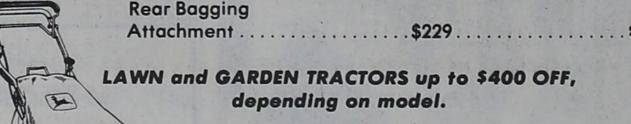
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Cats ease, Swifts breeze into region...

(Continued from Page 1) Longhorns in the second quarter. Unlike the Class A affair, the Eagles stormed back in the second half, outscoring the Bobcats 36-28 in the second half.

Much of that edge came from the free throw line, where Roosevelt was 22-of-27, 81%.

In the last three minutes, with the Bobcats clinging to a 62-56 lead, Roosevelt marched to the line three times and hit six free throws, converting all one-an-one efforts, and added baskets by Miller and Mike Carmichael, while the Bobcats made six-of-eight attempts, including the winning free throws with 57 seconds left by Danny Martinez.

Those two charity tosses, which made the score 68-66, were the last points scored by either team, although there were plenty of chances. Jeremy Warren missed the front end of a one-and-one with 39 seconds left, while James Alexander grabbed the last of Miller's three misses with seven seconds left and was fouled. Alexander missed the free throw, but Roosevelt couldn't hit a basket in their last chance down the floor.

In the first quarter, the Longhorns, 21-6, stayed even with the Swifts, established a quick 4-0 lead, and never trailed in the opening period. Chris Schmucker brought the Swifts into a tie at the end of the quarter with a 14-foot jumper just inside the lane with 2 seconds left.

In the second quarter, the Swifts went on a 6-2 tear to go up 22-16 in the first three

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minutes before the quicker Longhorns penetrated for a basket to close the gap back to four, 22-18, then grabbed a point on a free throw, before Nazareth started using its bigger inside game to begin its run away from the Longhorns.

The drive was keyed by Billy Steffens, who had nine of his 15 points in the second quarter as halftime lead.

"Billy Steffens had a tremendous first half," said Nazareth coach Johnny Hampton. "We finally quit fouling in the second quarter - we had Spade in the bonus three minutes deep in the game, and that hurt us because we couldn't be aggressive.

"We had planned on going to



NAZARETH'S BILLY STEFFENS (40) outreaches a Silverton Owl for an offensive rebound Thursday night in Bi-District action at Tulia, while Kevin Hoelting (32) looks on. Steffens had eight points in the Swifts' 73-35 playoff victory.

beginning because of their quickness, and their quickness hurt us. They hustled, and we didn't hustle for a little bit early, but I think we came out a little nervous.

"But Billy came out and 11. shut down (Mike) Reed, and Reed had been their top scorer and rebounder. As a whole we didn't play well, but Billy really played up to his level."

Thursday, the Swifts breezed to a 73-35 win over Silverton for the bi-district championship at Tulia by using their dominating inside game that accounted for 44 points, 11 blocked shots and a 34-12 rebounding edge.

"We played well against Memphis in our last practice game and that carried over through the first half of this (bi-district) game," Coach Johnny Hampton said. "I thought we played really well in the first half, and then played our subs a whole lot during the second half.

"Hopefully, we can play better than this, but we did play well tonight.'

Nazareth's inside force told the story early, as the Swifts outrebounded the Owls 9-2, and blocked two shots. The inside difference, featuring

Kevin Hoelting, Randy Leavitt, Billy Steffens and Kenny Kern, came to the front in the second quarter when Silverton got just one rebound while the Swifts pulled down

The REAL Bobcats were out for a while last Friday at the WT Fieldhouse in Canyon as Dimmitt destroyed Dalhart, 95-56, to claim the bi-district championship.

"I hate to say we scored 95 points and didn't play well, but we didn't play well, and the kids know that," Dimmitt coach Kenneth Cleveland said. "We sure didn't play well in the first or third quarters. But Pat (McDonald) played well, Woody (Glass) and Jeremy (Warren) played well, but the rest didn't really play up to their potential.

"But we won, and I'm always happy with a win."

There was really no doubt about the win as the Bobcats' forced turnovers the first two times Dalhart had the ball, the first of 29 turnovers that stymied the Golden Wolves throughout the contest. The Bobcats forced 12 turnovers in the second quarter, when the Bobcats outscored the Wolves 29-13 to claim a 44-23 halftime lead, and established as much as a 25-point lead during the quarter .

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The fourth quarter, though, was the Bobcat's big period as they blocked three shots and outrebounded Dalhart 18-4. Those repounds started Dimmitt's transition game which led to 33 fourth-quarter points. The transition game was what Dalhart had tried to avoid, but Coach Zane Reeves said his team never could force the pace, and finally was too tired to keep up with the Bobcats, who emptied their bench in the last period.





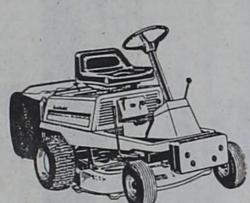
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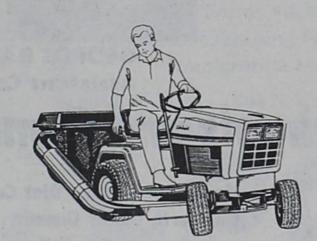
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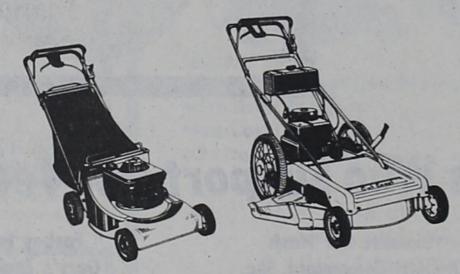
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First champions will be honored

The team that started it all for the Nazareth Swiftettes will be the Class A Honor Team at the Girls State Tournament in Austin this weekend.

The 1977 Swiftettes, who beat Maypearl, 61-26, and May, 73-54, were the first state champions from Nazareth, and will be honored during halftime of Saturday's Class A championship game, which begins at 9:30 a.m.

Most of the Swiftettes had been in Austin the year before when Nazareth fell to Neches in overtime in the state semifinals. The 1976 team was the first team to make the Austin trip. The 1977 team started a 16-game winning streak for Nazareth's girls in the state tournament which will be on the line when the Swiftettes take on Cayuga today at 10 a.m.

The team included forwards Glenda Gerber, Doretta Ramaekers, Ladonna Brockman, Marlene Huseman, Michelle Acker, Karen Schulte, Rachelle Pohlmeier and Cheryl Hartman, and guards Ladonna Brockman, Cindy Schacher, Dianne Hochstein, Rosemary Schulte, Colleen Gerber, Lynora Braddock and Germaine Pohlmeier. Coaches were Cathy Wilson and Beverly McDaniel Schulte.

"A few won't be there, but as far as we know most of the team members will be there," Beverly Schulte said Monday. "Hopefully, Jim Peggram will be there, too. He has been school principal during all of the state champion teams, and we hope to include him in the recognition."

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Swiftettes. . . (Continued from Page 14)

Friday, the Swiftettes picked up their offensive output in the second half while keeping Vega throttled en route to a 45-15 win over the Lady Longhorns in the first game of the regional tournament.

The Swiftettes were sluggish early, trailing during the first four minutes as Vega established a 3-0 lead, but Heiman, who had a game-high 17 points, hit seven points in the last four minutes of the first quarter to give the Swifttetes an 11-3 lead at the end of the quarter.

The teams had a 6-6 standoff in the second quarter as the Swiftettes settled for a 17-9 halftime advantage before Nazareth went on a 16-0 third quarter rampage, shutting out the Lady Longhorns for over nine minutes and racing to a 33-9 lead by the end of the third quarter.

Traci Hill started the thirdquarter onslaught with two quick baskets, before Missy Brockman hit a basket with 10 seconds left in the quarter. Kelly Schilling ended the massacre when she hit a basket on a lob inbound pass from Heiman with a second left in the

quarter. Jana Walker finally made Vega's first two points in the second half, hitting a short jumper a minute deep in the fourth quarter, but the Swiftettes owned a 24-point lead, 35-11. Nazareth reeled off 10 unanswered points before Walker finally scored again to cut the margin to 32, 45-13.

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FAST CLIP-Seniors Kelly Schilling (20) and Mona Heiman cut down the Nazareth Swiftettes' 19th regional championship net at South Plains College's Texan Dome in Levelland Saturday night after defeating O'Donnell, 57-37, in the title game. Moments later the 20th net came down, symbolizing 10 regional championships in the last 11 years.

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WIFE to meet Monday

Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) will sponsor a speaker from the Texas Employment Agency in Lubbock Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Expo Building.

Panhandle Agri Partners was selected as the name of the local organization of WIFE at the Feb. 17 meeting.

Members of WIFE were asked to write letters to members of the Tax Reform Commission urging the continuance of investment credit and the averaging of taxes. Letters were also written to area Representative Larry Combest and Senators Lloyd Bentsen and Phil Gramm encouraging them to vote for higher loan prices and mandatory layout on the Farm Bill now being considered.



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Ex-husbands leaving wives, kids in need

(EDITOR'S NOTE-The story about these two ladies, Marie and Karroll Kaye, is real. Their names, however, have been changed to protect them. Karroll has been fighting for child support for her two children for the past three years, and has received less than onethird of the money she is owed. Marie has received only one check, for half of one month's support, over the past five years. This is a story about their fruitless fight and strings of broken promises they have faced to receive the money they need to support their children-jfb.)

Karrol Kaye and Marie each have a problem. Each suffers from it independently, but their problem is the same-when they were divorced from their spouse, their ex-husbands conveniently forgot about the court-ordered child support.

And, despite constant phone calls, letters and personal haranguing, nobody is doing a whole lot of anything to help them out, despite state and national government reports to the contrary.

"There's a lot of talk, but it's all a bunch of bull," said Marie, who, like Karrol Kaye, is a Dimmitt housewife. "I am owed, right now, over \$24,000, but I never got anything for five years until I got a check for half of one month's support in December, but I haven't got anything since, and they say he's been laid off where he lives (in another state), and they say they can't go after the back child support. They (officials in the state where the husband

lives) says it's up to the State of Texas to go

after the back support, but the State of Texas hasn't done anything yet."

Meanwhile, Marie feeds a family of three minor children on a less-than-\$200 allotment of food stamps and Supplemental Security Income, plus money from odd jobs, like babysit-

She's not able to work, but hasn't been able to collect disability payments that, according to Marie, were denied three times by Social Security but were ordered to be paid by a federal judge. She has not received a Social Security check since September, 1979. Her husband left her shortly after that, but she has not received a Social Security check since 1979.

Neither of the women can afford a private attorney, they say, and they have been appalled at the amount of paperwork they say they would have to do to qualify for free or reducedcost legal services.

"This one lady gave me so much baloney on the phone that I just gave up," Marie said. "She told me all of these things I'd have to do, things to fill out, I just said 'forget it.'

"I've thought about leaving, I've thought about a lot of things, but I don't know what to do. I truly believe there's nobody out there who wants to help me. The State of Texas and the state where my husband lives, well, neither one seems too interested in getting the back child support. I need it, and the states need it, but they're not going after it. He's supposed to pay all of the medical bills, but he hasn't paid, and I sure can't afford to pay it.

"If he's working for the federal government, you know he can afford to pay what he owes, at least what he's supposed to pay right now. Some of the year he gets laid off, but he gets unemployment, but he won't pay it.

"I've been to everybody I know, from the county attorney to the state attorney general. I guess maybe the President will do something. But he's kind of like everybody else-they talk about helping women like me, who have been deserted by their husbands, and whose ex-husbands have deserted their kids.

"I'll write to the President. But it won't be for me, and it won't be to get him. It'll be to help these kids. That's what's bad-they've forgotten about their kids."

Karrol Kaye's ex-husband, meanwhile, lives in Castro County, has a steady job and, according to Karrol Kaye, has not been having to pay rent or make any large payments since he has remarried, and his new spouse also works.

"I haven't gotten a full child support check since, well, I don't know when," Karroll Kave said. According to Karroll Kaye's records, she is owed over \$4,000 in back child support, but has received no promises on when that might be paid to help support her two children. She is currently receiving very little aid from any government source, and is not living with anyone who supports her or her children at the present time.

"I've tried to work with him any way in the world, just so he will pay me what he's supposed to," Karroll Kaye said. "He has all kinds of rights-he can see the kids any time he wants

to, and anytime he has wanted to see the kids, then he gets to see them. I don't make any outrageous demands of him, and he hasn't made any outrageous demands of me, but he just won't pay me."

According to Karroll Kaye, her former spouse has threatened to go into court to get the support payments lowered, but has not done so. Meanwhile, she has tried to get local and state officials to help her get some of the back payments, but her efforts have been fruitless so far.

"I went to some people here, and they told me I would have get a private attorney, so I called the state attorney general's office. They beat around the bush for a long time. They finally told me they would go after him (her exhusband) in March-I think so I will vote for Jim Mattox (state attorney general). I don't know why they're waiting until then, but they say they can't do anything until March."

For Marie, her husband's employer wasn't too hard to find, once someone looked in the right place.

"I couldn't believe he was working for the government," Marie exclaimed after learning her husband was employed by the US government. "I guess they don't keep any kind of records on federal employees, either that or they didn't look too hard for him.

"What really irks me is the state keeps complaining about how it's going broke, needs money and everything. If they just went after my back child support, the state has \$9,000 coming to it out of that \$24,000, but they just keep dragging their feet.'

Police Calls

A 29-year-old Hart man was injured in a two vehicle accident Friday morning in Dim-

Bennie Donald Dillard was taken to Plains Memorial Hospital where he was kept overnight for observation after the 1980 Chevrolet Custom 10 pickup he was driving sustained heavy damage after being struck broadside by a 1986 Chevrolet Custom 10 pickup driven by James Hanes Campbell, 34, of Hart.

Hane's pickup was moderately damaged.

Dillard's pickup was traveling north on Highway 385 when it was struck by Campbell's vehicle which had been headed west on Highway 194.

According to reports, Campbell's pickup failed to yield the right of way at a stop sign when the accident occurred.

A 1984 Chevrolet pickup driven by Fred Herman Batterman of Dimmitt was southbound on North Broadway waiting for the traffic light to change when it was struck by a 1984 Crown Victoria, driven by Corina Montalvo of Dimmitt.

Police reports state that Montalvo's car had been attempting to make a left turn onto North Broadway from Bedford when it struck the pickup.

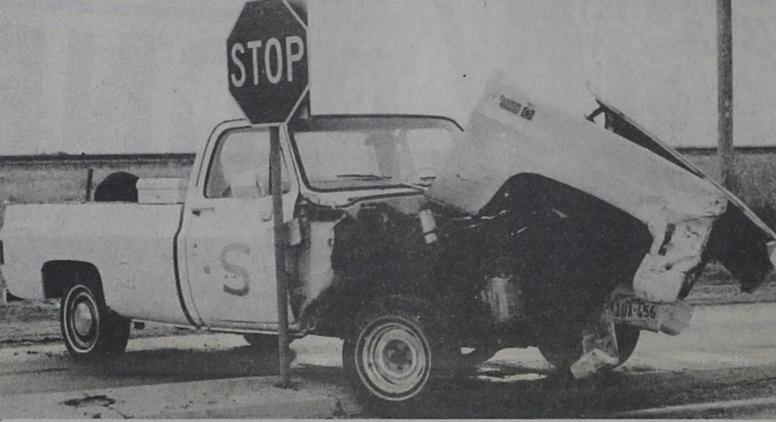
Tree seminar slated Monday

Mar. 10 in Dimmitt.

The seminar, sponsored by Stark Bros., will be held in the basement of the Castro County Courthouse beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Museum group to meet today

The Castro County Historical Museum association will meet at 7:00 p.m. today (Thursday) in the museum.



THIS 1980 CHEVROLET PICKUP driven by Bennie Donald Dillard, 29, of Hart, received heavy damage when it was struck by a 1986 Chevrolet pickup driven by James Hanes Campbell, 34, of Hart, at the intersection of US 385 and SH 194 in Dimmitt Friday morning. Campbell, who was wearing his seat belt, was

not injured, while Dillard, who was not wearing a seat belt, was treated for slight injuries at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt and was released Saturday morning. According to police reports, Dillard failed to yield the rightof-way at the intersection, but did stop at the sign across the roadway.

Annens, Schilling are poster contest winners

Mac Annen, Cody Annen and Gaylon Schilling took the top three county placings in the annual poster contest sponsored by the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District office in Dimmitt.

Mac Annen topped all county entries, while Cody Annen finished second in the county. Schilling's poster finished third in the county. All three are students in the Nazareth schools.

Grade division winners incuded Cody Annen, first grade, Schilling second, Colby Pohlmeier, third grade, Kristi Davis, fourth grade, Brandon Schilling, fifth grade, and Mac Annen, sixth grade. Davis is from Hart, and the others are from Nazareth.

Placings include:

FIRST GRADE: 1. Cody Annen, Nazareth; 2. Angela Fortenberry, Nazareth; 3. Bryan Braddock, Ethridge, Hart.

Nazareth; Honorable Mention Marcus Brockman, Sarah Olvera, Marjorie Durbin, all of Nazareth.

SECOND GRADE: 1. Gaylon Schilling, Nazareth; 2. Jaimye Bingham, Nazareth; 3. Cory Lust, Dimmitt; Honorable Mention; Brent Portwood; Justin Damron, Chad Ellis, all of Dim-

THIRD GRADE: 1. Colby Pohlmeier, Nazareth; 2. Jaret Schulte, Nazareth; 3. Denia Durbin, Nazareth; Honorable Mention: Erasmo Castill and Shea Bennett of Hart, Scott Brockman, Nazareth

FOURTH GRADE: 1. Kristi Davis. Hart; 2. Morgan Heck, Nazareth; 3. Brian Wilson, Hart; Honorable Mention: Lena Durbin, Nazareth, and Jason Aven and Fred Reyna of Hart. FIFTH GRADE: 1. Brandon Schilling, Nazareth; 2. Brent Wilhem,

Nazareth; 3. Gina Triana, Hart;

Honorable Mention: Justin Gleghorn

and Melissa Jurado, Dimmitt, Ashley Hoelting and Jill Pohlmeier, Nazareth. SIXTH GRADE: 1. Mac Annen, Nazareth; 2. Kalina Pohlmeier, Nazareth; 3. Amy McLain, Hart; Honorable Mention: Trey Johnson and Hugh Durbin, Nazareth, and Jason

More about

you can buy with your credit card on the easy-payment plan. Many of the products are billed as "not available in stores." (Does THAT tell you

something?) I was about to throw a packet away the other day when I decided to see just how many of these inventions I couldn't live without.

The packet was from that well-known purveyor of electronics, home furnishings and cookware - my friendly oil company. I can't get my tires aired up at their stations anymore, but I can get all these things that are less useful and more expensive by just signing my name to the order form.

One of the clever things they offered was a pup-tent that you blow up. It's held upright by inflatable "frame tubes" that run along the edges. Just think (Continued from Page 1)

— no tent poles! Looks good, you think. Lightweight. Handy. But wait.

I'd never buy a tent without subjecting it to the Boy Scout test. Have you ever camped out with a bunch of Scouts? They seem to know by instinct what the weak point of a tent is where a single, well-aimed blow can bring the tent crashing down around its occupants. Have you ever tried to crawl out of a collapsed, zipped-up tent at 3 in the morning?

Now, the air valves for this keen tent are on the outside. And, as you know, the people trying to sleep are generally on the inside.

I'd give that tent about 12 minutes tops after dark in a Scout camp.

Another feature of this tent, the brochure said, is that "four rugged plastic pins hold the tent in place - no other equipment needed." Now, really. There's no such

thing as a rugged plastic pin. I'd give these pins about 18 minutes in a healthy West Texas windstorm, then it would be every man for himself.

Another brochure in the packet offered a nifty home treadmill exercise machine for just \$150. It's described as "the perfect exerciser." (How many "perfect exercisers" do you have stashed away in the storage shed or attic?)

Then there was this easy-touse, versatile car waxer and buffer. It uses terry cloth bonnets to wax and buff your car. For only \$80 you can get this gadget with a 1/2-hp motor that

will do the same job as a \$10 attachment to your electric drill will do. You can try it for 21 days free, than you can study the circular buff-marks in your car's paint from now on - also for free.

One of the most fascinating things in the packet was a combination telephone, lamp, clock, radio and alarm - all in

Now, think about it for a minute. Where would you put it? If it has a radio, clock, lamp and alarm, you'd probably want to put it next to your bed, right? Do you really want to

use the telephone in bed? I seldom call anyone after 9 at night. I think people are entitled to their privacy. But do you remember that last computer-puncher who called vou at 11 p.m. on an 800 line out of Kansas City to ask you questions about your health and accident insurance? I don't like to get that kind of call anywhere in the house late at night, but least of all in my bedroom - especially while I'm listening to the telephoneradio or reading by my telephone lamp.

I may be simple, but to me a phone is a phone, a lamp is a lamp, an alarm clock is an alarm clock and a radio is a radio. Not only do I not need all these things in one plastic box somewhere in the house, I'd be afraid my friends would see it and realize that I'm an easy touch.

As I said, many of these gadgets aren't sold in stores. It's probably because you're more likely to buy them from a colorful brochure than if you saw them on the shelf in direct light.



BIG MAC ATTACK-Dalhart's Mark Cunningham (14) tries to break through a baseline barrier posted by Dimmitt's McDonald brothers-Pat (left) and Warren-in the first quarter of the bidistrict championship game Friday night at Canyon. The Bobcats won easily, 95-56.

Paul Stark, III, of Stark Bros. Nurseries, will hold a fruit tree seminar Monday.

Museum noteburning is Sunday afternoon A special noteburning note Sunday. There will also be

ceremony and open house will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Castro County Museum in Dimmitt.

The ceremony will be the only special observance in the county coinciding with the state's 150th birthday Sunday.

The museum was organized in April, 1976, and bought a house and five-acre tract from Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hastings

on June 3, 1976 for \$36,000. B. M. Nelson, first president of the museum association, will burn the museum's original a short program. "The money has been col-

lected through memberships and through revenue sharing

for the museum."

funds made available from the city and the county," said Clara Vick, head of the county's historical society. "We're very thankful to the city and county government for that. We are going to serve coffee and will show visitors and anyone interested through the museum. This will be our official Sesquicentennial project