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Big banquet is tonight

A program by a nationally known entertainer, presentation of the city's top three civic and professional awards, and a big steak dinner await those attending the annual Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce Banquet tonight (Thursday) in the Expo Building.

The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. and is open to the public. Tickets are \$12.50 for adults if purchased in advance, and \$14 at the door. Student tickets are \$7.

Tickets are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office, 115 W. Bedford St., and also are being sold by CoFC directors and Dimmitt Dynamos who are wearing black-and-white buttons asking, "Have You?" Tickets also may be reserved by calling the chamber office, 647-2524.

The banquet will be full of highlights, according to Banquet Chairman Garland Coleman.

Three of these high points will be the presentations of the Citizen of the Year, Citizen Through the Years and Teacher of the Year awards.

The Teacher of the Year award will be presented by Charles Cotter, last year's winner. The names of those who will present the two "Citizen" awards are being kept secret until banquet time.

Another highlight will be a program by Dale Van Horn of Raleigh, N.C., who wrote the song, "What a Difference You've Made in My Life," made famous by Ronnie Millap.

In addition to being a radio personality and songwriter, Van Horn is a singer, and he'll include several songs in his program, along with his after-dinner talk.

The Methodist Men will cater the steak dinner, and the Dimmitt High School cheerleaders will be the servers.

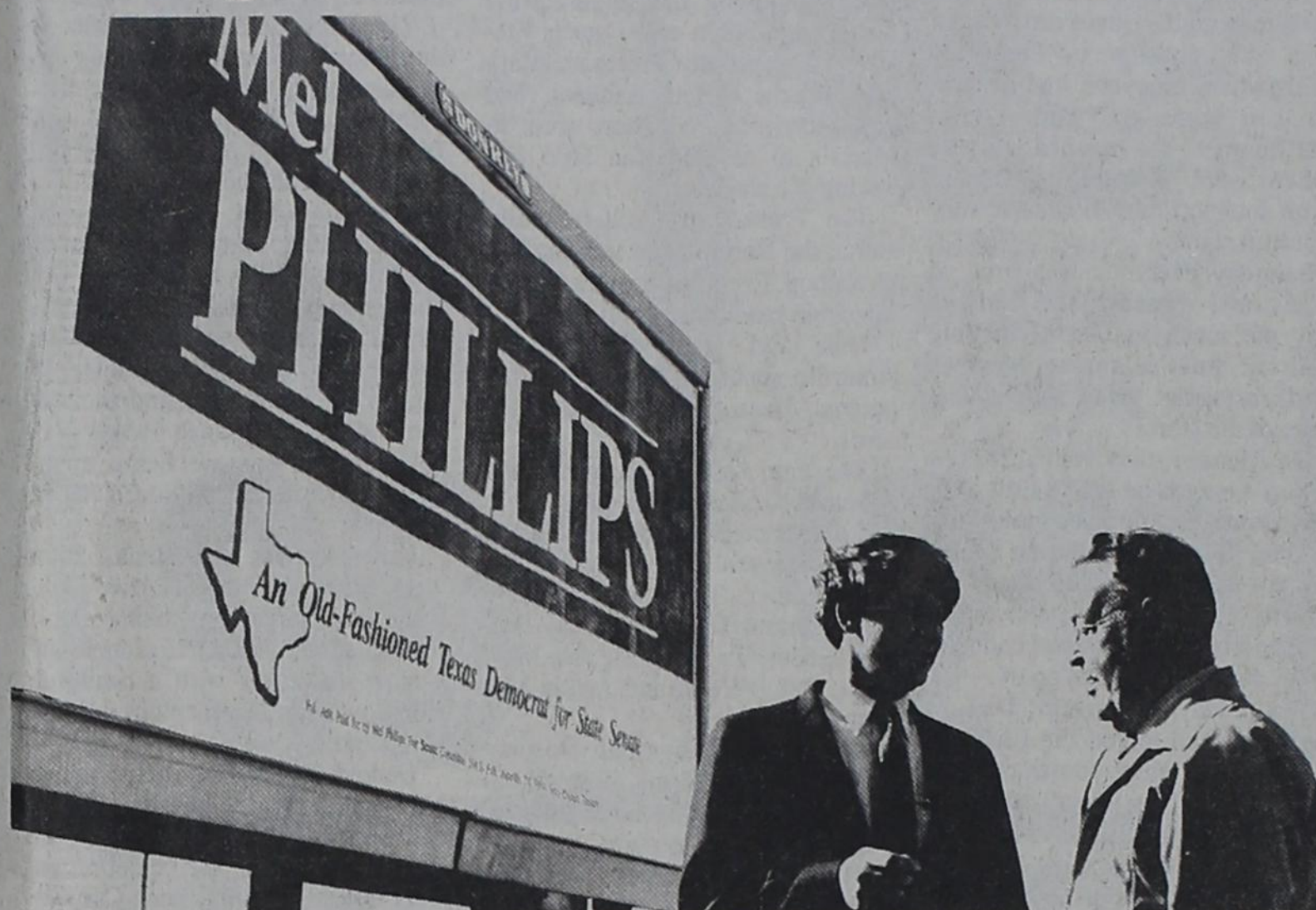
"Take Stock in Dimmitt... Invest Yourself" will be the decorative theme of the 39th annual banquet. Gerald Hanners will be the master of ceremonies.

Weather

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

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Thursday	42	13	
Friday	52	23	
Saturday	66	28	
Sunday	66	21	
Monday	58	20	
Tuesday	53	26	
Wednesday	38	16	
January Moisture			0.14
1988 Moisture			0.14

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US Weather Observer



SIGN OF THE SEASON — Mel Phillips of Amarillo, Democratic candidate for the Texas Senate, and Oscar Wylie of Dimmitt (right) check out Phillips' new billboard near the Dimmitt

Airport entrance, "the first one of my signs I've seen in the district." Phillips and Wylie have worked together as county Democratic chairmen — Phillips in Randall and Wylie in Castro.

'Fair share' tax load is goal of state senatorial candidate

Mel Phillips of Amarillo, a long-time Democratic Party worker at the county, state and national levels, visited the county Friday to announce his candidacy for the Texas Senate.

Phillips is seeking the 31st District seat being vacated by Sen. Bill Sarpalius (D - Amarillo), who is running for Congress.

Meeting with two dozen local Democratic Party leaders over lunch at Ann's Colonial Cafe, Phillips reminded his audience that only 54 days remained until the "Super Tuesday" primary elections, and that he is campaigning in 26 counties during that time.

"I guarantee you that when I'm elected to the State Senate, I won't use it as a stepping-stone to Congress," Phillips said. "I worked three years in Washington (in the Pentagon as a Naval officer), and I learned that being a member of Congress requires a whole different

lifestyle—it takes all your time and you have no family life. I don't want that. I have a wife and three young children, and I enjoy my family. The State Senate meets for six months every other year, and I'll take my family to Austin with me. I would enjoy serving in the State Senate, and I think our children will get used to the routine."

Phillips, 44, is a native of Amarillo, where he is a real estate developer. He also has farming operations in Texas and Colorado. After graduating from Amarillo High School in 1964, he attended Amarillo College and the University of Texas, where he received a BA degree in government.

His wife, the former Becky Bentsen, is a native of McAllen and the niece of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen. She also holds a degree from UT-Austin. The Phillipses have three children—Abby, 13, Catherine, 3, and Lauren, 1. They are Presbyter-

ians. Phillips served as Randall County Democratic Chairman from 1980 to 1984, and was elected president of the Texas Democratic County Chairmen's Association from 1982 to 1984. He was on the State Democratic Executive Committee in 1982-84. A former Navy pilot, he currently serves on the Texas Aeronautics Commission, and noted Friday that the Dimmitt Airport has received more than \$156,000 in project allocations during his term.

Phillips also has served as a member of the Canadian River Authority, on the governing board of the Texas Arts Alliance, as a director of the Amarillo Child Care Association and as a member of the Amarillo Airport Board. He is a member of the Downtown Kiwanis Club, sponsor of Ducks Unlimited, former president of the Mini Boat Bass Club and member of the High

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Award honors Hart woman for dedication to Boy Scouts

She goes back a long way with the Cub Scouts—back 45 years ago to 1943—and Betty Griswold has won every award imaginable that is given by the Scouts.

She has won so many awards, in fact, that they ran out and had to create one just to honor her.

The first grade teacher's aide from Hart was named the Haynes Boy Scout District's first-ever *Woman of the Year* last year, and this year the award beared her name.

Beth Roberts of Dimmitt is this year's recipient of the first annual *Betty Griswold Woman of the Year Award*, given for exceptional service to youth as the outstanding female adult volunteer scouter in the Haynes District.

"Having an award named after me feels pretty good," Griswold said. "I really wasn't expecting anything like this. I just like kids and I love working with them."

Griswold became involved in the Scouts through the participation of family members and a genuine love of children. Her little brother was a Scout and she became active in the group during that time. Through the years she has worked with her children and grandchildren in the Scouts.

After she got married, she helped boys near an army base where she lived start a Scout troop.

"The kids needed help to get going. They needed something to do, so I helped them with a troop. Griswold's involvement in the

Scouts has grown through the years, and now she guides Scouts that are the sons and even grandsons of her former Scouts. Some of her former Scouts are now Scout masters. She even gets flowers from some of her old Scouts on Mother's Day.

Last year she had 44 boys to work with. She has always worked with at least two or three dens at once.

Her care for the boys and sharing of her time doesn't end there. She

has worked with handicapped boys confined to wheelchairs and blind troops. Griswold has led troops in Dimmitt, Nazareth, and other cities in the district as well as her hometown troops in Hart.

Griswold holds a master's degree in commissioner's science and is now a unit commissioner and round table commissioner. Cub master, den leader and committee chairman also top the list of offices on her scouting resume.

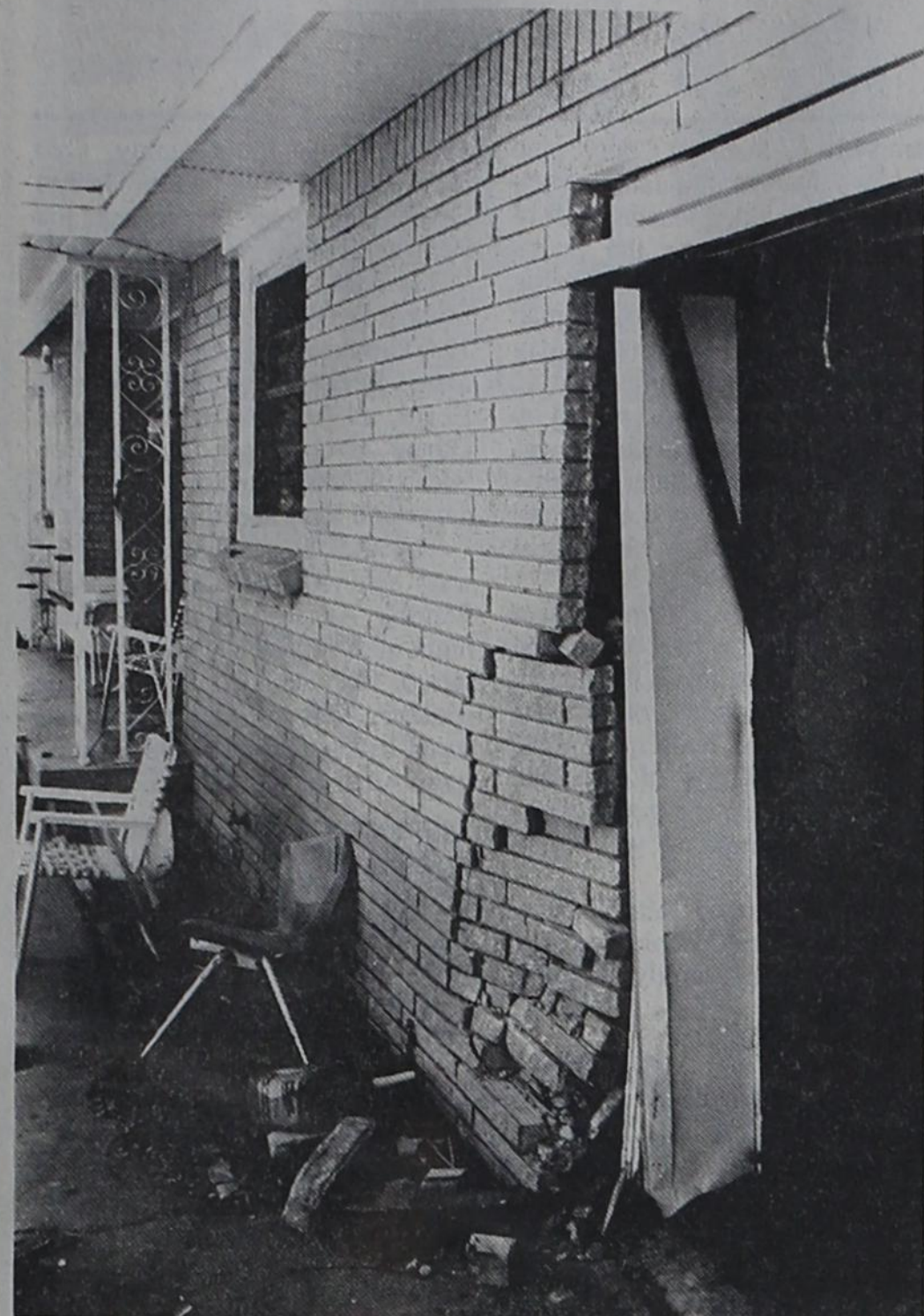
She has received "every award there is to get" including the *Den Leader Award*, *Den Leader Coach Award*, *Scouter's T*, *Arrowhead*, *Spark Plug Award*, and the *Little Fawn Award* (now the *Silver Beaver Award*).

Despite the numerous awards she has won, Griswold says the award she cherishes most is being able to help the boys in her troops.

"Watching the boys accomplish something really makes me feel good. I really enjoy watching them get an award. Their faces light up. I've got a little policy established with my boys—if they get As on their report card, I give them an award. It's an incentive for them to do well," Griswold said.

"It's been a thrill for me to watch them throughout the years and how they pick up on things and learn as they grow," she said.

Learning and growing. The Scouts are doing it with the help of Griswold — the Haynes District's first-ever *Woman of the Year*.



DAMAGE TO GOODWIN HOME, 705 W. GRANT ST. ... Throttle apparently jammed on car

Car crashes into home as driver rides brake

When Ruth Slough pulled her 1987 Buick into the driveway of P. O. and Frances Goodwin's home at 705 W. Grant St. Saturday, it wouldn't stop.

With Mrs. Slough pushing desperately on the brake pedal, the car rolled up the driveway and crashed into the Goodwins' home.

Mrs. Slough's daughter, Karon Moss — who was in the front passenger seat—reached across and turned off the ignition key to stop the racing engine after the car had hit the garage.

On Monday, two days after the accident, General Motors engineers recommended a recall of several 1986-87 models to repair a problem which reportedly causes stuck throttles.

Mrs. Slough's car had been parked in front of her daughter's home across the street at 704 W. Grant. Preparing to go to the Slough home, the two women got into the car and Mrs. Slough turned into the Goodwins' driveway in order to make a backing turn.

But when she pressed the brake, she said, the car wouldn't stop. She said she was "riding the brake" all the way as the car ran into the brick wall and door frame on the inside edge of the Goodwins' garage.

Mrs. Slough and her husband James reported the accident to their dealer, Stagner - Orsborn Buick - Pontiac-GMC in Hereford.

City police did not investigate the accident since it occurred on private property.

The Goodwins weren't home when the car crashed into their house.

The impact caused damage to the brick structure, garage door frame, wall studs and an interior wall of the Goodwin home, smashed the car's front end, ruined the radiator and bent the structural frame.

Mrs. Slough and Mrs. Moss apparently escaped with minor cuts and bruises.

City judge hiring is postponed

Dimmitt's Board of Aldermen postponed the hiring Monday night of a new municipal judge to succeed Clara Patton, who has resigned.

Mayor Wayne Collins called a special meeting for next Monday night to interview applicants for the post.

City Manager Reeford Burrous told the *News* Tuesday that the new city judge probably will be named the first week of February.

Deadline for applying for the vacant post was Jan. 13.

Burrous told aldermen at Monday night's meeting that Bill McMorrises will be in town this week to inspect city streets and select those most in need of seal coating.

Garms hopes to offer assertive voice

Senatorial Candidate Nancy Sample Garms made a stop in Dimmitt last week on her rounds through the 31st District.

Garms is seeking the nomination for this District's State Senate seat in the March 8 Democratic Primary.

"It's been ten years since this Senate seat has brought back to us what we need," Garms said, "an active, assertive voice in Austin.

Garms brings to her bid for the senate a professional background as a teacher, counselor, coach, and attorney as well as having served as a Legislative Analyst to the Governor.

"I worked in the 68th legislative session and the three special sessions that followed as a Legislative Analyst to the Governor," Garms said.

In that capacity she analyzed every piece of legislation and summarized it for the Governor as well as working on the language of any vetoes that were invoked.

"I have been through the process recently and still know the need for compromise and constant monitoring," she said.

Garms said that agriculture, state spending and education were three issues that she felt were of key importance.

Her background in education has made it a major area of interest for her.

"How we educate, how we attack the drop out situation and how we handle language difference are important questions that need to be addressed," she said.

"We need to begin now to lay the

groundwork for the changing of the funding of our educational system," Garms said.

Garms said that some recent supreme court cases would have far reaching repercussions. She cited one case in particular, that of Edgewood - Kirby, saying that it could dictate that the state would have to spend exactly the same amount of money on each student regardless of where the school is located or what size it is.

Garms expressed concern over agricultural issues, saying that agriculture was an important state issue and national issue as well.

Ross makes all-state choir

Chanin Ross of Dimmitt has been named first chair and first soprano on the all-state high school choir.

Ross, a senior at Dimmitt High School, is a member of the school's choir. She competed in the last try-out for the all-state choir along with students from five different regions.



Nancy Sample Garms

On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Henry and Ara Morrison spent Christmas in Houston with their son, David. Their two daughters, Sharon Epperson of Gilbert, Ariz. and Linda McKinney and family of Amarillo, joined them and they all celebrated Christmas together. The weather was nice and warm. On Christmas day, they had all the doors and windows open and the ceiling fan on. A television set was on the patio and some of the group watched the football games there while sitting in the porch swing. On Christmas night, David drove them to a sub-division in Pasadena, Calif. where everyone had decorated their home and yard. Traffic was bumper-to-bumper and the police were directing traffic at some intersections. It was a very beautiful sight.

Saturday everyone was tired of turkey and dressing and ham so they ate lunch in one of the big malls at Julio's, a nice Mexican food restaurant, and shopped at some of the stores.

On Monday, they visited friends of Ara's when she was a little girl, then shopped at another mall. Sharon had to leave Tuesday so everyone got up early to take her to the airport.

She left at 6:30 a.m. and called at 2 p.m. to say she was at home.

Wednesday the group went to Galveston and toured the Elissa. It is a sailing ship constructed in 1877. The Elissa joined other tall ships from around the world at the rededication ceremonies for the Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor in 1986. She last called on New York Harbor two years before the statue was erected. She was rescued from a Greek scrap yard after nearly 100 years at sea and is now a permanent fixture in Galveston. After the Elissa tour, they visited the Galveston County Historical Museum.

They left Houston on Monday and after an overnight stay in Alford they came home in the ice and fog to the cold Panhandle.

Bill and Joan Ballentine have returned from Decatur, Ala. where they spent the holidays with relatives and friends.

They held a family reunion in Birmingham while they were in Alabama with 20 attending.

They had a wonderful time. They attended Mass in Decatur in their newly remodeled St. Ann's Church that was decorated for Christmas.

The Ballentine's enjoyed breakfast at a famous restaurant and Joan had lunch with friends in one of the friends new home.

Ed and Betty Freeman attended the fund-raising banquet for the Crisis Pregnancy Center at the Amarillo Civic Center on Friday night along with over four hundred other people and heard Congressman Henry Hyde speak.

Gathering of the Clans will be the Community Concert held in Harrah Auditorium on the campus of Wayland Baptist University on Monday at 8 p.m. It will feature bagpipes and highland dancing and lots of good things from Scotland.

Mildred Bradford spent ten days in Davis, Calif. with Kent and Barbara Bradford and their new son, Jesse Parris, who was born Jan. 1, 1988. (He was just a little slow, so he wasn't the first New Year's Baby.) He weighed 9 1/2 pounds. He has a brother, Ben. James Bradford flew out for the weekend to see the new grandson.

While there, he and Mildred visited Mr. and Mrs. Amos Floyd in Sacramento.

The Floyd's lived at the Flagg Community in the 1930's.

The Gospel Singers met at the Canterbury Villa nursing home on Saturday evening to sing for the residents during their supper hour. Coy Dunn sang "The Silver Spurs", an Coy and Geneva Justice sang *One Day at a Time* Connie Ivey played *Under the Double Eagle*. Others enjoying the singing were Gene Ivey, Alvin and Francis Frazier, Ed and Betty Freeman, Mary Lou Frazier, Oleta Sanders, and Ara Morrison. The group went to Maria's to eat Mexican food following the singing.

The Friendship Quilters Guild met at the Dimmitt fire station for a workshop. Each one present made a log cabin block for a quilt.

Dale and Jean Whitehead of Amarillo spent Christmas with her parents, James and Mildred Bradford.

The Fair Association met at the Assembly room in the Courthouse and discussed plans for the Fair and Quilt show that will be held in the late summer. Those present were Nell Ingram, Deana Sagaser, Delores Heller, Twila West, Ara Morrison, Ruby Wood and Jackie McLeroy.

The Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary met at the hospital on Wednesday morning for a business meeting and a general meeting. Nell Ingram presided over the meeting. Carter Townsend, office manager, presented several suggestions to the 25 auxiliary members present.

Lloyd and Louise Lust of Littlefield and Jeff and Dacia of Durham, N.C. and friends visited Grace Lust during the Christmas holidays.

Oma Dee Heard gave the devotional on Happiness Thursday morning at the Canterbury Villa Nursing Home. Richard Young and Terry Early sang *Lean on Me*; Renise Blair sang *There's a Light Shining in the Darkness* and Phyllis Mooney accompanied the group. Others participating were Andy Earley, Irene Carpenter, Mauzee Youts, Ysleta Ball, and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Bob and Paula Bradford, Jaime and Scott of Denton spent New Year's weekend with James and Mildred Bradford and other relatives in Dimmitt.

On Friday night, a white Limousine from Lubbock came and

picked up Oma Dee Heard and took them to Lubbock where they enjoyed a very nice meal and music at Beethoven's restaurant in the Lubbock Plaza. After the meal the limo picked them up and returned them home. The Heard's invited the driver to pick his wife up to make the return trip with him. They really enjoyed visiting with this young couple who are the parents of six children.

The night out was a gift from Danny and Tammy Heard and girls.

The Dimmitt Book Club met at the Rhoad's Memorial Library on Wednesday afternoon for the first meeting of the New Year with Diane Townsend presiding. Debbie Matthews read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll. Murna Miller asked her husband, Judge Jack Miller, to introduce her guest speaker, Bill Neely, who has written a book entitled *Quannah Parker*. Mr. Neely gave an interesting review of his book and showed some slides of Quannah Parker and his family. Plans are being made for a movie to be produced about the book.

Hostesses for the social hour were Barbara Bail and Alice Collyer who served delicious tarts, fruit salad and hot apple cider from a table decorated with a beautiful silk flower arrangement in a huge blue basket.

Geneva Dennis honored Connie Ivey with a belated birthday luncheon on Friday at the El Sombrero. Others enjoying the celebration were Oleta Gollehon, Irene Carpenter, Hazel Bagwell, Mauzee Youts, Ruth Hays and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Retta Cluck was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for fun and good good at the noon hour and a

day of bridge. Dorothy Elder won high score and Cletha George won second high score. Others playing were Betty Renfro of Amarillo, Polly Holland, Edith Graef, Ruth Coleman and Cleo Forson.

Scott Hill, son of W.J. and Sara, came home from Texas A&M University for the Christmas holidays. He enjoyed lots of home cooking and sleeping late and seeing his high school friends. During the holidays, Scott spoke several times with Jay Stark and Brad Collard. Jay Stark is from Chester, N.J. Jay and Scott met last June at summer conference and became instant friends. Scott plans to spend this coming summer working and living in Chester, N.J. with Jay and his family. Brad Collard is the son of Butch Collard, who was W.J.'s high school friend in Amarillo. Brad and Scott are suite mates at A&M.

Troy and Lynna Cloer and Virginia Love of Tulia, Gail and Nor-

man Nelson, Stanley, Connie and daughter, Donald and Janice Shelton and Mary Edna Hendrix, all of Dimmitt were among the guests who attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Arline and Ramah Lou Lankford at McLean Saturday afternoon. A beautiful wedding cake and gold punch was served by nieces from Dallas and coffee was served by granddaughter, Lauren Lankford of Dallas. Bill and Mary Lynn Lankford and Mickey Jackson assisted with hostess duties.

The Sugar Beet Growers Association held their annual banquet on Saturday night at the Bull Barn in Hereford. The organ music was delightful by Jan Walser, the meal catered by K-Bob's of Hereford was delicious and the guest speaker, Wayne Humphrey was entertaining and humorous.

I was a guest of Kate Beecher and we saw a few people we knew—the Dan Heard family, Kenneth Heard family, Louis Huseman

family, Wade Mills family, Carl King, Kenneth Frye family, George Frye family, John Brooks and the Herschel Blacks, all from Hereford. Raymond Schlabs was the Ag Man of the Year. Members of the 10,000 pound club were Allen McLain, Jerry Miller and Kenneth Heard, all from the Dimmitt area. Others were Vasek Farms, Bob Hicks, Rickey Rector, Chris Ingram, and Troy and Vic Christian.

The AIDS awareness seminar was held in the Dimmitt High School Auditorium on Sunday night with Pat Socia, field representative for Sex Respect, as the speaker. This meeting was sponsored by the Castro County Ministerial Alliance Association.

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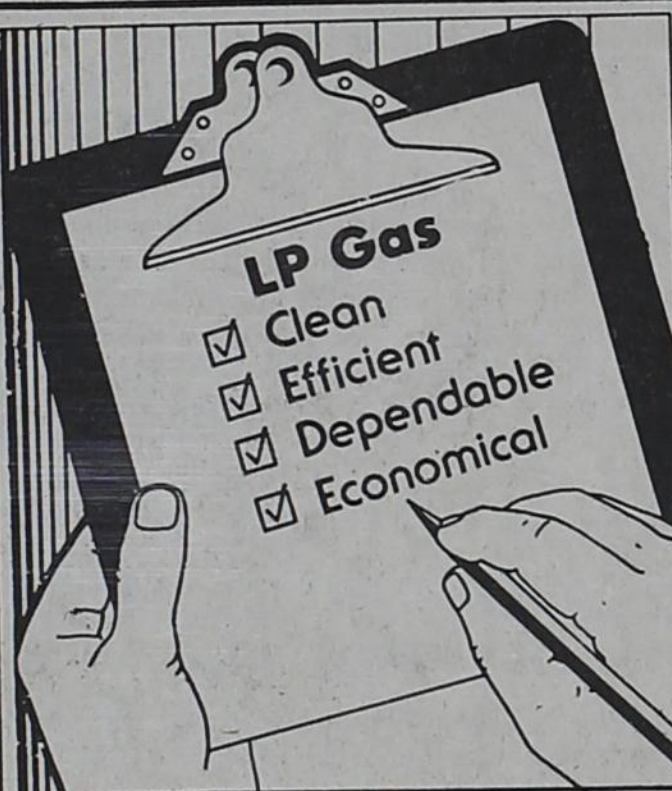
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WORKING FOR WELL-BEING — These six- and seven-year-old Brownies are working to earn a *World of Well-Being* patch, which requires study on cooking and eating the right foods that are important for your health. Brownies from Troop 193 are (from left) Tara Mays, Taryn Hays, Tonya Robertson, Brownie leader Janet Mays,

Valerie Gonzales and Kristin Doss. Not pictured is Stephanie Hinojosa. The Brownies meet twice a month at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. Other projects the Brownies are working on include cookie sales. If anyone needs cookies and hasn't been contacted, they can call Renee Doss or Kim Hays.

Nazareth

By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

Joe and Amy Schmucker were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday beginning with a Mass at 1:30 a.m. in Holy Family Catholic Church during which they renewed their wedding vows. Rev. Brendan Sherry officiated at the ceremony.

A dinner and reception followed, hosted by their seven children. Children of the couple are Clyde and Bea Hoelting, Dan and Ethel Schmucker, David and Mary Ann Schulte, Ray and Mary Lou Schmucker, Janet Schmucker, Jim and Bobbie Schmucker, all of Nazareth and Gene and Michelle Schmucker of Wichita Falls.

All but one of the couple's 24 grandchildren were present. Many beautiful gifts and cards were received.

About 140 relatives and friends enjoyed the afternoon visiting and playing cards. Out-of-town relatives came from Fort Collins, Colo., New Mexico, Oklahoma, Dallas, Wichita Falls, Lubbock, Amarillo, Canyon, Hereford, Umbarger, Tulia and Dimmitt.

Congratulations to Lynn and Nancy Buchanan of Dimmitt on the birth of a son, Ryan Earl, Dec. 31 in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Grandparents are Tony and Angela Acker of Nazareth, Nora Buchanan of Dimmitt, and Earl Buchanan of Bumeysville, Okla.

Whitney Hoelting underwent surgery Friday morning at Deaf Smith General Hospital to repair the tendon in her finger. She is recuperating at home.

Jerry and Tricia Rose and son Eric spent the weekend in Odessa with the Gene Gerber family. On Monday they attended funeral services for Jerry's uncle.

Congratulations to Cecil and

Lenora Braddock on the birth of a son, Dusty Arnold, on Jan. 9 at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Grandparents are Arnold and Catherine Huseman and Vincent and Louise Braddock. Great-grandparents are Fonsa Huseman and Helen Backus.

Helen Backus remains a heart patient in Plains Memorial Hospital. She seems to be better and is looking forward to going to the home of her daughter, Catherine Huseman to recuperate, but has to take it very easy.

Margaret Braddock underwent surgery Friday morning at St. Anthony's Hospital after falling on ice. She suffered a broken hip. Her room number is 551.

Johnny Schacher suffered a heart attack Friday night and was admitted to the VA Hospital in Amarillo. His room is 169.

Norma Schacher, who is recuperating from heart surgery, has been moved to the home of Rusty and Lydia Schacher. They will be caring for her.

Vincent Pohlmeier is home to recuperate after spending a week in the Tulia Hospital being treated for pneumonia.

Ethel Schmucker and Cecilia Annen are both new patients in Plains Memorial Hospital.

We wish all of our ill parishioners a speedy recovery.

Our sympathy to the family of Ray Schulte who died of a heart attack at his home Sunday night.

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Who's New?

Nicholas Omar Ortiz was born in Plainview on Jan. 7 at 1 p.m., weighing 10 lbs., 2 oz., and was 21 inches long. His proud parents are Salvador and Chole Ortiz of Dimmitt. Nicholas has an older sister, six-year-old Monica. Paternal grandparents are Nati and Olivia Ortiz and maternal grandparents are Andres and Christina Montes.

Ed and Susan Cerday of Harrison, Ark., are the parents of a baby boy, Clayton Frank Cerday. He was born Jan. 2 at 4:48 p.m. He weighed 8 lb., 6 oz. and was 22 inches long. He has a one-year-old sister, Courtney. His grandparents are Frank and Shirley Wise of Dimmitt. Ruth Coleman is his great-grandmother.

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People



TOOLS FOR THE FUTURE—Jennifer Hanners (left) is presented a second place rosette and Epsom Personal Computer System from Garland Coleman, owner of Coleman HealthMart Pharmacy in Dimmitt. Hanners entered the national HealthMart HealthSmart contest and her essay was good for a second place national award.

Hanners is national winner in drug awareness contest

Jennifer Hanners, daughter of Gerald and Susan Hanners of Dimmitt, has been named national second place winner in the HealthMart, HealthSmart drug awareness contest.

School-age children were invited to submit colorings, posters and essays on short stories on the topic of drug abuse to their local Health Mart store.

Hanners, a 15-year-old sophomore at Dimmitt High School, entered the seventh through tenth grade category and submitted her entry to Coleman HealthMart Pharmacy in Dimmitt. Her short story, entitled *No Big Deal*, won the local first prize and made her eligible for the national competition.

As a national second place winner, she received a personal computer outfit, complete with disk drive, monitor and printer.

"We are very proud of Jennifer's achievement," said Garland Coleman, owner of Coleman HealthMart Pharmacy. "I also want to thank all the children who entered for their creative efforts, and our teachers and community leaders for helping to educate our children about this important issue."

Hanners is among eight other national winners in three age-group categories. They were chosen from over 250 local first-place winners submitted by participating HealthMart stores throughout the country. Dallas-based HealthMart Inc. is a national retail drug store franchise chain.

No Big Deal

"Chrissy! Hey, Chris! Chris, come here for a minute!"

My voice was hoarse from yelling when Chris came bounding up to me grinning from ear to ear.

"So, what's happenin'?" asked Chris, as she skimmed a letter she had received from her latest dream guy.

"Oh, I was wondering if you might want to spend the night. It's Friday and we need to have a good time!" I stated emphatically.

"Sounds awesome to me," agreed Chris, "but I don't know if Judy is going to like the idea."

Chris was more like a prisoner than a daughter to Judy. If she was ever allowed to do anything, everyone at school considered it a miracle.

"I'm not promising anything, but I think I can persuade my jailer to let me out on parole," Chris said sarcastically. "I'll call you later."

Chris darted down the hall before I could tell her that she had dropped the letter. I picked it up and took it with me to algebra class. My curiosity got the best of me and before I knew it, I was reading the letter instead of solving for X. What I read, I'll never forget.

Saturday night, Chrissy's boyfriend was planning to present her with a token of his affection. Apparently, his love for Chris was so great that he was willing to give her the gift of death. He was going to give her drugs. I gathered that Rick had been "generous" with my friend many other times; however, I could not be sure until I asked her.

Chris was my best friend and it hurt to think that she had not even told me what was happening.

That night the phone rang. I picked up the receiver and managed to stay calm. Chris had persuaded her mother to allow her to spend the night. We agreed that she would come to my house at eight o'clock.

Eight o'clock arrived much too soon. I was faced with the unpleasant task of talking to Chris. The girl who was my best friend had suddenly become a stranger.

"Chris, I read your letter," I said, trying unsuccessfully to hold back my tears. "Why didn't you tell me?" "Oh, Sherrie, it's no big deal!" We just messed around a few times.

"No big deal! Chris, it only takes a few times for something to happen. How could you sneak around and do this?"

"Sherri, Judy gets upset when I breathe the wrong way. If she ever found out that I have been doing drugs she would disown me. Taking Rick's medicine seems to ease the pressure. I feel like it's unlocking the door to this prison I'm living in."

"Chris, how can you be so calm? I can't imagine what Judy will do if she ever finds out!"

All the pain and pressure that Chris had been keeping inside for so long finally emerged. Her emotions erupted violently in a torrent of tears. Chris and I cried together. Saturday morning we took Chris home. That was the last time I saw her.

Monday, Chris wasn't at school. Judy had learned the truth. That was a big deal.

On Tuesday, Rick spread the news that Chris had been sent to a rehabilitation center. That was a big deal, too.

On Wednesday, I heard that she was never coming back. That was a big deal.

Thursday, I cried. On Friday, I walked to my classes alone because Chris, who had once been my closest friend, was now so far away. To me that was, and still is, a big deal.

Yanez makes SPC Dean's List

Jesus Yanez, son of Jose and Juana Yanez, was named to the Dean's Honor List at South Plains College for the fall semester of 1987.

Yanez, a 1987 graduate of Dimmitt High School, is the vice-president of the Catholic Student Organization. He was a Beauty and the Beast candidate during the SPC Halloween Festival and was a Homecoming King candidate. He is also a Food Committee member.

Dimmitt students earn honors

Two students from Dimmitt have been named to president's and dean's honor roll for the 1987 fall semester at South Plains College in Levelland.

Ricky Garibaldi was named to the president's honor roll and Jesus Yanez was listed on the dean's honor roll.

To be selected for the president's list, students must maintain a 4.0 grade point average. Students named to the dean's list must maintain a minimum 3.25 GPA. SPC honor students must carry a minimum of 12 semester hours.

Raper makes honors list

Nettie Raper of Dimmitt has been named to the dean's honor roll for the fall semester at Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Okla.

The dean's list contains the names of students who have carried 12 or more semester hours, have at least a 3.3 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and have no F's or I's.

DYH meeting is postponed

The Dimmitt Young Homemakers have postponed their meeting scheduled for tonight (Thursday) until next Thursday, Jan. 28, at 7 p.m. at Dimmitt High School.

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Goodwin married the former Frances Brown on Dec. 25, 1937, in Erick, Okla. They have lived in Dimmitt for 47 years.

Children of the couple are Mike Goodwin of Festus, Mo., Ricki Dane of Iraan, Texas, and Beelee Goodwin of Friona.

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Couple home in Plano after recent wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Duane L. Bunce have established their home in Plano following their recent wedding at the McLendon Cielo Ranch of Lake Dallas.

The bride is the former Tracey L. Compton, daughter of Linda Hance Karagas of Boulder, Colo., and Gary L. Compton of Dallas. She is the granddaughter of Beral Hance of Dimmitt and Bessie Compton of Dallas.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bunce of Azle. Honor attendants were the bride's sister, Paige Compton, and Scott McPherson, both of Dallas.

The couple are graduates of Texas Tech University in Lubbock. They took their wedding trip to Ixtapa, Mexico.

Senior Citizens

Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. including the Domingo Center. 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 (Thursday) and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge is played Monday nights at 7:30.

There is a noontime Bible study on Monday.

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

Membership in the Center is open to everyone who is 50 years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, color, race, ethnic background, national origin, religion, denominational preference, political party, economic status or handicap.

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Local cancer unit wants to serve county patients

When cancer strikes in a family it can be very traumatic, but families should know that there is help available to them, all they have to do is pick up the phone and call.

The local unit of the American Cancer Society wants to emphasize its service and rehabilitation program to cancer victims in the county—they want to ease the impact of cancer on people.

Several services are provided without charge by the local chapter of the ACS to cancer victims including information and counseling concerning ACS services, community health services and resources that may help the patient; loans of sickroom supplies and special comfort items for the homebound patients, such as hospital beds and



wheel chairs; transportation to and from a doctor's office, clinic or hospital for diagnosis and treat-

ment.

The local organization has helped several families out with various items that they need and just recently, transportation chairmen Garner and Ysleta Ball, took a cancer victim to Lubbock for treatment.

The Balls have helped transport several cancer victims in the county, but they need individuals, especially women, to volunteer to drive in case someone needs help getting to a doctor or hospital and has no way of getting there.

The ACS conducts service and rehabilitation projects such as transportation, to assist cancer patients and their families. The programs provide practical help and emotional support to those who are affected by cancer. Help and support are

always given with the approval of the physician and without interfering in the physician-patient relationship. ACS volunteers enable divisions and units to offer a wide variety of services depending on the needs of the patient, available funds and local facilities.

Anyone who wants to volunteer their services as chauffeur, or any cancer victim who needs transportation or any other services provided by the ACS can call the Balls at 647-3140 or ACS President Val Davis at 647-2131.

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Hart ISD sets trustee election

The Hart School Board established Saturday, May 7 as school trustee election day in Hart at its regular monthly meeting Jan. 11.

Glen Reed has been appointed as election judge with Marlan Hart to serve as alternate judge. Absentee voting clerks will be Nancy Bowden and Nelda Ethridge.

The board voted to amend the remainder of the school calendar by making Feb. 19 a regular school day. The change in the calendar was necessary due to days missed

during bad weather.

A group of special education teachers and elementary counselors met with the board and discussed their programs for the 1987-88 school year.

In other action the board voted to extend the contract of Superintendent J.B. Wilson, to July 1, 1991; to lease a new lawn tractor from Ray Lee Equipment of Plainview; and heard the annual performance report for the 1987-88 academic year.

Lynn to compete in beauty pageant

LeAndre Lynn of Dimmitt will vie for the title of 1988 Miss Caprock Beauty Friday, Jan. 29, at South Plains College in Levelland.

The annual pageant is scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. in SPC's Theater for the Performing Arts. Tickets are \$2 per person.

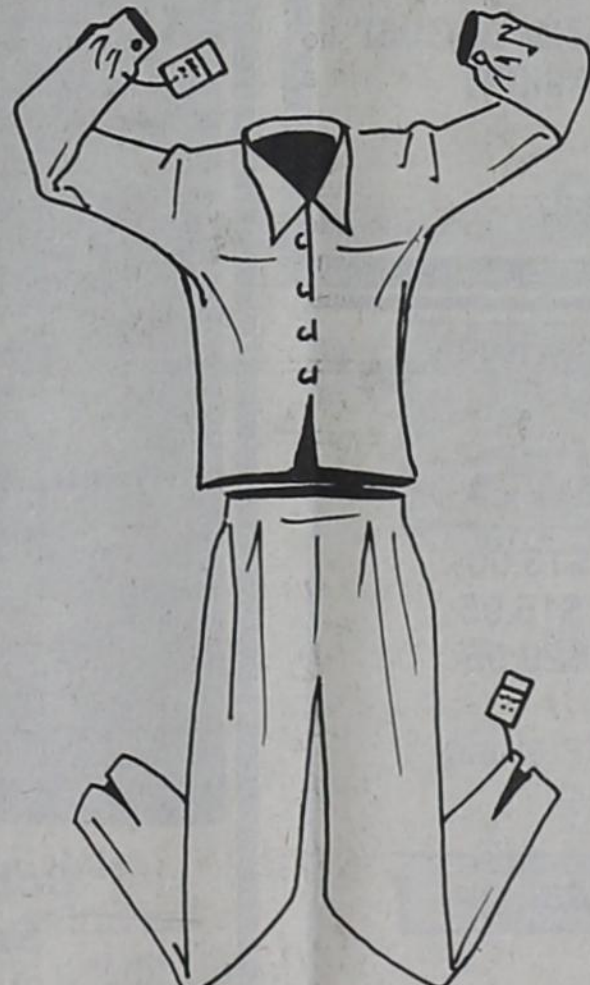
Lynn, a 19-year-old sophomore home economics major at SPC is the daughter of Hank and Sydna Lynn of Dimmitt High School and is being sponsored by the American Home Economics Association.

The contestants will be judged in casual and formal wear. Five finalists will be selected and will each answer a question from the judges, who will make the final selection of Miss Caprock and the first and second runners-up.



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Sports



AMBUSH! — Dimmitt's Becky Rodriguez completes a backcourt steal after Sydelle McDonald (21) has tipped the ball away during the third quarter of the Bobbies' district game against

Floydada Friday night. Rodriguez later fed the ball to Gloria Gauna (racing toward basket in center), who scored to give Dimmitt a 40-21 lead. The Bobbies won the game, 55-38.

Bobbies gain district lead with 3OT win over Mulettes

Dimmitt's Bobbies gained the inside track toward the district's first-half championship when they outlasted their main 2-AAA rival, the Muleshoe Mulettes, 48-44, in a triple-overtime thriller here Tuesday night.

There were heroines aplenty for the Bobbies as they came from a nine-point deficit in the third to tie the score at 38-all at the end of regulation play.

The Mulettes held a five-point lead and were stalling at 1:40 when the Bobbies forced a turnover and Renae Josselet sank a three-point bomb to cut the visitors' lead to two, 37-35. Then Dondi Hays netted two free throws to tie it at 37-all with 25 ticks left. After Muleshoe's Joey Heathington gave the Mulettes the lead again with a free throw, Dimmitt's Alicia Shippy countered with a clutch charity toss to send the game into overtime.

Meanwhile, Dimmitt lost starters Sydelle McDonald and Gloria Gauna on fouls, and Muleshoe's Wendy Green went to the bench with five, all during the furious fourth quarter.

Both teams were so uptight in the first overtime that neither scored.

In OT II, Muleshoe ante'd up with a basket, Josselet followed with a tying shot, and Muleshoe scored again to go ahead 42-40.

Then it was Becky Rodriguez's turn. She drove the baseline and

scored with 17 seconds remaining to tie the score at 42, then grabbed a crucial rebound after Heathington missed a second free throw with five seconds left to send the game into its third overtime.

Rodriguez gave the Bobbies a big edge with a three-pointer midway through the third OT. Muleshoe's Michelle Cox cut Dimmitt's lead to one, 45-44, when she made both ends of a 1-and-1 with 1:09 left.

Then Kalinda Dutton took charge, scoring despite being fouled and sinking the charity toss for a three-point play to make it 48-44 in Dimmitt's favor with 23 seconds remaining.

The Mulettes came back with a three-point attempt, but it rimmed out and Dutton snared the rebound

and was fouled. She missed the front end of this 1-and-1, but the play left Muleshoe with only nine seconds to go the length of the court, and the game was over. The Mulettes' final shot was no good.

Fans and players all were exhausted after the marathon, which lasted more than 2-1/2 hours.

After being "fed to the wolves" during non-conference play, the Bobbies now own a perfect 3-0 district record with wins over Friona, Floydada and Muleshoe. They'll try to remain the only team undefeated in district play as they complete their first-half round robin with games at Tulia Friday and at Littlefield Tuesday. Victories in those two games could pave the way to a third straight trip into the playoffs.

Cleveland is fourth winningest HS coach

Ken Cleveland of Dimmitt was listed as the fourth winningest Texas high school basketball coach at the start of the 1987-88 season by the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches.

Cleveland has coached for 28 seasons and had compiled a 723-221 record before the start of this season.

In front of Cleveland on the list are Bill Krueger of Clear Lake, first with a 850-151 record; Robert Hughes of Fort Worth Dunbar, second, 798-152; and Don Coleman of Houston Memorial, third, 793-263.

Swiftettes set record with win over Bovina

The No. 1-ranked Nazareth Swiftettes demonstrated just why they are the top-ranked team in Class A Tuesday night when they slaughtered Bovina 119-10 for the second-largest winning margin in Texas high school girls' basketball history.

The Swiftettes, 21-2 on the year and 4-0 in loop play shut out Bovina in the opening period 30-0, then increased the margin to a 66-3 count at halftime.

The 109-point victory margin ranks second behind a 130-point margin set in 1984 when Sweeny downed Stafford 132-2.

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Week's schedule

FRIDAY—Bobcats and Bobbies at Tulia, Swifts, Swiftettes and JV Swifts at Lazbuddie, Longhorns, Lady Longhorns and Hart JV vs. Olton.

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JV Swiftettes at Happy, Bobcats and Bobbies at Littlefield.



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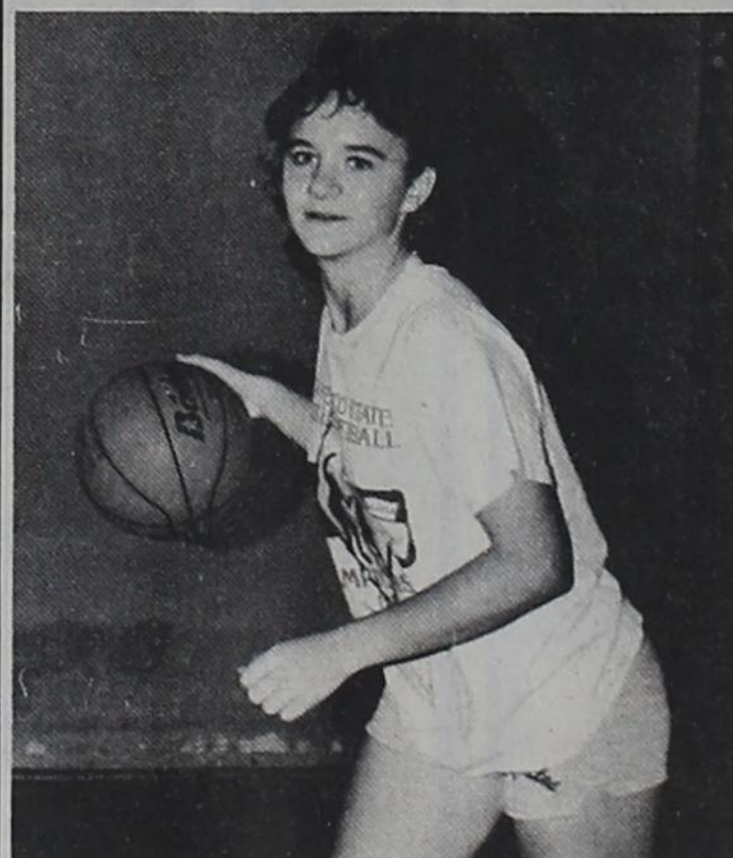
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Bobcats:

74, River Road 36
76, Morton 69
66, Hereford 54

Borger Tournament:

41, Amarillo 56
59, Canyon 43
84, Borger 60
(Consolation)
77, Canyon 42

Pioneer Classic:

76, Estacado 64
63, Plainview 65
57, Nazareth 54
(Third Place)

60, Hereford 51

74, Midland Lee 68

60, Plainview 83

84, Morton 51

Caprock Tournament:

74, Wichita Falls 82
74, Lub. Dunbar 50
73, Lub. Estacado 52
76, Big Spring 64
51, Lub. Coronado 47
(Consolation)
66, Levelland 51
69, Paducah 73
89, Floydada 71
88, Muleshoe 40

Bobbies:

69, Paducah 45
61, Amarillo High 73
45, Hereford 44

Frenship Classic:

43, Coronado 34
53, Frenship 62
46, Happy 50
(Fourth Place)

38, Canyon 66

Canyon Classic:

45, Tascosa 61
31, Caprock 35
49, Palo Duro 66
(Eighth Place)

45, Morton 55

52, Caprock 58

44, Plainview 63

34, Morton 56

Caprock Tournament:

51, Monterey 66
52, Lub. Estacado 49
43, Friona 40
41, Shallowater 61
24, Levelland 52
65, Paducah 29
53, Friona 30
55, Floydada 38
48, Muleshoe 44

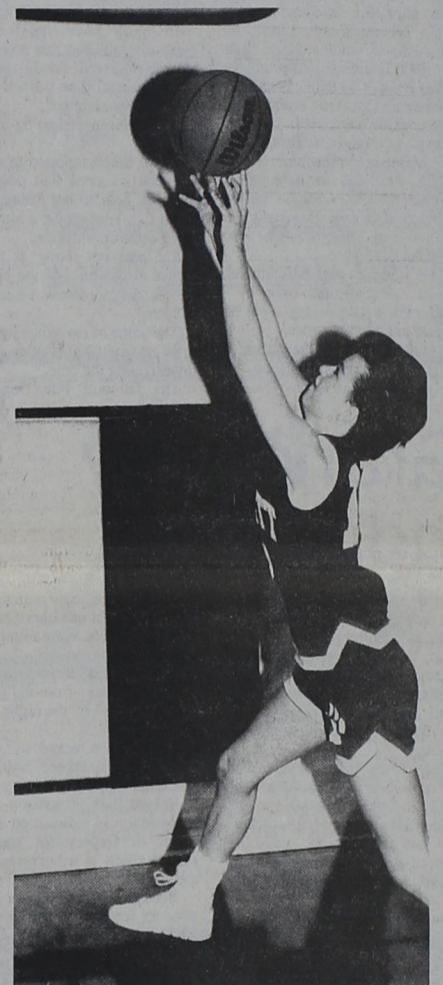
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Remaining Schedule

- * Jan. 22 @ Tulia
- * Jan. 26 @ Littlefield
- * Jan. 29 @ Friona
- * Feb. 2 Floydada
- * Feb. 5 @ Muleshoe
- * Feb. 9 Tulia
- * Feb. 12 Littlefield
- * Feb. 16 Bobcats host Friona

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Big Catfight brewing

The Bobcats are off to a roaring start in district play with an 89-71 victory at Floydada Friday night and an 88-40 win over Muleshoe here Tuesday. They'll face their toughest district test Tuesday night when they play the once-beaten Wildcats at Littlefield.

Coach Ken Cleveland doesn't mind telling you that Littlefield has him worried.

"They're for real," he said. "They've got all their starters back from last year. They have a real strong bench; they play 10 people a lot and there's not much drop-off between their first five and second five, so they can wear you out."

"They don't have the 20-points-per-game man, but Tuesday night (in a 99-77 win over Floydada)

they had six players in double figures. They've got a bunch of balance."

The Wildcats haven't been playing a creampuff schedule, either.

"They've played a lot of the same folks we have," Cleveland said. "They played Paducah to seven points; in fact, that's the only game they've lost. The week we beat Hereford 60-51, Littlefield beat Hereford 65-46. They've beaten Big Spring. They've played some pretty good big teams, and they've won three tournaments (Denver City, Frenship, Abernathy)."

"It's going to be interesting," he said.

So if you want to get a seat in Littlefield's barn Tuesday night,

you'd better get there early.

The Bobcats scored easily against Floydada Friday night when they got the ball; they just couldn't get it very often at first as the Whirlwinds played the ball-control game that they play well.

The play was effective for the Whirlwinds in the first quarter as they stayed within three, 16-13. But the Bobcats applied pressure in the second and struck for 25 points to go ahead by 41-29 at halftime. They outscored their hosts by three points in each of the final two quarters (21-18 and 27-24) to build a final 18-point victory margin, 89-71.

Scoreboard

FRIDAY		TUESDAY	
Longhorns 50, Abernathy 59	Dimmitt 10 6 17 7 — 40	Swiftettes 119, Bovina 10	
Hart 17 9 13 10 — 50	Littlefield 2 2 4 8 — 16	Nazareth 30 36 21 32 — 119	Bovina 0 3 4 3 — 10
Abernathy 9 14 14 22 — 59	Scoring: D—Poppy Thomas 20.	Scoring: N—Traci Hill 20, Darla Leavitt 18, Rachel Hueman 17, Bobbi Hochstein and Tami Ball 13, Missy Brockman and Stephanie Brockman 10.	
Lady Longhorns 38, Abernathy 53	Freshman Bobcats 40	Swifts 72, Bovina 50	
Hart 11 10 7 9 — 38	Littlefield 16	Nazareth 21 21 14 16 — 72	Bovina 12 13 12 13 — 50
Abernathy 14 10 17 12 — 53	Dimmitt 17 13 23 22 — 75	Scoring: N—Chris Schmucker 23, Kyle Schilling 16, Gregg Gerber 12, Heath Schulte 10.	
Scoring: H—Junior Washington 11.	Littlefield 18 15 17 17 — 67	Bobcats 88, Muleshoe 40	
	Scoring: D—Freddy Martinez 20, Scott Acker 20.	Dimmitt 20 26 21 21 — 88	Muleshoe 14 7 5 14 — 40
		Scoring: D—James Alexander 24, Warren McDonald 23.	
		Bobcats 48, Muleshoe 44 (3OT)	
		Dimmitt 13 3 10 12 0 4 6 — 48	Muleshoe 12 10 7 9 0 4 2 — 40
		Scoring: D—Sydelle McDonald 11, Becky Rodriguez 10.	
		Longhorns 46, Lockney 52	
		Hart 10 17 11 8 — 46	Lockney 11 19 9 13 — 52
		Scoring: H—Junior Washington 23, Herman Longoria 12.	
		Lady Longhorns 44, Lockney 28	
		Hart 8 10 16 10 — 44	Lockney 5 4 11 8 — 28
		Scoring: H—Knox 15, Cynthia George 15.	

Police Calls

Robert James Back, 22, of Dimmitt is in custody in the county jail on a charge of retaliation in connection with an assault on Albert Ramirez, of Dimmitt, last Friday. Back allegedly struck Ramirez, Back's brother-in-law, across the back with a weight lifters belt. Ramirez is a witness in a prior case against Back in which he is charged with making terroristic threats.

Ascencion Vargas, Jr., 18, of Dimmitt is charged with burglary of a coin operated machine in connection with the incident which occurred at Video Magic on the afternoon of Jan. 12. Damage to the machine and change taken were estimated at \$50.

Yard lights at two different residences were pushed over by a small vehicle late Friday night according to Dimmitt police.

The yard light at the home of Doyle Underwood was pushed over at about midnight Friday. No da-

mage was done to the light.

Jan Waggoner reported that the yard light at her home had been pushed over sometime after 1 a.m. Saturday morning. The Waggoner's light did sustain some damage.

In each case, police said evidence indicated that a small vehicle had driven slowly up to the light pole and then pushed it over with the front bumper.

Police are investigating these incidents.

Lottie Smith reported to city police that someone had pried open the back door to her residence and taken two televisions, a wall clock and a cable control box.

She was not living at the residence at the time of the break-in, so she did not know when it had occurred.

The value of the stolen items was estimated at \$700. Police are still investigating the case.

The Dimmitt Fire Department

reported that four windows at the fire station had been shot sometime between Jan. 11 and Jan. 15.

Evidence at the scene indicated that the shots had been fired by an air gun. Police have a suspect in the case.

Damage to the windows is estimated at \$60.

Robert Kelly of northeast Dimmitt reported to city police that someone had entered his home sometime between Friday at 10:30 p.m. and Saturday at 9:40 a.m. and taken hams and pork chops from his freezer.

The value of the meats taken is estimated at \$200. Police are still investigating the case.

Ted Stubblefield of northwest Dimmitt reported to city police that someone had broken into his 1981 Ford Van Saturday night and taken a Cobra 23 Channel CB.

The value of the CB is estimated at \$60. The van was parked at Stubblefield's residence at the time of the theft.

A 47-year-old Hart man was arrested Saturday and charged with disorderly conduct, public intoxication and parking in a roadway.

A 19-year-old Dimmitt man was arrested Sunday on a charge of having no drivers license and having an expired registration.

Sheriff's officers arrested a 19-year-old Dimmitt man on violation of probation Tuesday.

Grand Jury indicts five

The 64th District Grand Jury handed down eight indictments in four separate cases Friday with Judge Jack Miller presiding.

Leo Torres, 17, of Dimmitt was indicted on one felony count of possession of a controlled substance in the Castro County Jail and one felony count of aggravated assault.

The assault charge was in connection with an altercation at Dimmitt High School Dec. 10.

Polo Salazar Corral, 19, of Dimmitt was indicted on one felony count of aggravated assault in connection with the shooting of Mark Muniz Dec. 27.

Jeffery Allen Boldon, 20, and

Arthur Loyd Sears, 19, both of Hereford were each indicted on a felony count of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and a felony count of burglary.

Boldon and Sears reportedly took two tractors from the property of Tony Gabel on the night of Dec. 23.

They then wrecked the tractors causing an estimated \$10,000 to \$15,000 in damages.

Robert Earl Henderson, 34, of Plainview was indicted on a felony count of forgery for passing a forged check at a business in Nazareth Sept. 27.

Henderson has two prior convictions for forgery in Plainview.

County 4-H stock show set

The annual Castro County 4-H stock show will be held Saturday in the Castro County Expo Building.

Animals entered in the show should be weighed in between 8 and 10 a.m.

A showmanship clinic for 4-Hers will begin at 10 a.m.

Judging of livestock will begin at 1 p.m., beginning with steers, lambs and barrows.

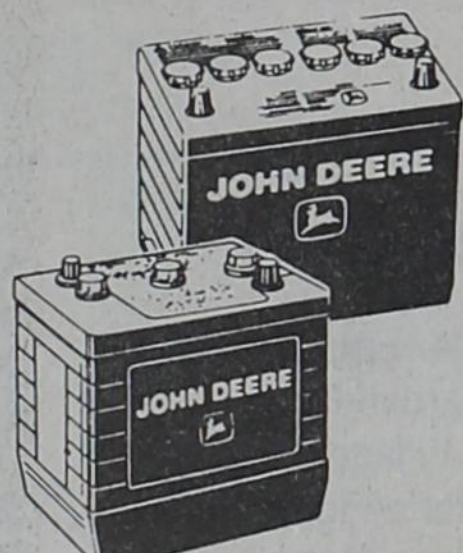
Jim Rhodes, vocational agricultural teacher from Bovina will serve as judge for this year's show.

Tropics and ribbons will be awarded.

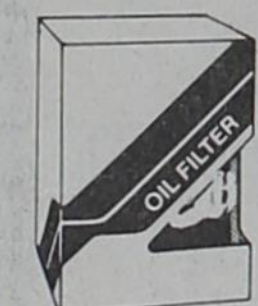
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"When I pay a dollar in taxes I expect a dollar in state services," Phillips told his audience here Friday. "But recent studies indicate that this senate district receives only one dollar in services for every seven dollars it spends in taxes. It's time that the people of this region received the same consideration as those in the rest of the state."

"This senate district cannot afford to continue to send its wealth to Austin and receive less than our fair share," he continued. "What is fair share? Quality education for our children, a good highway system, security and concern for our older citizens."

"And as your senator I will not vote for a state income tax," he said. "My first-hand experience in government has taught me that we can make government work without raising taxes or interfering in people's lives. Government can be more efficient."

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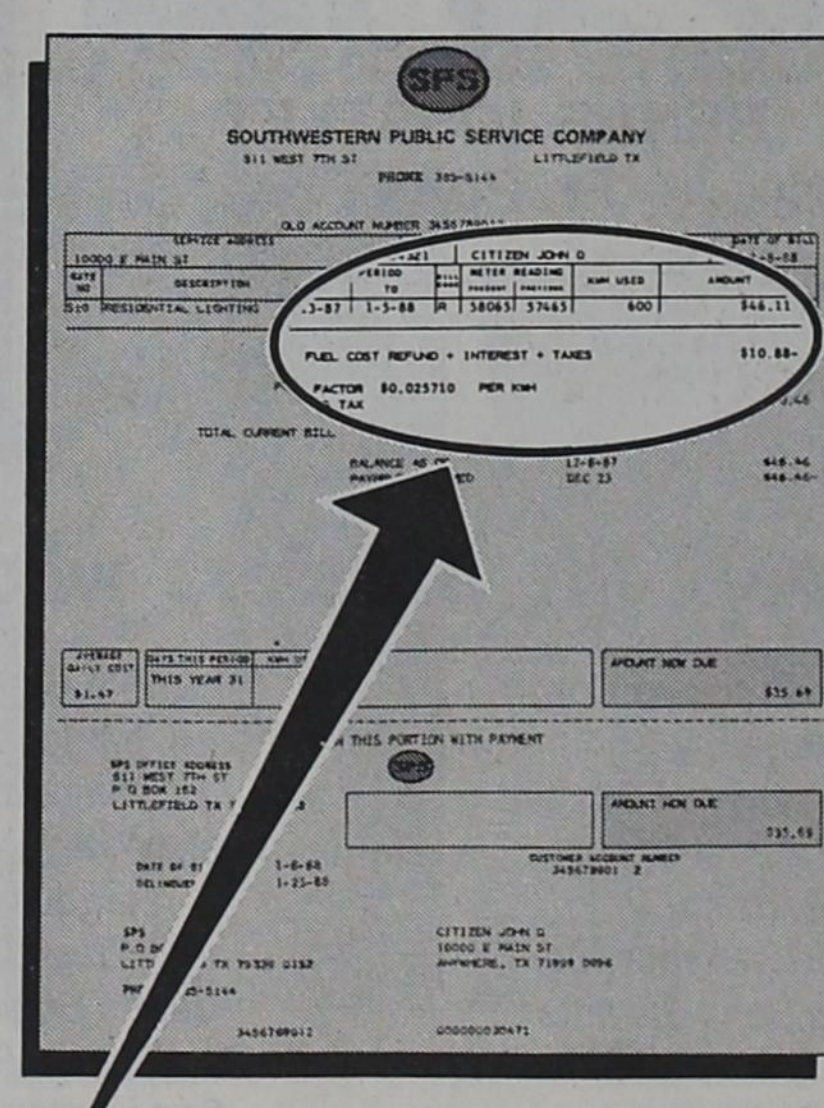
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S-E Flag Corps sets sights for Australia

Performing in the Bluebonnet Bowl and a trip to Australia were on the agenda for every teenager this year, but for four lucky girls from Springlake-Earth High School, they were.

Tami Field, Dawn Chitty, Christy Field and Sharla Cole are the members of the Springlake-Earth Flag Corps, and their hard work and determination has paid off with an invitation to be a part of the Marching Auxiliaries "All American" Performance Team.

In April, the Color Guard, dance team members and selected majorettes will perform during opening ceremonies of the World's Fair in Brisbane, Australia. The trip will include a tour of Sydney Harbor, the Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary and the Gold Coast Beach Resort. A one night homestay with an Australian family and attending an Australian school are also on the 9-day itinerary.

In August of 1987, the S-E Flag

PCS to take commodity applications

Applications for 1988 Commodity Distribution (butter and cheese) are being taken at the Panhandle Community Services office at 114 W. Jones.

Applicants must bring verification of income and proper identification to qualify for registration. A check stub, letter from DHS, bank deposit slip, letter from employer, 1987 tax statement or signed self-declaration statement may be used to verify income.

Butter and cheese will be distributed Wednesday, Feb. 10, from 12 noon until 4 p.m. in the County Expo Building.

It is hoped that as many as possible will come in for pre-registration thereby avoiding a crowded and slow situation on the 10th," said Nell Mays, Area Coordinator for Panhandle Community Services.

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NEWSPAPERS No. 1

Sunnyside By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

Gerald and Pat Elkins, Ezell and Verba Sadler, Glen and LaWanda Wilson and granddaughter, Jazz Turnello of Lubbock, E. R. and Willie Mae Sadler, Hershel Wilson and Bro. Jim Ritter of Lee Street, Bro. Jim Tilley of First Church Dimmitt, and Bro. Benny Villarreal of Anton attended the funeral services of Bentley Gwyn Sr., father of Bro. Bentley Gwyn, former pastor, now at Loop, in Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Tulia Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Gwyn passed away in his home unexpectedly Saturday, Jan. 9.

Ezell and Verba Sadler attended the funeral services for Mrs. Dawdy, sister of Jack Nunley of Hereford Friday morning in Canyon in Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home. Jack Nunley is a part of the Hereford blue grass music group. They visited in the afternoon with cousins, Eleanor and Ellery Baker of Canyon.

Nora Louder had breathing difficulties in Canterbury Villa early Tuesday night, and the family was called. Leslie Louder had just left that morning for Angelo for a visit with Bro. Larry and Sandy Odom, Lisa, Kyle and Misty. Teeny Bowden couldn't leave L. B., Verba and Ezell Sadler were visiting in Dimmitt with Weldon and Irene. Alton and Betty Louder and Verba and Irene stayed with her until 10 p.m. and she seemed to get better. They went home, and the Sadlers checked again about midnight as they went home to see if Verba needed to spend the night. But she seemed to be better so she didn't. By 3 a.m. she was over it.

Slick Holbrooks was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital Wednesday with his breathing difficulties, but was dismissed Thursday.

L. B. Bowden was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital minor emergency unit by ambulance Wednesday morning to let a cardio-vascular surgeon look at his feet which had been causing him much pain since he burned them with the heating pad trying to get them warm after other measures had failed. Don Moke and Cletha Wilkerson waited patiently since the doctor was in surgery at High Plains Baptist because it wasn't known whether or not he would be admitted. He confirmed the burns, said the circulation was all right down to the toes, and had no better suggestion than the Aloe Vera plant that Teeny started when the nephrologist the day before suggested the pain was from burns, and he should see Dr. John Baay. He was walking a little by the weekend and

'42' party is planned

A "42" domino party will be held Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Amey School House.

The party is sponsored by the Amey Community Club and is open to the public.

was almost free of pain, but can't walk very much yet.

Cleo Carr has had the flu for the last two weeks, and J. W. has been having to go to the doctor with high blood pressure also.

Nelda Curtis was honored with a delayed birthday party and luncheon in her home Thursday. Those present for "42" in the afternoon were Beatrice Shirey and Mattie Axtell of Earth and Bess Bills, Willie Mae Sadler, Emma Jean King, Leona Blanton and Verba Sadler.

Verna Sadler was listed on the missionary prayer calendar for the first time on her birthday Tuesday, the 12th. People all over the world pray for the missionaries by name and in a special way on their birthday. Gerald and Pat Elkins had a letter from them this week, and L. B. and Teeny Bowden had a letter from them last week.

Bro. David Frazier of Lockney, a ministerial student at Wayland, will come before the church in view of a call Sunday and all members should be present who possibly can be. The last time he came so few came because of the snow, it was decided to wait for better weather, and have him back again. Bro. Jim Tilley of Dimmitt supplied for us again Sunday. His son Jim came with Bro. Jim to both services and his wife Faye came to the Sunday night service.

Hershel and Retha Wilson were in South Park Hospital in Lubbock Friday with his sister, Bonnie Ferguson, and her family as she underwent surgery for the removal of a goiter.

Ezell and Verba Sadler visited with cousins, Baird and Mabel Sadler Wednesday afternoon in Tulia after attending the funeral services for Mr. Gwyn.

Larry and Sharon Salder helped Leroy and Laura Hurtado and Matt move to a house in Muleshoe Saturday. They came Sunday to help Larry with some shop work.

Kevin and Vickie Henderson, Chani and Lyden of Denver arrived Saturday to visit with his grandparents, Slick and Toots Holbrooks until Monday.

Samantha and Jessica Wilson participated in the Lamb County Livestock Show in Littlefield Saturday. Samantha won 2nd place on her lamb in her class and Jessica won 5th place with her lamb in her class. Their grandparents, Hershel and Retha and Phillip and Flossie Jones of Olton watched them show.

Jonathan Bridges' calf took first place honors in the light weight shorthorn division and was the Reserve Champion in the shorthorn division at the Lamb County show. Erin Bridges won 2nd place in the light weight cross calf division.

Lillian Carson was in Florida this week for a Mary Kay Seminar.

The Lion's Club sponsored a turkey shoot below the hill Sunday afternoon.

Brandon and Cinnamon Cox received the second semester Wall Memorial Scholarship from the Dimmitt Young Farmers before returning to Tech for the semester.



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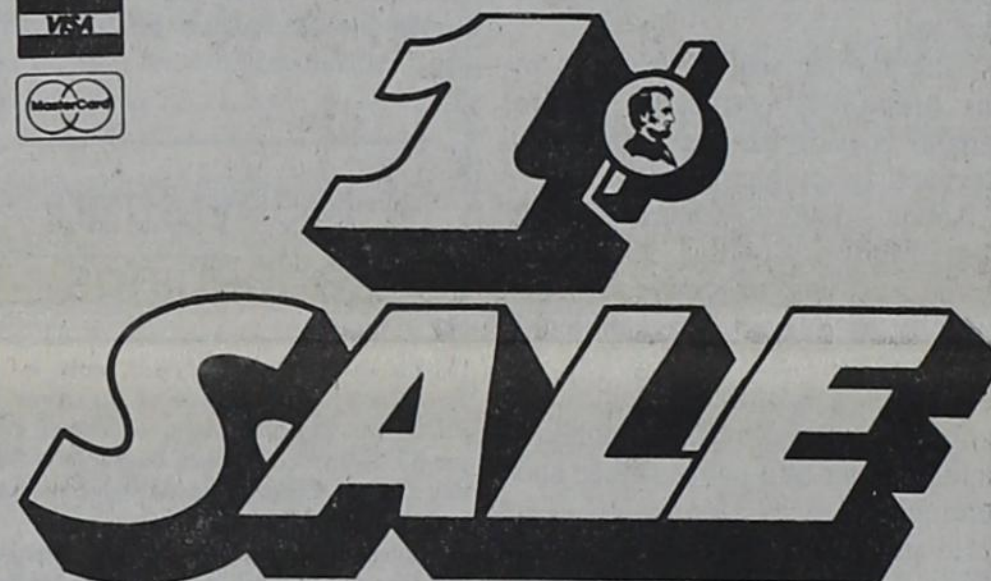
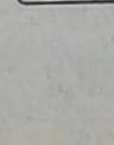
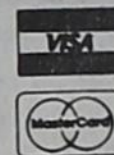
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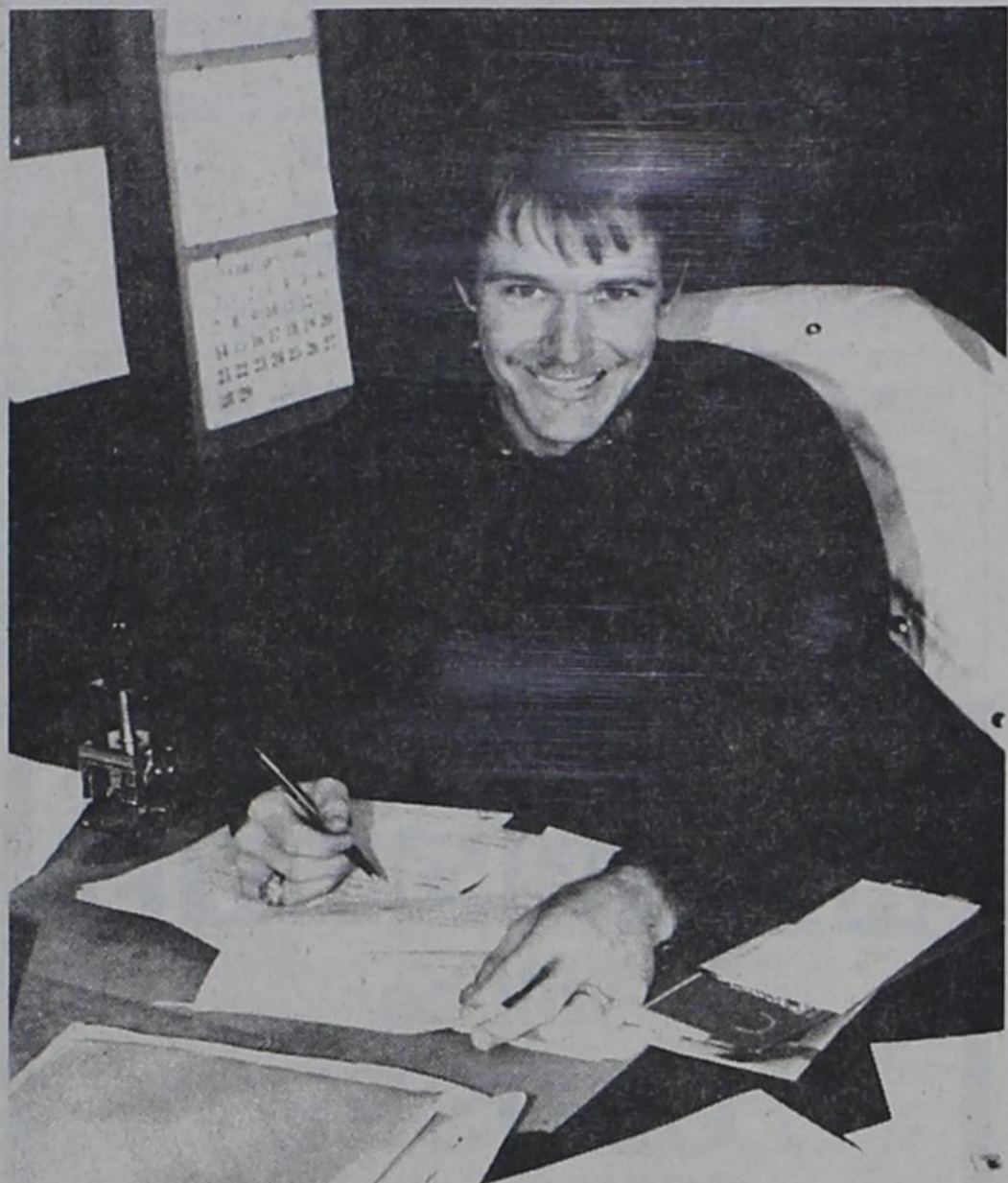
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Abbott assumes duties as ASCS chief

It's a step up and will be a big challenge for him, but the new county executive director for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service is ready to tackle his new position with everything he's got.

Scott M. Abbott assumed his new duties Tuesday, succeeding Charley Hill as county executive director.

"The farmer will come first in this office," Abbott said. "We're here to provide service to the farmers and agricultural industries."

Abbott comes to Castro County from Motley County, where he served as county executive director for over four years. He graduated from Texas A&M University in 1981 with a bachelor's degree in agricultural economics. His hobbies include water and snow skiing and hunting.

He got his start with ASCS in Plainview as a trainee, then moved to Motley County.

"I'm really excited about work-

ing here," Abbott said. "This is one of the major agricultural areas in the United States. I think I'm really going to enjoy it here. I want to be where it's busiest."

"I'm looking forward to spending many years here in Dimmitt and I'm looking forward to meeting and getting to know all the farms. I'd like to invite all farmers to come by the office to visit with me," Abbott said.

Presbyterian Happenings

Palo Duro Presbytery will meet at the First Presbyterian Church of Plainview on Friday and Saturday night. There will be a pre-presbytery conference on the new Sunday Church School materials designed for small churches Friday at 2 p.m.

Sunday is Blanket Sunday and members and friends will bring money to buy blankets for people round the world who have none.

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

"The Gospel of God" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m.

Morning prayers are Wednesday at 6:30 a.m.

"Jairus' Daughter Raised," Mark 5:21-43, will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Water district elects new leaders

Robert Benton and Katy Wright, both of Dimmitt, have been elected to serve as new Castro County committeemen for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1., and A.W. "Webb" Gober of Farwell was re-elected to a four-year term as precinct three director of the HPUWCD.

Benton and Wright join Mack Steffey of Hart and Garnett Holland and Gerald Summers of Dimmitt on the county committee.

County committeemen meet regularly to make recommendations regarding water well permits and agricultural water conservation equipment loan applications. Committeemen also help keep directors

advised on their county's water-related needs. In addition, the committeemen serve as a local contact for water conservation problems or opportunities.

Gober was first elected to the board of directors in 1973. At various times, he has served the board as president, vice president and secretary-treasurer. Director's precinct three consists of portions of Castro, Bailey and Parmer counties within the district's service area.

Board members oversee all Water District activities including legal, financial and business matters. They set long-range goals and direct the Water District's staff through the district manager.

Tighter laws on farm payments are planned

Tighter regulations governing application of the limit on government payments under the 1985 Farm Act will be in effect beginning with the 1989 crop. Payments in 1988 will not be affected.

Changes were made as a part of the Budget Reconciliation Act passed by Congress in the final days of 1987. Together with other Farm Act amendments, including one that lowers target prices on all program commodities, the alterations are aimed at reducing overall farm program costs by \$1.064 billion in 1988 and \$1.21 billion in 1989.

The budget measure decrees the basic standards by which payment eligibility is to be determined and gives the Secretary of Agriculture until Aug. 1, to issue detailed regulations.

An advance rule-making proposal can be expected well in advance of August, according to Donald Johnson, executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. in Lubbock, giving affected parties time to comment before final decisions are made.

The payment limit per person is \$50,000, and the cost savings envisioned by lawmakers, generally, are to come from permitting payments only to persons "actively engaged" in farming. Moreover, eligibility for multiple payments may not be achieved by a person holding a beneficial interest (more than 10%) in more than three entities. A pro-

ducer can qualify for \$50,000 as a separate actively engaged person, but may qualify for no more than \$25,000 each by holding a substantial interest in two other entities.

To be eligible as a separate person, an individual must make a significant contribution of (1) capital, equipment or land and (2) personal labor or active personal management. In addition his share of profits must be commensurate with contributions and must be "at risk."

However, the actively engaged restriction is modified for some landlords, adult family members and sharecroppers. Landlords who contribute only land and receive rent as a share of the land's production are considered actively engaged, as are adult family members who contribute active management or labor, and sharecroppers who meet the at risk requirement and share in profits or losses commensurate with their contribution.

Adult family members are defined as parents, children, and brothers and sisters. A husband and wife will be considered one person unless they were engaged in separate, unrelated farming operations prior to marriage.

A corporation is considered actively engaged if it makes a significant contribution of capital, equipment or land and if its members collectively make a significant contribution or personal labor or active management.

SCS to hold essay contest

The Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District will sponsor an essay contest for all county students between the ages of 13 and 18.

Essays of 300 words or less should be submitted before Feb. 1, to the Soil Conservation Service office in Dimmitt at Third and Bedford.

Entries will be judged by age groups, and age group winners will compete for first, second and third placed in the county. The first place county winner will receive a \$75

savings bond, second will receive a \$50 savings bond and the third place winner will receive a \$25 savings bond, all awarded at the Running Water District's annual awards banquet in April. The three county winners will also have their essays entered in the regional judging.

For more information and reference material, contact the Soil Conservation Service office at Third and Bedford.

Meeting is set

A pre-construction meeting for highway construction projects in Castro and surrounding counties will be held Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the highway maintenance warehouse in Muleshoe.

The purpose of the meeting is to promote safety to the traveling public and construction personnel and to discuss the project plans, specifications and the contractor's plan and schedule of operations. All interested citizens are invited to attend the meeting.

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For the rest of the winter, the Community Center will be opened on Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. only. Confirmation classes will begin Sunday

and will run through May 29 from 1 to 2 p.m. in the cry-room of the church. Guila Silva will conduct the program.

The second semester of RENEW will be from Feb. 14 through March 26. Sign-up of new participants of the small group sharing will take place during the last two weekends of January.

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East completes mechanics course

Navy Airman Recruit David L. East, son of Betty J. and John Vasquez Jr. III, of Dimmitt, has completed the basic aviation structural mechanic course.

During the eight-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center in Millington, Tenn., East received instruction on the inspection, maintenance and repair of aircraft frames and exteriors. In classroom and practical application periods, he studied blueprint reading, corrosion control and metalworking.

A 1987 graduate of Dimmitt High School, he joined the Navy in July 1987.



SAFE FROM THE WIND AND THE RAIN — Richardson Elementary School kindergartners enjoy the comfort of the new physical education building recently completed for the students to enjoy their recreation time regardless of the weather.

Obituaries

Claude Cox

Services for Claude N. Cox, 57, of Plainview, were held last Thursday in the First United Methodist Church at Hart with the Rev. Perry Hunsacker, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home of Dimmitt. Mr. Cox found dead at his home about 5:30 p.m. Jan. 12.

He was born in Plainview and moved from Amarillo back to Plainview in 1981. He worked for Cox Auto Parts and Butane Service. He was a Methodist and a 32nd degree Mason.

Survivors include three sons, Mike of Amarillo, Steve of Garden City and Larry of Brownsboro; a

daughter, Veronica Sloss of Amarillo; his mother, Bessie May Foster of Hart; and 10 grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be to the Hart Cemetery Fund.

man Robinett of Lamesa and Bert Robinett of Crosbyton.

Marva Hanners

Marva Grace Hanners, 71, of Dimmitt, died at 9:05 p.m. Friday in Plains Memorial Hospital at Dimmitt after a lengthy illness.

Graveside services were held Sunday at Spearman's Hansford Cemetery. Burial followed there under the direction of Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Hanners was born in Seiling, Okla. and moved from Spearman to Dimmitt in 1984. She was married to G.W. "Dub" Hanners in May, 1938, in Borger. She was a housewife and a member of the Spearman First Christian Church.

Survivors include a son, Gerald of Dimmitt; a daughter, Gweneith Ann Griffin of Corpus Christi; a sister, Ola Hergert of Perryton; a brother, Jess Smith of Caliente, Calif.; and two grandchildren.

Ray Schulte

Mass of Christian burial for Ray Schulte, 71, lifetime resident of Nazareth, were held Tuesday afternoon in Holy Family Catholic

Church at Nazareth with Rev. Brendan Sherry, pastor and Monsignor Harold Waldow of Amarillo, formerly of Nazareth, officiating.

Burial followed in Holy Family Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home of Tulsa.

Mr. Schulte died Sunday at 8 p.m. in his residence of natural causes.

He was born May 10, 1916 in Nazareth and lived there all his life. He married Martha Lange on Oct. 15, 1940 in Nazareth. He was a retired farmer and rancher.

He was preceded in death by three sons, Howard, Wayne and Leon.

He is survived by his wife; four daughters, Raelene Hoelting, Bernita Hoelting, Vera Ramaekers and Sheryl Kleman, all of Nazareth; five sons, Marvin, Kenneth, Clyde, Bob and Olen, all of Nazareth; two sisters, Rosemary Deitz of Bartlesville, Okla., and Lorene Buntel of Connecticut; three brothers, Walter, Elmer and Leonard, all of Nazareth; and 26 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the Spinal Cord Injury Center in care of Craig Hospital Foundation, 3425 S. Clarkston Street, Englewood, Colo. 80110-9980.

What's Cooking

Here are the school lunch menus for the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth Public Schools for the week of Jan. 25 through 29.

DIMMITT

MONDAY—Beef stew, cornbread, fruit, wacky cake and milk.

TUESDAY—Bean chaluups with cheese, fried okra, buttered hominy, vanilla pudding and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY — Beef tacos, shredded lettuce, whole kernel corn, peanut butter bars and milk.

FRIDAY—Corn dogs, tator tots, pork and beans, fruit and milk.

HART

MONDAY—Corn dogs, cheese sticks, Ranch Style Beans, tossed salad, brownies and milk.

TUESDAY—Steak fingers, rolls, green beans, creamed potatoes, cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cheeseburgers, salad, French fries, peaches and milk.

THURSDAY—Pizza, tossed salad, buttered corn, apple cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY—Fried fish, cornbread, black-eyed peas, coleslaw, cookies and milk.

NAZARETH

MONDAY — Sausage patties, scalloped potatoes, tossed salad, hot buttered bread, applesauce and milk.

TUESDAY—Barbecued beef, coleslaw, corn, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chili, peanut butter, crackers, carrots, celery sticks, cinamon rolls and milk.

THURSDAY — Crispiitos, cheese sauce, pork and beans, tossed salad, orange cake and milk.

FRIDAY—Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, plums and milk.

Ministerial Alliance

Edward D. Freeman will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of Hebrews 9:23-10:18 on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church.

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Gilbreath makes WTSU Dean's List

Connie Gilbreath, wife of Coby Gilbreath, was named to the Dean's List at West Texas State University having completed the fall semester of 1987 with a 3.8 grade point average.

Connie is majoring in Elementary Education at WTSU.

Circuit rider to preach at Hart

The First United Methodist Church District Hispanic Circuit Rider, Cerio Gonzales of Plainview will preach in Hart Sunday at 11 a.m. at the Methodist Church.

Rev. Gonzales, formerly of Ecuador, graduated from the Theological Community of Mexico in Mexico City. He taught in the United Methodist Seminary in Mexico City.

His unique position in denominations and jobs in the district is to establish Hispanic classes or congregations throughout the district. He will be working through local Methodist pastors in each community.

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