

# NWTF presents Bush petitions

Members of the Nuclear Waste Task force presented a 57,000-signature petition Thursday to two of Vice President George Bush's top aides in an effort to prevent further consideration of a site in Deaf Smith County for the country's first permanent, high-level nuclear waste repository.

The three-foot thick petition, which has circulated for several months and picked up several thousand signatures at the State Fair of Texas last fall, was presented to the aides, who promised to relay the group's message to the vice president.

"He's the highest man in the administration from Texas and there's no secret he has aspirations to be president," Devin said in explaining why the petition was presented to Bush.

Devin said the group also visited with various Washington officials, including area Congressmen Larry Combest and Beau Boulter "basically to say thanks for what they have done, now let's do some more things."

Devin said earlier he feels the group can stop the Deaf Smith County siting effort this year, but is currently cash-short. The local Panhandle Agri Partners chapter of Women Involved in Farm Economics has scheduled a Feb. 7 benefit at the Expo Building in Dimmitt.

Lois Wales, representing the local WIFE group; Carl King, president of the Texas Corn Growers Association; Bill Cleavinger, president of the Texas Sugar Beet Growers; and Georgia Auckerman, of People Opposed to Wasted Energy Repositories, accompanied Devin on the Washington trip.

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1986 will not be remembered fondly by most.

The Top Ten Stories were nearly all bad news. The Great State of Texas celebrated its sesquicentennial but saw its economy go belly-up and its state government sink almost \$5 billion in debt. It was a year that seemed to make a headlong, downhill slide to oblivion.

But was it all bad? Was there nothing worthy of even a redeeming chuckle during 1986?

Of course there was.

Before we get too far into 1987, let's take another look at '86 through our funnyshades to see if auld acquaintance should really be forgot.

Here's a compendium of the year's daily oddities and strange happenings—the kinds of quirky things that reporters can't resist reporting and readers compulsively read. They were compiled for *Quill* magazine by Norman Mark, entertainment editor of WMAQ-TV, Chicago.

The only cop in Solon Springs, Wis., quit because city officials banned him from exceeding the posted speed limit—even to chase speeders. (AP)

A congressional leader objected when it came to light that the tiny town of Duchesne, Utah, was about to get a \$450,000, six-lane bowling alley, financed largely by the Federal Bureau of Reclamation. "You ask them for a dam, and they give you a bowling alley," complained the chairman of the House Interior Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources. (*The New York Times*)

About 70 irate teenagers in Northampton, Mass., showed up at a meeting of a city council committee considering a ban on skateboards. They won the promise of a compromise from the mayor when they hung a sign on the city hall steps reading, "Would you rather we do drugs?" (AP)

In a story on how declining oil revenues were affecting various states, *The New York Times* reported, "The state child-abuse office in Oklahoma City received a complaint that an 11-year-old girl was being thrown against the wall by her father, but the Dept. of Human Services did not have a large enough staff to investigate for a few days. 'If she were a younger child we'd move a little faster, but she can run,' said a social work supervisor."

In Waukege, Iowa, a jilted lover was jailed on charges that he broke into his former girlfriend's house and stole the cremated remains of her late husband. (UPI)

During a visit in Auckland's Mt. Eden jail, Mitchell King, 24, and his wife, Netnapha, used three tubes of super glue to bond themselves together so they could spend more time with each other. They were separated after an hour and a half of scrubbing. (UPI)

In France, a former French diplomat and a Chinese opera singer were sentenced to six years in prison for spying for China. The diplo-

mat had an affair with the singer for 20 years, she had his son, and the trio lived in Paris as a family. During the trial, however, it was revealed that the Chinese singer was really a man. The diplomat, Bernard Boursicot, said, "I was shattered to learn that he is a man, but my conviction remains unshakable that for me at that time he was really a woman and was the first love of my life. And then, there was the child that I saw. He looked like me." Their meetings, reported *The New York Times*, were "hasty affairs that always took place in the dark. 'He was very shy,' Mr. Boursicot said. 'I thought it was a Chinese custom.'"

The Miss Thailand World '86 beauty pageant in Bangkok came to an ugly end when unhappy runners-up stole the winner's tiara and crowned their own queen. Saengravi Asvarak, 22, crownless and sash askew, tried to retain her poise and grace through the commotion, and denied charges by the other entrants that she had had a nose job, refused to use the sponsor's cosmetics and wore false eyelashes. (*Reuters*)

In Minneapolis, an unsuccessful city council candidate, George L. Belair, was charged with violating a state campaign law by distributing Twinkies and other snacks to senior citizens groups in an attempt to influence their votes. "I had no intention of bribing anyone with Twinkies and Ho Ho's and a cup of coffee," Belair said. (AP)

In Queens, N.Y., a British tourist found himself facing possible life imprisonment because he had bought 30 cents' worth of tea in Peru—a tea derived of coca leaves. But a Queens grand jury voted not to indict the poor guy and he got to go home. (*The New York Times*)

On a plane bound from Bangkok to Osaka, a Japanese thug accidentally detonated a grenade in the plane's washroom while smuggling it into Japan. No one was killed, although 62 people on board were injured. Reported *The New York Times*: "No one was said to have been more seriously injured than the *yakuza* (Japanese gang member) himself. He also suffered the indignity of falling head-first through a hole punched through the floor of the washroom. He was saved, the police said, by two companions who held onto his legs to prevent him from falling into the cargo hold below. . . . The suspect admitted that, sure, he was the last person to use the toilet, and yes, he did have to have steel grenade fragments extracted from his body. But that, he told police, did not mean he knew anything about the explosion."

In Medford, N.Y., a man tried to rob a 57-year-old woman but attracted so much attention that he had to flee. He attempted the robbery in daylight, and was wearing only sneakers and a headband. (AP)

A great-grandson of Illinois' first lieutenant governor asked a circuit

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**THE BIG BLOWOUT**—Josephine Cameron gets ready to blow out the candles on her one hundredth birthday cake during a party Thursday at Canterbury Villa. Several friends and family members were on hand to help celebrate the occasion.



**RODOLFO GONSALES CISNEROS** was born Jan. 1 at 11:25 a.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital. The son of Adolfo and Victoria Cisneros, he weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces, and was 19 inches long. He has an older sister, Vernica, 3 1/2.

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# The Castro County News

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## \$500,000 for industry

# County moves toward grant

Castro County commissioners took the first step toward obtaining up to \$500,000 for a county industrial development fund during a public hearing at their meeting Monday at the Castro County Courthouse in Dimmitt.

The grant is being sought from the Texas Dept. of Community Affairs for Dimco Industries. The local vegetable growing-packing-shipping company is in need of new working capital. If it receives the grant, it would mean the saving of up to 400 part-time jobs in the county.

The jobs would be saved for persons of low and moderate incomes—a big plus, according to Perna Strickland, head of economic development for the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission.

Strickland explained that a Technical Review Committee would assign a certain number of points in areas including income groups helped, the county's sales tax figures and general economy, whether or not the applicant has received assurances of "matching" funds from a private source, and the number of jobs retained or created.

"The 400 to 500 part-time jobs retained equal 150 to 250

full-time jobs," Strickland said. "The cost per job should be less than \$6,000, so they're in very good shape, \$2,000 per job, on this."

The grant fund has, like other state monies, been cut back considerably over the past year because of the shortfall in state revenues. Strickland said the fund normally is \$2 million and is awarded to the top 10 to 12 applicants, but this time is only \$1 million and will benefit only a half-dozen of the top applicants.

The county will be the administrator of the loan fund which, when paid back by Dimco at terms which have not yet been established, may then be used for any economic development purpose approved by the commissioners. The county would not be liable to pay back any of the money to the state unless the number of jobs created does not meet the minimum during the next two years or other major parts of the contract are not carried out over the same time.

The county, however, would be protected by having a lien on the property in case of foreclosure or other problems.

Strickland said it could be at

least June before the county, and Dimco, would know the fate of the grant.

In other business, the commissioners approved the placement of John Brooks, Delores Heller and Mildred Sheffy on the Castro County Historical Commission for two-year terms running through 1989 and accepted the commission's annual report as presented by Clara Vick.

The report, prepared by Teeny Bowden, pointed out work done by the commission over the Sesquicentennial year and special concentration on historical cemeteries and archeology.

CCHC has surveyed and mapped the Hart Cemetery; shown the placement of all known cemeteries on US Geological Survey maps; prepared a three-page history of Castro Memorial Gardens, the county's oldest cemetery; developed information on cultural traits and customs as revealed through cemeteries; and plan to fence Flagg Cemetery.

CCHC also invited two archeologists, Curtis Tunnell and Eddie Guffey, to examine a large cache discovered near Sunnyside in the 1950s and recently donated to the museum, and placed

five archeological books in school libraries.

CCHC will send representatives to the state historical commission conference April 23 through 25 in El Paso.

Commissioners appointed Robert Bowden, Tommy Stanton, Donald Schilling, Don Mark O'Daniel, Shawnee Lust, Fred Batterman, Leslie Weldon Davis, Gerald Hanners and Ferne Jones to the salary grievance committee; and established holidays for the year.

## Oliver to be honored

Nazareth coach Sandy Oliver will receive the Tennis Coach of the Year award Sunday from the Panhandle Sports Hall of Fame.

Oliver led the girls' doubles team of Ramona Heiman and Traci Hill and the boys' doubles team of Kenney Kern and Todd Hill to state championships last May in Austin.

Oliver is one of six coaches in the running for overall Coach of the Year honors from the PSHOF. Award ceremonies, including the induction of three new members in the PSHOF, will begin at 2 p.m. in Ordway Auditorium at Amarillo College, and the public is invited to attend.

## DISD gets waiver Chamber tickets available

The Dimmitt schools have been granted a waiver from the Texas Education Agency on the state's requirement to have no more than 22 students for teachers in the first three grades for the first semester of the 1986-87 school year, but must develop a plan of action to avoid exceeding the 1:22 ratio in the future before further waivers will be granted.

Supt. Robert Ryan told the board the district's request was approved although TEA pointed out the district "does not give a plan for coming into compliance" in the letter granting the waiver, and said the district must come up with a plan of action "despite what the state legislature might do" in 1987.

Earlier, Ryan had told the board a fully-equipped classroom that would alleviate the problem in the second grade would cost the district about \$50,000.

The board named Charles Wales to the Tax Appraisal District Board, discussed possible landscaping of school grounds, and set the school board election for April 4. The term

of Board President Monty Boozer and the unexpired term of Don Gregory, whose seat was filled by Arlie Petty, will be up for election.

In executive session, the board extended Ryan's contract for another year, accepted the resignation of high school home economics teacher Judy Barrett and hired Danette Liles as her replacement, and hired Judy House as a new kindergarten teacher.

## Weather

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

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## Chamber tickets available

Tickets are on sale for the 38th annual Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce banquet, featuring Baylor University head football coach Grant Teaff, scheduled Jan. 22.

At the banquet, the Citizen of the Year, Citizen Through the Years and Teacher of the Year will be honored. Entertainment will feature Richard Young, minister of music and youth at Dimmitt's First Baptist Church.

New Chamber officers and directors will also be installed.

Tickets in advance are \$12.50 for adults and \$7 for students. Chamber members should have received two tickets in their January newsletters, and additional tickets are available at the Chamber office, Sheffy's Western and Casual Wear, Tots and Teens and First State Bank. A limited number of tickets will be available at the door for \$14 per person.

## Combest meeting set today

US Rep. Larry Combest will hold a "Community Comment Meeting" today at 1 p.m. in the Dimmitt City Hall meeting room.

"Congress faces many tough issues in the coming months," the Lubbock representative said, "and it is extremely important that I have direct input from the people of West Texas. In addition, my office can oftentimes help resolve problems residents may have in dealing with federal agencies."

The meeting is open to the public.

Later today, Combest will meet with community leaders about economic development at the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce.

# On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

A big surprise birthday celebration was held for Morris Gowty, bus supervisor, at the bus transportation center Jan. 5 in honor of his birthday.

He walked in early that morning and found his office had been freshly cleaned and some pretty decorations had been put up throughout parts of the bus barn.

Ruby Broadstreet and Pat Wells, two busdrivers, were responsible.

The bus drivers pitched in and had a beautiful birthday cake made. It was decorated with a big yellow school bus on the front and featured all of the bus drivers names. They also presented him with a couple of nice gifts which he liked and appreciated very much.

Everyone had a nice time and enjoyed the cake, coffee and fantasy fudge.

Morris later said that "this has been the best birthday surprise I've ever had and I really liked and appreciated it very much."

The Friday Bridge Club met for a day of bridge and lunch at the Senior Citizens Center. Dorothy Elder won high and Anita Morris was second high. Others playing were Retta Cluck, Cletha George, Edith Graef, Ruth Coleman, Opha Burks and hostess Gladiola Shipley.

Bobby, Wanda and Debbie Murdock visited with Brad Murdock at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio on Saturday before his graduation from basic training on the following Tuesday. They toured the base and went to church with him at the Contemporary Protestant Worship Service on the base. Brad had auditioned to play the drums for the services on Sunday morning and he was the lucky one chosen. He had to play for three services. The service will be televised on the Christian Broadcast Network, channel 9, one Saturday in February. The service will be sponsored by the United Methodist Church. The program is entitled "Catch the Spirit" and will be aired at 7:30 a.m. When we find out which Saturday we can let you know. Chaplains John Harris and Dennis Kitterman conducted the services.

While in San Antonio, the Murdocks also saw the San Antonio Spurs and Dallas Mavericks play basketball at the Convention Center. All the young men and women who were ready to graduate, got the opportunity to attend in a group. The Murdocks met them there and got acquainted with many of Brad's friends. There were so many very nice young men and women. It is good to know that our country is in such good hands.

Brad is now in Denver, Colo., at Lowry Air Force Base where he will receive his technical training.

Coy and Nora Dunn went to Whittier and Arroyo Grande, Calif., during the holidays for the wedding of their granddaughter, Kristan Kay Dunn. Coy reports that everything went well and they had a good time.

George and Linda Razor entertained their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Cecil Golden from Plainview and Tom and Phyllis Razor from Gruver, over the weekend.

They all attended the Dimmitt basketball games.

Oleda Schumacher was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Era Heckerson won high score and Gladys Benson won second high score. Others playing were Dede McLoean, Louise Mears, Edith Graef, Ferne Dickey, Johnnie Vannoy, Emily Clingingsmith, Bernice Hill, Alice Collyer and Virginia Crider.

The Singing Group met in the home of Gene and Connie Ivey Friday night for a practice session. Connie and Frances Frazier served cakes, candies, coffee and soft drinks. Then on Saturday night they all went out to the Canterbury Villa to sing for the residents there during their supper hour. They went to eat Mexican food later. Those enjoying the evening were Gene and Connie Ivey, Alvin and Frances Frazier, Ed and Betty Freeman, Oleta Sanders, Mary Lou Frazier, Irene Carpenter, Coy Dunn, Geneva Justice and Mary Edna Hendrix.

The open house for the Calico Teapot, the new tea room, was held Saturday afternoon. This is a de-

lightful place to spend some time and get a delicious lunch. Cenci Hardee and Judy Waggoner are the owners and operators.

Louie Giglio brought the morning message at the First Baptist Church on Sunday. The special music was by Shelly and Carla Frye who sang "Heirlooms."

Louie Giglio was the guest speaker at the Associational Youth Rally held in Springlake Saturday evening. There were youth from all over the Association and 43 attended from Dimmitt.

Jack and Murna Miller have just returned from taking a cruise on the S.S. Liberte' (American Hawaii Cruise Line) visiting the Society Islands.

This ship has just completed its first year of sailing in these islands. The cruise was a one-week excursion where the days were spent touring the various islands and the nights were spent on the cruise ship. Tahiti lies some 2,000-miles south of the equator and is an eight-hour flight from Los Angeles where it is now summer.

Currently governed by France, these islands are formed from extinct volcanoes surrounded by coral reefs which protect the islands and yield beautiful, tranquil lagoons.

The native Polynesians are warm, friendly, clean, fun-loving, relaxed and primitive people who enjoy the beaches and the beauty of the islands. They live in family clusters along the beaches surrounding the island which rises abruptly to non-accessible mountain tops.

Although there is no income tax or sales tax, the import duty tax is 1 1/2 times the retail value and, when coupled with transportation costs, makes a can of Coca Cola sell for \$3.50, hamburgers for \$14 and a Honda automobile for \$40,000.

Bora Bora, meaning first born, is claimed by many to be the most beautiful island in the world and was the location for the filming of Nordhoff and Hall's famous movie "Hurricane" in 1977.

During World War II, 6,000 US troops were stationed there and constructed the airstrip which is still used today. It was here they saw a giant sting-ray and three sharks in the lagoon from a glass bottom boat.

Huahine is the most primitive of the islands and they saw ancient fish traps made of stone still used by the villagers.

They were treated to a Tahitian feast of chicken, pork, large red bananas, breadfruit, taro root, taro leaves (like spinach), yams baked in a large underground oven, a congealed dish made from papaya and coconut milk, fish marinated in lime juice and fresh melons, all served on large leaves used as a plate. The first three fingers served as silverware.

The luxurious Hotel Bali Hai is located here with beautiful grass huts and lily ponds right on the white sand beach of the lagoon.

The larger island of Raiatea is the home for about 7,500 and is believed to be the launching point for all the Polynesian migration from Hawaii to New Zealand.

An old church is built on the site of the famous maraes, where the elite arrested their rulers and offered them to the fierce god, Oro. Only young males were offered. They were killed in their sleep and were then offered as a sacrifice.

The main agricultural product on the island is the vanilla bean, planted much like our grape vineyards which must be hand pollinated and dried after harvest, making them very expensive.

Christmas day was spent at sea cruising and lectures were given by college professors on Pacific history, geology, ecology and aquatic biology. Movies about early explorers such as "Mutiny On the Bounty," were shown.

The most beautiful sunrise (5:30 a.m.) was seen as the ship approached Moorea, just 10 miles northwest of Papeete, Tahiti.

The most famous peak was filmed as Bali Hai in "South Pacific" (the rest of the movie was filmed in Hawaii) and is truly beautiful with clouds always surrounding its lofty peaks. The morning was spent sailing on a 55 foot yacht beyond the reef. They had lunch on the beach with natives who sold pareaus, a large piece of cloth tied and dyed to be wrapped around the body for clothing, and also listened to lectures on black pearls, one of nature's wonders found only in this part of the world.

The cruise ended in Papeete, Tahiti, the only real city in the islands with a population of 100,000. They visited the first landing sites of the English and French explorers, the black sand beaches, toured the museum of the famed artist Gauguin, walked through the Harrison-Smith Botanical Gardens which featured huge turtles, bamboo trees, lily ponds and every imaginable

tropical tree and flower. It was truly a paradise.

Their final meal was served at the Tahiti Beachcomber Hotel in an

open air restaurant built over the water. They viewed the beautiful sunset overlooking the neighboring islands of Moorea, visible in all its

mystic splendor.

Bob Hope will feature a television special filmed on these islands in February.

## THE SEASON FOR . . . COLDS AND FEVER

THE COMMON COLD . . . one of the few viruses that man has not conquered with a cure. The only thing that we have come up with so far, are medicines to give us relief. Perhaps, some day, someone will come up with the solution.

There are many spiritual things that we do not know the answers to. These things we must accept on faith.

*"The secret things belong unto the Lord our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law."*

Deuteronomy 29:29  
God has revealed himself, his son, and his commandments, these are the major things.



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



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# Church Directory

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By JOHN BROOKS

The soapbox, please.

Attention all of you hit-and-run drivers out there. Please stop. Now. Cease, desist and quit. Immediately, if not sooner.

And, Pete Laney and Bill Sarpa-lius, we need a bill introduced in the state house and senate about Tuesday or so that would force anyone purchasing license plates or temporary tags to provide proof of liability insurance before they can buy their plates.

It works in Oklahoma, it works in Arizona, and I'm sure it works in several other states. No insurance, no plates. And you can't just say you have insurance. If you don't bring your little card, you don't get your little stickers. No excuses.

And, I would bet, fewer hit-and-run wrecks. Why would anyone run from a wreck if they had insurance? Driving a car on our streets and highways is a privilege, not a right. And you're spoze to have insurance on your vehicle before you drive it.

Have ya noticed how much Brian Bosworth looks like Barry Switzer anyway? Boz also looks like the Russian boxer in Rocky IV.

Seriously, cut out Switzer's hair and put it on Bosworth's head.

If you want some fun, cut out Bosworth's haircut and put it on Switzer's head.

Why am I evil?

Because I don't say "Good morning" in the morning.

I don't say good morning for the same reason I don't say "Have a nice day." If you ever hear me saying "Have a nice day," I am usually being facetious.

One time, a co-worker of mine had just been fired at KKYN in Plainview. I knew what was going to happen before he did, and when he came in to tell me, I commiserated with him. As he left, I told him

"Have a nice day."

They had to pry him off me with the Jaws of Life.

I don't tell you "Good morning" because you, or I, may not have gotten any sleep last night.

I don't tell you "Good morning," usually, because there is nothing good about a morning.

Mornings are made for sleeping. Gimme a chance, and I will sleep 'til noon.

Afternoons are not made for sleeping. They are, of course, made for naps.

If I don't say "Good morning" to you, think nothing of it.

I'll probably still be asleep.

We want to welcome US Rep. Larry Combest to Dimmitt today. It's always an honor to have a Congressman in town.

Plus, the calendar is very nice. It gives a blow-by-blow description of the development of the US Constitution: On Jan. 15, 1787, for instance, Daniel Shays instructed Capt. John Brown to assemble volunteers for Shays' Rebellion.

The pictures are also veddy pretty.

A \$1 trillion federal budget? That's \$1,000,000,000,000.00, and it's ridiculous.

As Wendell Tooley told his *Tulia Herald* readers last week, a trillion is enough to give \$250 to every man, woman and child in the world; a trillion miles would represent 5,376 round trips to the sun.

Jim Davis, in the *Slaton Slatonite*, sez the first time he sat down with his calculator to explain some of the ways to explain what \$1 trillion is he left three of the zeros off his calculator and it still looked like too big a number.

According to Jim's figures, the government will have to spend \$1.7 million per second to spend \$1 trillion this year.

"That's a lot of hammers and commodore seats every blink of the eye," Jim said.

Here's another goody, from an administration official: If you gave a man \$1 million to spend the day Christ was born, and had given him \$1 million to spend every day since, it would take him another 574 years to spend \$1 trillion.

And that's our budget. For this year. 365 days.

Next year it'll probably be a couple of billion dollars higher. Just 'cuz it's leap year.

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## Social Security in Castro County

By TERRY J. CLEMENTS

Uncashed benefit checks remaining after a person's death and Social Security's role in the payment of funeral expenses can cause confusion for family members with responsibility for legal and financial matters.

Often a benefit check is sent to a beneficiary shortly after death or before there has been time to cash it. In these cases the check should be returned to the Social Security Administration. A receipt will be issued. If the check is a combined check being sent to a husband and wife, then special measures can be taken to authorize the check to the surviving member. Any overpayment is recovered by adjusting additional benefits normally available in these situations. For example, if a husband and wife are receiving a combined benefit check and the husband dies, a lump sum payment of \$255 will be due and the widow will normally begin receiving the amount of Social Security that had been payable to the husband.

It should be noted that benefits are not pro-rated for the days in the month before a beneficiary dies. Rather, it is an "all or none" situation. A person who dies is due a check that is received during the month of death. For example, a person who dies Jan. 31 is not entitled to a check scheduled for Feb. 3. However, a person who dies on Feb. 1 is entitled to the check scheduled for Feb. 3. When a check is received that is due but unnegotiated at the time of death, the check can normally be re-issued to a survivor in accordance with an established legal priority.

In summary, any benefit checks that remain unnegotiated after the beneficiary's death should be returned to the Social Security Administration. Arrangements normally can be made to re-issue benefits that

### 'Texas' sets WT auditions

Auditions will be held at West Texas State University on Feb. 22 for the 1987 production of *Texas*.

140 positions will be filled this season, including actors, singers, dancers, technicians, musicians and hospitality personnel. Rehearsals begin May 17.

To audition, men and women must bring a picture and wear appropriate workout clothing. All voice ranges are needed, and singers should bring one prepared number of their choice. An accompanist will be furnished, or a singer may bring their own.

Since singers also fill minor speaking roles, each should also prepare a one to two minute memorized scene or monologue.

Actors and actresses are required to memorize any scene, not to exceed three minutes, that will accentuate outdoor voice and presence, and also perform a short vocal number.

Men and women with ballet or modern dance training are needed.

Musicians experienced in string bass, standard guitar, banjo, accordion and concert violin are needed.

Auditions will be held from 1 to 5 p.m., with dancers auditioning at 4 p.m. The try-outs will be held in Northern Hall at WTSU.

## Police Calls

Dimmitt police are investigating the theft of a 1974 gray Ford pickup taken from Wallace Motor Company in Dimmitt.

According to reports, the pickup was last seen Saturday at 12 noon.

It has a custom long bed.

Two guns with scopes, valued at over \$600 were taken from a vehicle owned by Dudley Wooten sometime between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Wooten told police someone had broken the drivers side window on his vehicle and removed a Remington Model 788 6 millimeter gun with a 3 X 9 Weaver scope and a

Remington Model 7 lightweight 6 millimeter gun with a 3 X 9 Well-pold compact scope.

A 1979 Olds Delta 88 driven by Delia Aguero of Dimmitt suffered moderate damage when it was struck by a 1980 Olds Cutlass driven by Leota Sander Herrell of Dimmitt.

The Delta 88 was traveling north on SW Fifth and had entered the intersection with Lee Street without yielding to the Cutlass, causing the accident.

The Cutlass had been traveling west on Lee Street and suffered medium damage.

### Ministerial Alliance

Ed Freeman will be leading the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of I Thessalonians 4:1-12 Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church.

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## What's Cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for the week of Jan. 19 through 23.

### DIMMITT

MONDAY—No school, teacher workday.

TUESDAY—Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onion, cookies and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter, Jello and milk.

THURSDAY—Corn dogs, cheese slices, vegetable salad, corn on the cob, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY—Beef stew, cinnamon roll, cornbread, pineapple slices and milk.

### HART

MONDAY—No school, teacher workday.

TUESDAY—Chili beans, cornbread, pickles, onions, chocolate cake, peaches and milk.

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

THURSDAY—Pizza, tossed salad, buttered corn, peanut butter cookies and milk.

FRIDAY—Roast beef, hot rolls, green beans, whipped potatoes, peach cobbler and milk.

### NAZARETH

MONDAY—No school.

TUESDAY—Chili dogs, cole slaw, fruit cocktail and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce, onion, dill pickles, brownies and milk.

THURSDAY—Spaghetti and meat sauce, corn, hot rolls, peaches and milk.

FRIDAY—Ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, cornbread, pudding and milk.

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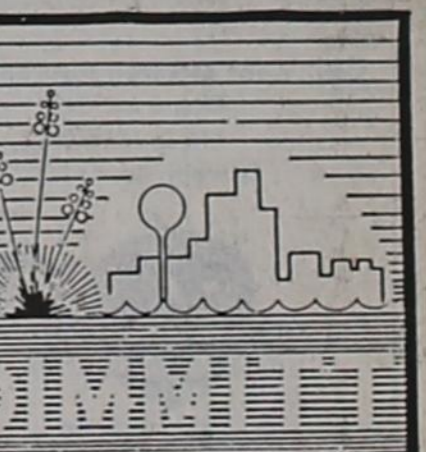
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Letter

Reader values her local roots

Dear Editor:  
My affection for Dimmitt, Castro County and *The Castro County News* runs long and deep. All three have been a part of my life for more than 30 years, although I have not lived in Castro County for about 20 years.

My family moved to a farm down the road from the Tam Anne Gin in the Bethel community when I was in the first grade. Later we moved to Sunnyside where we lived until mother and daddy moved to Booneville, Ark., when my sister and I were students at the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. By then, my brother Ben had moved back to Dimmitt, and a few years later my brother Butch married a Dimmitt girl and made his home there.

Dimmitt—all of Castro County—people have been good to my family. Five of us six children graduated from Dimmitt High School, and our lives are steeped in the experiences we have carried from there. We still, when we gather, recall teachers who we count among our strongest friends (the Ted Newmans, the Ralph Smiths, the Bill Reisdorfs, the Cason Smiths, the Alvis Fuquays, the Paul Hilburns and others) and we younger ones (not so young now!) know the

names of the friends of our older brother and sister and consider these people integral parts of OUR life experiences.

Looking for (and finding) the names of people I know from my childhood gives me a good feeling. I have read about Mrs. Lorann Hamilton (who taught me in second grade), Mrs. Alice Cowen (third grade), and Mrs. Richardson (sixth grade) as well as the loss of Mrs. Hilburn (who gave me a love for Latin and, therefore, a love for our beautiful language). There are others important to my sense of "where I came from" that I look for news of. Many have stood with us Holcombs in times of joy and times of sorrow.

I teach English and journalism in West Helena, Ark., and I use your newspaper in my journalism class for teaching examples. *The Castro County News* is interesting and well-written, and gives my school newspaper staff good ideas for design and copy.

I am really writing this letter to renew my subscription, but I couldn't resist telling you something about your long-distance readers. Bus and Sadie Holcomb (my parents), Rita (my sister in Irving), Johnnie (my sister in Little Rock), and I look forward to our copies of your newspaper. It draws us back to our roots.

Thank you for that bit of "back home" you send out to us weekly. No matter how far we roam, a part of us always goes "home" to Dimmitt and Castro County.

CAROLYN (HOLCOMB) PITTMAN

Farm program cuts cotton stocks

The Texas cotton industry seems headed toward a fairly bright future when compared to falling prices and record world stocks of a year ago. Much of the turnaround can be attributed to the marketing loan concept and competitive price offered by the new cotton program.

The new cotton program is encouraging textile mills worldwide to increase consumption, point out specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. At the same time, consumers are buying more cotton because of its comfort, wearability and lower price. And foreign governments are concerned about huge outlays to subsidize their producers.

As a result, cotton production overseas for the 1986-87 season may fall around six million bales short of foreign mill use, say Dr. Carl Anderson and Dr. Bob Metzger, cotton marketing economist and cotton specialist, respectively. That would be the largest production-consumption gap in four years and would open the door for marketing a large amount of U.S. cotton abroad as world trade increases.

Cotton consumption is gaining ground as global use has increased 10 million bales since 1980, point out Anderson and Metzger. Some of the gain is coming at the expense of man-made fibers. Despite increased cotton usage, global stocks by the end of the 1986 marketing year are still estimated to be nearly twice as much as needed.

The marketing loan also will help counter the flood of textile imports that have had the double advantage of lower-priced cotton and a strong dollar. Thus, the marketing loan should add momentum to domestic use, say the specialists. Textile imports in mid-1986 accounted for almost 40 percent of domestic cotton consumption.

As the adjusted price for cotton nears the 44-cent loan repayment level, the amount of cotton certificates to first handlers declines. The result will be reduced demand for loan equities since first handlers have need for less loan cotton to redeem certificates, Anderson and Metzger point out.

Largely because of the lower price, domestic use of cotton could climb to at least seven million bales, and exports could reach seven million for a total 1986 offtake of about 14 million bales. That compares to 8.4 million in 1985. So carryover in the US by the end of the 1986 season could be close to five million bales, only two million bales more than a reasonable three-million-bale carryover.

If stocks drop to that level, the market price for 1987 cotton may surpass the expected loan rate of 52.25 cents per pound, say the specialists. The target price is set at 79.4 cents.

The cotton market will likely remain prone to short and sudden changes in price movements. With worldwide market forces driving U.S. prices, political and weather-related events can impact on markets and change prices substantially with little notice, Anderson and Metzger point out.

Producers and buyers have considerable flexibility in pricing opportunities for the 1987 crop. If the market continues to gain ground, producers may need to consider purchasing out of the money calls to hedge in the maximum 1987 ex-

pected loan deficiency payment of 27.15 cents (79.4-cent target price minus 52.25-cent expected loan rate).

Given the financial stress across agriculture and the heavy cash outlays to produce cotton, growers must intensify cultural practices and make critical business management decisions to maintain a high yield of quality cotton and glean the most from the marketplace, emphasize the specialists.

Essential cultural practices include minimum tillage; efficient use of resources; appropriate disease, insect and weed control; and careful harvesting procedures to maximize quality. Timeliness of these practices is the key to profitability.

Management of marketing strategies to reduce price risk and maximize income can pay off big in times of wide price swings, say Anderson and Metzger.

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court judge not to send him to the state prison that bears his family name. (AP)

In Dallas, world record grape catcher Paul Tavilla stood for two hours at the base of a 72-story office building with his mouth open, trying to catch 30 pounds of grapes that were dropped one at a time from the top of the building. He failed. (UPI)

In Manistique, Mich., a man armed with a .44-caliber magnum, a deer rifle and a double-barrel shotgun barricaded himself inside a drug store. The situation resolved itself, however, after he downed two and a half pints of peppermint schnapps and passed out. (AP)

After *Playboy* devoted a section to exposing the unclad figures of "Farmers' Daughters," Becky Prusha of Toledo, Iowa, told a UPI reporter that "the Iowa girls who posed for the magazine hope their photos will be seen by someone, like President Reagan, who can help financially strapped farmers."

In London, 3,000 Indian mosquitoes were starved for three days, then a model was placed in a cage with them after she was smeared with a new mosquito repellent. The publicity stunt backfired, though, when the mosquitoes got out of the cage and attacked the assembled audience of businessmen and jour-

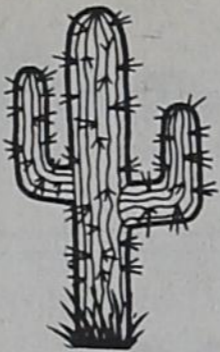
nalists. The model wasn't bitten. (AP)

According to *The New York Times*, among the books found in Ferdinand Marcos' glass-paneled library were *Power Politics*, *The Party's Over* and *Fun While It Lasted*.

A TWA jet carrying 49 people made an emergency landing at Wichita, Kan., after a flight attendant spotted a suspicious package made of air sickness bags. When authorities exploded the package, they found that the "bomb" was a soiled diaper. (AP)

Well, on second thought, maybe 1986 was a bummer.

(Editor's Note: You are a ray of sunshine, my dear. Your letter makes it a lot easier for me to kick off another year, and I'm sure your other friends here will be as pleased to read it as we at the newspaper office were. By the way, our staffers helped judge Arkansas newspapers last year, and you have some dandy ones in your state. The editor of the Bull Shoals paper, Adeline Rush, is one of our "exes.")



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WIFE to meet

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# People



MRS. DWAYNE JAY SMITH  
...nee Shelly Rene Gentry

## Couple wed Dec. 20 in Nazareth

Lori Bell and Jimmy Huseman exchanged wedding vows Dec. 20 in an afternoon ceremony at Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

Rev. Brendan Sherry, pastor, officiated at the formal, double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bell of Dimmitt. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Huseman of Dimmitt.

Arrangements of cranberry carnations and gladiolas decorated the altars. Two white poinsettias graced a side altar and gray and cranberry bows marked the pews.

Soloists were Bernice Hoelting, Greg and Glenda Birkenfeld, and Mary Lynn Olvera, all of Nazareth, Tricia Birkenfeld of Tulia and Bill Sava of Dimmitt. They sang "Glory of Love," and "You're the Inspiration."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose an original wedding gown designed by Loralee of California.

It was created of white sheer organza over taffeta and featured a heart shaped bodice of re-embroidered lace. The full length sleeves were created of puffed Chantilly lace at the shoulders. The sleeves tapered to points at her wrists and featured insets of re-embroidered

lace appliques. Chantilly lace tapering streamers fell from the waistline of the gown. The full skirt parted in the center and cascading ruffles of Chantilly lace fell down the front forming tiers.

The semi-cathedral length train featured scalloped edges of organza highlighted with satin bows tied at each scallop overlaying a double layer of Chantilly lace rows.

She wore a matching picture hat featuring an organza ruffle around the edge decorated with lace appliques.

She carried a cascading bouquet of white and cranberry roses with white stephanotis and baby's breath. The bouquet featured a small pink Bible tied in the middle with touches of pink, ivory, cranberry and gray streamers and greenery scattered throughout.

Joyce Kleman of Abernathy, friend of the couple, was matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Kayleen Robinson of Pampa, friend of the bride; Debra Sava of Dimmitt and Pati Wilhelm of Nazareth, friends of the bride; and Becky Hoelting of Nazareth, cousin of the groom.

Each attendant wore a light gray dress with matching shoes and hose. They wore ivory hats with flow-

ers trimming the crown tied in the back with ribbons in the bride's chosen colors. They each wore a pearl necklace.

They carried gray, ivory and cranberry bouquets of flowers with lace streamers.

Best man was Gerry Kleman of Abernathy, friend of the couple.

Groomsmen were Ronnie Huseman of Nazareth, brother of the groom; Hugh Acker of Nazareth, friend of the groom; Rick Bell of Dimmitt, brother of the bride; and Stanley Hoelting of Nazareth, cousin of the groom.

Flower girls were Michaela Bell and Kacie Bell of Dimmitt, nieces of the bride.

Patsy Birkenfeld of Amarillo and Marlene Acker of Dimmitt were candlelighters.

Guests were registered by Anita Huseman of Nazareth, and were seated by Mike Bell of Dimmitt, Richard Nino of Dimmitt and Dale Turner of Bovina.

The couple were honored with a wedding reception and dance at the Nazareth Community Hall following the ceremony.

The bride chose a turquoise sweater dress with a v-neckline in the back as her traveling attire.

The couple are home in Dimmitt after enjoying a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M.

The bride holds a general equivalency degree and is a substitute teacher in Dimmitt.

The groom is a graduate of Nazareth High School and attended West Texas State University in Canyon. He is employed with Dimmitt Consumers.

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## Dimmitt is new home for Smiths

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Jay Smith are home in Dimmitt following their Dec. 27 wedding and a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N.M.

The bride is the former Shelly Rene Gentry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anthony of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. James Gentry of Quinlan. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith of Dimmitt.

Greenery featuring red ribbons lined the banisters in the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt where the formal, double-ring ceremony was held. Altar decorations included two arched candelabras entwined with greenery. Red poinsettias and green plants completed the decorations.

Jackie Heath of Kansas, the groom's uncle, officiated at the nuptials.

Ken Snelley, soloist, performed "The Lord's Prayer," "Flesh of My Flesh," and "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do." He was accompanied by organist Terey Bee Schultze and pianist Denise Smith.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of satin and chiffon. The bodice was white, featured bead insets and was highlighted by short, ruffled sleeves of ivory chiffon.

Ivory chiffon ruffles fell from the waist line and flowed down the back of the full skirt into a cathedral-length train. Embroidered insets of lace and ivory chiffon ruffles accented the hemline of the gown.

She wore a beaded picture hat with an attached veil of bridal illusion.

Red carnations highlighted with baby's breath, greenery and red and white ribbons formed the bride's arm bouquet.

Maid of honor was Casey Gentry of Dimmitt, sister of the bride.

Bridesmaids were Whitney Parris of Hobbs, N.M., Allyson Berry of Carrollton and Mandy Wandling of Wilmore, Ky.

Each bridal attendant wore an ivory satin tea-length gown with dropped waistlines.

They wore ivory satin hats and carried arm bouquets of red carnations.

Tommy Smith of Dalhart, brother of the groom, was best man.

Groomsmen were Lonnie Robb and Kent Kirby, both of Dimmitt and Chris Carter of Hereford.

Greg Gentry, brother of the bride and Trent Sellers, cousin of the bride, were candlelighters.

Guests were seated by Scott Gentry of Lubbock, brother of the bride, Rodney Hodges of Arlington, Danny Underwood, Jeff Pigg and Tim Wales, all of Dimmitt.

A five-tiered silver candelabra resting on a round mirror surrounded by poinsettias and greenery decorated the bride's table at the wedding reception honoring the couple in the church reception hall following the ceremony.

The multi-tiered wedding cake was also decorated with fresh poinsettias and greenery.

A black sweater with bright prints and matching black pants served as the bride's traveling attire as the couple left for their wedding trip to Ruidoso.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Hereford High School. She attended Texas Tech University in Lubbock, graduating in 1986 with a bachelor of science degree in education.

The groom is a 1982 graduate of Dimmitt High School and is a 1984 graduate of Clarendon College. He is self-employed as a farmer, farming southwest of Dimmitt.



MRS. JIMMY HUSEMAN  
... She's the former Lori Bell

## Bridal shower honors McGuire

Lynna McGuire, bride-elect of Matthew Wilbourn, was honored Saturday afternoon with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Jerry Watts.

Special guests included Kitty McGuire, the honoree's mother, Sue Wilbourn, mother of the prospective groom, and Danna Wilbourn and daughter Michelle of Brownfield, Wilbourn's sister-in-law.


Guests were served ham rolls and "Truly Different Chocolate Muffins" along with hot spiced tea and coffee from a silver service.

The serving table was covered

with a white linen cloth and featured a blue, white and soft yellow silk floral arrangement.

Kim Watts Pond and Jackie Anthony Odom presided over the serving table.

Hostesses included Carolyn Watts, Yvonne Hufhines, Darlene Collins, Shirley Hollums, Deanne Clark, Jackie Odom, Bobbie Baldridge, Shirley Wise, Kathryn Birdwell, Marie Bowen, Geneva Malone, Ina Cleavinger, Mary Lou Smithson, Lurline Pope, Cindy Odom, Diane Hatla and Mae Hargrove.



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**THE CALICO TEAPOT** was honored with a ribbon-cutting Friday by the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce. The new business, located at 301 NW Second, is owned by Cenci Hardee and Judy

Waggoner. On hand for the ceremony were, from left, B.M. Nelson, Hardee, Delores Heller, Pam Josselet, D'Linda Evans, Jimmy Evans, Waggoner and Wayne Collins.

# Kiwanis, postal carriers to adopt 'Carrier Alert'

The Dimmitt Kiwanis Club and local postal carriers will be joining together in a "Carrier Alert" system that could help Dimmitt citizens who live alone in case of an emergency.

The club voted Monday to adopt the program, and named Don Sheffy as chairman. Persons interested in signing up for the program may contact Sheffy at Sheffy's Western and Casual Wear in Dimmitt.

"The carriers notice when the mail has not been picked up," said Dimmitt Postmaster Bill Sava. "We've noticed that in the past, but we can't take it upon ourselves to

jump in and do something. If someone wants us to help look out for them, then we need the residents to let us know."

Citizens who sign up for the program will have, on file, names and phone numbers of local relatives or neighbors who may be contacted in case there is an apparent emergency situation. "Mail in the box means there is a potential problem," Sava said, "and means we need to contact friends or family, even someone out-of-town, to let them know they need to check on someone."

"Before we would contact anyone, the carriers will knock on the door, because they might have just forgotten to get their mail. If we don't get an answer, then we would look through a front window. If the situation looks peculiar, the carrier would notify me, and I would contact a club member."

Sava said the program would also work with boxholders and persons on rural routes.

## Sorority sees educational slide shows

Emmett Broderson presented a slide presentation on "Motivating a Desire for Literacy — China's Educational Reform," to the Iota Zeta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Monday afternoon.

Sue Broderson, president of the local sorority, presided over the business meeting.

Hostesses were Elizabeth Huckabay, Waurayne Hughes, Jaquetta Glass, Elsie Smith and Grace Strother.

## Sandoval is honored

SSgt. Emigdio Sandoval Jr., son of Emigdio and Maria Luisa Sandoval of Dimmitt, has been named "Outstanding non-commissioned Officer of the Year for 1986."

Sandoval, who was also honored in 1985, is assigned to the 47th logistics squadron at Laughlin AFB in Del Rio.

The competition was based on job knowledge, significant self-improvement, leadership qualities, ability to be an articulate and positive spokesman for the USAF and other outstanding achievements.

As a key person in the wing, he is directly responsible for obtaining and distributing aerospace vehicle assets from air logistics commands worldwide.

He was also named "Outstanding Supply Personnel of the Year—Senior Technician 1986" for his outstanding knowledge in the logistics field.

He is a 1979 graduate of Dimmitt High School and is a graduate from the Community College of the Air Force.

He has been reassigned to Nellis AFB in Las Vegas, Nev.



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## Happy Birthday

[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers, the Nazareth Swift Band and the Hart Band.]

**JANUARY 15** — Adam Ramos, Marsha Black, Ross Schulte, Lou Wethington, Chris Schmucker, Lance Brockman, Jerry Jansa, Truman Touchstone, Frank Aleman, Edmond Hunter, Linda Tucker, Tara Vasquez, Paul Fuentes, Gloria Hernandez.

**JANUARY 16** — Ryan Hays, Michele Bradley, Katrina Acker, Kay Gfeller, Jan Nelson, Jill Nelson, Joe Dan Yokum, Sarah Ellison.

**JANUARY 17** — Toby Gerber, Pierce Brockman, Megan Braddock, Joey Schacher, George Bagley, Lewis Jordan.

**JANUARY 18** — Jo Gregory, Nell Kelley, Tami Ball, Kimmie Huseman, Raymond Huseman.

**JANUARY 19** — Glenda Birkenfeld, Angela Jones, Craig Heller, Melissa Kittrell Carpenter, Jose M. Lopez, Sydna Lynn, Cory Hopson.

**JANUARY 20** — Jackie Crozier, Dorothy Elder, Johnny Hucks, Kevin Hucks, John Spencer, Doyle Underwood, John Paul Spencer, Douglas Ball, Rodney Ball.

**JANUARY 21** — Joan Robel, Michael Robel, Paul Huseman, Sister Josella Birkenfeld, Danny Gerber, Gerald Braddock, Kristin Cathey, Sherri Kenworthy, Karen Carter, David Lee Burman.

## Seven area students named to dean's list

Seven students from Castro County have been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at West Texas State University in Canyon.

To qualify for the dean's list students must achieve a semester grade point average of at least 3.25 on a 4.0 scale while carrying 12 semester hours.

Dimmitt students who made the list include Cindy Ellis, 3.25 GPA, Frank Guajardo, 3.80 GPA, Debbie

Harris, 3.786 GPA, Lee Seman, 3.667 GPA and Connie Smith, 3.375 GPA.

Students qualifying for the list from Nazareth were Cheryl Hoelting, 3.625 GPA and Renee Ramaekers, 3.800.

The local students joined 688 other West Texas students who were included on the honors list.

## Happy Anniversary

[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers, the Nazareth Swift Band and the Hart Band.]

**JANUARY 15** — Seth and Anita Ralston.

**JANUARY 16** — Larry and Tammy Allison, Bill and Deanne Clark.

**JANUARY 17** — Glenn and Diane Hatla, Alphonse and Viola Kleman.

**JANUARY 18** — Joe and Amy Schmucker.

**JANUARY 19** — Fritz and Julene Gerber, David and Dorothy Huseman, Ned and Thelma Smith, John and Dana Henderson.

**JANUARY 20** — Jerry and Judy Lange, Bob and Theresa Birkenfeld, Johnny and Loretta Hucks, Don and Carolyn Moke.

**JANUARY 21** — Vincent and Bert Huseman, Ray and Mary Lou Schmucker, Dee and Wilda Wright.

## DYH meeting set tonight

The meeting of the Dimmitt Young Homemakers that was set for Jan. 22 will, instead, be tonight at 7 p.m. in the homemaking department at Dimmitt High School.

The program will be on cake decorating, presented by Katy Wright.

Babysitters will be available.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

**Patients in the Hospital:** Lauro Jackson Sr., Martha Martinez, Esteban Garcia, Phyllis Mooney, Damacio Barron, Gregoria Ramirez, George Blanton, John Arledge.

**Patients Dismissed:** Alicia Melendez, Rachel Hunter, Vernice Green, Janie Back, Bertie Frazier, Venoy Sanders, Maria Sepeda, Alfredo Avila, Kathy Lust, Elida Gonzales, Ramon Gauna, Tana Young, Efrain Gonzales, Rose Salinas, Bernadette Gonzales.

## Dance is Friday

The Dimmitt High School freshman class will sponsor a dance Friday after the ballgame at the Expo Building in Dimmitt.

The dance will last until 12:30 a.m., and Scottie will be the DJ. Admission is \$3 for singles and \$5 for couples.

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# Sports

## Dimmitt slays Dragons

After the finals of the Plainview Pioneer Classic, Paducah coach Randall Ryan came into the Dimmitt Bobcats' dressing room to congratulate them on a good game, a 64-57 Paducah win, and wish them luck in the future.

Friday night, Randall Ryan didn't pay a return visit.

In the last 11 months, Paducah has lost exactly four boys' basketball games. The losses, in chronological order, have come against Dimmitt, Morton, Dimmitt and Dimmitt.

Friday night, the Bobcats took the rubber match in this year's three-game series with a 71-57 win at Middle School Gym.

The Dimmitt Bobbies rebounded with a strong second half to grab a 69-52 win in their final tune-up before starting District 2-3A play at Friona Tuesday.

Improving their season record to 10-11, the Bobcats put the Dragons away early, building up an 18-6 lead before Paducah came back to tie the score in the second quarter but could never take the lead.

Dimmitt led 22-12 with 6:40 to play in the first half when Warren McDonald stole the ball from Chris Hurd, drove for a layup and apparently scored. However, officials ruled McDonald fouled Paducah's Shedrick Davis, disallowed the basket and allowed Davis to shoot a one-and-one. The Dimmitt bench was assessed a technical for protesting the call, and Davis hit all four free throws to close the gap to 22-16.

Will Flemons then reeled off three straight baskets to knot the score at 22 with 4:56 left in the half.

That's when Dimmitt went back to work, as James Alexander scored and McDonald ripped off the in-bounds pass and laid the ball in the hole to give Dimmitt the lead for good, 26-22, with 4:39 left in the second period.

Over the next 12 minutes, the Bobcats iced the game by outscoring the Dragons 34-17, leading 38-30 at halftime and 54-39 at the end of the third quarter.

Paducah was never closer than within eight points of the Bobcats in the second half as the Bobcats started and finished the third quarter with a strong performance. The Bobcats extended their eight-point halftime lead to 14 points, 44-30, on a 10-foot Alexander jumper, with 5:45 to go in the quarter before Paducah had a small spurt by Will Flemons and Stan Burns to cut the gap back to eight, 46-38, with 2:32 remaining in the quarter.

Aided by four Paducah turnovers, the Bobcats scored four unanswered baskets to lead by 15 at the end of the period.

The Bobcats eventually ran their

lead to 20 points, 63-43, on a basket by Emilio Arce, who stripped the ball from the foot-taller Flemons and went coast-to-coast for a layup, before the Bobcats emptied the bench in the final minutes.

A fired-up Bobbie team charged back from a 28-22 halftime deficit to claim a 69-52 win over the Paducah girls Friday night.

The Bobbies made just 10 of 26 first-half shots, squandering an early 8-2 lead on the Dragonettes by going scoreless for almost five minutes in the first quarter, then watching the Paducah girls, who lost the first matchup between the teams 69-46, reel off 10 straight points en route to a 28-22 halftime lead.

That, however, was the party's end for Paducah.

Paducah suffered 11 turnovers in the third quarter that led directly to 18 Dimmitt points, including 11 straight points in less than two minutes, as Dimmitt took the lead for good on a 16-foot jumper by Dondi Hays with 4:33 left in the quarter, 34-32. Dimmitt outscored

Paducah 14-7 in the last four minutes to lead by nine, 48-39, after three periods.

The Bobbies, in a complete turnaround from the first half, canned 19 of their 29 shots and led by as many as 22 points in the last two minutes before settling for the 17-point win.

In the third quarter spurt, the Bobbies trailed 32-22 a minute into the quarter when Sydelle McDonald, with two baskets, Molligay Waggoner, with three straight buckets, and Hays led the Bobbies to the lead for the first time since the end of the first quarter. Charlynn Hunter added a free throw to pad Dimmitt's lead to three points.

The Bobbies' pestering defense kept the Dragonettes at bay and also kept the Dimmitt girls from suffering the ill effects of first-half foul trouble, when McDonald, Nadine Gauna, Gloria Gauna and Kristi Petty each picked up three fouls.

Dimmitt's JV teams picked up wins for a clean sweep, as the JV Bobbies raced to a 49-22 win and the JV Bobcats eased past the JV Dragons 46-44.



CUT OFF on her way to the basket, Kristi Petty turns and dishes to Sydelle McDonald (21), who hit a short jumper to give the Bobbies an early 8-2 lead over Paducah's Dragonettes. The Bobbies came back from a six-point halftime deficit to dump the Dragonettes, 69-52.

## Levelland teams take freshman titles

Levelland captured the boys' and girls' titles Saturday in the annual Dimmitt Freshman Basketball tournament at the Middle School gym.

The Levelland boys defeated Littlefield 59-37 for the boys' title, while the Levelland girls eased past the freshman Bobbies 35-29 for the girls' championship.

Dimmitt's ninth-grade boys grabbed third place with a 47-45 overtime win over Friona, while the

Hart JV boys took the consolation crown with a 57-27 victory over Tulia.

The Bobbies defeated Tulia, 26-21, and Friona, 39-26, to earn a spot in the finals.

In the girls' title game, Dimmitt got off to a slow start, trailing 10-4 after one quarter and 21-12 at halftime. The Bobbies came back in the third quarter to take the lead, 24-23, on two Kara Schulte free throws

with three minutes to play in the quarter.

The Bobbies then went scoreless until the last 4:24 of the game as Levelland outscored the Bobbies 12-5 to take the title.

Schulte led the Bobbies with 11 points, while Tito Villanueva scored eight.

The freshman Bobcats provided a majority of the tournaments' excitement in the boys' division, dropping a double-overtime decision to Littlefield, 49-46, in Friday's semifinals before taking their second decision, both in overtime, in a week over Friona.

After easily disposing of Mule-

shoe, 55-23, in their first-round game, the Bobcats had Littlefield on the ropes at the end of regulation and in the last minute of the first overtime before the Wildcats came back for the win.

In Saturday's game against the Chieftains, Dimmitt trailed 38-30

with three minutes to play in the game before coming back to tie the Chieftains at 42-42.

In the overtime period, Oscar Velasquez hit a forced-up shot at the buzzer to give the Bobcats the win. Justin Shultz led Dimmitt with 14 points in the third-place game.

### Week's schedule

FRIDAY—Floydada at Dimmitt, Hart at Abernathy, Nazareth at Bovina.  
SATURDAY—Hart JV Tournament.  
TUESDAY — Dimmitt at Muleshoe, Lockney at Hart, Lazbuddie at Nazareth.

### Three ranked in TABC poll

Three county basketball teams are ranked in their respective Top 10s this week in the first Texas Association of Basketball Coaches-Lubbock Avalanche-Journal poll of the season.

The Nazareth Swiftettes, 12-6, are second in A girls behind 19-1 Roxton, and will face the No. 6 team, Bovina, Friday night.

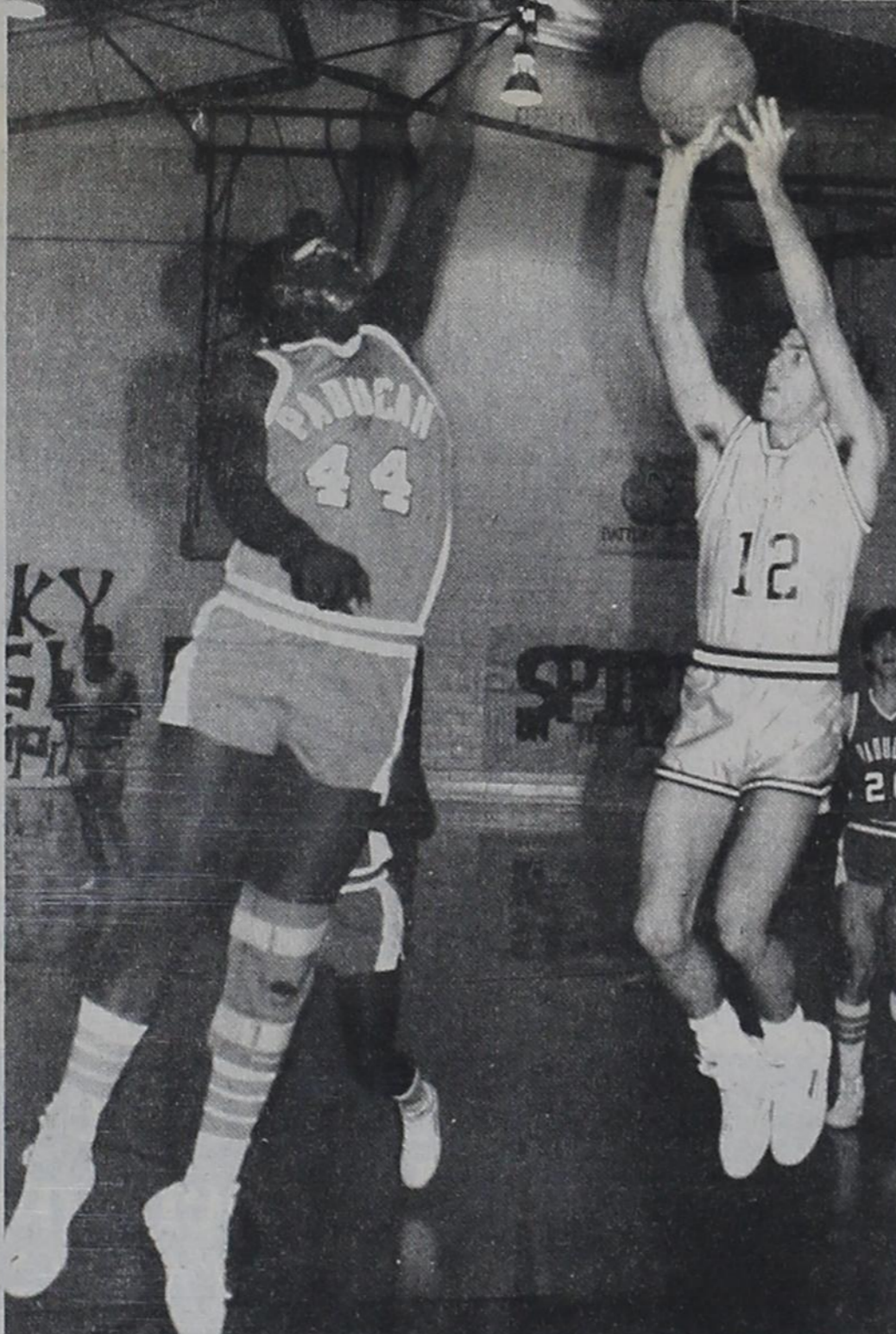
The Nazareth Swifts, defending A boys' state champions and 12-4, are third behind Paducah and Big Sandy.

Dimmitt's Bobcats, 10-11, are tenth in 3A, where Hughes Springs leads the way with a 17-0 mark.

Two Dimmitt natives have their teams ranked this week — Larry Birdwell's Lorenzo squad is fifth while Rocky Rawls' Bronte boys are eighth in Class A.

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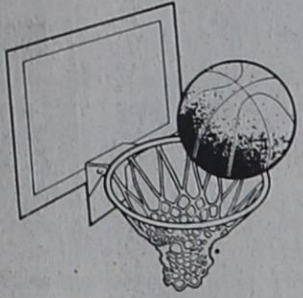
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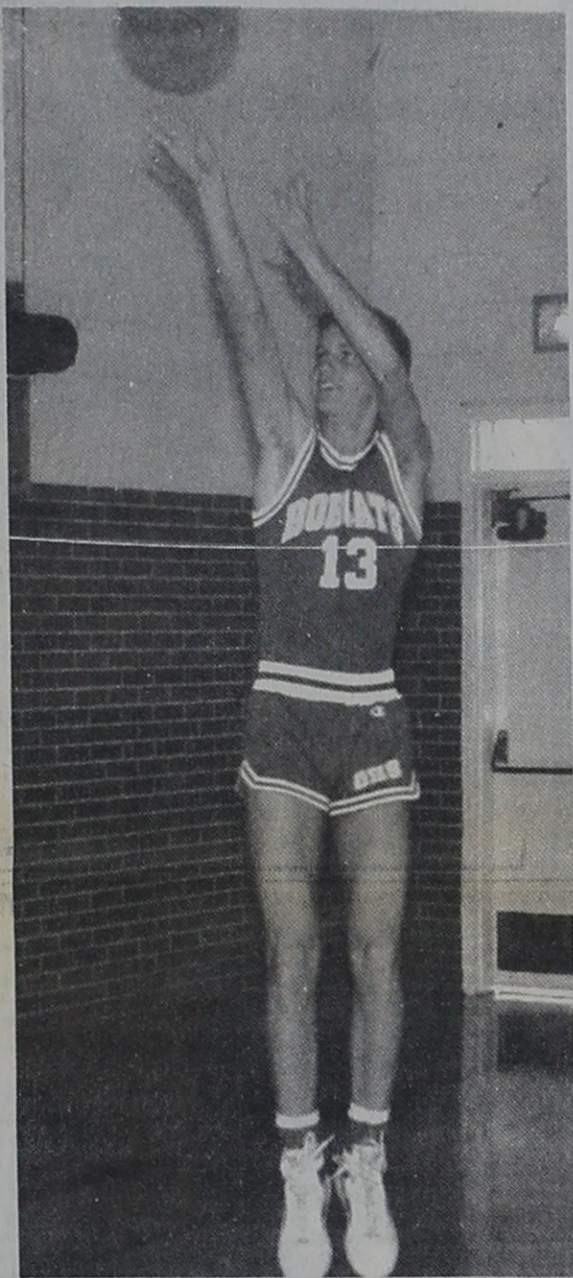




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**Bobcats:**

56, Paducah 49  
70, Morton 79  
72, Hereford 49

**Pampa Tournament:**

39, Tascosa 64  
61, Plainview 57  
64, Big Spring 41  
(Consolation)

57, Canyon 46

**Pioneer Classic:**

54, Nazareth 51 (OT)  
78, Tascosa 69  
57, Paducah 64  
(Second Place)

47, Midland Lee 53

51, Hereford 52

63, Borger 88

48, Plainview 58

62, Morton 77

**Caprock Tournament:**

66, Levelland 64

59, Monterey 57

52, Coronado 64

51, Morton 69

46, Levelland 55

71, Paducah 57

**Bobbies:**

69, Paducah 46

49, Amarillo High 52

41, Hereford 39

**Highland Pk. Tour.:**

62, Highland Park 26

35, Vega 64

67, White Deer 24

(Second Place)

25, Canyon 79

**Kress Tournament:**

45, New Deal 56

74, Alamo Catholic 29

90, Lockney 19

(Consolation)

46, Morton 52

47, Caprock 65

68, Channing 38

36, Plainview 69

35, Morton 60

**Caprock Tournament:**

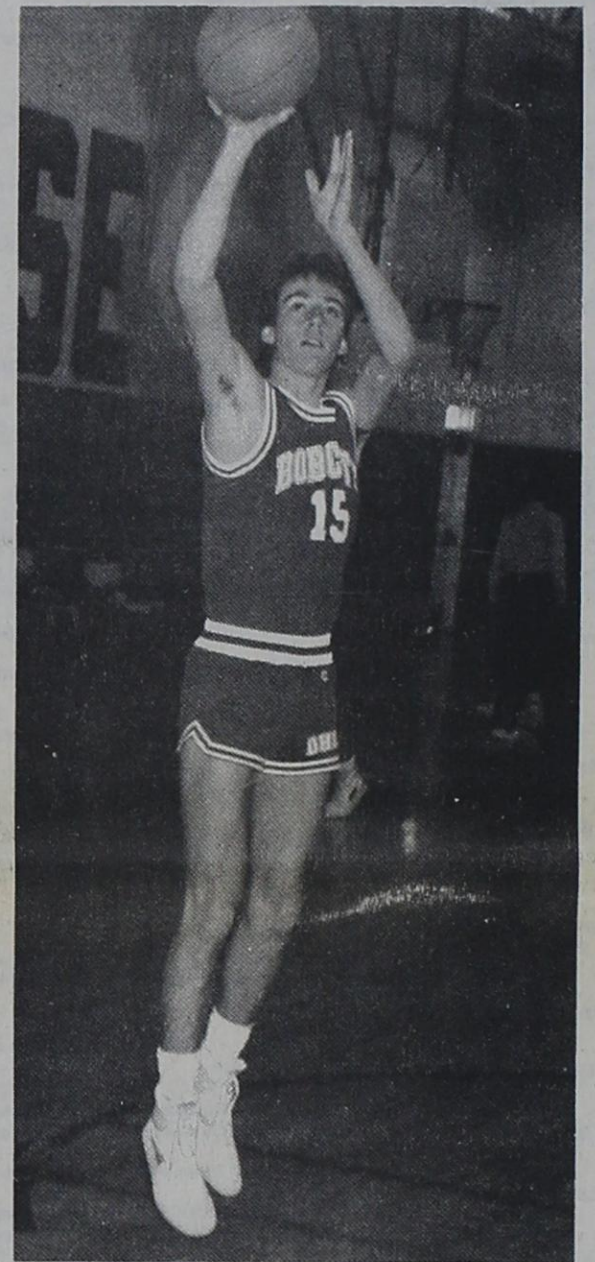
46, Big Spring 69

38, Friona 62

21, Levelland 76

69, Paducah 52

43, Friona 55



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### Remaining Schedule

Jan. 16.....Floydada\*  
Jan. 20.....@Muleshoe\*  
Jan. 23.....Tulia\*  
Jan. 27.....Littlefield\*  
Jan. 30.....Friona\*  
Feb. 3.....@Floydada\*  
Feb. 6.....Muleshoe\*  
Feb. 10.....@Tulia\*  
Feb. 13.....@Littlefield\*  
Feb. 17.....@Friona (Bobcats only)\*

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# Squaws stop surprising Bobbies, 55-43

How can you be tickled to death when you lose a game by 12 points? Very, very easily, when your Dimmitt Bobbies play the socks off No. 20 Friona for three quarters before suffering a rash of youthful mistakes early in the fourth quarter that spelled the difference in a 55-43 win for the Squaws at Friona Tuesday night.

"The fans got their money's worth on this one," said Dimmitt coach Richard Wood. "We came out ready to play, and we had worked hard in practice and had a good attitude coming over here. You know, we could have just quit after some of the games we've lost, and since they beat us by 20 in the Caprock Tournament two weeks ago, but we just decided to come out and get after it. We may have come of age tonight."

"We came into this game with

nothing to lose, and they came in with everything to lose. They're ranked, the favorites to win the district, and we came in and got after their tails."

It could have been Friona who could have just quit, especially when the Bobbies piled up an 8-2 lead on Molligay Waggoner's third basket of the first quarter to give the Bobbies an 8-2 lead with 2:56 left in the first quarter. Friona came back, hitting four of their last six field shots to tie the score at 10-all at the end of the quarter.

Friona then went on a second-quarter tear, hitting six-of-nine from the floor and four-of-six from the line while the Bobbies could make just nine points and hurt themselves with six turnovers to give the Squaws a 27-19 halftime lead.

The people hurting the Bobbies, though, weren't Ronda Ratcliff and

Lacy Osborn, the 5-11 post players Friona usually counts on. The Bobbies used a sagging 2-3 zone that choked off most of Friona's inside game, with two players usually riding herd on Ratcliff, an all-region performer last season.

But the Bobbie offense went in the doldrums, with the six turnovers keeping the Bobbies from hardly shooting the ball. The Bobbies' first field goal of the period came with just 2:34 left in the half, a basket by Kristi Petty, and was only the third shot of the quarter.

Waggoner, who led all scorers with 22 points, hit two more baskets in the quarter to keep the Bobbies within reach.

And, reach the Bobbies did, as Friona hit a cold streak, making just two of nine shots in the third quarter while the Bobbies made six of their 11 shots to take a 31-29 lead on a Petty jumper with 40 seconds left in the quarter.

The Bobbies made changes in their offense, mostly abandoning an inside game and sending players weaving across the court to work

for open shots. Petty hit for eight points in the quarter, mostly from the outside, while Waggoner added a pair of baskets to lead the Dimmitt surge. Friona's Sindy Preston hit a basket with 25 seconds left in the quarter to tie the score at 31-all, and Friona then went to work with its press.

"Our youth and inexperience hurt us in the fourth quarter," Wood said. "I don't know if we were nervous or exactly what — you know, it was the first district ball game, and their we were, playing right with the big people. The fourth quarter killed us."

Six straight turnovers in the first two minutes of the final period spelled the Bobbies doom, as Friona capitalized by scoring 12 points off those mistakes to grab a 44-31 lead with 5:41 to play.

Once the Bobbies finally got the ball down the floor against Friona's full-court press, clamped on by Friona coach Vicki Hatton in the fourth quarter, they hit a cold spell, missing their first five shots. By the

time Linda Saenz made Dimmitt first field goal of the period, with 3:49 to play, Friona had a 49-33 lead.

The Squaws eventually ran the lead to 18 points before their own rash of turnovers, as Dimmitt forced four straight turnovers to cut the lead back to 12 points, but could pull no closer.

Friona's experience with five seniors on the floor almost all of the game, showed at the free-throw line, where the Squaws hit 11-of-13 in the fourth period and 17-of-24 for the game. Dimmitt made three of four free throws, all in the first half, as Friona avoided putting the Bobbies in the bonus in the second half.

## Scoreboard

### DIMMITT FRESHMAN TOURNAMENT

#### BOYS THURSDAY 9TH BOBCATS 55, MULESHOE 23

Muleshoe	2	11	5	5	— 23
Dimmitt	18	14	11	12	— 55

D—Justin Shultz 16, Randy Nutt 10.

Littlefield 46, Tulla 22
Levelland 54, La Plata 27
Friona 44, Hart JV 42

#### FRIDAY LITTLEFIELD 49, 9TH BOBCATS 46 (2 OT)

Littlefield	9	12	7	12	4	5	— 49
Dimmitt	11	12	8	9	4	2	— 46

D—Justin Shultz 19, Jerry Lopez 7

Levelland 56, Friona 33

#### SATURDAY

Tulla 34, Muleshoe 24
Hart JV 50, La Plata 36

#### 9TH BOBCATS 47, FRIONA 45 (OT)

Friona	8	14	8	12	3	— 45
Dimmitt	9	8	9	16	5	— 47

D—Justin Shultz 14, James Flores 10.

Hart JV 57, Tulla 27

Levelland 59, Littlefield 37 (CHAMPIONSHIP)

#### GIRLS THURSDAY

#### 9TH BOBBIES 26, TULLA 21

Tulla	4	7	4	6	— 21
Dimmitt	8	5	11	2	— 26

D—Kara Schulte 13, Rebecca Rodriguez 10.

Friona 49, Littlefield 39

Levelland 37, Muleshoe 19

SPRINGLAKE-EARTH 38, 9TH "B" BOBBIES 11

S-E	6	11	14	7	— 38
Dimmitt	3	0	6	2	— 11

D—Sandy Garza 3.

#### FRIDAY

#### 9TH BOBBIES 39, FRIONA 26

Friona	4	14	4	4	— 26
Dimmitt	13	11	7	8	— 39

D—Kara Schulte 13, Rebecca Rodriguez 10.

LEVELLAND 38, S-E 18

#### SATURDAY

#### MULESHOE 38, 9TH "B" BOBBIES 11

Muleshoe	12	4	14	8	— 38
Dimmitt	3	4	2	4	— 13

D—Priscilla Garza 9.

Tulla 40, Littlefield 35

Friona 29, S-E 28

Muleshoe 50, Tulla 21

LEVELLAND 35, 9TH BOBBIES 29 (CHAMPIONSHIP)

Levelland	10	11	6	8	— 35
Dimmitt	4	8	12	5	— 29

D—Kara Schulte 11, Tito Villanueva 8.

#### FRIDAY

#### BOBCATS 71, PADUCAH 57

Paducah	12	18	9	18	— 57
Dimmitt	18	20	18	15	— 71

D—James Alexander 22, Warren McDonald 18, Jeremy Warren 11.

FG: 28/48—58%. FT: 15/21, 71%.

FLOOR PLAY: Alexander 6R, McDonald 8C, 5R, Marc Bennett 5R, Warren 9C.

#### BOBBIES 69, PADUCAH 52

Paducah	11	17	11	13	— 52
Dimmitt	12	10	26	21	— 69

D—Nadine Gauna 13, Molligay Waggoner and Linda Saenz 12.

FG: 30/57—53%. FT: 9/19—46%.

FLOOR PLAY: Waggoner 10C, Dondi Hays 5R, Cara Odum 5R, 10C.

#### JV BOBCATS 46, PADUCAH 44

Paducah	4	15	9	16	— 44
Dimmitt	10	13	12	11	— 46

D—Mark Wells 12, Mat Bradley and Joe Velasquez 8.

FG: 20/58—34%. FT: 6/11—55%.

FLOOR PLAY: Wells 7R, Velasquez 6C.

#### JV BOBBIES 49, PADUCAH 22

Paducah	8	5	4	5	— 22
Dimmitt	10	13	17	9	— 49

D—Shelly Nutt 12, Krystal Derrick and Trisha Zimmer 8.

FG: 21/70—30%. FT: 7/15—46%.

#### FLOYDADA 41, LADY LONGHORNS 39

Hart	10	12	7	10	— 39
Floydada	7	6	16	12	— 41

H—Cindy Knox 15, Gwen Wilson 11.

#### FLOYDADA 34, JV LADY LONGHORNS 28

FLOYDADA 81, LONGHORNS 62					
Hart	14	22	20	6	— 62
Floydada	13	25	23	20	— 81

H—Paul Ramirez 21, Brett Ritter 15.

#### SWIFTETTES 75, FARWELL 14

Farwell	2	3	6	3	— 14
Nazareth	27	13	18	17	— 75

N—Rachel Huseman 16, Shella Acker 14.

#### JV SWIFTETTES 69, FARWELL 11

SWIFTS 65, FARWELL 42					
Farwell	8	8	14	12	— 42
Nazareth	12	18	15	20	— 65

N—Kenny Kern 15, Todd Hill 14.

#### TUESDAY FRIONA 55, BOBBIES 43

Dimmitt	10	9	12	12	— 43
Friona	10	17	4	24	— 55

D—Molligay Waggoner 22, Kristi Petty 10.

FG: Dimmitt, 20/45—45%; Friona, 19/39—48%.

FT: Dimmitt, 3/4—75%; Friona 17/24—71%.

REBOUNDS: Dimmitt 19, Friona 25.

TURNOVERS: Dimmitt 17, Friona 12.

TOTAL FOULS: Dimmitt 17, Friona 9.

#### FRIONA 39, JV BOBBIES 27

Dimmitt	11	1	7	8	— 27
Friona	16	2	13	8	— 39

D—Kallinda Dutton 11, Trisha Zimmer 5.

#### LADY LONGHORNS 41, HALE CENTER 39

Hale Center	13	12	8	6	— 39
Hart	9	12	10	10	— 41

H—Gwen Wilson 27, Cindy Knox 6.

#### LONGHORNS 61, HALE CENTER 46

Hale Center	12	16	10	8	— 46
Hart	19	14	11	17	— 61

H—Paul Ramirez 24.

#### JV LONGHORNS 45, HALE CENTER 39

SWIFTETTES 57, KRESS 22					
Kress	5	8	2	7	— 22
Nazareth	19	8	16	14	— 57

N—Shella Acker 16, Missy Brockman 12.

#### SWIFTS 72, KRESS 30

Kress	7	6	8	9	— 30
Nazareth	16	26	17	13	— 72

N—Kenny Kern 24, Todd Hill 20.



**ANOTHER BUCKET**—Dimmitt's Warren McDonald (22) fires up a jumper over Paducah's Chris Hurd and Will Flemons (44) to give Dimmitt a 14-4 lead over the Dragons Friday at Dimmitt Middle School gym. At left, Bobcat James Alexander (24) blocks out Paducah's Stan Burns (far left) and the other James Alexander (34). Dimmitt won the game, 71-54.



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# Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703



MORIAH OLSON (TOP) AND AVIE LEWIS were winners in recent drawings conducted by the local Aggie Moms. Olson, daughter of Steve and Ginger Olson, won a handmade quilt depicting various Texas scenes made by the Aggie Moms, and Lewis won a stained glass fromae. Presenting the prizes is J'Lyn Ryan of the Aggie Moms. Proceeds benefitted the Aggie Moms Scholarship fund.

Gale and Verna Sadler returned home from Richmond, Va., late Saturday night after a full week with the Foreign Mission Board. They were very impressed with both the personnel and procedure. They had medical tests and physiological evaluations Wednesday after interviews Tuesday.

On Thursday and Friday they attended sessions on what is expected of Southern Baptist Missionaries.

The committee on appointments, half of the Board members, will evaluate everything carefully and will vote in March on whether or not to accept them. During this time they will also review their letters of recommendations from home.

They had an added feature to their flight when they were routed from Dallas to Washington, D.C., instead of Richmond. They took a shuttle bus from Washington to Richmond, enabling them to see more sites.

Gary Wise of Dimmitt gave his testimony during the services Sunday morning. He is a former member of the church.

Verba Sadler, Willie Mae Sadler and Rev. Bentley Gwyn received certificates for having read the Bible from Genesis to Revelations in 1986.

Cleo Carr and Teeny Bowden would have received certificates if they had been present. Kathy Gwyn brought special music to the service.

Jesse and Frances Pharis of Abilene arrived New Year's day and visited with Euleess and Hazel Waggoner. Evelyn and Robbie Lindsey, Mark and Angelia of Plainview and Sandra Waggoner, Laura, Susan and John also visited with them.

Dr. Harold and Andrea Waggoner and Daila of Roswell, N.M., spent Saturday with Euleess and Hazel Waggoner. They and Hazel attended the Country Tea at the Calico Teapot in Dimmitt Saturday afternoon. The new business opened Monday with Judy Waggoner and Cenci Hardee as owners-operators.

Jesse and Frances Pharis visited with Winston and Judy Waggoner Saturday morning on their way

home. Teeny Bowden attended the annual meeting of the Castro County Historical Commission in Rhoads Memorial Library in Dimmitt Thursday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Smith of Greeley, Colo., visited with her sister, Gale and Verna Sadler Monday. They helped Verna celebrate her birthday Monday.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn and Rev. Glen Smith of Sundown left Monday for Dallas to attend the Evangelism Conference.

Attendance for the Wednesday night supper was down considerably because of other activities. Kathy Gwyn and Judy Damron were in charge of the children's choir in Verna Sadler's absence. Marshall and Kaye King, Judy Damron, Kathy Gwyn, Pat Elkins and Willie Mae Sadler were in charge of the meal.

Ezell and Verba Sadler did some winterizing at their lake house at Hubbard Creek Lake this week.

L.B. and Teeny Bowden visited with Howard and Monarae Cummings of Earth at Furr's Cafeteria in Amarillo Tuesday. Howard and L.B. were in Amarillo for doctors appointments. The Bowdens visited in Plainview Friday morning with Eddie and Pati Guffee at the Llano Estacado Museum. They also visited with Nita McWilliams at her shop.

Erin and Robin Bridges showed two lambs and three steers in the Lamb County Livestock Show in Littlefield Saturday. They placed third and sixth with their lambs and first, second and third with the steers.

Phyllis Bridges, Erin, Robin and Jonathan attended Phyllis' brother, Byron Smith's wedding to Susan Polvado of Morton in Morton Saturday.

Christi Gwyn participated with the Springlake-Earth junior high in a tournament at Lazbuddie Saturday. They finished second in the tournament.

Samantha Wilson showed two lambs in the show at Littlefield Saturday. Hershel and Retha Wilson went down to watch her. She won

eight place with both animals.

Hershel and Retha Wilson have been visiting with Hershel's brother, Bill Wilson of Ropesville, in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He was dismissed Friday and Hershel took him to their mother's home in

Ropesville where he and his wife will stay while he undergoes chemotherapy treatments. They visited with him and his mother Saturday while they were in Ropesville to attend the wedding of Cary Collins, Retha Wilson's niece.

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## Grain sorghum conference set

*Sorghum's Role in the Farm Crisis* is the theme for the Fifteenth Biennial Grain Sorghum Research and Utilization Conference scheduled Feb. 16 and 17 at the Holiday Inn Civic Center in Lubbock.

The National Grain Sorghum Producers Assn., the Sorghum Improvement Conference of North America and the Sorghum Promotion Federation are sponsoring the conference, which is being held in conjunction with the National GSPA Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet.

According to NGSPA Associate Director Ron Presley, this year's conference will highlight methods to increase nutritional value of grain sorghum and report on changes in sorghum production methods.

"The purpose of the conference is to share new information that will help producers improve the grain product and reduce production

costs," Presley said. "The meetings bring together two important groups to share research developments and solve breeding or production problems."

Discussion in the Feb. 16 morning session will present new research on utilization of sorghum for feeding poultry and cattle.

US sorghum producers established the NGSPA in 1955 to develop a strong program of market development, research and legislative representation for their industry. In 1959, NGSPA held the first conference, and has co-sponsored the conferences every two years since that time.

The conference is open to all persons interested in grain sorghum research and utilization. A registration fee of \$65 covers the conference, awards banquet and printed proceedings. A special fee of \$35 is available for students.

## Nazareth

By Ulrich Gerber, 945-2669

Congratulations to Sandy Oliver who was honored by the Panhandle Sports Hall of Fame as "Tennis Coach of the Year."

Oliver is the fourth Nazareth coach to receive the honor. Joe King won it in 1973, Brenda Schulte in 1977 and 1981 and Bud Birks in 1979.

Oliver coached two doubles teams to Class IA state titles in 1986. Oliver also coaches girls' basketball and cross-country.

Ellen Steffens is recuperating at home after being a patient in the Tulia Hospital. She was treated for respiratory problems.

Albert and Virgie Gerber enjoyed a visit with Sonny Gerber of Fort Collins, Colo. on Friday. He was in Nazareth for the day visiting relatives. Ann Gerber's mother, who lives in Amarillo, is seriously ill and they are spending a few days with her.

The Nazareth Senior class sponsored a junior high boys and girls basketball tournament Saturday at the Nazareth gym. Nazareth boys won second and Dimmitt captured first. Nazareth girls finished second and Happy won first.

Hubert, Joan and Ron Backus enjoyed the weekend in Odessa with the Gene Gerber family.

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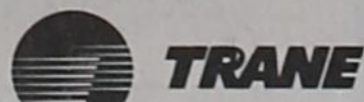
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**DIMMITT YOUNG FARMERS** scholarship chairman Tommy Kenworthy (left) presented checks to Lonnie Robb and Brandon Cox, students at Texas Tech University, and South Plains College student Ricky McKay Friday from the Dana Wall Memorial Scholarship Fund. Also receiving a

check was Billy Patton, a student at Sul Ross State University. The DYF annually awards a scholarship to a Dimmitt High School graduate who plans to major in agriculture, and awards the scholarship at the beginning of each semester for four years.

## RWSWCD is taking tree orders

Orders for windbreak trees are now being accepted by the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District at SW Third and Bedford in Dimmitt.

Orders will be taken until mid-March.

This year's program will include 35 species, with new varieties in the program, including Bur Oak, Desert Willow, Little Walnut, Keteleer Juniper, Pfitzer Juniper, Arborvitae and Burkett Pecan.

Bareroot species include 27 varieties with a minimum of 50 trees for \$20. Potted varieties come in orders of 30 for \$40.

Six species can be ordered in one gallon pots, and may be ordered one at a time. Payment is required in advance on the one gallon potted trees.

The trees include 12 types of evergreens and 20 kinds of hardwoods, and all persons are eligible to participate as long as trees are available.

## Parker is honored

Ronnie Parker, special representative for Jefferson-Pilot Life Insurance Co. in Dimmitt, has qualified as a member of the company's 1987 Thomas Jefferson Club, special honor group for agents.

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## HPUWCD to elect director

Voters in Precinct 3 of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District will vote Saturday for a new director.

Incumbent A.W. "Webb" Gober of Farwell is running for re-election to the post, and there is no opponent on the ballot.

The precinct covers Castro, Bailey and Parmer counties.

All registered voters living within the precinct boundaries are eligible

to cast their ballot to elect a board member for 1987. Board members elected this year will serve a one-year term. To comply with provisions of HB 332, passed during the 1985 Texas legislative session, another election for the same positions will be held in 1988. 1988 electees will serve a four-year term.

Ballots may be cast Saturday from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Dimmitt City Hall meeting room.

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1047 cattle and calves sold Friday, January 9 at Tulia Livestock Auction. Good stocker calves sold \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher. Packer cows and bulls sold \$2.00 higher than last week. A good run of feeder steers and heifers sold \$2.00 to \$4.00 higher.

#### HEIFER CALVES

3 Char.	455 lbs.	\$63.75
28 Mx.	466 lbs.	\$63.50
24 Mx.	472 lbs.	\$64.00

#### FEEDER HEIFERS

24 Mx.	688 lbs.	\$60.00
41 Mx.	562 lbs.	\$61.75
4 Char.	816 lbs.	\$60.00
10 Blk.	611 lbs.	\$62.50
20 Crossbred	564 lbs.	\$60.10
10 Wf.	663 lbs.	\$61.40
10 Mx.	648 lbs.	\$62.60
12 Mx.	798 lbs.	\$60.75
14 Wf.	619 lbs.	\$61.80

#### STEER CALVES

11 Mx.	474 lbs.	\$71.50
16 Wf.	502 lbs.	\$66.50
14 Mx.	488 lbs.	\$67.00
12 Blk.	513 lbs.	\$68.50

#### FEEDER STEERS

3 Blk.	627 lbs.	\$67.25
2 Blk.	858 lbs.	\$64.00
9 Mx.	675 lbs.	\$67.90
10 Red.	613 lbs.	\$67.10
6 Wf.	792 lbs.	\$65.25
13 Wf.	637 lbs.	\$66.90
6 Wf.	818 lbs.	\$64.80
16 Mx.	737 lbs.	\$65.80
13 Blk.	692 lbs.	\$65.00

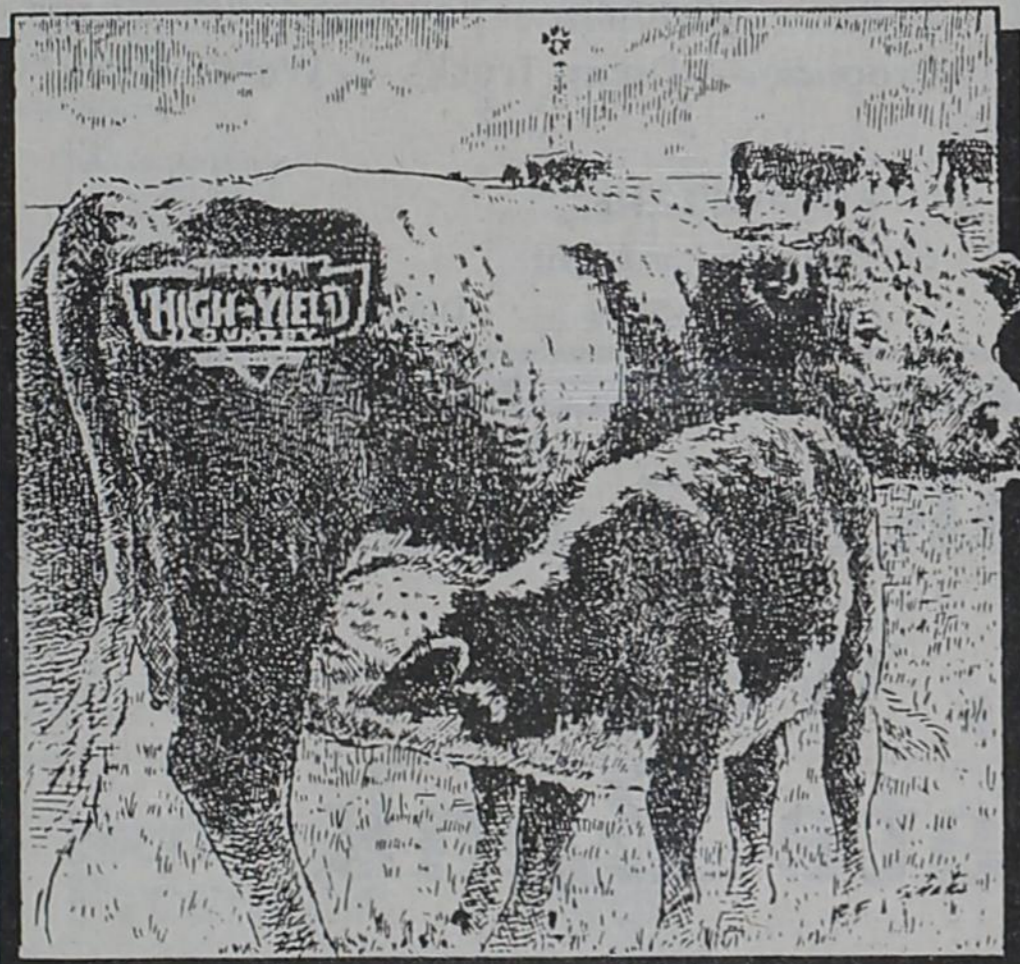
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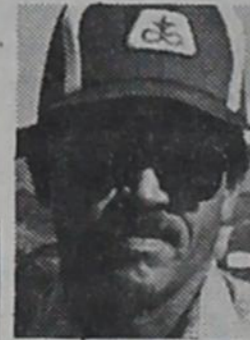
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## Pet Parade



THIS FEMALE MIXED BREED PUPPY is looking for a good home, and must be claimed at the Dimmitt Animal Shelter before 4 p.m. Friday, according to Animal Control Officer Charles Whitman. Whitman said the puppy is approximately three months old and needs rabies shots, which are \$9. Other fees are negotiable. The puppy can be claimed by calling Whitman at the Dimmitt Police Station, 647-4545.

# Producers leaning on pork

Texas pork producers have enjoyed good 1986 profits due to increased prices for market hogs and lower feed grain prices.

However, hog producers have had to scramble for markets in some parts of the state to enjoy the favorable prices as hog slaughter capacity has dropped off in the last six months of the year.

When the San Antonio Swift plant closed, the state lost about 30% of its hog slaughter capacity. Another major plant has filed Chapter 11 and has reduced its slaughter activity, forcing some producers to seek out-of-state markets.

"One reason for the hog slaughter plant problem in Texas is the plants are old and inefficient compared to

larger and more modern plants that have located in the Midwest," said Texas A&M marketing economist Dr. Ernest Davis. "Unfortunately, the hog business in Texas has not had the numbers nor the concentration of hogs to make construction of new slaughter facilities feasible."

Until the Texas plant situation improves, the Texas Pork Producers Association and the Extension Service are developing information outlining the impact a large, modern hog slaughter facility would have on a city or community, and assisting industrial development office and Chambers of Commerce in attracting such industry to the state.

"Meanwhile, Texas hog producers must pay careful attention to

the overall US hog market situation," Davis emphasized. "Although recent USDA reports gave no indication of producers' plans to expand hog inventories, it is hard to imagine that there will be no expansion in the next six months."

Market hog prices averaged more than \$60 per hundredweight during the third quarter of 1986 and should

continue averaging more than \$50 per hundredweight through the first quarter of 1987, Smith said. Continued low feed grain prices should provide further incentive for expansion. A hog-corn ratio of 20 to 1 has been considered high enough to stimulate expansion, and this ratio has been 40 to 1 or greater during this year's third quarter

## 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 Domino Center. A nutritious meal is served daily from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Quilting, crafts and table games are daily activities.

Bridge will be played today and Wednesday at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge will be played Monday at 7:30 p.m.

A blood pressure and diabetic screening clinic will be held at the Center today from 10 a.m. to 12

noon. Aerobics classes will be held at the Center today, Monday and Wednesday beginning at 5:30 p.m. each day.

There will be a noontime Bible study on Monday.

The monthly covered-dish supper will be Tuesday at 6 p.m. Table games will be played during the evening.

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## Exports could be major farm force

The outlook for US ag exports in the near future will be greatly affected by international trade policy over the next two years, according to international trade specialist Dr. Mechel Paggi of the Extension Service at College Station.

It's during this time frame that representatives of major agricultural producing and consuming countries will conduct new negotiations on the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, Paggi said. Meetings in Uruguay in mid-September laid the foundation for what could be a major shift in game rules of international ag trade, Paggi said.

US Trade Representative Clayton Yeutter has told Congress that the agenda for the upcoming negotiations will address the major areas of concern relating to world ag trade.

Although strongly resisted by the French and judged "too little, too late" by members of the Fair Trade Coalition, the group has agreed to include on the program agricultural trade subsidies and a mechanism for phasing out such studies. While it is too early to judge if any progress will be made, since actual negotiations do not start until next year in

Geneva, initial comments by many GATT trade ministers suggest that some agreements could be worked out within two years, Paggi said.

"Although negotiations and progress are frustrating for persons anxious to see a break in the deteriorating agricultural trade picture, at least this is a move in the right direction," Paggi said.

Meanwhile, some trade initiatives which were part of the 1985 Farm Bill have stimulated export sales, while others have not. Marketing loan provisions of the cotton program have resulted in export sales increases over last year. Paggi said cotton's export sales were running three times ahead of last year's mid-September pace.

The bonus export assistance program for wheat, however, has not succeeded in attracting the USSR back to the US wheat market, despite a \$15 a ton incentive.

"Some improvement can be expected as the lower loan rates and continuation of the marketing loan rate programs stimulate export sales," Paggi said. "Unfortunately, it will take some time before these modest improvements translate into increased prices and income for major crop producers in Texas."

## Beet growers set meeting

The Texas Sugar Beet Growers Association will hold its annual business meeting and banquet this weekend in Hereford.

The group's annual membership business meeting will be held Friday at 10 a.m. at the Hereford Community Center. The agenda will include the election of new directors, possibilities of a new farm bill, the Sugar Act, and competition in the sugar market.

The business meeting will also include reports concerning research during 1986, and Michael Warner, of Hillsboro, N.D., will address the group.

Stanley White of Stephenville, one of the nation's top humorists and former winner of Speaker of the Year for Agriculture in the southern region of the US, will speak at the banquet Saturday at 7 p.m. at the Bull Barn. The *Hereford Brand* will present its "Man of the Year in Agriculture" award.

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11. Other assets						
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13. Deposits:						
a. In domestic offices						
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(2) Interest-bearing						
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b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs						
				-	0-	13.b
(1) Noninterest-bearing						
				-	0-	13.b.(1)
(2) Interest-bearing						
				-	0-	13.b.(2)
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs						
				1	800	14.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury						
				-	0-	15.
16. Other borrowed money						
				-	0-	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases						
				-	0-	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding						
				-	0-	18.
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits						
				-	0-	19.
20. Other liabilities						
				1	376	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)						
				55	527	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock						
				-	0-	22.
<b>EQUITY CAPITAL</b>						
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)						
			-	0-		23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized)						
			150,000			24.
b. Outstanding						
			150,000			24.
25. Surplus						
				1	500	25.
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves						
				1	900	26.
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments						
					740	27.
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)						
				4	140	28.
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)						
				59	667	29.

MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:

1.a Standby letters of credit, Total

1.b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a conveyed to others through participations

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

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

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Gary W. Ross  
DATE SIGNED: January 8, 1987

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Gary W. Ross Vice President & Cashier  
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We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: [Signatures]  
State of TEXAS County of CASTRO ss:  
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 19 87.  
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires June 15, 19 87.

Signature Notary Public: Nancy Fuller

# First State Bank of Dimmitt

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NOBODY SEEMS TO WANT this loose basketball after Dimmitt's Gloria Gauna loses the handle on it early in the Bobbies' game Friday against Paducah. Thinking second thoughts about grab-

bing the ball are Paducah's Mona Long (30), Leah Burns (31) and Joyce Evans (22). The Bobbies rebounded in the second half to take a 69-52 win.

## Calcium supplements should be used in moderation

"If you take calcium supplements, don't use excessive amounts," advises Dr. Dymple Cooksey, a nutritionist with the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service.

US Dept. of Agriculture studies have established that many women and children are not getting enough calcium in their diets, she said. A lack of calcium has also been associated with osteoporosis, a condition that results in bone loss and the tendency to break bones, especially in women over 50.

As you shop for a calcium supplement, remember that the body makes equal use of calcium carbonate, lactate, citrate, gluconate, phosphate and orotate. No one of the forms of calcium is necessarily better than the other, despite the advertising claims.

### Presbyterian happenings

A week of prayer for Christian unity begins Sunday.

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 Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"Whose Image?" is the subject of pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m.

"The Work of the Holy Spirit" will be the subject of the Bible study at the mid-week service at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

"While medical authorities have been urging people to eat more dairy products and other calcium-containing foods, many have responded by taking calcium supplements instead," Cooksey added.

Antacids and other supplements are also adequate calcium supplements, she said. You can select the ones that are the best bargains.

When it comes to taking the supplement, Cooksey said research shows no advantage to taking calcium supplements with other minerals or taking them at night. However, if you're concerned about gastric acidity, take the supplement with meals.

## Obituaries

### Junior Goolsby

Junior Goolsby, 57, of Dumas, died Sunday.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon in Morrison Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. David Camp of North Plains Christian Church officiating.

Burial followed in Lane Memorial Cemetery at Sunray.

Born in Panola County, Mr. Goolsby had lived in Dimmitt before moving to Moore County 15 years ago. He was a ranch foreman.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley; two sons, Danny of Sunray and Michael of Dimmitt; a brother, Arlis of Dimmitt; a sister, Emma Franklin of Shippensburg, Pa.; and six grandchildren.

Blanchard, Okla., with Brother Wayne Cullins, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Blanchard Cemetery in Blanchard, under the direction of Eisenhour Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thompson was born on Nov. 25, 1893 in Basin Springs. She married Wilce Ely Thompson Sept. 10, 1911 in Madill, Okla.

Survivors include a son, Bill Thompson of Broken Bow, Okla.; four daughters, Opal Cole, formerly of Dimmitt, of Chickasha, Okla., Lucille Odom of Dimmitt, Vertilene Taylor of Alex, Okla., and Willea Dean Fisher of Amarillo; two sisters, Lena Hoffs of Madill, Okla., and Ruby Hoffs of Blanchard, Okla.; 20 grandchildren; 41 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

### Annie Mae Thompson

Annie Mae Thompson, 93, died Jan. 3 in Shannon Springs Nursing Home at Chickasha, Okla.

Funeral services were held at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in

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## Former KDHN staffer buys Austin-based radio group

One of Dimmitt's original KDHN disk jockeys has come full-circle from the day he arrived at the all-new AM station in 1963 with \$12, a gasoline credit card and a cork in his mouth to the owner of a blossoming group of radio stations.

Jim Ray, a 21-year veteran of the Austin radio market, is now president of The Raydio Group, which owns KOKE-AM in Austin, two stations in New Braunfels and an El Paso station.

Ray began his radio career in 1961, and moved to Dimmitt when KDHN went on the air in late 1963 under Johnnie "Uncle Jay" Linn. Ray, like most small-market air personalities, had a variety of on-the-air jobs, from sports to the "Sunday Morning Hymnbook," both still KDHN staples.

Ray moved from Dimmitt to Austin, where he pursued his studies at The University of Texas and worked at two Austin radio stations while earning his degree.

Ray then took the next step toward his present position, joining the KOKE sales staff in 1970. A year later, he was general sales manager, and was named vice president and general manager of KOKE in 1977 as the Austin radio market was booming, growing from eight to 16 stations in the immediate area.

Ray guided KOKE-FM into one of Austin's, and the country's, top country music radio stations, with two of the top air personalities in the country (including Bob Cole,

who recently won a car another Austin station was giving away) leading the way, then watched Austin's radio advertising revenue balloon from \$4.5 million in 1976 to \$27.5 million in 1985.

Ray "co-invented" the "progressive" country music format that made way for people who are now mainstream country performers, like Waylon Jennis and Willie Nelson, while also making people like Jerry Jeff Walker stars of a lesser light.

Last year, KOKE-FM was sold to a South Carolina radio group, making KOKE-AM available, and Ray grabbed the ownership opportunity.

### Pep sets homecoming

The 27th annual Pep homecoming will be held Jan. 31 in the Pep Parish Hall.

Classes of 1930, 1940, 1950, 1960 and 1970 will have their class reunion at 4 p.m., with registration beginning at 5:30. The banquet starts at 6:30 p.m.

The Pep Ex-Student Association will be presenting a \$200 scholarship to a graduating senior who is an ex-student, or has a parent who is an ex-student, of Pep School and attends the homecoming activities.

Other recognitions and awards will be made, and a Homecoming Queen will be crowned. A dance will be held from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Jean DuLaney, a former Dimmitt resident who has been watching Ray's story, recalled Ray's play-by-play career at KDHN when her son, Stan Byrnes, was a freshman basketball player.

"The only player Jim knew personally was Stan. Otherwise, he'd have to locate the number of the player on the sheet he'd been furnished. On a real exciting play, it would be 'Stan Byrnes grabs the rebound, throws it down court... Stan Byrnes catches it, passes it to... and Stan Byrnes goes up for the shot and Stan Byrnes scores!'"

"I had my radio on as I watched. Boy, what a game it sounded like Stan was playing."

### Tough Love sets meeting

Larry Marshall, a private counselor from Plainview, will be the guest speaker at the Tough Love meeting Monday at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

The meeting will be held in the church fellowship hall, and the community is invited to hear Marshall, who works with Plainview schools and the Plainview police department.

### Historical Commission sets meeting

The Castro County Historical Commission will hold a special called meeting Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Rhoads Memorial Library in Dimmitt.

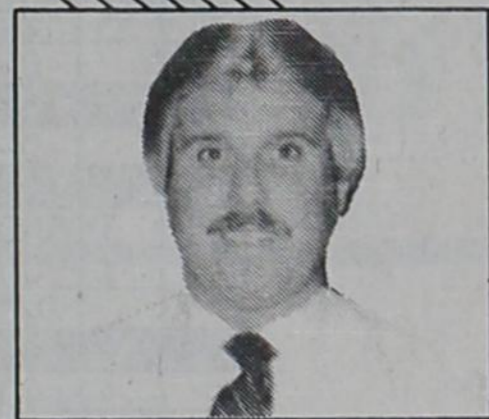
The public is invited to attend.

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