

Elevators almost full as record corn harvest hits peak

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United Way kicks off



UP IN THE AIR with school spirit, Dimmitt High School's cheerleaders whip up enthusiasm during the Spirit Week Bonfire and Pep Rally Thursday night. The night was cold and

overcast, but the bonfire and cheers helped keep the crowd warm. Spirit Week reached its climax with the Bobcats' big Homecoming Game victory over Lockney, 21-6.

The Dimmitt area's second United Way campaign kicked off Tuesday with a goal of \$15,455.30 to benefit 11 organizations.

WORKERS are now distributing pledge cards throughout the Dimmitt Independent School District. Working in four divisions—Farm, Industrial, Commercial and Special Gifts—they are taking cards to individuals where they work instead of going door-to-door.

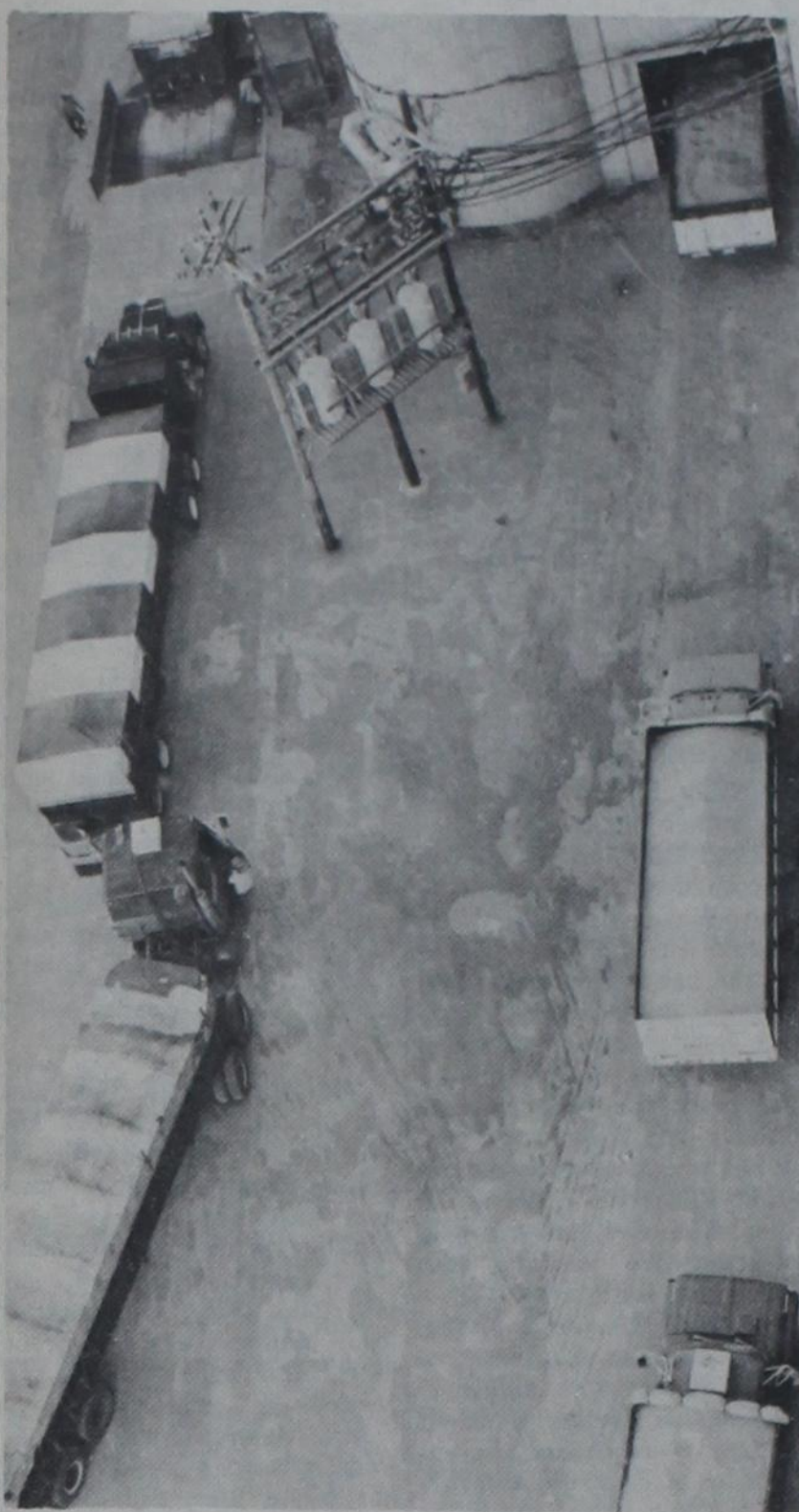
The campaign will last only three weeks, ending Nov. 2.

"I don't think we should consider the \$15,455.30 as our goal," Campaign Chairman Jerry Marvin said at Tuesday's kickoff breakfast. "Our goal is to preserve these good things that we have in our community. The money is just the means that will enable us to attain that goal."

BENEFITING from this year's drive will be the Senior Citizens of Dimmitt, Inc., Dimmitt Kids, Inc., Satellite Training and Work Center, Rhoads Memorial Library, Caprock Girl Scout Council, South Plains Boy Scout Council, Presidential Classroom for Young Americans, American Field Service, Salvation Army, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and the Southwestern Diabetes Foundation.

A donor may designate any one or combination of these agencies to receive his entire contribution if he wishes.

MOST OF these organizations solicited funds on their own until last year.



VIEW FROM THE TOP—Large grain trucks, seen from atop elevator, line up to dump their big loads of corn and hurry back to the fields as the biggest yellow-grain harvest on record here passes the halfway point.

Elevators are nearing capacity in Castro County as a record corn harvest reaches the peak and the milo crop begins pouring in. But most grain dealers believe their facilities can handle the rush.

THE DELUGE of corn is causing problems at practically all elevators, as yield is as good as last year's crop and acreage was greatly increased in 1976. Quality of the grain is very good this year, dealers all report.

Maize is just beginning to come in to some elevators, but the harvest is well underway at others. Volume is expected to swell considerably next week, with the corn harvest still not finished.

Estimates range from 50 to 70 percent of the corn already cut, but Gene Trotter at Grain Handling Corp. in Hart believes 60 percent of the crop is still to come in. His facility does not handle maize, and he says there will be "plenty of room" for the remaining corn.

QUALITY of maize is generally good this fall, with no damage seen from the recent freeze that killed the stalks. Most of the grain was well matured before the freeze, a spokesman at Bruegel & Sons Elevators said, and it is now dry and in good condition.

Another three or four weeks of corn harvest is anticipated at Bruegel's, if the weather remains good. Elevators are filling fast "but we can still handle some more corn and have space reserved for the maize."

If corn continues to arrive in unforeseen volume, "we don't know what we will do—this county never had so much corn before," he said.

WEATHER is the big factor in the rush to get grain out of the fields, and combines are operating overtime while the sun shines and the days are warm. Otherwise, the freeze has not hastened harvesting; grain dealers say there is no necessity for cutting maize quickly after a freeze.

Castro County Grain Co. is in good shape for handling the rush of grain, as storage space downstate has been arranged for corn and it can be shipped out as needed to make more room, Don Gregory said.

Shipping the corn out provides a solution, "if we can get trucks that aren't being used to bring corn to the elevators," Garner Ball of W&C Grain Inc., said. His remark was echoed by a number of other elevator managers.

"OUR ELEVATORS are nearly full and we are now taking only those with contracts," he added. He expects to be able to handle maize along with the corn as the latter crop is more than half harvested.

Corn is being shipped by Dimmitt Agri-Industries, so space appears to be no problem, Manager Bill Clark said.

He hopes for more good weather to speed the harvest of both corn and maize, and expects maize cutting to pick up momentum next week.

The Nazareth elevator of DAI has managed to keep the corn shipped out also, but Lucy Leinen in the office there said, "We are still getting swamped with corn, and now the milo is coming in pretty good."

SPACE may become critical at Roy Grain, Clark Dobbs says, but he thinks his customers are 70 percent through the harvest. This firm is handling only corn this year, as it did last year.

Some firms with elevators at more than one point are taking

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Banks report mixed trends

Deposits in the two Castro County banks at the close of business Sept. 30 showed an increase of \$701,329.35 over the same date last year, with a slight decline in deposits at the First State Bank of Dimmitt overbalanced by a substantial rise at the Farmers State Bank of Hart.

FIRST STATE Bank reported \$26,427,179.27 on deposit Sept. 30, in response to the quarterly call to state banks. This compares with deposits of \$26,726,649.98 on Sept. 30, 1975.

Bob McLean, bank president, attributes the drop to the current financial situation of area farmers, who have been hit by greatly increased costs of production.

"They have simply had to spend more to make a crop this year," McLean said, "so they have less left on deposit. Of course banking, like all other business here, depends 99.99 percent on the farmers."

LOWER deposits at the end of the third quarter of the year,

as compared with previous quarters of 1976, are normal for this time of year when the harvest of major crops is just beginning, bankers say.

At the end of the second quarter, June 30, deposits at First State Bank stood at \$28,091,457.96.

Other figures in the Dimmitt bank's report of Sept. 30 show total assets of \$33,017,139.62, up from the 1975 report of \$29,862,511.41, with loans and discounts amounting to \$24,807,757.48, compared with \$20,190,277.79 at the same date a year ago.

FARMERS State Bank at Hart continued a growing trend which has been apparent the past two years, with Sept. 30 deposits of \$8,346,107.95, compared with \$7,345,307.89 at the same time last year.

The 1975 total, in turn, had more than doubled the 1974 deposits of \$3,655,100.63.

Total assets of the Hart bank are reported at \$9,378,600.35, compared with \$8,134,916.45 as the third quarter ended in 1975. Loans and discounts total \$5,218,268.60 this year, compared with last year's \$3,514,001.04.

Demo chairman resigns post; Wiley elected

Carl King resigned as chairman of the Castro County Democratic Committee last week after serving in the post 14 years.

OSCAR WYLIE was elected by the county Demo executive committee to succeed King as head of the Democratic Party organization here.

King gave up the party reins here after being elected last month as the State Democratic Executive Committeeman from the 31st Senatorial District.

"I've enjoyed working with the people of Castro County these past 14 years," King said. "It's been a lot of hard work, but I've enjoyed it."

THE COUNTY party chairman conducts primary elections; presides at county conventions; keeps precinct chairmen, county, state and national officials informed on local party matters; usually serves as a delegate to district and state conventions; makes local arrangements for visiting candidates; and supports the party's nominees through various means.

Wylie, a farmer, has been active in the Democratic Party here many years and has been a voting delegate to the last two state Democratic conventions.

about dimmitt and castro county

The Dimmitt United Way fund drive got underway at a meeting of officials of the organization Tuesday morning. The United Way campaign is designed to give everyone an opportunity to assist in the financing of a number of worthy causes. The United Way also accomplishes in one fund drive the same thing that would otherwise require eleven fund drives, with probably the same people doing the work in each instance. Everyone should do his bit in this worthy campaign.

Corn harvest is somewhere between fifty and seventy-five percent complete. Long lines of corn trucks have been backed up at the elevators and the grain bins are being filled to capacity and we are told that the market is falling. We may be faced with a grain glut and an oversupply of meat. Something should be done immediately to relieve the situation. At the insistence of the USDA, farmers went all out in planting grain crops of all kinds, and despite the fact that much of the midwest had a poor crop year, we are going to be faced with an unmanageable surplus. Unlike the gas and oil companies, farmers can't claim a shortage when they need a higher price for their product.

Some day the powers that be will have to come to the conclusion that the idea of the open market place and prices based strictly on supply and demand will not maintain a healthy agricultural economy. With support prices and controlled production the nation's farmers can feed and clothe the population and get a fair return on their investment and labor. Otherwise we will exhaust our

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First freeze

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	69	38	.06
Friday	43	26	.05
Saturday	66	25	
Sunday	81	38	
Monday	86	44	
Tuesday	88	41	
Wednesday	79	40	
October Moisture			.11
1976 Moisture			11.40

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer

800 shots given; state calls halt

Swine flu vaccine was administered to 800 residents last weekend, after the first installment of 5,000 shots allotted to Castro County was received here.

BUT PLANS for further inoculations are postponed until a decision at state level.

After three deaths of elderly persons in Pennsylvania who had been given the flu shots in the same clinic, Texas was one of 10 states ordering the program suspended until investigation of the deaths is completed.

Dr. B. H. Lee, county health officer, said Wednesday, "We will have to wait until Monday at least, when a decision from Austin is expected. If and when we get the rest of the vaccine promised for this county, we'll have a public clinic."

AS COUNTY health officer, Dr. Lee established the following priority on the first 800 shots: (1) nursing home residents, other elderly residents and those highly susceptible for health reasons, (2) hospital and clinic employees, (3) school personnel, (4) bank personnel and downtown business people.

"When we got only 800 shots, we decided to distribute it to people who serve the most others—the people who would keep the town, its businesses and services operating in case of a flu outbreak," Dr. Lee said.

Administration of the shots is left up to the discretion of community health officials. The shots are free.

Little adverse reaction to the first 800 shots has been reported by residents here, Dr. Lee said. He added that less bad reaction has been reported from these shots than from ordinary flu shots.

The vaccine is provided in a federal program aimed at immunizing all US residents against the new and virulent strain of flu, which some health authorities believe threatens an epidemic comparable to the death-dealing flu outbreak of 1918-19.

Delays in production of the vaccine resulted in adoption of a quota system for allotting the shots, so that all parts of the nation receive an initial small amount with the remainder promised later.

Moulton resigns from Police Dept.

Assistant Chief Fred Moulton resigned from the Dimmitt Police Dept. last Wednesday, two days after the city commission had hired Deputy Sheriff David Slaughter as the new police chief.

MOULTON said he resigned because the commission went outside the department to hire a new police chief. Moulton was one of five applicants for the post.

"The usual practice in selecting a chief for a small-city police department is to promote from within the department," Moulton said. "When the city commission went outside the department to hire a new chief, I felt the best thing for me to do was to resign."

Moulton had been with the Dimmitt Police Dept. 14 years, serving as assistant chief the past eight years. He was named acting chief when long-time Police Chief W. W. Jones was hospitalized recently with the illness that later forced his retirement.

Moulton's resignation last

Wednesday was effective immediately.

HE SAID he is undecided about his future plans.

"I would like to thank the citizens of our community for their cooperation through all these years," Moulton said. "I've enjoyed working with them and for them. I wish them all well, and I trust the new chief will make a good chief."

Moulton's resignation was the second within a week in the Police Dept. Patrolman Don Elliott resigned Oct. 1 to join a local paint-and-body shop.

SLAUGHTER, meanwhile, expressed regret over both resignations.

"I can understand how Fred feels," the new chief said, "and of course Don left for a substantial salary increase, and you can't blame a man for that."

The resignations left the local department with three patrolmen and one policeman. "We need one patrolman badly right now, but can wait a while to hire the second," Slaughter said.

Charles Youts funeral held on Wednesday

Funeral services for Charles Thomas Youts, 59, a 46-year resident of Dimmitt who died Monday morning at Plains Memorial Hospital, were conducted at the First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon.

REV. BOBBY Gordon, pastor of the Lee Street Baptist Church, officiated and Rev. John Street, First Baptist pastor, assisted. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of the Dennis Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Ron Montgomery, Bill Moyer, Wade English, Glenn Schumacher, Archie Bussey and Allen Cochran.

Honorary pallbearers were Arthur Wilcox, J. B. Blackwell, Ernest Mayhew, Everett Lumpkin, Troy Kirby, Bill Voils, Larry George, Don Hargrove, S. R. Hutto and H. N. Dyer.

MR. YOUTS was born Feb. 15, 1917, at Maud, Okla. He was a self-employed electrician and a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge.

Survivors are his wife, Wanda; three daughters, Lawanda Dahlquist of Dimmitt, Shirley Carpenter of Lubbock and Charlotte Stroud of Corpus Christi; a son, Charles Jr. of San Angelo; three sisters, Thelma Moore of Dimmitt, Veola Payne of Odessa and Corene Ellis of Lubbock; two brothers, W. A. of Lubbock and Claude of Fort Worth; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral held for baby girl

Graveside services for Margarita Mendoza, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mendoza of Dimmitt, were conducted Saturday morning at St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery at Hereford.

Rev. Bernard McGorry, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, officiated.

THE CHILD died last Thursday in an Amarillo hospital.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by a sister, Alevia, and two brothers, Frank Jr. and Ignacio, all of the home; and her grandparents, Ernest Tapia of Hereford and Lenardo Mendoza of Mexico.

Rush aces No. 6 hole

Would you believe that George Rush scored a hole-in-one at the Country Club golf course Saturday?

THEN would you believe it if you heard it from Ken Cleveland, John Lantz, Doug Lapins, Dr. James Wohlgenuth or "Pewee" Dudley? They were playing along with Rush when the rare event occurred. The witnesses are all honest men, as golfers go.

Rush's hole-in-one came on the No. 6 fairway (165 yards, par 3) which the men were playing as No. 15 in an 18-hole round.



HOMEcoming QUEEN for 1976 in Dimmitt High School is blonde Amy Merritt, who was crowned during the Homecoming Pep Rally in the DHS gymnasium Friday afternoon and reigned at the Homecoming Game that night. Miss Merritt, a junior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Merritt. Other candidates were freshman Mary Jan Roark, sophomore Lisa Wales and senior Sandra Tischler. The sophomore class was announced as the winner in school hallway decorations.

Sheffy's chatter

WTSU student from here appears in 'Hello, Dolly'

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Billy Derryberry has a part in the musical and a minor part as a policeman in the play "Hello, Dolly" that will be presented at the Amarillo Little Theatre on Civic Circle, 2019 Wolflin Village. Billy is now a senior math major at WTSU and did attend college at Mountain View near Oak Cliff in Dallas. His parents are Bill and Mary Derryberry, who moved to Dimmitt from Grand Prairie. Bill is with Goodpasture. They go to church with the Baptists. Oh, yes, they live at 117 NW Eleventh St. out toward the Country Club. "Hello, Dolly" is Oct. 8 through the 30th at 8:30 p.m., except Oct. 10 and 17 it will be at 2:30 p.m. Check the Amarillo News' show page.

LAST weekend there were big doings in Dimmitt. The ball game which Dimmitt won over Lockney, the pep rally and reception Friday afternoon for the exes in town for Homecoming, the bonfire and election of Flame King and Queen. Don will tell you. And the reunion of many members of the class of 1956. They had a steak dinner at the Country Club with music and a get together at the Colonial Inn later. Jim Butler, Barbara Wheat and several others acted as generals to get the bunch together. There are pictures on another page.

Tommy and Judith Robertson were here from Oklahoma City. Visited her parents M. E. and Marge Cleavinger.

Don and Karen Sheffy and girls from Canyon visited his mother Myrtle and the Sheffy clan.

The Don Mobeys from New Mexico visited his mom Mrs. Gladys Mobley and Austin.

JIMMY AND Myrtle Johnson of Lubbock came to see his mother Dora and her dad Shorty Trimble.

Dorothy and Milton Draper of Tahoka visited Donald and Katy Wright.

Jerry and Barbara Noble visited his dad Es Noble. Her folks, the Rogers, now live near LBJ Lake.

Alton and Mary Whitworth of Tulsa visited aunt Ruby Coke and Jude Gossett at South Hills Manor.

The Ted Robbs were helping with host duties too. All these people were here for the steak supper with the Class of '56.

MR. AND MRS. Ailt Feldman from Spicer, Minn., and her brother Elmer Grussing of Willmar, Minn. are here to see their children Cindy and husband Wally Feldman, and James Grussing and Dianne and the baby. They have farm interests in this area. They were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Ed Manning.

Mildred Nita Kyle was the birthday lady Wednesday, Oct. 13. So the employees baked her a cake and served coffee at the Colonial Inn Restaurant to help celebrate. We wish for Nita many more birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Kirby celebrated their 61 years together Sunday with dinner at the Colonial. Several of their children were there, Lavern Simmons of Pampa, Twila Parker of Olton, Troy and Billie Kirby of here, Alene, Vada, Murle Carrell, other people dropped by the house in the afternoon for coffee.

Twila Kirby Parker came in from Lawton, Okla. She had been to the big football game there. Her son Jimmy plays football with the ENMU team from Portales. They won.

Don and Ann Ethington and Darless and Dawn Goolsby made the circle tour of the Taos and Red River area last week. Ann says the foliage was just beautiful. This was before the winds came and blew some of the leaves off the trees.

MRS. ALICE Neeley came up from Bledsoe to visit her daughter Mrs. T. N. Reeves and granddaughter Linda Powell and Joyce Rickerd and families, also the great grand girls DeeDee, Shan, Janis. Mrs. Neeley lived at Vigo northeast of Tulia for many years.

Last week I said Helen Richardson and Elizabeth Huckabay toured points of interest in Colorado, Aspen and other spots. Well, Koma Ratcliff and Faun Welker went too. I failed to get their names down.

Phillip and Flossie Jones attended a reception in Clovis Sunday afternoon for friends Jim and Mary. Flossie is a nurse at South Hills Manor. They farm south of town.

Gwen Buckley came home this week from a month's stay

near Phoenix, Ariz. She is the new grandmother of a boy baby born to Janet and Dr. Joby Claborn. I will say that Jimmy is the grandpa. The Claborns have a 3-year-old son, too.

DR. BOB and Pat Brock of Phoenix came by to see the folks Earl and Mabel Brock and Raymond and Margaret Wilson en route to a medical convention in New Orleans. Dr. Brock will be involved with some surgical short courses and lectures.

Jo Ann Smith was the honor guest at a bridal shower Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Calvin Lippard. Jo Ann and Randall Jay Wright will be married soon. Many gifts were received at the pretty party and 15 or more ladies helped with hostess duties. Jo Ann is the daughter of the Joe Smiths of the Flagg Ranch.

Opal Bearden and daughter Kay went to Edmund or Oklahoma City to visit Opal's grandson and Kay's son Scott, who is in college here.

JIM AND Judith Tate and son Tal of Amarillo and Pat Truelove of Houston will be Sunday dinner guests of parents Curtis and Marie Tate. Judith is the daughter of Zonell Maples and C. G. She will visit her folks, also grandmother Ruby Maples. Pat's son Brent is with the hospital unit of the Marines in North Carolina.

Mrs. Juanita McKinney of Tulia spent the weekend with her friend Ruby Sims and a while back the ladies went to New Mexico looking around, up to Angel Fire, on to Red River,

across to Albuquerque, all around up there.

And Saturday evening we saw the Zeiglers from Tulia with friends having steaks at the cafe. Mr. Zeigler is an uncle of Jack Zeigler of Canyon, who grew up in Dimmitt.

Also saw Jim and Ellen Hrabal having steaks and their daughter Julie. They say their new appliance store is doing a good business.

MRS. CLIFF Bridgers of Hope, Ark. is here for a visit with her daughter Beth and Bob Jones and daughter Mary and son Craig.

Mrs. Leora Calhoun is home from a visiting trip to Azel. That is in the Dallas area. She saw her children and other kin here and there.

Alvin and Frances Frazier spent the weekend in Fort Worth visiting their son Landol and Jamie and their girls. They spent one day with friends Jay and Phyllis Sanders at Seymour. The Sanders teach art, that is oil painting. Frances's sister Eleine from near Lubbock came up here one day last week. They both went to Amarillo for a meal out.

Ken and Pat Truelove of Houston have been here to attend the funeral of a friend in Amarillo and Pat stayed over for a few days visit with her parents Curtis and Marie Tate.

RETTA CLUCK was hostess to her bridge playing friends Thursday afternoon. She served a salad and her very good pumpkin pie and coffee to Josie Bradford, who won high score, Ruth Wooten, also high scorer,

Maggie Boren, Jeanie Miller, Opal Bearden, Billie Cluck, Cletha George and Myrtle Sheffy.

Odell and Edith James of Gentry, Ark. were here last week looking after the farm harvest. Their farm is near the R. V. Bills place west of Sunnyside. They had a short visit with me Friday. They were en route to Plainview to visit her folks.

Well! Well! I paid the county tax "not cheerfully", and I met the nice fellow Jerry Heller, a tax a/c deputy, formerly of Hart. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heller. Jerry is not married. Says he is playing the field for a while. Go pay your taxes now!

Cecil and Blanche Ginn went to Mineral Wells to visit her sister Ella Perry for a few days. Cecil wanted to do some fishing before the weather gets cold. They will come home by Colorado City to visit Cecil's uncle and aunt.

DOYLE WASSOM, state highway manager and assistant manager Don Stone and the other employees and their wives brought a good dinner to the assembly room of the Highway Department as a so long retirement party for Arthur Oakley and E. R. Waggoner and their ladies. J. B. and Thelma Moore were there too. J. B. was manager for several years.

H. A. Lynn is getting well from recent surgery he had at Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Mrs. Garland Coleman has been teaching school for a few weeks for H. A.

Charles and Paula Vick, whose home is Pampa, have been in Dimmitt for a while with the Austin Construction Co. out at the Amstar plant. They attend church here with the Methodists. They are not kin to Clyde and Clara.

Flora Stanford, Myrna Cowser, Leola Haberer and Clara Neumayer went to Vega Sunday where they attended church with the Methodists. They went especially to see and hear Gene Wisdom preach. Gene and his wife Ellen and young Michelle were here a few years ago. He was an intern pastor. He is now pastor at Vega.

RODNEY and Cindy Patton of Pampa and Vera Patton, a student at UT in Austin, came in for the Homecoming activities. Coming in with Vera were Mary Damron and Junior Sandoval. They all visit their parents while here.

Carl and Jeri Bradley and Gale and Verna Sadler recently took a cycle trip to Springfield, Mo. Jeri says the trees were just in the turning stage through the Ozarks and were just beautiful. They had a very good trip, had hot weather.

Lynn Schulte and Denise Rossi from Tulia have had a fun

trip to Denver. Judy Waller from Hale Center was visiting Rita Gilreath Monday. Rita is moving to Daingerfield Tuesday. Joe got transferred to the Farmers Home Administration office there. Rita said she was going to retire.

I AM just now meeting Duane Marburger, the new manager of Gibson's store. He and wife Tammy moved here and live in the Huggins addition east of town. They attend church with the Lutherans at Hereford. They are home from a visiting trip to Brenham, their home town. Went fishing in the creeks and did some dove hunting. Go by the store and say "Howdy, neighbor!" They stopped in Rogers, the editor's old home town.

Kim Griffith and friend Cindy Moore, students at Levelland, came home to visit Earl and Delores Griffith and attend all the homecoming school events. Bonnie Koeninger is with Home Decor. Go by and see the new furniture. Her husband, Mr. Koeninger is the high school counselor. The girl who was working got tired of driving in from so far in the country. She and her husband farm the Simpson farm north-east of town. Joe Nelson bought the farm last year.

BERAL HANCE visited in Lamesa with her sisters, Junia Green and Blanche and Arthur Smith. She also visited her son Kent and family and her grand-daughter Keri Hodges over the weekend.

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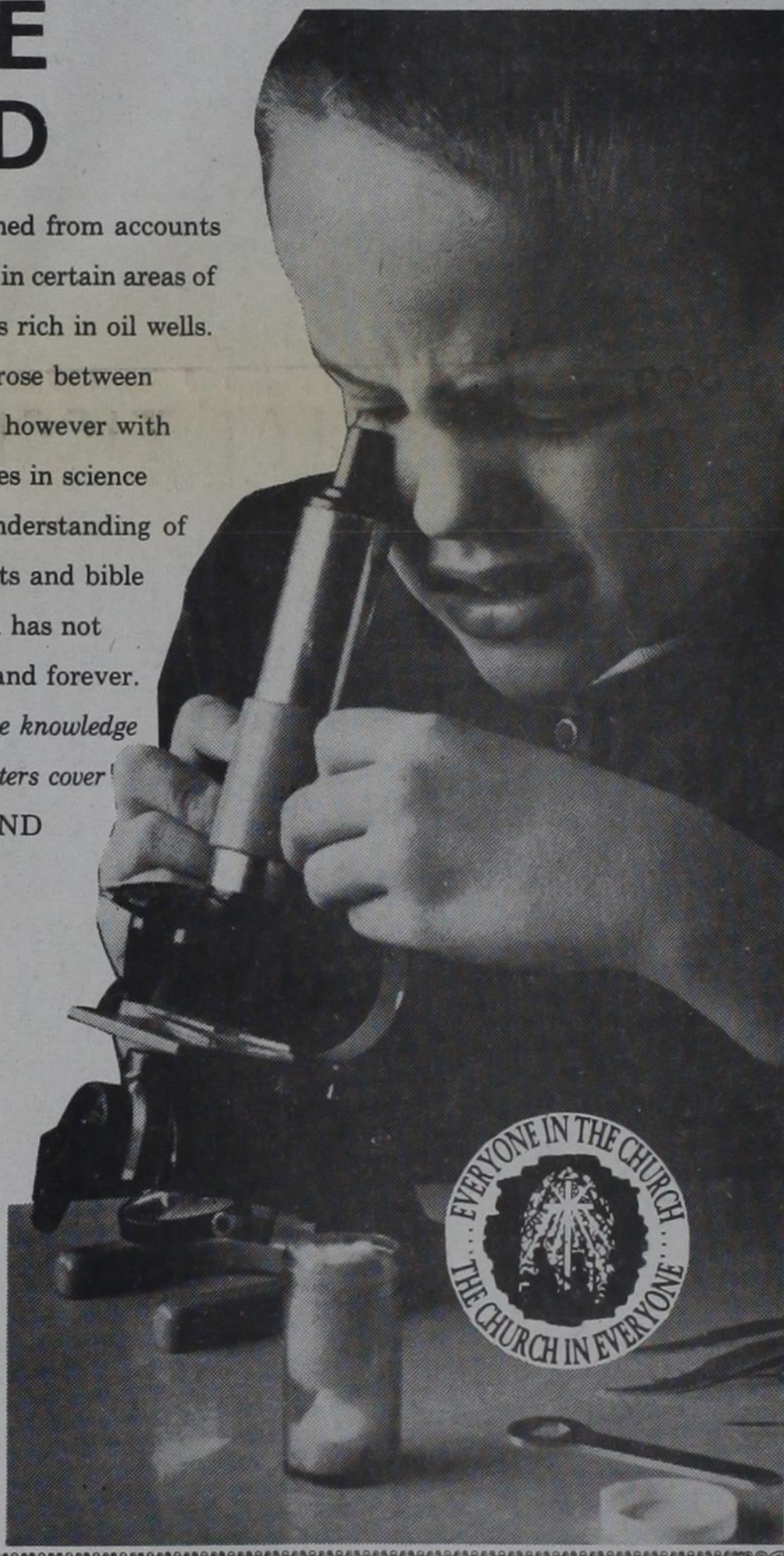
SCIENCE and GOD

Not too long ago, a man determined from accounts in the bible that oil could be found in certain areas of bible lands . . . now this country is rich in oil wells.

In the past, vigorous arguments arose between some scientists and bible scholars, however with the passing of time, new discoveries in science have helped us to have a better understanding of God's word and now most scientists and bible scholars are in accord. God's word has not needed to be proved, for it will stand forever.

"For the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the LORD, as the waters cover the sea." ATTEND CHURCH AND STUDY GOD'S WORD.

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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Secretaria Sara Sallinas
Tesorero Gabriel Montiel
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El Sermon 11:00 a.m.
Miercoles:
Instruccion Biblica 8:00 p.m.
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1201 Western Circle Drive
Rev. John Street, Pastor
Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal 8:10 p.m.

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Jim Massey, Music & Education
110 S.W. Third
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Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday—
General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m.
Choir 7:30 p.m.

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302 S.E. 2nd
Sunday—
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Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside)
Third and Halsell Streets
Leonard Tittle, Minister
Phone 647-5284
Sunday—
Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Ladies Class 2:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 8:00 p.m.

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1001 W. Halsell — Ph. 647-4219
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Mass In Spanish 10:30 a.m.
Religion Classes 9:30 a.m.
Monday, Tuesday & Saturday—
Mass 7:00 a.m.
Holy Days—
Mass in English 7:00 a.m.
Mass in Spanish 8:00 p.m.
Confessions—
Friday 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
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Coleman Adv. Serv.

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Viggo Ulrich, Minister
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Class for all 7:30 p.m.

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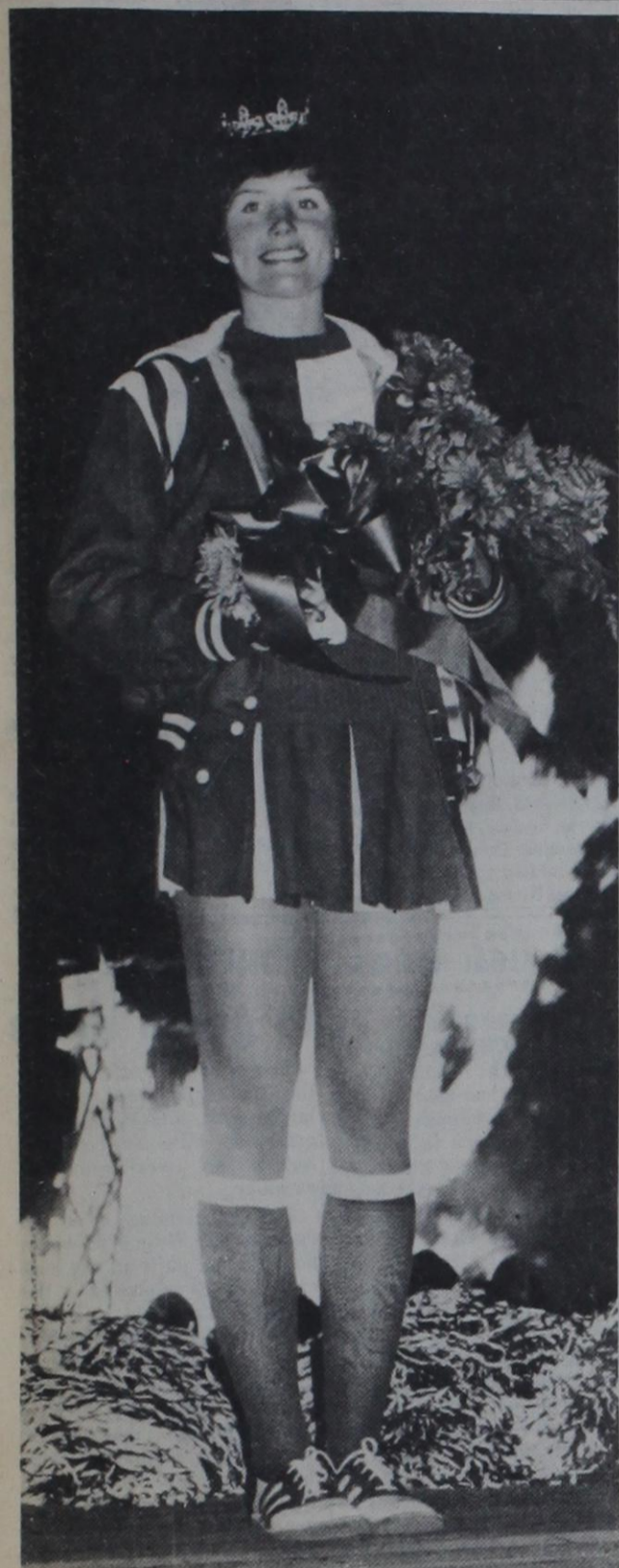
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FLAME QUEEN for 1976-77 in Dimmitt High School is senior cheerleader Nita Parker, who was crowned during the Bonfire Pep Rally last Thursday night. Announced as Flame King was Dennis Veals, who could not be present. Each class nominated a candidate for each honor.

National Spelling Bee prelims set for April

County Judge Weldon Bradley will be the Spelling Bee director for Castro County for 1977. The County Bee will be held in April.

THE 29th Regional Spelling Bee, co-sponsored by the Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University, will be held in Amarillo on April 23. Four states will be represented and there will be 46 finalists.

The Bee is open to any student in a public or parochial school. The rules, established by the national sponsors (Scripps-Howard Newspapers, New York City) state that any student who has not reached his or her 16th birthday or gone beyond the eighth grade at the end of the current school term, will be eligible to enter any school contest and participate in county eliminations.

THE TOP district winner, when he or she is named on April 23, will take part in the 50th National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C. early in June. The champion will be representing the regional sponsors and the expenses will be courtesy of the Amarillo Globe-News.

The national sponsors, under the supervision of the director, Jim Wagner, annually prepare a study booklet used in most school and county eliminations.

It is "Words of the Champions." The 1977 issue will contain more than 500 new words and is available from the Amarillo Globe-News for 30 cents per copy.

To obtain the booklet, please write to Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, P.O. Box 2091, Amarillo, 79166.

THE 1976 champions for Castro County were Dale Wilhelm, Nazareth eighth grader, senior winner, and Danelle Schmucker, Nazareth sixth grader, junior winner.

The AGN-WTSU offers a unique opportunity to the elementary students by promoting a Junior Bee. Boys and girls in the sixth and lower grades may compete in a "Junior Division" contest. Each county may select a champion in this division. The elementary winners will not take part in the regional bee unless they, by chance, have won both divisions in their respective counties.

All junior and senior county champions will be special guests of the Amarillo Globe-News at a luncheon preceding the Regional Bee.

THE SPONSORS will present each county winner in each division with a special award. All participants, beginning with classroom entries, will be eligible to receive certificates suitable for framing. These are made available by the Amarillo newspaper.

Director of Placement at West Texas State University, Gene Parker, is the Bee coordinator. Mrs. Jeane Bartlett is the Amarillo Globe-News Spelling Bee Editor.

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The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at Dimmitt, Texas, this 8th day of October, 1976.

-s- ZONELL MAPLES
Clerk, 64th District Court
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By Joy Jones, Deputy
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Moke earns TSTA honors

Donald L. Moke was recently named to the President's Honor Roll at the Texas State Technical Institute, according to

Lovell A. Pillow, general manager of the Amarillo campus. Membership to the President's Honor Roll is attained by maintaining a 4.0 grade average.

Moke, who is majoring in boot and shoe operations, resides at 507 SW Fifth St., Dimmitt. He owns and operates the Running M Boot and Shoe Service.

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On Wall Street

By Bob Hill

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The French are almost completely dependent on imported oil and natural gas. The oil embargo and subsequent hike in oil prices was enough of a jolt to get the bureaucratic wheels rolling and now the

French are really getting with the program of energy self-sufficiency.

HIGH ON a hill in the French Pyrenees mountains are 31,500 square feet of mirrors positioned so that the sun's rays will be reflected into a massive parabolic reflector. The reflector will then concentrate the rays on a container filled with a heat-carrying fluid which will circulate through a heat exchanger that boils water.

The resulting steam will power a turbine which will produce 70 to 100 ks of electricity. This simple chain of events will be the first time that sun power is fed directly into a utility grid.

The French experiments are designed to do a lot more than just learn about solar energy. A big reason for the experiment with the solar-power plant is just learning how to operate one and to perfect the techniques of using the sun for power.

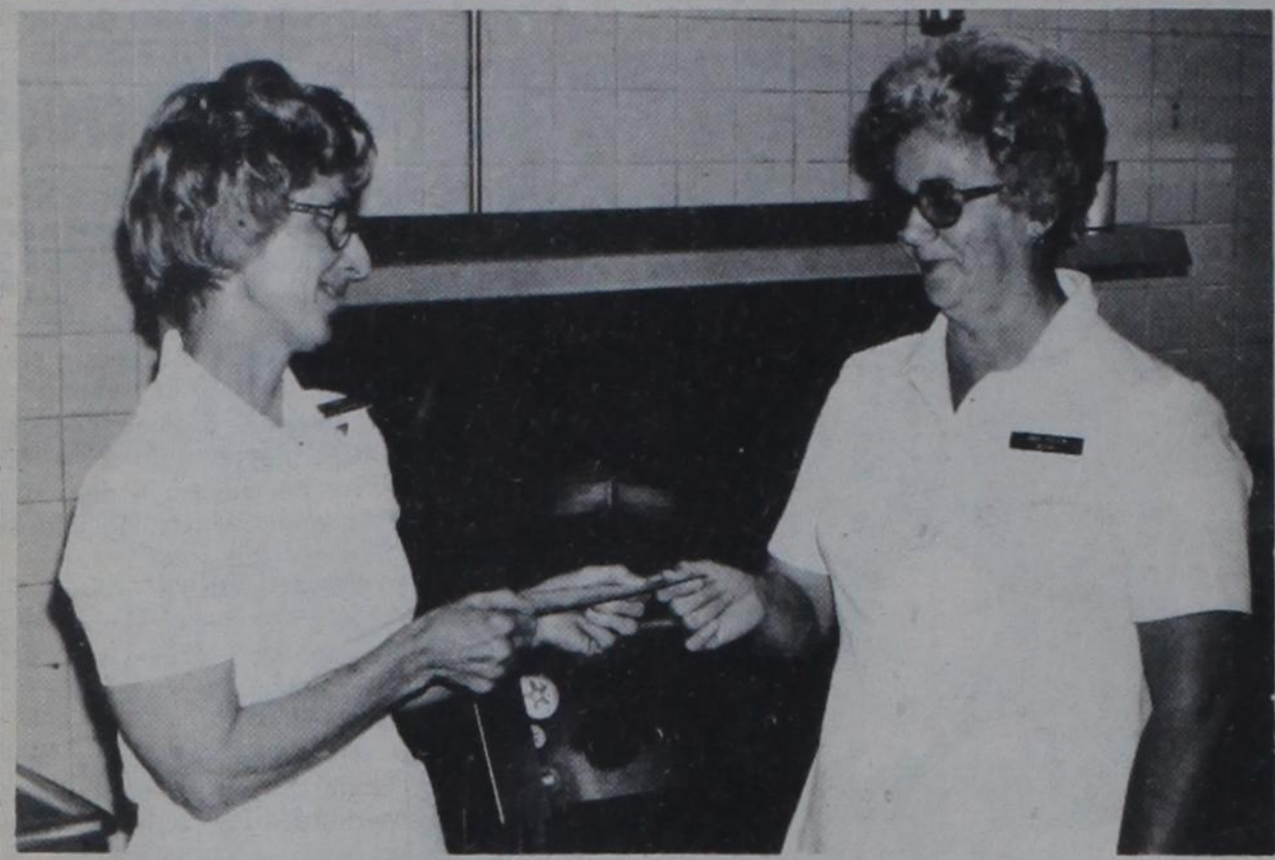
THE FRENCH government is also sponsoring research efforts to heat both air and water in homes by using flat solar collectors. Solar devices are also being tested for use in commercial and office buildings. Government projections call for 200,000 French homes and offices to be heated with solar power within three years. Other research is directed at solar generators for use in the remote areas of France which now use costly diesel generators.

The experimental solar furnace in the Pyrenees, costing \$1 million, is only the first of several solar electric generators planned. But, the next stage of the solar project is already underway with a \$30 million solar-power plant under construction starting in 1979 with electricity being generated from it by 1981.

The ironic twist to the French project is that the new solar business expected by French firms participating in the solar project is coming from the Middle East oil suppliers to France, countries which realize that their oil isn't going to last forever.

OUR PUBLIC selves become so estranged from our real selves that the net consequence is self-alienation; we no longer know our real selves. —Jourard

MAN has only one real interest and that is the full development of his potentialities, of himself as a human being. —Erich Fromm



JANIE DODSON (right), dietary cook who has been chosen as Plains Memorial Hospital's first "Employee of the Month," receives a \$25 saving bond from Fay Varner, dietary supervisor. Under the new program, the

hospital will honor a different employee each month. Winners are nominated by department heads and elected by all fellow hospital employees.

Hospital honors employee

Plains Memorial Hospital has started an "Employee of the Month" program, and Janie Dodson is the first winner.

HOSPITAL employees themselves elect each month's winner after the department heads post a list of three nominees. Criteria for nominating and electing the Employee of the Month are quantity and quality of work, ethics and personal attitude, work attitude, initiative, knowledge of work, appearance, willingness, communication on duty, and cooperation with fellow employees of all departments.

Each month's winner receives a \$25 saving bond from the hospital.

"It was definitely an honor to be chosen as the first Employee of the Month, and I thank everybody for electing me," said Mrs. Dodson, who is a dietary cook in the hospital kitchen.

"I ENJOY doing the work and being associated with the hospital," she added. "I try to go out of my way to please the patients when they need it—it

helps them get well."

Mrs. Dodson has been with Plains Memorial Hospital 30 months as a dietary cook. She also worked at the hospital 1 1/2 years in 1967-68.

Born at Antelope, she lived there all her life until she and her family moved to Dimmitt 10 years ago. Her husband, H. T., is the maintenance director for

the Dimmitt Independent School District. They have three sons—Jimmy of Iowa Park, Jerry of Lubbock and Michael of Hereford—and five grandchildren.

FAY VARNER, the hospital's dietary supervisor, presented Mrs. Dodson with her \$25 saving bond.

Legal secretaries week is observed

National Legal Secretaries Week is being observed by the Deaf Smith-Castro Counties Legal Secretaries Association.

HIGHLIGHT of the week's activities will be the annual Day-in-Court program scheduled for Saturday at the County Courthouse in Hereford. The chapter's Secretary of the Year will be announced during the program.

All interested persons are cordially invited to participate

in this special event, which is being held to give law office employees an opportunity to study court procedures firsthand.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. for a full day's program and seminar. Speakers will include Earnest L. Langley, Hereford attorney; Sam Morgan, Deaf Smith County judge; Virginia Dickson, Deaf Smith County justice court clerk, and Robert Buntyn, Castro County attorney. There is no charge for

the seminar. At noon will be a Dutch-treat luncheon.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT
THE FIRST STATE BANK OF DIMMITT
DIMMITT, TEXAS
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1976

RESOURCES	
Cash and Due from Banks	\$3,133,874.21
U. S. Treasury Securities	2,605,324.56
Obligations of States and Political Subdivisions	1,347,841.28
Other Securities	10,000.00
Loans and Discounts	24,807,757.48
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	183,066.74
Other Assets	929,275.35
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$33,017,139.62
LIABILITIES	
Deposits	\$26,427,179.27
Federal Funds Purchased	3,000,000.00
Other Liabilities	411,422.35
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$29,838,601.62
CAPITAL	
Capital Stock	\$1,020,000.00
Certified Surplus	1,250,000.00
Undivided Profits	547,015.78
Reserves	361,522.22
TOTAL CAPITAL	\$3,178,538.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL	\$33,017,139.62

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Consolidated Report of Condition of "The First State Bank of Dimmitt, Dimmitt, Texas"

of Dimmitt in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on September 30, 1976

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS			Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
1. Cash and due from banks	C	7					3	134	1	
2. U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E				2	605	2	
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E				-	0	3	
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E				1	348	4	
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				10	5	5	
6. Corporate stock							25	6	6	
7. Trading account securities							-	0	7	
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4					-	0	8	
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10				24	808		9a	
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						362			b	
c. Loans, Net							24	446	c	
10. Direct lease financing							-	0	10	
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises							183	11	11	
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises							133	12	12	
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							-	0	13	
14. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							-	0	14	
15. Other assets	G	7					772	15	15	
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							32	656	16	

LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A		12	031	17
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C		12	513	18
19. Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C		354	19	19
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C		1	424	20
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C		-	0	21
22. Deposits of commercial banks	F	5-6	A+B+C		-	0	22
23. Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A		106	23	23
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)					26	428	24
a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A		12	894	a
b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C		13	534	b
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4			3	000	25
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money					-	0	26
27. Mortgage indebtedness					-	0	27
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding					-	0	28
29. Other liabilities	H	9			411	29	29
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)					29	839	30
31. Subordinated notes and debentures					-	0	31

EQUITY CAPITAL		Par value	
32. Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding	-0-		-0-
33. Common stock a. No. shares authorized	102,000		1 020
b. No. shares outstanding	102,000		1 250
34. Surplus			547
35. Undivided profits			-0-
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves			2 817
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)			32 656
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)			32 656

MEMORANDA			
1. Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:		3	720
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)		-	0
b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)		24	460
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)		3	803
d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)		27	151
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)		2	283
f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)		-	0
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)		-	0
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding			
3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more:		3	408
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more			
b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		394	

I, James R. Horton, Executive Vice President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: *James R. Horton* Directors.

State of Texas County of Castro
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1976.

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
My commission expires June 1, 1977. *Patte Cartwright* Notary Public.

Sunnyside

Melvin Lewis out of hospital

By TEENY BOWDEN

A heavy frost and freeze were received early Friday morning for the first of the season. The temperature was 26, and ice remained in a can on the ground in the sun until 11 a.m.

Melvin Lewis was dismissed from Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Friday. He is doing satisfactorily, but will be confined to a wheel chair for a while.

Mrs. Thomas Parson, Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mrs. Gale Sadler, Mrs. Martin Lefevere and Mrs. Carl Dean Carson attended the Llanos Altos Associational annual WMU meeting in Dimmitt First Church Thursday.

Ray Joe Riley visited with George Mahon at the courthouse in Dimmitt Thursday noon. Those present made plans to support the campaign of Mr. Mahon, since his opponent is a wealthy man whose oil interests make his campaign free of financial worries.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden and Mrs. Edd Thompson made a foliage tour in the mountains of northern New Mexico Tuesday and Wednesday. The prettiest drive was up to the Taos Ski Valley. They spent Tuesday night in Taos and toured two of the many art galleries there.

Mrs. Gerald Graham and Michael helped with the judging at the Bailey County 4-H Fair at Muleshoe recently.

CINDY SADLER flew in from Baylor University Friday morning for the weekend. Daniel Montiel flew in on the same plane from Fort Hood for a few days leave.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler worked with auxiliary duties at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited with Mrs. Noble Armstrong in Plains Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon.

Baptist Men had their monthly prayer breakfast at the church Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes of Lubbock visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler. He stayed with them while Mrs. Fowlkes went to Colorado with her sisters to visit with their brother.

MRS. MARTIN Lefevere, with the help of Mrs. Lonnie Wilson, Mrs. Lee Bradley and Mrs. David Sadler, taught the first part of the BYW manual to the Baptist Young Women Monday. They had a sack lunch at the church.

Baptist Women met for the missionary program at the church Tuesday morning with Mrs. Roy Phelan, study chairman, in charge.

Mrs. Gerald Graham helped with the free blood pressure clinic at the Exposition Building in Littlefield recently. It was sponsored by the Littlefield Living Committee.

BYW met at the church Tuesday afternoon for their regular bi-monthly meeting. Mrs. R. J. Lefevere was their guest speaker. They would like to enlist all young women in the community.

Mission Friends met after school Tuesday afternoon for their regular weekly meeting.

GLEN WILSON underwent surgery on his right hand in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Sunday after getting it caught in an auger. Tendons in two fingers had to be repaired as well as other damage. He was repairing the auger when an employee started the engine not aware he was working on it.

Mrs. and Mrs. R. V. Bills spent last Thursday in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo with Jim Dalton and his family while he underwent major surgery.

Mrs. Gale Sadler has her right arm in a sling because of a pulled muscle in her shoulder received recently on their trip to Missouri. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley went with them to Missouri. Kent, Kelby and Kyle stayed with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley.

Lynn Brown spent the weekend in Lubbock with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown. Lee left Friday morning with a Tech BSU group at

tending a BSU convention in Houston over the weekend. Eulless Waggoner came home from Arkansas Tuesday evening to spend the winter with his family.

MR. AND MRS. R. V. Bills attended the Blondell reunion at Quitman last Sunday. They spent Monday and Tuesday in Arkansas with her brother and visited other relatives at Klondike Tuesday and Wednesday and came home Thursday.

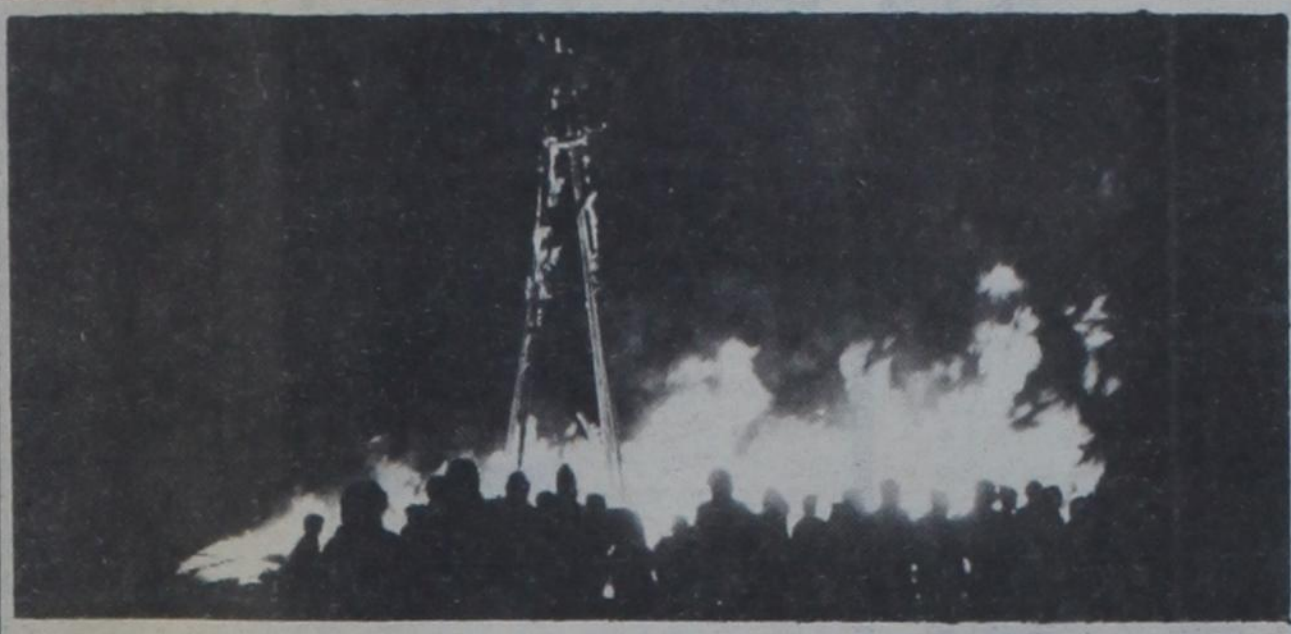
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown visited in Cayanosa near Pecos Saturday and Sunday with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Alred, David and Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Daneen and the other Singing Disciples sang at the National Guard Armory in Hobbs Saturday night in a musical program and Sunday morning in the Castle Avenue Baptist Church in Hobbs Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ty Jones and

Stephanie of Hereford visited in the Sunday morning services and had dinner with Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, and visited Sunday afternoon with them and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lefevere.

COMMUNITY meeting will be Monday night at 8. Bring your favorite game and a few cookies if convenient. Plans will also be made for a community Halloween party for the kids. Everyone come.



SILHOUETTES AGAINST THE HOMECOMING BONFIRE ... At last Thursday night's outdoor pep rally

Christmas toy drive set Sunday

A toy drive will be held Sunday afternoon by the United Methodist Youth of Dimmitt to collect repairable used toys for distribution to needy children at Christmas.

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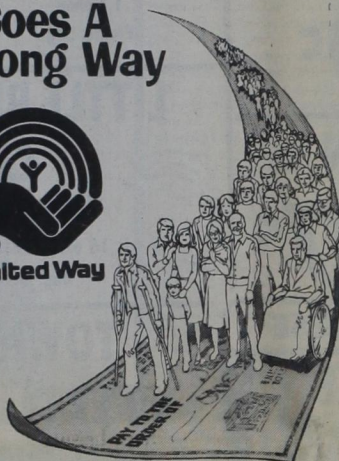
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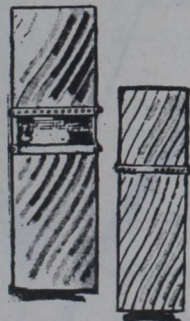
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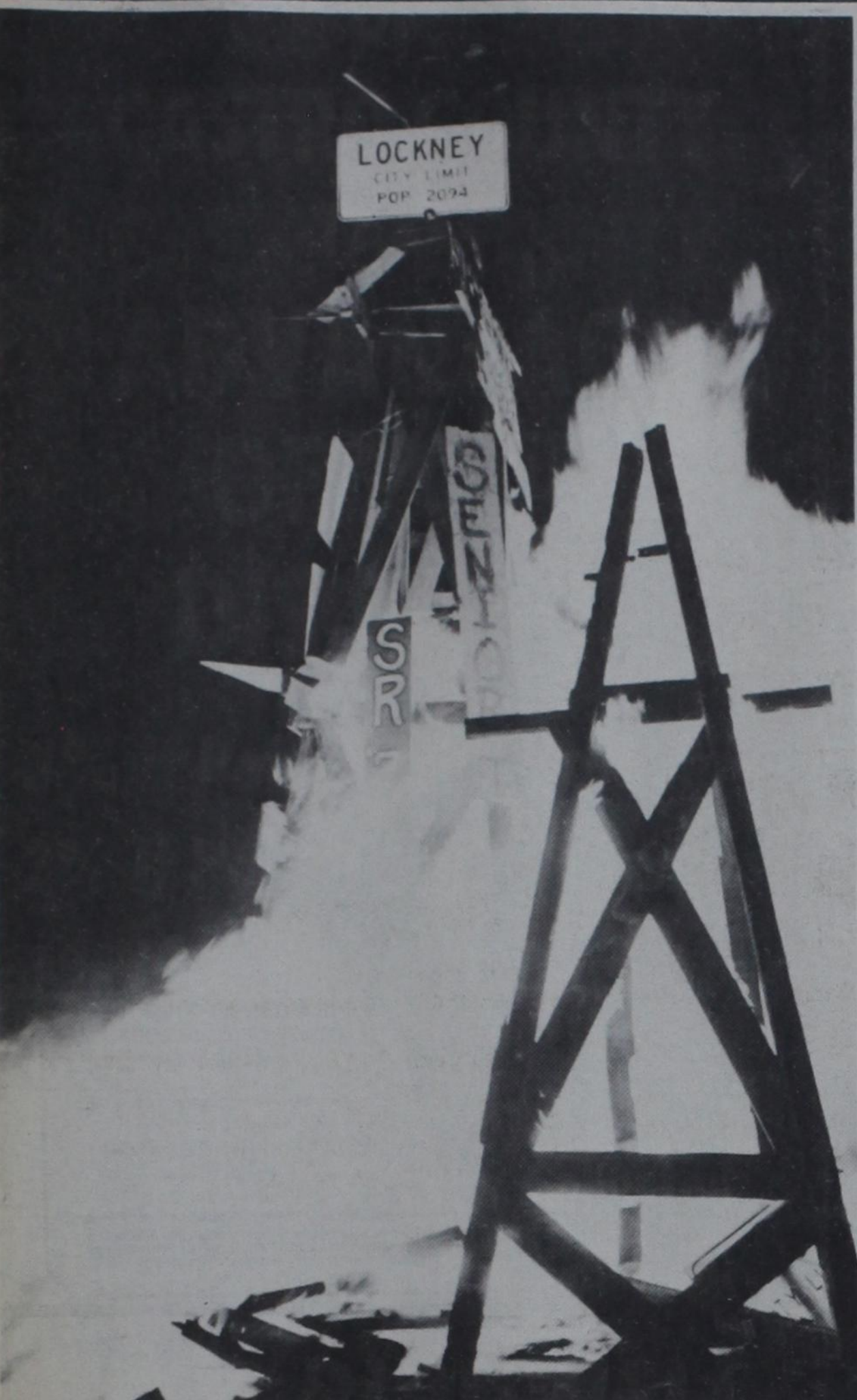
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D.H.S. SPIRIT WEEK BONFIRE BURNS HOT AND BRIGHT
... As built-in firecrackers enliven pep rally Thursday night

SBA course set Tuesday on sales, conservation

A program to assist business and home owners in two areas—Energy Management and Increasing Hometown Sales—will be presented from 7 to 10 p.m. Tuesday in the City Hall auditorium, co-sponsored by the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce and the US Small Business Administration.

ONE SECTION of the program is designed to show how the cost of utilities may be controlled in the home or store. In addition, a major part of the program will deal with methods of increasing sales in small towns.

All Castro County residents are invited to hear these discussions, according to Elvon DeVaney, Chamber of Commerce manager.

Titled "Energizing!", the

first part of the program will include the subtopics, "Save on Effective Lighting," "Hot or Cold—That Is the Question," "Tips on Managing Utilities," "The 'R' in Insulation," "EER?" and "An Energy Program."

The second subject is "Merchandising!" A film, "You and Your Customer," will be shown, and discussion topics will include "What Draws Customers?" "Can Small Stores Compete?" "Turn Shoppers Into Buyers," "Emphasize Customership" and "Effective Advertising."

CLOSING the program will be a section on "Creditizing?" To be discussed are "Disclosure Requirements," "Interest Limitations" and "Assistance."

Coach says Mustangs are 'good, aggressive'

The Dimmitt Bobcats' District 3-AA opener Friday night at Olton will be against a "good aggressive ball club that hits real hard," Coach Bruce Bush told the Boosters Club at its meeting Tuesday.

GAME TIME Friday night at Olton will be 7:30 instead of 8. Bush said halfback Tommy Kenworthy and end Reggie Washington should be back in the lineup this week after missing the Lockney game Friday. Both were injured in the contest with Tulia the previous week.

THE LOCKNEY game was "the best defensive ball game the Bobcats have played all year long," Bush said. He added that the team needs to improve on its execution before the District 3-AA opener.

Eddy Chavers, Ricky Hunter, Thompson Mayberry, Tony Washington and Joe Aleman were recognized by the coach as Dimmitt's top offensive players against Lockney.

On defense, Bush had praise for Larry Bossett, Gary Nutt,

Scott Armstrong, Aleman, Mayberry and Washington.

DURING THE Boosters' business session, members voted to have a booth at the Halloween Carnival Oct. 30 and to hold a "giant garage sale" Nov. 5 and 6 in the old Dimmitt Motor Co. building.

John Brooks was announced as the winner of the week's football contest, with Patsy Roberts second.

Torres gets 10-year term

Ficencio Torres, 24, of Hereford was found guilty Tuesday of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, and was assessed the maximum 10-year prison sentence.

HE WAS charged with shooting Larry Burks the night of Oct. 3, 1975, on the Burks farm in Arney, where he had stopped to get gas.

The trial in 64th District Court here lasted only one day, with the prosecution calling three witnesses and the defense two.

The jury of eight women and four men deliberated only 20 minutes before returning its guilty verdict.

TORRES elected to have his punishment set by the jury rather than by Judge John T. Boyd, and took the stand himself for the first time during the sentencing phase of the trial. While on the stand he admitted he had been sniffing paint before the Arney incident, and said he was disoriented when the shooting occurred.

The jury was out 40 minutes in discussing its options on penalty, then assessed the maximum 10-year prison sentence. The one-day trial ended at 6:30 p.m.

PROSECUTING attorneys were District Attorney Marvin Marshall of Plainview and County Attorney Robert Buntyn. Defense attorneys were Rex Easterwood and Roland Saul, both of Hereford.

More about Elevators ...

[Continued from Page 1] corn at one and maize at another to cope with the rush. Farmers Grain at Hart is handling only corn and expects the harvest to continue about two more weeks. Milo, with the harvest just starting, goes to the elevator at Sunnyside.

The same plan is being used by Flagg Grain Co., J. R. Brown said, adding, "We've been getting corn too fast for the dryers, and that's been our hangup here at Flagg." Corn is being handled there and maize at the Dodd Elevator. About 65 percent of the corn has been cut, Brown estimates.

AT EASTER Grain Co., Gehe King expects to have enough space for the corn and also for milo, which began coming in this week.

Star Grain at Nazareth has been forced to put some corn on the ground, but picked it up immediately and shipped it out. Maize is being received there at a good clip, about half a million pounds a day this week.

Midwest Grain at Hart experienced a delay in the operation of its dryers, and has been taking mostly corn that is already dried. But with the dryers now operating at capacity, they will be able to handle more. Only a few loads of milo have been received there.

MAIZE is rolling in to Prairie Grain at Hart, Joe Lange reports, with good quality but a short crop because acreage has been cut to grow more corn. This firm does not handle corn.

Week's football schedule

DIMMITT Today [Thursday] 5—Freshmen vs. Lockney, here 6—JV vs. Olton, here Friday 7:30—Bobcats at Olton Wednesday 5—7th and 8th B vs. Nazareth, here

HART Today [Thursday] 5—7th vs. Kress, here 6—8th vs. Kress, here 7:30—JV vs. Kress, here Friday 7:30—Longhorns at Kress

NAZARETH Today [Thursday] 4—7th and 8th vs. Sudan, here

Friday 8—Swifts at Sudan

Next Thursday 6:30—7th, 8th and B Teams vs. Silverton, here.

[Editor's Note: A schedule conflict involving next week's 7th and 8th grade games at Dimmitt and Nazareth had not been resolved by presstime. Dimmitt's schedule calls for Wednesday games at Nazareth. But Nazareth's schedule lists 7th and 8th grade games against Silverton next Thursday and against Dimmitt the following week. Check with the school office or coaches.]

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More about

Dimmitt ...

[Continued from Page 1] natural resources while over-producing crops that eventually find their way to the garbage heaps.

If as many people would get interested in the presidential election as there are in the pennant races and the world series, there would be a good turnout at the polls on Nov. 2.

We hear too much about the presidential candidates' concern over ethnic votes. After all when immigrants come to this country they are supposed to become American citizens and share and share alike with the rest of the natives. Their special interests should have been left wherever they were trying to escape from. President Ford had representatives from so-called ethnic groups, representing many of the countries of the world, for a meeting in the White House one day this week. Naturally they were hand-picked republicans making a pitch for the support of people of supposed ethnic groups. It reminds us of the old saying "grabbing at a straw."

Dr. Criswell, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Dallas, should have consulted Dr. Billy Graham before getting too deeply involved in national politics. Evangelist Graham was a strong supporter of Richard Nixon in the last presidential election, but this time he is not supporting Nixon's appointee. After blasting Carter and endorsing Ford he later admitted that he couldn't support the democratic party. After all the Playboy magazine interview didn't have anything to do with his decision to be a republican.

Middle School wants boxtops

Dimmitt Middle School is collecting Post brand cereal boxtops to buy new physical education equipment.

"THE POST Company has a special program to make physical fitness equipment available to schools for boxtops," Principal Emmett Broderson explained. "Due to our need for physical education equipment, we would certainly appreciate any Post boxtops anyone could donate."

Boxtops may be given to any Dimmitt Middle School student (fourth through eighth grades), to any teacher or coach in the school, or to secretaries in the school office.

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BOBCAT BAND PRODUCES WALL-SHAKING SOUND
... During big Homecoming Pep Rally in DHS Gym Friday

Here's Hart's school menu

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Hart schools for Oct. 18-22.
MONDAY — Steak, dinner rolls, buttered corn, June peas, apricots, milk, butter.
TUESDAY — Burritos, tossed salad, new potatoes, peanut butter cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Barbecued wieners, yeast rolls, pinto beans, buttered spinach, rice pudding, milk, butter.
THURSDAY — Cheeseburgers on homemade buns, baked beans, peaches, milk.
FRIDAY — Fried fish, tartar sauce, coleslaw, blackeyed peas, cinnamon streusel, milk, butter.

Kenmore hosts Arizona IASA

Hoyt Kenmore, state supervisor of Industrial Arts Education in Arizona and son of Mrs. Fay Kenmore of Dimmitt, was host recently at his home in Tempe, Ariz., to the state board and advisors of the American Industrial Arts Students Association.
 Kenmore and his son, Neal, a senior in Tempe High School and state treasurer of the association, are currently involved in setting up an Industrial Arts Club, the first for Tempe High.

Key Club gains 11 new members

New members of the Dimmitt High School Key Club were lunch guests Monday of the Kiwanis Club, which sponsors the boys' service organization in DHS. Rodney Craig, Key Club President, introduced 11 members added at the start of this school term.

THE KIWANIS meeting this week began a new year, with officers installed at a banquet earlier in the month. Joe Nelson is the 1976-77 president.

The program was presented by DHS and Dimmitt Middle School choir members, a sampling of the Columbus Day concert they sang Tuesday night. Directed by Doug Henry, the high school group sang first and then the younger students, mixing folk and pop tunes and spirituals.

Together, the combined choirs finished the program with "Fifty Nifty United States." Elmer Berryhill introduced the visitors.

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What's cooking at the schools

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt schools for Oct. 18-22.

MONDAY — Pork fritters and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY — Green enchilada casserole, tossed salad, ranch style beans, gelatin, batterbread, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Beef stew, cornbread, crackers, pear half with cheese, cinnamon rolls, milk.

THURSDAY — Barbecue on bun, blackeyed peas, French fries, prune cake, milk.

FRIDAY — Corn dogs, corn, cabbage salad, pudding milk.



SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By LINDA RICHARDSON

Dimmitt Promenaders Square Dance Club placed third in ticket sales for the annual Arthritis Foundation Hoedown sponsored by the Panhandle Square Dance Association at Amarillo Saturday night.

THE HOEDOWN raised \$6,354.80 for the Arthritis Foundation, as square dancers from over the Panhandle joined in the "Dance so others may walk." The Dimmitt club's ticket sales were third in number.

Daneen Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson of Dimmitt, won the second prize, a watch valued at \$100.

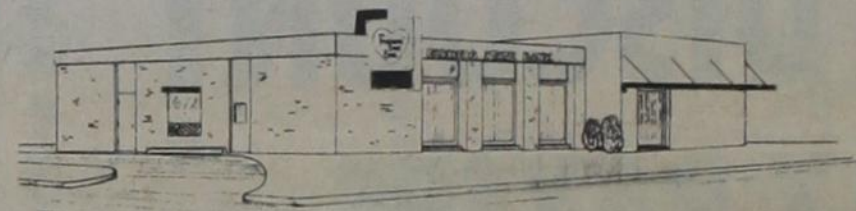
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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION

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HART, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1976



FRIENDLY COURTEOUS SERVICE

ASSETS

Cash and Due From Banks	\$1,390,291.17
Loans and Discounts	5,218,268.60
Funds Sold	700,000.00
Bonds and Securities	1,458,489.91
Banking House	65,941.63
Furniture and Fixtures	105,913.89
Expansion Program	151,316.94
Other Assets	288,378.21
TOTAL ASSETS	\$9,378,600.35

LIABILITIES

Deposits	\$8,346,107.95
Capital	300,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profit and Reserves	397,574.79
Other Liabilities	34,917.61
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$9,378,600.35

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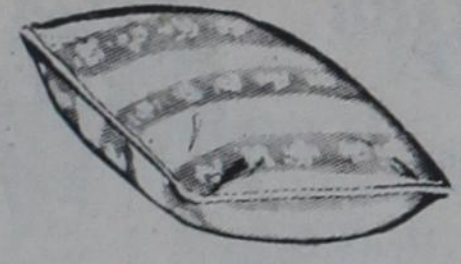
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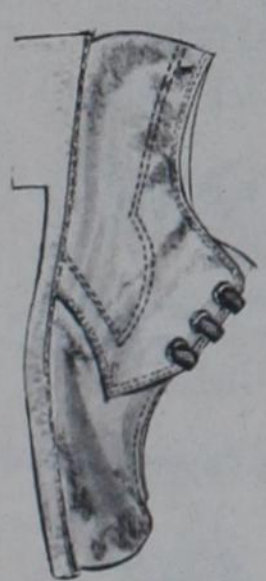
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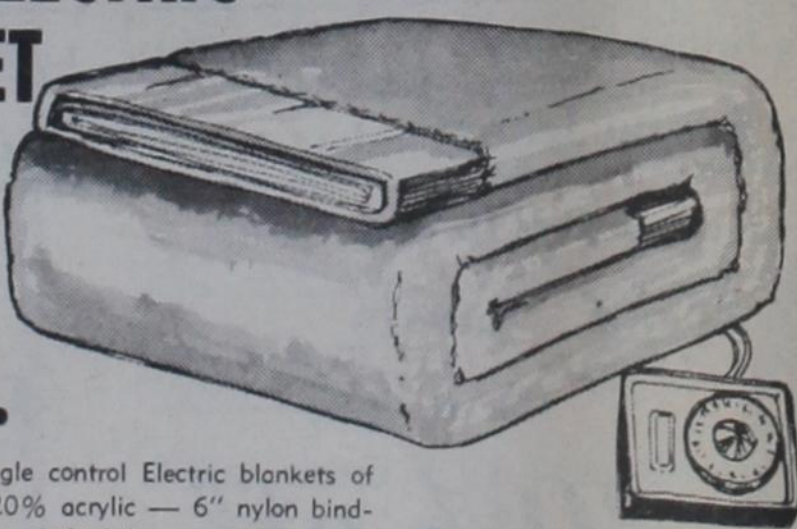


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Couple to observe 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks of Hart will be honored Sunday with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Calling hours are from 2 to 4 p.m.

HOSTING the reception in Fellowship Hall of the Hart First United Methodist Church will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brooks of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong of Farwell.

Matsler were married Oct. 17, 1926, at Tulia. They are natives of Plainview and have lived in Hart since 1941. Brooks is a retired farmer and Mrs. Brooks is postmaster at Hart.

They had three children, including Ernest Lee Brooks, deceased. Their family includes 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

No local invitations are being sent for the anniversary reception; all friends of the couple are invited.



Rhonda Welch

Miss Welch is engaged

Mr. and Mrs. James Welch of Dimmitt announce the engagement of their daughter, Rhonda Lynn, to John Warren Neighbour, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Neighbour of Chariton, Iowa.

THE COUPLE will be married Dec. 29 in a ceremony at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Olton.

Both are seniors in Graceland College at Lamoni, Iowa, where they will make their home until their graduation next May. Miss Welch is an art major and Neighbour majors in physical education and health.

Officers for month named in GS troop

Officers who will serve Girl Scout Troop 171 during October began their duties last week. Tricia Touchstone is president, Barbara Lewis Secretary and Angie Kitchens treasurer.

THIS TROOP of fourth grade girls meets each Tuesday after school. Eight members are enrolled and more may be added. Dottie Lewis and Ann Touchstone are the leaders.

New officers will be elected to serve each month.

SHEEP and lamb prices have been like a see-saw in recent months, up and down and now moving up again.

Small Talk

By SUE COLEMAN

Since the sun shone out warmly following our nippy night that rushed the season on freezes last week, leaves are turning so that even the ordinary Chinese elms have an autumnal look and this may turn out to be a very colorful fall.

THERE'S some sort of a horticultural reason for the extra color in leaves after an early frost, but my knowledge of that science is pretty weak and I'm not sure what it is. Something about frost coming while the sap is still up in the leaves.

Anyway, while we deplore the damage the freeze did to so many growing things, we can enjoy the bright leaves while they last. Unless, that is, we have the job of keeping them raked off the lawn.

ANOTHER new acquaintance is Mrs. S. R. Hutto, who came into the News office to have the paper sent to Keith and Karen. They are going to a junior college in East Texas, at Brenham I believe, although I always manage to get that city mixed with Bonham for no good reason.

Mrs. Hutto is the mother of Dr. Aaron Hutto, I learned, whom I met when he began operating a veterinary clinic at Hereford and who has become my dogs' favorite doctor.

MYRT Loman was in the office the other day from down Hart way, and said she didn't really want to come to Dimmitt that day but had to, because she needed a certain pet food for her spoiled cat.

She said it sort of apologetically, but she was talking to two people who own spoiled dogs, so we fully understood her situation.

THE AVERAGE zinc content of a mixed diet consumed by the American adult is between 10-13 milligrams. Metabolic studies have shown that in healthy adults, intake of 8-10 milligrams is sufficient to achieve zinc equilibrium.



KATHY JO GOSS To wed Duane Maurer

Oct. 30 vows set

The forthcoming marriage of Kathy Jo Goss of Tulia and Duane Clement Maurer of Nazareth is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Goss of Tulia.

AN OCT. 30 wedding is planned, in the First United Methodist Church at Tulia. The couple will reside in Nazareth.

The bride-elect is a senior in Tulia High School. Maurer, an employee of the Amstar plant in Dimmitt, graduated from Nazareth High School in 1974.

Happy anniversary!

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

OCT. 15 — Curtis and Neva Beavers, Ray and Martha Schulte.

OCT. 17 — Tommy and Paula Portwood.

OCT. 18 — Frank and Josie Sharp.

OCT. 19 — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schilling.

OCT. 20 — Bobby and Wanda Murdock, Alvin and Frances Frazier.

PMH Auxiliary attends meet

Members of the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary acted as co-hostesses at a get-acquainted coffee in Plainview recently for the meeting of hospital auxiliaries from over District I, Area II.

local auxiliary were Mrs. E. R. Sadler, Mrs. L. B. Bowden, Waldean Webb and Mary Emma Matthews.

Theme of the one-day conference was "Soar Upward, Champion for Compassionate

Concern."

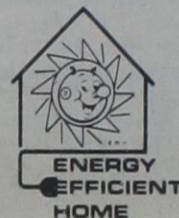
Among those attending were the current state president, Mrs. John Cutler of Houston and the president-elect, Mrs. Marvin Vickery of Texarkana. The second vice-president of the state auxiliary, Mrs. J. O. Bass Jr., is a member of the hostess auxiliary at Plainview.

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LEGAL NOTICES

OFFICIAL BULLETIN

The Citizens of Dimmitt owning pets are becoming negligent in their responsibility in complying with City Ordinance, which prohibits pets from running loose within the City. Numerous complaints are being received at City Hall concerning the excessive number of dogs running loose throughout the City.

The Police Department has been directed to conduct a drive in coping with the loose dog problem. If you own a pet, make sure you are in compliance with the City Ordinance; it will save all of us a lot of grief and money.

The following extracts are from Section five of the City of Dimmitt's Code of Ordinances. It is for your information and compliance.

Sec. 5-48. Collar or harness required for dogs.

It shall be unlawful for any person to maintain or keep a dog more than six (6) months of age on any premises within the corporate limits of the city, unless the dog wears a collar or harness securely attached to its body to which should be securely attached a tag issued for the dog by a licensed veterinarian, licensed to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Texas, showing that the dog has been, within the current year, vaccinated against rabies as required by this article and also securely attached to such collar or harness a license tag showing the dog has been licensed by the tax collector. (Ord. No. 277, § 6, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-49. Dogs running at large prohibited—On public property.

It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to permit or allow such dog to run or be at large upon any public highway, street, alley, court, square, park, sidewalk or other public land or public property within the corporate limits of the city. (Ord. No. 277, § 1, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-50. Same—On private property.

It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to permit or allow such dog to be at large upon any unfenced lot, tract, or parcel of land within the corporate limits of the city. (Ord. No. 277, § 2, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-52. Procedure with respect to vicious or dangerous dogs or cats.

If any dog or cat within the city shall bite, scratch, or otherwise attack any person, and

the person so attacked was not at the time trespassing on the property of the owner or person having control of such dog or cat, or if cannot be proved beyond a reasonable doubt that the person so attacked was provoking or teasing such dog or cat, the municipal court of the City of Dimmitt shall have the authority to order and hold a hearing and, if such court shall determine at such hearing that such dog or cat is vicious or dangerous to persons or other animals, the court may order that such dog or cat be kept within a sufficient enclosure, or that such dog or cat be delivered to the animal warden to be destroyed. (Ord. No. 277, § 4, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-53. Exemptions from article.

(a) Hospitals, clinics and other premises operated by a licensed veterinarian for the care or treatment of animals are exempt from the provisions of the preceding article, except for such duties as are expressly stated.

(b) The licensing requirements of this article shall not apply to any dog belonging to a nonresident of this city and kept within the city for no longer than thirty (30) days, provided all such dogs shall at all times while in the city, be kept within a building, enclosure or fence or by restraint by the owner. (Ord. No. 277, § 9, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-54. Penalty for violation of article.

Whenever in this article an act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or wherever in such article the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful, where no specific penalty is provided therefor, the violation of any such provision of this article shall be punishable by a fine of not exceeding two hundred dollars (\$200.00); provided, however, that no penalty shall be greater or less than the penalty provided for the same or a similar offense under the laws of the state. Each day any violation of this article shall continue shall constitute a separate offense. (Ord. No. 277, § 38, 11-17-69)

DIVISION 2. IMPOUNDMENT OF DOGS

Sec. 5-60. Generally.

(a) It shall be the duty of the animal warden or any of his deputies or any city policeman on duty to seize or impound, subject to the provisions of this article, dogs found running at large in violation of this article, whether in the immediate presence of the owner or custodian or otherwise.

(b) Any dog found trespassing or running at large on any person's private property may be taken up by that person and delivered to the animal warden or his deputies, but no such person is authorized hereby to destroy such dog, said authority for the destruction of any dog being hereby specially reserved to the animal warden or any of his deputies or any police officer. (Ord. No. 277, § 15, 16, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-61. Right of entry to impound.

The animal warden, his deputies and city policemen, are authorized to enter upon any unfenced lot, tract or parcel of land for the purpose of chasing and impounding any dog running at large thereon. (Ord. No. 277, § 18, 11-17-69)

Sec. 5-62. Notice and delivery of dog to animal warden.

Every person, other than a police officer, the animal warden or his deputies, who takes up any dog under the provisions of this article shall immediately thereafter give notice thereof to the animal warden, and every such person or any person in whose custody the animal may in the meantime be placed, shall deliver such animal or dog to the animal warden, without fee or charge and the animal warden shall thereupon hold and dispose of such animal as though such animal had been found running at large and impounded by him. (Ord. No. 277, § 17, 11-17-69)

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Guests give club program after convention report

Mrs. Jack Ingram told the Bethel Home Demonstration Club about the Texas Home Demonstration Association's 50th anniversary convention at College Station last month. Naomi Scarbrough and Oneida Hutto went with her from Castro County.

SHE REPORTED 60 HDC members attending from this district and 175 from over the state. An outstanding speaker, she said, was Reagan Bryson, a special assistant to Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who discussed current problems of state government.

Mrs. Houston Lust presided for business. Mrs. James Welch read a humorous verse by Irma Bombeck, poking fun at the fad for house plants.

MRS. BILL Behrends, guest speaker, demonstrated the

method of drying flowers with silica gel to preserve shape and color. She brought pieces of driftwood to use in making arrangements of the dried flowers. Mrs. Kenneth Jackson contributed cattails, wheat and oat heads and seed pods she found in New Mexico.

Myrtle Sheffy showed the treatment of leaves with glycerine and water to give them a leather-like texture.

Nell Ingram is the club's new president for next year, Mearle Morgan vice-president, Darlene Stanton secretary-treasurer, Edith Graef HD Council representative.

Zelma Smith and Charlene Howell served cherry nut cream cake and coffee to 22 members and guests.

Irene's Ideas

Keep storage flexible

By IRENE KEATING

Last week the Town and Country Home Demonstration Club had a very nice tea for new members. Connie Wade's new home was so pretty and it was cold enough for us to enjoy her fireplace. If any of you are interested in club work, let me know.

SINCE storage is something we must all deal with, I'd like to share some ideas that might help you improve it. Remember to always keep storage flexible.

As families change, storage needs will change. The family with young children will have different storage needs than will families with teenagers.

Features with adjustable shelves, drawer dividers and clothes hanger extenders keep storage flexible. If storage space is a premium, consider discarding or selling outdated or unused items. Follow these simple steps for greater storage efficiency.

BEGIN by tackling one room at a time. It will probably be best to remove all items from closets or cabinets. This allows an evaluation of the purpose, usefulness and value of each item.

wash cloths stacked together will be ready for speedy replacements all at once. Also, place those things used often within easy view and reach. Seldom-used items should be stored in less accessible places.

Store items so they are easy to see. Larger, taller items should be placed on the back of

shelves and the smaller, shorter ones in the front.

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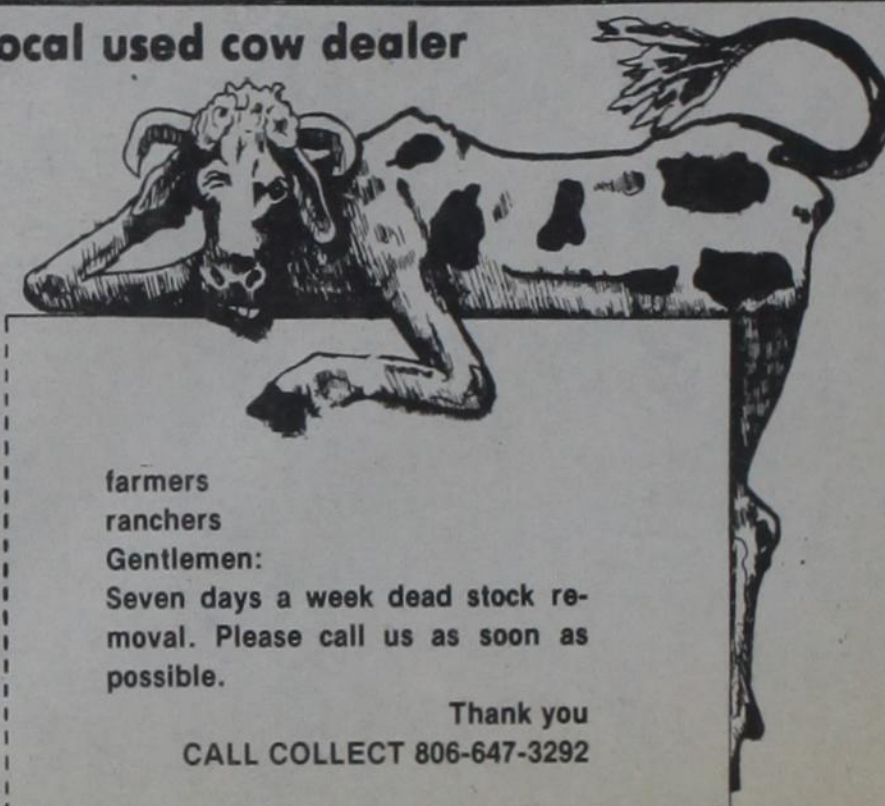
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Lions set dates for two events

At its October business meeting last week, the Dimmitt Lions Club set the dates for the annual Halloween Carnival (Oct. 30) and Pancake Supper (Nov. 5), and named chairmen for a Ladies' Night Banquet in December.

CHARLIE WHITE is chairman of the annual community Halloween Carnival, which will be held in the Panhandle Compress warehouse. Avery Thrasher and Chuck Braafladt are co-chairmen of the Lions Pancake Supper, which will be held in the Richardson Elementary School cafeteria before the Dimmitt-Friona football game.

Boss Lion Gary Hufhines appointed G. P. Dyer general chairman and J. R. Brown dinner chairman for the Ladies' Night event in December. Wives will assist in the food preparation and decorations for the holiday party.

Dr. W. J. Hill, membership chairman, urged each member to bring a prospective new member to this week's meeting, and said those who didn't would face a "stiff fine."

THE INTERCLUB Visitation Committee, headed by Robert Ryan, reported on a visit to the Tulia Lions Club meeting and said a delegation would meet with Friona's Evening Lions Club soon to publicize the Pancake Supper here.

SS representative slates visit here

A representative of the Social Security Administration office at Plainview will be in Dimmitt next Thursday, Oct. 21.

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COUNTY OF CASTRO
NO. 750

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1. Type of license or permit: Wine Only Package Store Permit.
2. Exact location of business: 600 N. Broadway, Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.
3. Name of owner or owners: Taylor & Sons Food Dimmitt Inc.
4. Assumed or trade name: Taylor & Sons Food Dimmitt Inc.
5. Corporation name: Taylor & Sons Food Dimmitt Inc.
6. Name and title of all officers of corporation: Jack Taylor, Pres.; Lindsey Taylor, Vice-Pres.; Wilford Taylor, Jr., Sec.; Wilford Taylor III, Vice-Pres.

Any person shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license or permit upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

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Bobcats capitalize on Lockney miscues in 21-6 win

By DON NELSON

The Bobcats' 21-6 Homecoming victory over Lockney Friday night was just what the doctor ordered. A shot of aggressiveness and a dose of good breaks, combined with a three-touchdown scoring punch against a highly touted defense, did wonders for the Bobcats' self-confidence.

IT WAS only the second loss of the season for the Longhorns, who are ranked as the team to beat in District 4-AA. Their only other loss was a four-point setback, 12-8, to state-ranked Post of 5-AA.

The big victory hiked the Bobcats' season mark to 3-2 going into the District 3-AA wars.

Playing before an overflow Homecoming crowd, Dimmitt struck for touchdowns in the first, second and third quarters, then hung on as the big, tough Longhorn herd fought back and gained the momentum in the second half.

BUT THE Longhorns were their own worst enemies. They fumbled the ball away four times, threw two interceptions and took 55 steps backward on five untimely penalties. One of the penalties kept Dimmitt's first scoring drive alive, one of the fumbles set up the Bobcats' second TD thrust, and the first interception led to Dimmitt's third touchdown. Bad pitchouts also frustrated the powerful Lockney offense throughout the game.

The Bobcats, meanwhile, committed only two turnovers—one fumble and one interception—while playing a well-disciplined game.

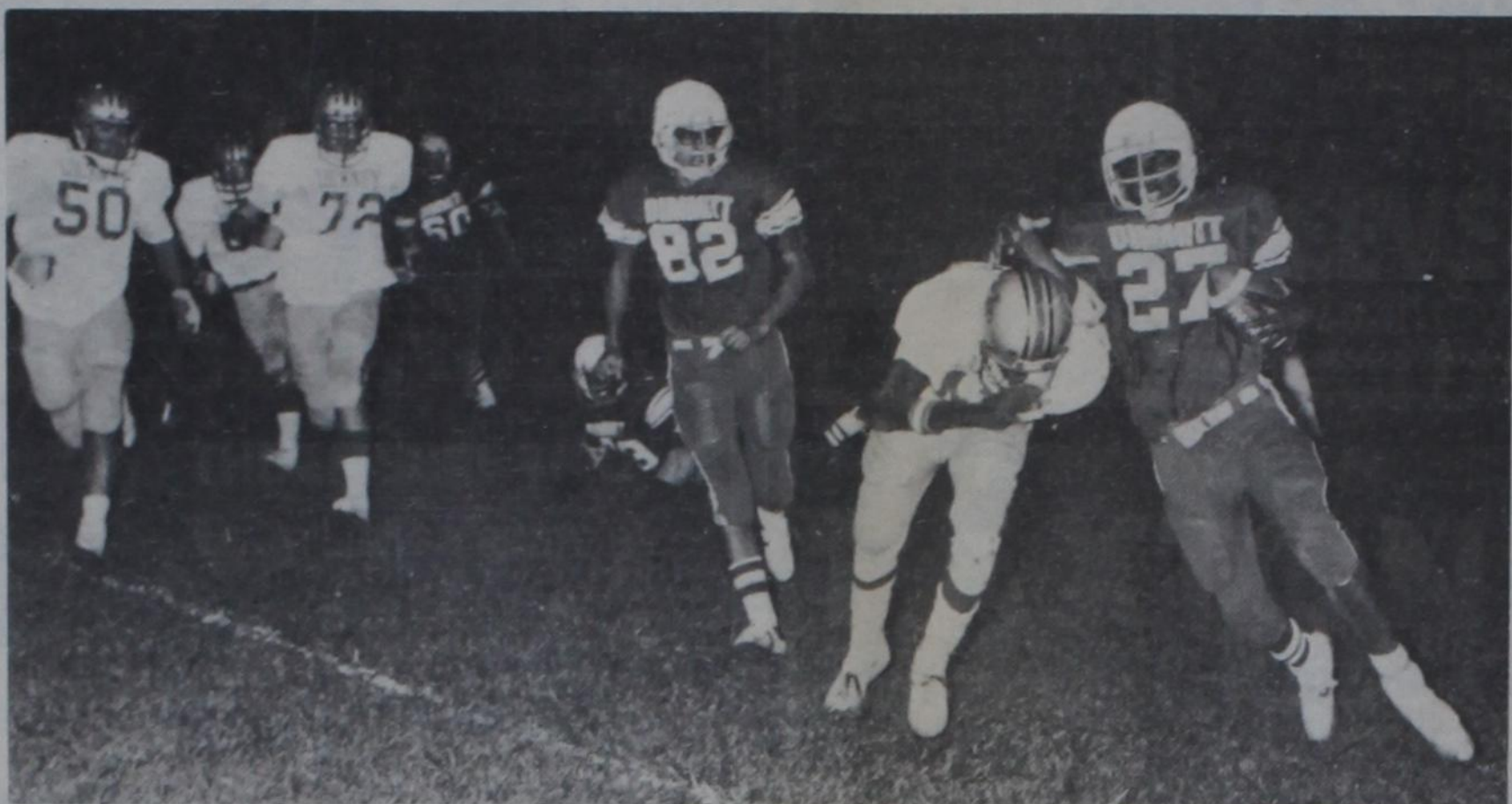
The first quarter looked like a prelude to Saturday's Texas-Oklahoma game—all defense. After Lockney's opening kickoff, the ball changed hands six times before either team could muster a first down.

COACH Bruce Bush's Bobcats got their first break when the Longhorns fumbled inside their own 20 on their first play from scrimmage. Dimmitt punter Brad DuLaney had just lofted a 42-yarder to the Longhorn 13 after the Bobcats' first three plays had netted only seven yards. But the Longhorns handed the ball back to the Cats at the 18.

The Bobcats returned the favor three plays later when quarterback Thompson Mayberry's pass was intercepted by a Lockney halfback at the 5-yard line and returned to the 10.

But the exchange put the Longhorns into a hole which Dimmitt's defense wouldn't let them out of during the entire first quarter.

AFTER THE interception, Lockney gained only six yards in three plays, then punted to the Dimmitt 45. DuLaney took it, cut to the right and raced 26 yards to the Lockney 29. Four plays against the big Longhorn



EDDY CHAVERS SHAKES OFF LOCKNEY TACKLER, GETS FIRST DOWN ... With Albert Florez (82) moving in for break-up block

defense, though, left the Bobcats stranded at the 28 as Lockney regained possession.

On the next three plays Lockney lost more yards than Dimmitt had gained to that point. A two-yard setback and two bobbled pitchouts left the Longhorns facing fourth and 25 at their own 9-yard line.

DuLaney took the Longhorns' punt at the Lockney 45 and returned it to the 35 before being tripped up. The Longhorn defense gave up only one yard in two plays, but then received a costly offsides penalty that gave Dimmitt a third-and-four.

Two plays later Tony Washington got a tough yard for the game's first first-down with 1:15 remaining in the first quarter.

THE THE ball at Lockney's 25, Mayberry set up Dimmitt's first TD when he kept on an option to the left, cut back against the grain and darted to

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GAME AT A GLANCE

Dimmitt	Lockney
12	15
193	231
11	38
3/14	2/9
42	39
235	270
2	1
4	1
4/36	2/37
5/61	5/55

Score by Quarters:

Dimmitt	6	8	7	0	21
Lockney	0	0	0	6	6

Scoring Plays:

D—Tony Washington, 4 run (kick failed), 6-0.

D—Thompson Mayberry, 1 run (Eddy Chavers run), 14-0.

D—Eddy Chavers 25 pass to Brad DuLaney (Matt Howell kick), 21-0.

L—Clint Riddley, 9 run (run failed), 21-6.

the Lockney 4. Two plays later —on the final play of the first quarter—Washington crashed over the right side for Dimmitt's first touchdown. Matt Howell's extra-point kick—hampered by a bobbled snap—went wide, leaving the Bobcats with a 6-0 lead.

After the kickoff, Dimmitt's fired-up defense forced the Longhorns to punt and the Bobcats started goalward again, sparked by a 20-yard run by Eddy Chavers to the Lockney 38.

The Bobcats fumbled the ball away at the Lockney 36, but two plays later Lane Louderer pounced on Lockney's second fumble at the 44 and the Bobcats resumed their march, using a mixed bag of tricks.

CHIVERS raced 13 yards for a first down at the 31. Mayberry kept for three, a Mayberry-to-Washington pass gained 15 yards for another first. Mayberry kept for five more, then Chavers took a pitchout to the right and raced to the Lockney 1 for a first-and-goal.

It took the Bobcats three more plays to punch the ball across, with Mayberry getting the final foot on a sneak with 3:43 remaining in the second quarter. Chavers raced into the right corner of the end zone for a two-point conversion, giving the Bobcats a 14-0 lead.

When the first half ended, Dimmitt had gained 149 yards rushing and 17 passing on 37 plays, while garnering seven first downs and two touchdowns. Dimmitt's defense had allowed Lockney only 24 plays, on which the Longhorns gained 76 yards rushing and 10 passing, earning three first downs. The Lockney had committed three turnovers to Dimmitt's one.

THE DETERMINED Longhorns reversed the statistics in the second half, but not the

score.

After discussing their strategy and heritage in the locker room, the Longhorns returned the second-half kickoff to their 36, then racked up three first downs in a row as they stampeded to Dimmitt's 28 in nine plays. But there they dropped the ball, and Dimmitt's Joe Aleman was happy to collect it.

Lockney's defense held, and on fourth-and-five DuLaney saved the Bobcats from the pits when he scooped up a bad snap, ran to the right, shook off a tackler and got off a line-drive punt that rolled to the Lockney 35.

TWO PLAYS later Tony Washington made a big interception that set up Dimmitt's final TD. Fading in the left secondary to cover a Lockney receiver, he turned to see what the quarterback had in mind and suddenly found himself with the ball. He knew what to do with it, returning it seven yards to the Longhorn 33.

Three plays later the Bobcats staged a razzle-dazzle play that put them out in front by three big touchdowns. Mayberry pitched out to Chavers on a fake option left, and Chavers faded and winged the ball downfield to DuLaney, who took the ball at full stride and raced into the end zone. The play carried 25 yards. Howell's kick was true, and the Bobcats enjoyed a 21-0 lead with 4:59 remaining in the third. By this time even the town grouch was grinning in the home stands.

Lockney came back with a 63-yard march that used up the rest of the third period, with nifty senior halfback Clint Riddley carrying most of the load for the Longhorns. The quarter ended with the Horns facing fourth-and-four at the Dimmitt 6-yard line.

BUT THE first play of the fourth quarter brought a back-

breaking miscue for the visitors. A pitchout from quarterback Glen Lane to halfback Gerardo Rodriguez went awry and careened back to the 25 before Rodriguez could scoop it up. He faded, ran to the right and evaded two Dimmitt tacklers, but Tony Washington ze-

roed in on him and crushed him near the sideline at the 30 to cancel the Lockney drive and give Dimmitt the ball. A 15-yard clipping penalty against Lockney on the play set the Bobcats up at the 23.

Dimmitt gained four and lost four on the next three plays, then DuLaney punted a 37-yarder which Lockney's Joe Araujo returned three steps before being swamped at the Lockney 43. On second down Riddley broke loose for 28 yards to the Dimmitt 29 to put the Longhorns in scoring range again.

But on the next play Lane almost gave the ball to Dimmitt tackle David Malone, who was there at the handoff. Malone took both Lane and the intended runner down in a big pile of togetherness for a two-yard loss. Malone's play sparked a defensive stand that forced Lockney to give up the ball at the 23 two plays later.

THE frustrated Longhorns—who had never been behind by three touchdowns before, and may never be again—finally got on the scoreboard after defensive end Arturo Mata blocked a DuLaney punt, giving Lockney possession on the Dimmitt 19 following a scramble and pile-up.

After a no-gain first down, halfback Danny Clark darted 10 yards, then Riddley raced the

final nine into the end zone with 4:06 remaining in the game. Riddley was stopped short on his try for a two-point conversion, and the scoreboard read 21-6.

The Longhorns virtually told their hosts where they were going to put the inside kick, and DuLaney picked it up and returned it to the Lockney 45. A penalty against the visitors set the Bobcats up at the 30, and they almost scored again, advancing the ball to the 7-yard line before giving it up.

Showing a lot of character, the Longhorns started from there and advanced the ball to midfield on eight plays as they fought against hope. Lane uncorked a bomb on the final play, and the game ended with DuLaney intercepting it at the 10-yard line and running it back to the 30.

"IT WAS a team victory—I'd hate to single anybody out," Coach Bruce Bush said afterward. "I think we're starting to play aggressive football, like we'll have to do if we're going to win our district games."

He had special praise for those Bobcats who played both offense and defense: "We had a lot of kids going both ways, and they never let down, even though they might have gotten tired."

A major factor, of course,

was the turnovers. "THE BREAKS started going our way for a change," Bush said. "We had some good breaks. Of course, a lot of them were caused by our defensive men being where they were supposed to be and hitting aggressively."

CowBelles set election

Officers for a new club year will be elected by the Castro County CowBelles at a meeting in the courthouse community room beginning at 6 p.m. Tuesday.

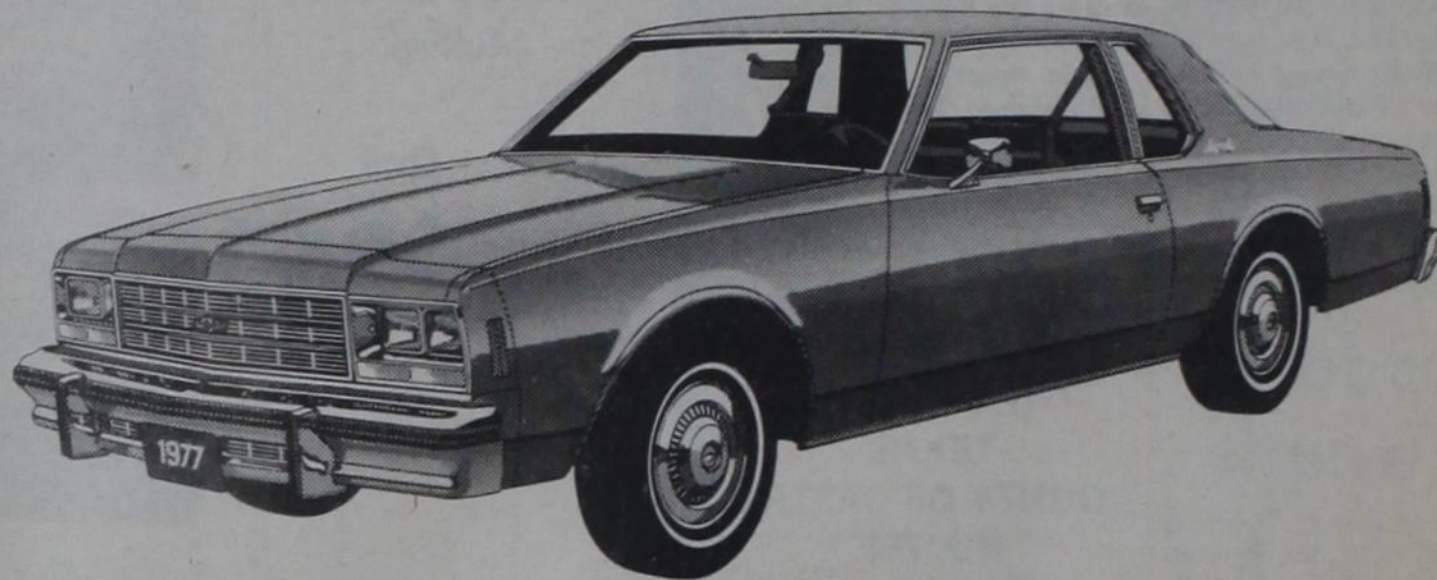
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DHS Class of '56

20 years fade away as old school chums reunite

By BARBARA WHEAT

The Class of 1956 had a busy weekend, beginning with the Homecoming Pep Rally at Dimmitt High School, and hosting the ex-students reception.

FOLLOWING the Dimmitt-Lockney game, several class members with family and

friends enjoyed visiting at a reception at the County Club. Barbara and Jerry Noble held open house for classmates beginning at 1 p.m. Saturday and served tea, coffee and brownies.

Saturday night the class held a steak dinner catered by K-Bob's Steak House, at which 20

DHS graduates of 1956 were present, plus some 30 family members and friends. Several movie films from school days were shown, and many old dog-eared snapshots were the subject of many "oohs" and "ahs."

Many old friendships were renewed, and a lot of discussion took place about who did and who didn't look 20 years older. Among other business discussed, the Class Prophecy was read aloud by Myrle Trimble Johnson, and tentative plans were made for the next reunion in another five years.

ON DISPLAY was the 1956 wall plaque containing graduation pictures. It was brought up that the glass and frame needed repair, and cash funds remaining on hand would be used to repair the plaque before it is returned to school.

Barbara Stevens Wheat and Barbara Rogers Noble were appointed to handle the reunion scheduled during DHS Homecoming in 1981.

HERE'S WHAT the classmates learned about each other during their 20th anniversary reunion:

JERRY BROWN and his wife, Sandra, live at 2516 Redwood, Amarillo, where Jerry is sales manager for Amarillo Supply Co. in the welding department. They have three children, Jerry Michael, 17, Robby Lee, 15, and Rejeana Sue, 14. Mike will graduate from Palo Duro High next May. Robby is an honor student, boy with highest scholastic average, most valuable in band, and received the E. L. Hunter Award from Horace Mann Junior High. Jerry and Sandra are also foster parents in Amarillo.

VAN CONARD and his wife, MELBA RUTH (SHELTON) CONARD, have their home at 4521 Chisholm Trail in Amarillo. They have five children, Pam, 18, Cindy, 16, Scott, 10, and the only twins out of the 1956 class, Dian and Karen, 5. Van has been employed by Garner Motors in Amarillo for several years as service manager. Pam is attending Amarillo College and plans to work as a legal secretary.

EVELYN RICKERT lives at 407 NW Second in Dimmitt, and for the past several years has been managing the Edwards Automatic Laundry in Dimmitt.

WINSTON WAGGONER and wife, Judy, are also in Dimmitt, making their home at Route 1. Their children are Quint, 12, Holly, 9, and Molly Gay, 7. Winston deals in livestock in the area.

MELBA CHISM BAWCOM and her husband, Ed, live at Boys Ranch, where Ed is boys' program director and "Chisey" serves as receptionist. Their son, Butch, is 18 years old and is a freshman at South Plains College in Levelland. Their daughter, Sheri, is a senior at Channing High School.

SHARON WESSON BLACKMORE and husband, Richard, currently live at 9644 Millridge Circle in Dallas, but are in the process of moving to Houston in connection with Richard's banking career. Their children are Scott, 16, Clay, 14, July, 12, and Bobby, 8.

DON SHEFFY and wife, Karen, make their home at 1214 Fifth Ave. in Canyon, where Don is a pharmaceutical salesman for Dow Chemical and does a little farming on the side. They have two daughters, Kristi, 12, and Karla, 8, and are anxiously awaiting the arrival of the latest addition to the family in a few weeks.

TOMMY ROBERSON and wife, Judith (Cleavinger), are living at 9109 Whitehall Court in Oklahoma City, where Tommy is district manager for Travelers Insurance Co. They have two children, Krista, 11, and Andy, 6. Judith is also a part-time organist and secretary.

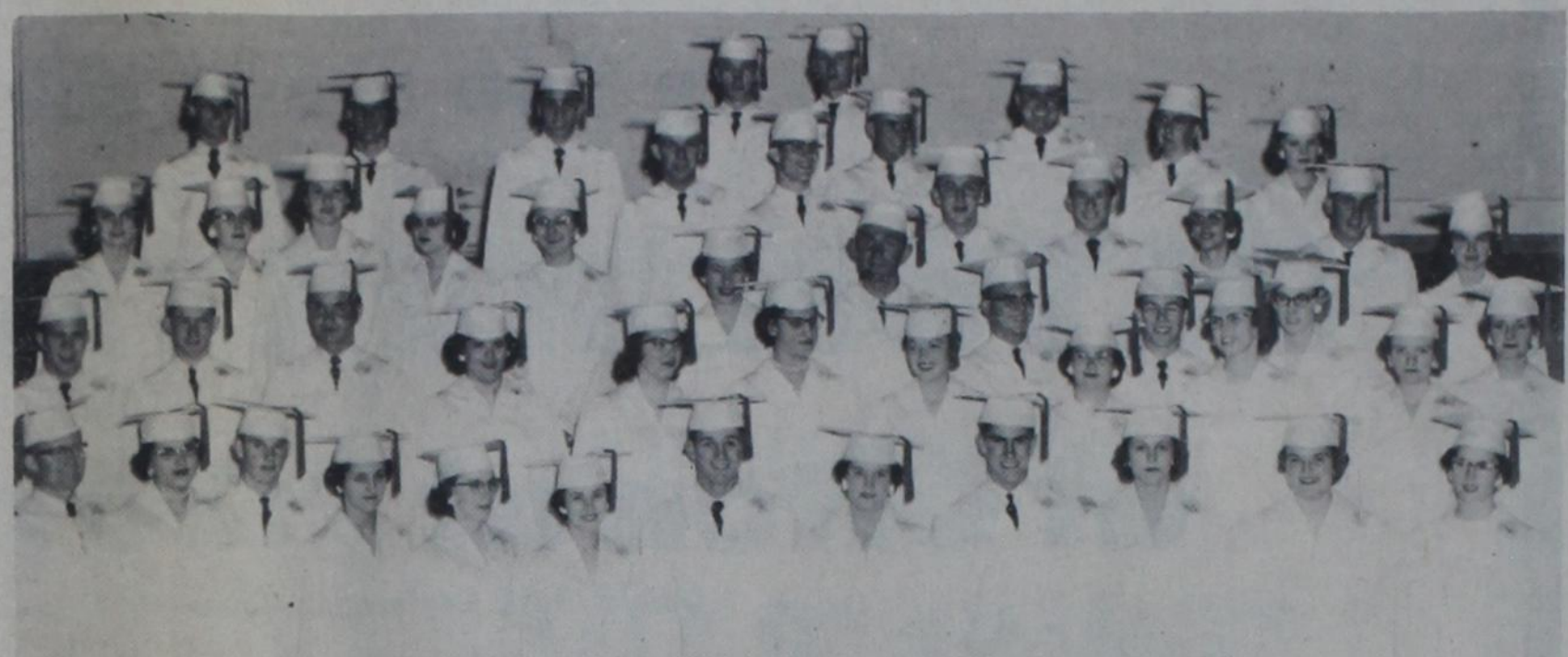
MARVIN (BUD) DYE is employed in the production control department at Devro, Inc., and lives at 3405 29th St. in Lubbock.

JEAN MILLS ROBB and husband, Ted, operate their farm near Dimmitt, and have four children, Larry, 18, Cheryl, 16, Jan, 13, and Lonnie, 11.

ALTON WHITWORTH and wife, Mary, live at 5629 S. Columbia Pl. in Tulsa, where Alton is employed by American Airlines. Their children, Susan, 13, Lisa, 10, and John, 7, are involved in soccer, dancing, piano, clarinet, cheerleading and softball. The family enjoys camping in their spare time.

BLANCHE BALLARD WHATLEY and her husband, Tom, live near Lordsburg, N.M., where Tom is a livestock inspector for the State of New Mexico. They have two sons, Tommy, 17, and Lynn, 16. Tommy is a senior and Lynn is a junior in high school. They both play football and are members of the high school rodeo team.

DON MOBLEY and wife, Judy, make their home at 2013 Municipal Dr. in Farmington,



D.H.S. CLASS OF 1956 AT GRADUATION
... Honor class at 1976 Homecoming



RETURNING for the 20th anniversary reunion of their class during Homecoming were these 20 members of Dimmitt High School's Class of '56. Seated, from left, are Melba Curry McLroy, Barbara Stevens Wheat, Blanche Ballard Whatley, Jean Mills Robb, Melba Chism Bawcom, Myrle Trimble Johnson, Ruth Shelton Conard, Barbara Rogers Noble,

Sharon Wesson Blackmore and Evelyn Rickert. Standing, from left, are Tommy Roberson, Marvin "Bud" Dye, Van Conard, Jerry Brown, Don Mobley, Wayne Collins, Jimmy Butler, Winston Waggoner, Don Sheffy and Alton Whitworth. The reunion was held at the County Club Saturday evening, and included a steak supper.

Miller on tax reform bill: 'Die now or wait until 1982'

The federal tax reform bill which recently was signed by President Ford after passing both houses of Congress was discussed by Jack Miller, Dimmitt attorney, as he spoke to the Rotary Club at lunch Friday.

HE DESCRIBED the bill, which was adopted after many months of arguments and hearings in Congress, as highly complicated, confusing at pres-

ent since no court rulings have been made on its numerous sections, and apparently unreal and unfair.

Miller talked about estate and gift tax sections in the bill, which in its entirety fills a volume five inches thick and "seems to have been too complicated for Congress to discuss—it finally passed without discussion."

This bill is the most complete revision in United States tax laws in 44 years, Miller said, and for the average taxpayer it contains both good and bad news. He gave examples of each in the field of estate taxes.

INCREASE in exemptions he termed good news, but added that the present rate of inflation keeps pushing the value of an estate higher so the greater exemption may soon not mean much.

He said a Unified Transfer Tax combines most of the former estate and gift tax provisions, and "most of the incentives for gifts in the taxpayer's lifetime are wiped out."

His account of the obscure wording and involved figures from some sections of the bill amused his hearers, including one that detailed dates and brought the speaker's warning that, "It means that you will be better off if you die before next Jan. 1 or after 1982."

Rotarian Ronnie Parker introduced Miller to the luncheon audience that included Herman Ford, a visiting Rotarian from Hereford.

Tops members share in awards from area

Nine members of Tops Club 386 went to an area meeting at Perryton Saturday, and at the meeting here Monday night they reported that Dimmitt received a plaque for the unique name tags the local group wore.

PEGGY Swearingen placed first in the area for weight loss in her division. September Queen of the Month in the Dimmitt club is Shelly Shive, who recorded a loss of 8 pounds, 8 ounces in pursuing the Tops goal, Take Off Pounds Sensibly.

KOPS Queen for September was Patricia Powell, who kept her weight at the desired level, and Angel of the Month was Emily Clingingsmith, cited for services to the club.

LAST week's top loser was Arlene Oldfield with a weight drop of 2 pounds, 12 ounces, and Jeanie Johnson was KOPS of the Week. For the previous week, Shirley Thompson was Queen, with a loss identical to

last week's queen. A quilting session followed the first October meeting, working on a friendship quilt which will be awarded to the 1976 Queen.

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FOR INSURANCE purposes, "total disability" means that there is an impairment of mind or body which continuously prevents the veteran from gaining meaningful employment.

For additional information or application forms, veterans should contact the VA center which handles their insurance or contact their local Veterans Service Officer for assistance.

Veterans having questions about any insurance or other VA benefits, please contact us at our Courthouse office or by phone there or at our home.



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

OCT. 14 — Brenda Bruton, Soncia Tischler, Ann Welch, Bill Mumme, Ricky Backus, Sam Albracht.

OCT. 15 — Lorena Cates, Margaret Kunz, Ann Hays, Linda Lopez, Renee Cluck, Brad Yates, Todd Hill, Ralph Smith, Mary Jo Schacher, Keith Hoelting, Fred Ball, Frank Drerup, Gene Hubbard.

OCT. 16 — Stanley Byrnes, Lisa Pohlmeier, Tammy Heck, Marvin Schmucker, Bruce Braddock, Wayne Backus, Albert Gerber, Charles Birkenfeld.

OCT. 17 — David Behrends, Ruth Backus, Russell Acker.

OCT. 18 — Butch Holcomb, Sharon Birkenfeld.

OCT. 19 — Doricell Davis, Shirley Thompson, Gene Ivey, Pedro Rico, Wade Hoelting, Zac Hatla, Daniel Braddock.

OCT. 20 — Doris Wait, Clara Goldsmith, Melissa Kaye Finley, J. J. Patton, Jeff Isaacs, Patricia Kern, Kim Wardlow, Shawn Ringwald, Francis Kern.

OCT. 21 — Leigh Hyman, Vern Lust, Melody Sanders, Goldman Dyer, Evey Wilhelm, Rita Kern.



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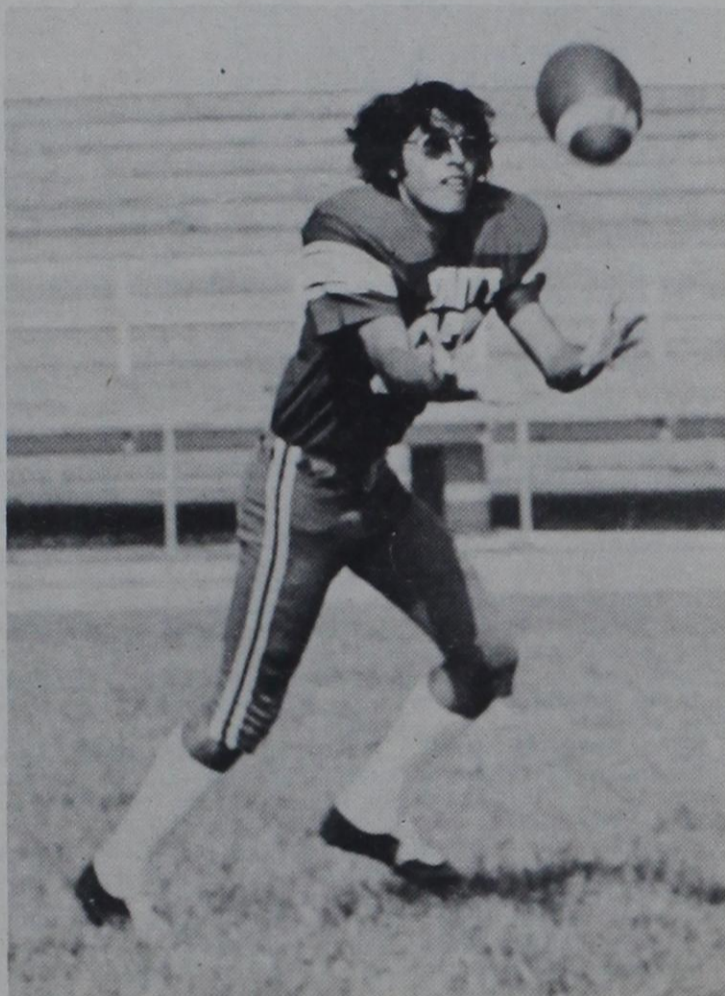
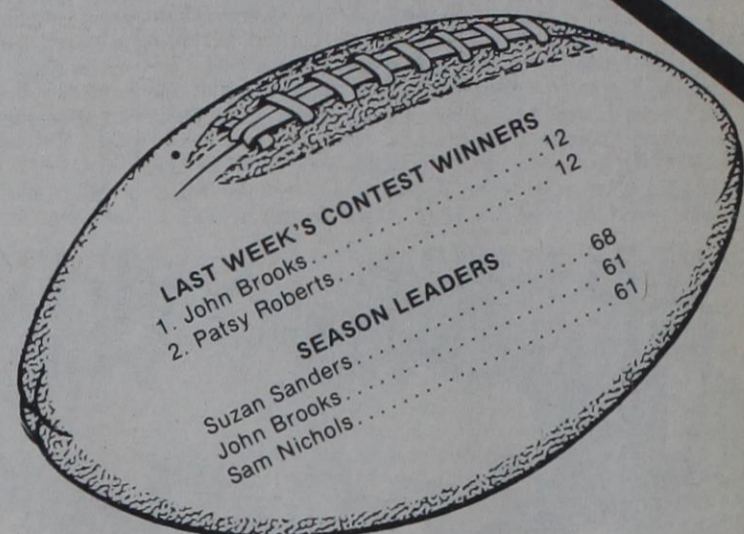
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2. Circle your choice of winning team in each game on this week's list. Be sure your name and address are on your entry.
3. Your entry must be turned in before 5 p.m. Friday at the Castro County News office, 108 W. Bedford St. Entry also may be mailed to "Football Contest," Castro County News, PO Box 67, Dimmitt, 79027, and must be postmarked before 5 p.m. Friday.
4. A committee of Booster Club members appointed by the club's officers will compile the weekly contest list and score the entries.
5. The tie-breaker score will not be used except in case of a tie on the number of correct choices. On the tie-breaker, circle your choice of the winner and pick the TOTAL POINTS you think will be scored in the game.
6. Contest winners will be announced at the next meeting of the Booster Club at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Dimmitt High School Cafeteria. Any questions concerning the contest or individual scores should be brought up at that time.
7. Contest winners' names will be posted in next week's issue of the Castro County News.

PRIZES

WEEKLY prizes of \$5 cash for first place and \$3 cash for second place will be awarded by the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club. GRAND PRIZE for the season will be 2 tickets to the Cotton Bowl Game. There will be no second place grand prize this year. The Booster Club scoring committee will compile weekly totals of contestants' correct predictions to determine the season prize winner.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

PRO GAMES

- CHICAGO at LOS ANGELES
- CINCINNATI at PITTSBURGH
- DALLAS at ST. LOUIS
- OAKLAND at DENVER
- SEATTLE at TAMPA BAY

COLLEGE GAMES

- BAYLOR at TEXAS A&M
- NORTH TEXAS at WEST TEXAS
- COLORADO at OKLAHOMA STATE
- GEORGIA TECH at AUBURN
- ALABAMA at TENNESSEE

HIGH SCHOOL GAMES

- HEREFORD at PLAINVIEW
- CANYON at BORGER
- MULESHOE at LITTLEFIELD
- FLÖYDADA at LOCKNEY
- IDALOU at TULIA

TIE BREAKER

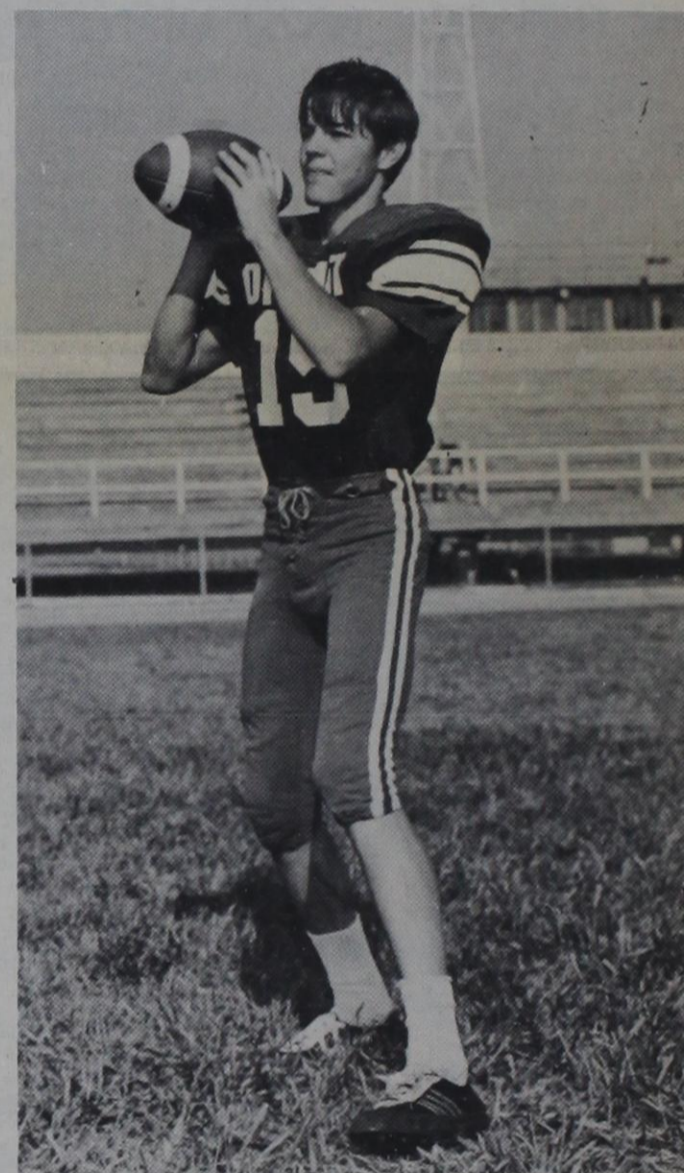
[Circle winner and guess total points]

- MISSISSIPPI at SOUTH CAROLINA

NAME _____
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Varsity Schedule

- Sept. 3 Dimmitt 36, Crosbyton 6
- Sept. 10 Dimmitt 19, Slaton 28
- Sept. 17 Dimmitt 70, Springlake 0
- Sept. 24 OPEN
- Oct. 1 . . . Dimmitt 7, Tulia 14
- Oct. 8 . . . Dimmitt 21, Lockney 6
- Oct. 15 OLTON, There, 7:30
- Oct. 22 MULESHOE, Here, 7:30
- Oct. 29 MORTON, There, 7:30
- Nov. 5 FRIONA, Here, 7:30
- Nov. 12 LITTLEFIELD, There, 7:30



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Field goal in closing seconds gives Swifts 9-6 district win

By BRENDA DURRETT

Derwin Huseman kicked a nine-yard field goal with four seconds left to give Nazareth a 9-6 victory over Lazbuddie in a District 2-B North Zone game Friday night in Nazareth.

THE FIELD goal was set up by a pass interference call against Lazbuddie at the Longhorn 3-yard line.

Nazareth's Kenny Brockman scored on a quarterback keeper with 20 seconds left in the first quarter. Brockman ran 20 yards up the middle for six points, but a bad snap on the extra-point kick forced Brockman to run for it and he was stopped short.

On the first set of downs in the fourth period, Lazbuddie's Charleson Steinbock hit Rayburn Wenner with a short pass, and Wenner scampered 70 yards for a touchdown. The extra-point kick was short and the game was tied, 6-6.



CAUGHT IN THE ACT—The camera catches a Lazbuddie tackler getting a good grip on Chris Book's face mask as Book sprints for a Nazareth first down in Friday night's District 2-B North Zone game at Swift Field. The

Swifts pushed the visiting Longhorns all over the field and won a 9-6 victory on a field goal by Derwin Huseman in the final four seconds. [Photo by Shelly Cross]

fumbled on third and five in the next set of downs, and Lazbuddie recovered.

The Longhorns were unable to make a first down, and on fourth and seven, the Swifts took over on their 38 yard line, with four minutes left in the game.

Huseman picked up a Swift first down with a 30-yard run, then another on a 15-yard run.

CHRIS BOOK ran 34 more yards and a Longhorn penalty left the Swifts just four yards from Lazbuddie's goal line. But a 15-yard penalty set the Swifts back, then a Huseman pass went in and out of the hands of Danny Gerber, and the Swifts were penalized again for illegal procedure. Huseman lofted another pass intended for Gerber,

but it went too deep. But a Lazbuddie defender was called for pass interference on that play, and the Swifts were moved to the 3-yard line, where Huseman kicked the winning field goal.

The win left Nazareth with a 1-4-1 record and 1-1 in district play. Lazbuddie now is 2-4 on the season and 1-2 in district play.

The Swifts will travel to Sudan Friday to play an 8 p.m. game against the district's leading team. Sudan (5-1, 3-0) edged Motley County, 7-6, last Friday.

LEADING Nazareth's victory over the Longhorns was Huseman with 98 yards rushing and seven tackles. Wenner gained 172 yards for Lazbuddie.

The Swifts rushed for 325 yards, while the Longhorns ran for 209 and completed two of four passes for 80 yards.

Each team had one interception and the Swifts recovered two Longhorn fumbles, while Lazbuddie covered one Swift fumble.

GAME AT A GLANCE

Nazareth	Lazbuddie
10	7
325	209
0	80
325	289
0/4	2/4
2	1
2/38	2/33
4/20	2/22

Score by Quarters:	Nazareth	Lazbuddie
1st	0	0
2nd	0	0
3rd	3	6
4th	6	0
Total	9	6

Scoring Plays:
N—Kenny Brockman, 20 run (run failed), 6-0

L—Rayburn Wenner, 70 pass from Charleson Steinbock (run failed), 6-6

N—Derwin Huseman, 9 field goal, 9-6

Individual Rushing:
N—Derwin Huseman, 98
L—Rayburn Wenner, 172

Individual Defense:
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Nazareth

Clear weather helping harvest

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

The weather is wonderful for harvesting and everyone is very hard at it. And you see trucks lined up at every elevator, some for hours, where they have to have their corn dried. We had a hard freeze one night last week. I think the temperature was down to 27 degrees, but it's been quite warm and fair since.

MRS. VINCENT Guggemos had major surgery at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo last week Tuesday. She is doing fine and we hope she can be home again before very long. We're thinking of you, Check.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Huseman visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ann Evers in Umbarger.

Mrs. Frank Huseman became ill Saturday night and was taken to the hospital, but is feeling well again at present.

Mrs. Ruby Hubbard and girls Malia and Trina from Fort Worth spent last week with relatives here.

CORNELIA Annen spent last week with the Larry Spencers in Amarillo.

Brigitta Dobmeier visited recently in Kansas City, Nebraska and Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Annen, Douglas McLain and Faye Spencer took a scenic tour to Chama, N.M. last week.

GAYLEN Dean Slough was baptized Saturday in Holy Family Church. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Slough. Godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Huseman.

Sister Joesetta, Max Acker, Rosemary Wilhelm and Lucille Drerup went to Pampa to a five-state art and craft show. On the way back they stopped in Amarillo to see Mrs. Vincent Guggemos at St. Anthony's Hospital.

Mrs. Ella Hoelting flew to Dallas to meet her daughter Dianne, then they went to Fort Smith and Subiaco to visit with father Harold Heiman.

Jackie Book and Charlie Mitchell Earle of Arlington spent the weekend with her folks the George Books. They came out with Pam and Mike Clark. Pam

visited her folks in Hereford.

THE 30th wedding anniversary of Leo and Lynn Ehly was celebrated Sunday with an open house in their home. Some 106 friends and relatives attended. Those from out of town were from Tulia, Canyon, Borger, Amarillo, Floydada, Hart and Dimmitt. Many nice

gifts were received by the couple. The hosts for the celebration were their son and family, the David Ehlys of Amarillo.

Sunday, Oct. 17 has been designated by the National Board of the Catholic Daughters of America as "National Catholic Daughters of America Day". The Nazareth Catholic

Daughters are having a special Mass at 10 a.m. Sunday and coffee and doughnuts afterwards to commemorate the special day. Everyone is asked to participate and have coffee with us.

Mrs. Angela Acker recently attended a District Deputy Workshop in Austin. Tony went to Austin with her.

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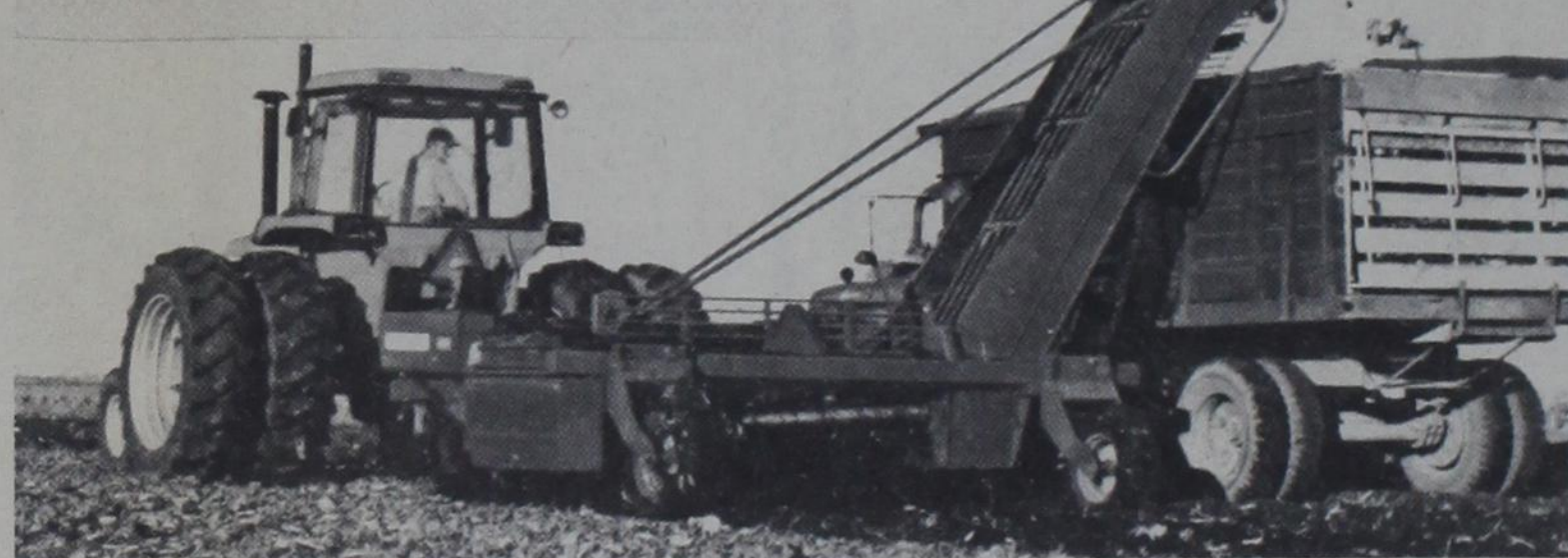
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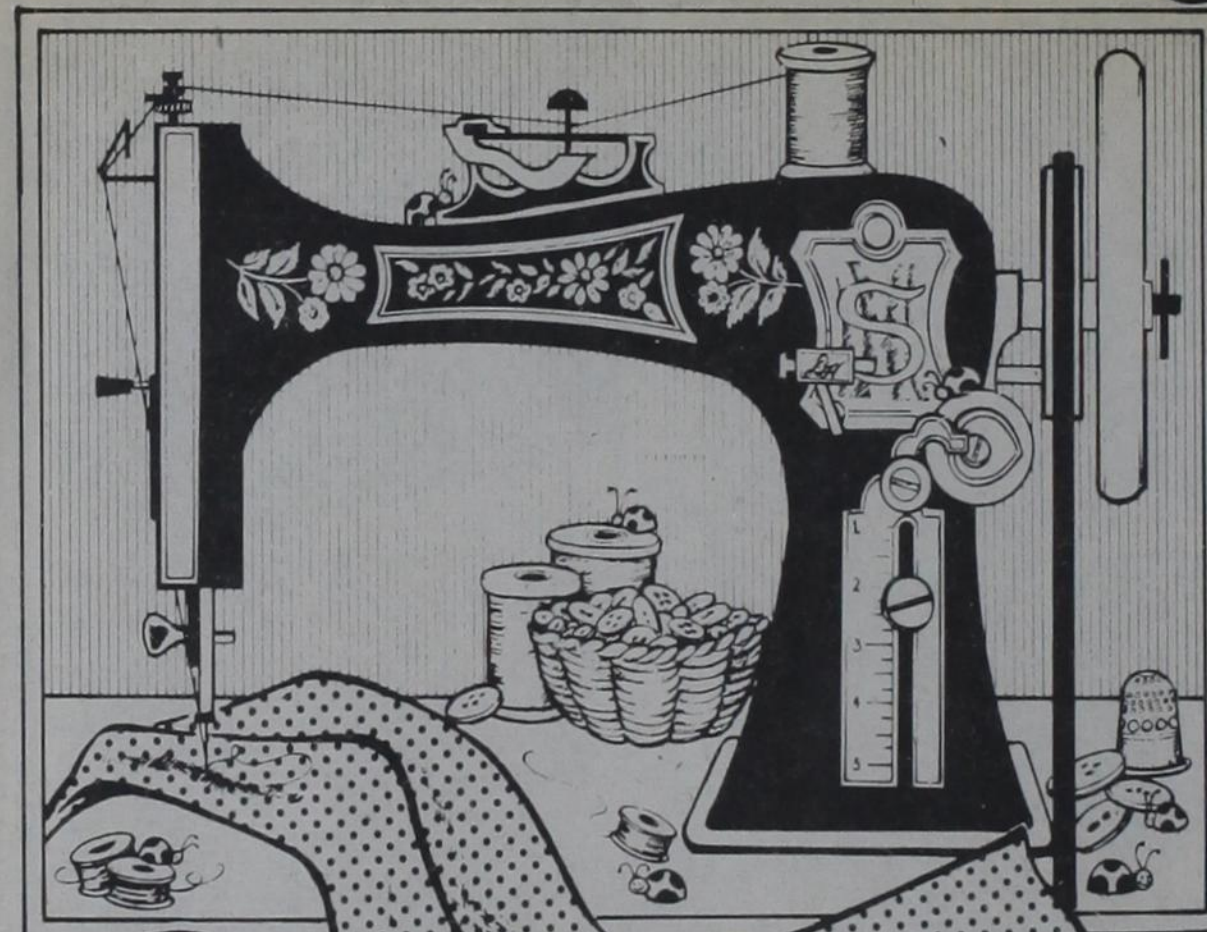
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