## Pageant again brings crowds to Nazareth

For the seventh year, the Christmas season at Nazareth was ushered in with three presentations of the Nativity pageant which brought visitors from a wide area to fill the sanctuary of the Holy Family Catholic Church.

There was a scattering of visitors from other states, with some registered from as far as California, and dozens from Tulia, Hereford, Plainview, Amarillo and numerous other cities of the Panhandle-

First staged Dec. 17, the pageant was repeated last Wednesday and Friday

Residents of the Nazareth community presented the pageant as they do each year at Christmastime, with pantomime, reading from the Bible and other narrative, and songs including carols from many countries as well as original music composed especially for the pageant.

Jimmie Schulte was director of staging and Noreen Carson of the choir. As actors, singers or in backstage roles, most of the residents of Nazareth had a part in presenting the pageant and now are already talking about plans for next Christmas.

## Cats Clout **Brownfield**

Dimmitt's Bobcats tuned up for the Caprock Tournament last Thursday night by pulverizing Brownfield here, 86-49.

The outcome was never in doubt as the Bobcats rocketed rotating throughout the game, Dimmitt marched into the final period with a 64-31 lead.

men scored. Brownfield's truck. point leader was Joe Romero

The victory left the Bobcats into the Caprock Tournament in Lubbock this week.

Dimmitt also won the boys' junior varsity game handily.

### King appointed to energy committee

Carl King of Dimmitt has been appointed by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby to an advisory committee of the Texas Energy Advisory Council. King was appointed as the committee's agricultural member, to concentrate on the development of gasohola blend of agricultural alcohol and gasoline-as a motor

King will serve on the advisory committee on agrifuels. culturally-derived Chairman of the advisory committee is Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown.

King is president of the Texas Corn Growers Association and has testified many times in Austin and Washington on various phases of agricultural production, shipping, pricing and marketing.



... Retiring after 31 years

## 31-year tax man to retire Friday

"It has been a very interescollector in Castro County, as

Kent Birdwell, who first elected ever since. held the dual post of deputy sheriff and tax assessorcollector in 1947 and was later appointed to head the newly created tax office, will retire Friday after 31 years of service to county residents. Jerry to a 23-8 lead in the first Heller, deputy tax assessorquarter and built it to 49-22 collector, has been appointed

Although Birdwell described his job as "routine," it had its unusual moments, including round-the-clock duties-Mark Summers led the such as one incident in which Bobcat's onslaught with 18 Birdwell was called to his points as most varsity squads- office at 3 a.m. to register a

> His philosophy concerning such irregular hours?

"That's what I was elected with an 11-2 record to carry for-to serve the people,' Birdwell said.

When Birdwell first took charge of the tax officewhich was created as a separate county department in 1959 -he said it was "hard to come in here cold. Nobody knew anything about it and we had a new staff."

### Mrs. Garcia's services held

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Filomena Lara Garcia, 73, resident of Dimmitt for 17 years.

Services were at Iglesia de Cristo, conducted by former pastor Max Zamorano assisted by Mike Zuniga, pastor. Buriai followed in West Lawn Memorial Park under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Garcia died at her home last Thursday.

She was born in Floresville. March 20, 1905. She was a member of the Church of

She is survived by her husband, Santiago, a son, Frank, a brother David Lara of San Antonio and three grandchildren.

## Proceeds from holiday greetings are counted

Final tallies for Dimmitt's Operation Christmas Greeting, Nazareth Community Card and Hart Christmas Card projects have been com-

Operation Christmas Greeting sponsored by the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary to use in buying hospital

equipment raised \$2,006.59. published on the greeting in Cemetery Fund. A report of the Castro County News last the amount raised was not week were Mr. and Mrs. available at press time today. Raleigh Strother, Tommy, Darlene, Debi and Shawn nity projects, residents are Stanton; H.F. Beyer, Betty and Truman Touchstone and family; C.D., Linda, Crystal and Kurt Fitzgearld, Nancy Smith; Lonnie, Janice, Jeff and Lori Bell, L.B. and Teeny

Nazareth Community Card tro County News.

raised \$601.75. The proceeds will pay for the new outdoor Nativity scene that was placed on the east side of the church this Christmas and the balance will go to the Holy Family Cemetery fund.

Names that were left off the Nazareth Christmas Card were: Josephine, Urban and Freddie Ball.

Hart Christmas Card pro-Names that failed to be ject proceeds go to the Hart a.m. daily for the preceding

In all three of the commuasked to contribute the amount they would spend to send holiday greeting cards to local friends. Instead, their greetings are conveyed in color advertisements in the Christmas ed Mon of The Cas-

Although he finally got the ting job-I've enjoyed it," hang of things, he said, "it's said the only person to ever the kind of job in which you're hold the office of tax assessor- still learning after 30 years."

Birdwell was appointed to he prepared to retire this the post when it was first created, and has been re-Born in Young County,

Birdwell moved to Dimmitt with his family when he was a year old. He graduated from Dimmitt High School, joined the military service and was stationed in Italy for three

He and his wife, Mary Jo, age from 29 to 17 and one grandchild, Jamie, 8 months

Although Birdwell is ending his tax collecting duties, he will not be "retiring," as such. He will devote full time to his insurance agency and used-car dealership in Dim-

Summarizing his years in office, Birdwell said, "I've had good cooperation from all commissioner's courts and all office holders. I couldn't have asked for better cooperation.'

## **NHS** varsity teams enter tourney action

The Nazareth Swifts will play in the Amarillo Holiday Tournament this weekend while the Swiftettes take part in a tournament at Happy. Nazareth's girls had planned to be in the Slaton tourney, but canceled after a schedu-

ling conflict was discovered. A winning streak was broken for the Swifts when they lost 43-37 to Bovina Friday night at Bovina. The Swiftettes came out 50-35 over the Bovina girls that night.

Doretta Ramaekers was ahead in scoring with 14 points for the Swiftettes. Coach Joe Lombard's girls maintained a comfortable lead all evening, with quarter scores of 17-7, 27-18 and

The Swifts kept scores close throughout their game, after the first quarter that ended with Bovina ahead 6-3. It was 14-13 at the half. Coach Bud Birks' Swifts were still just a point behind at the end of the third frame, 28-27, only to be outscored by five points in the

Jeff Schmucker, who has led Nazareth scoring all season, did it again as he racked up 11 points.

Another team of Nazareth girls, the junior varsity, defeated the Bovina JV 45-34 to round out the Friday pro-

### Cold nights

[Readings recorded at 7

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## As investigation continues

# Meeting called at hospital

The Plains Memorial Hospital Board will hold an open meeting beginning at 12 noon today (Thursday) in the board meeting room at the hospital. Purpose of the meeting, to which the public is invited, is

Plains Memorial Hospital. Members of the hospital's board of directors are Dan Nelson, chairman, James Welch, Marguerite McLain, Frank Wise and Jerome

to clarify admission policies of

Brockman. Meanwhile, a Castro County Grand Jury resumed investigations Wednesday into the death of an 11-month-old baby whose parents thought they had been refused admission to Plains Memorial Hospital Dec. 8 because they could not make a cash deposit of \$400.

Testimony to the Grand Jury in the investigation began last week and the jury recessed after a lengthy session Dec. 19, when five other cases were also presented.

Death of the baby, Isidro Aguinaga Jr., on Dec. 8 revived local criticism of the hospital's admission policies and also attracted attention from over the state.

Reporters and cameramen were among the crowd at the courthouse last Tuesday, as regional newspapers and TV stations, AP and UPI news service had representatives

Among those who testified were the baby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isidro Aguinaga; the youth who acted as their interpreter; hospital personnel; Dr. B.D. Murphy, who had ordered the child admitted for hospital treatment, and several others who asked to give testimony regarding hospital admission practices.

The Grand Jury has the option of deciding whether hospital employees are to be charged with refusing to admit a patient for emergency care, a violation of a state law. Or the Grand Jury may

[See MEETING, Page 10]

## Emergency loan fund not there

There's no emergency loan fund available to indigent patients at Plains Memorial

Although the city commission last January authorized \$4,000 in Revenue Sharing funds to be set aside as a 'poor people's emergency medical loan fund," the federal money can't be used for that purpose, according to City Attorney Jack Edwards.

The commission established the fund at the demand of more than 100 persons who attended the city's public hearing on its use of 1978 Revenue Sharing funds. Citizens attending the hearing said the hospital had demanded deposits of up to \$1,000 before admitting patients, and that the hospital's admissions policy "takes away our digni-

The city commissioners intended the fund to be used to provide emergency loans to poor people who needed hospitalization but couldn't afford it. After borrowing from the fund, the patients would be expected to pay the money back so it would be available Manager Garnett Holland to chance.' meet with the hospital board and work out the guidelines spokesman for this season's for the fund.

But the loan fund died a few days after it was born. In checking with state and federal agencies, the city attorney learned that federal Revused to make personal loans

[See EMERGENCY, Page 10]





COLORFUL LIGHTING DISPLAY AT JEFF ROBERTSON HOME, 615 NW SEVENTH . . . Second-place winner in Home Lighting Contest

## Hance hopes for Ag assignment

Congressman-elect Kent Hance and his family spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day packing and moving.

Their moving van left Lubbock Monday for Falls Church, Va., where they have

bought a home. Mr and Mrs. Hance and their two children started their long drive to the District of Columbia Wednesday, after spending Tuesday evening with his mother, Beral Hance, in Dimmitt, and Tuesday night with her mother, Nancy Hays, in Hereford. They'll arrive in Washington Satur-

Hance, the first Dimmitt native ever elected to Congress, will be sworn into office Jan. 15 in the House chamber. Afterwards, there'll be a reception for members of the Texas congressional delegation in the Rayburn House

Office Building. Then Hance will set up shop in Room 1039 of the Longworth House Office Building as the sucessor to

the legendary George Mahon. Hance supporters have chartered a plane to fly from Lubbock to Washington Sunday, Jan. 14, for Hance's swearing-in ceremony. The plane undoubtedly will have Castro Countians

Hance said his mother "is still trying to decide whether to go for the swearing-in or wait and go later, when she can spend more time," the congressman-elect

"One problem is that each congressman gets only one pass and two backup passes for his children," Hance said. His first week in Congress

will be a busy one. By Jan. 18 or 20, the House leadership announce committee will assignments, and Hance is hoping for a spot on the Agriculture Committee. 'Things look pretty good

for me getting on the Ag to others. The commissioners Committee," he said. "I feel authorized Edwards and City like I've got a real good to the Easter Gin to extin-Hance was elected as the

freshman congressmen during

a recent orientation in Wash-

tainly hasn't hurt' that he is and Monday at 2:00 p.m. George Mahon's successor.

Agriculture Movement, who The new congressman plans Lubbock Avalanche-Journal will arrive by tractorcade to lobby for higher commodity loan prices and more favorable farm policies and legi-

Meanwhile, Hance has set up district offices in Lubbock and Midland, and is hiring his

Washington staff. Ricky Knox, who was Hance's administrative assistant in the Texas Senate, heads the five-person district office in the Lubbock Federal Building. The Midland office is headed by Les Riek, a ficer in the First National Ga., Chronicle also owns the you.

Bank of Midland. Hance's administrative assistant in Washington will be Don Richards, a second-generation West Texas newspaperman who has been the editor of the Azle News. Other staffers in Washington include Glenn Hunt, former Idalou mayor; Sharon Jennings, who worked in Hance's campaign office; and Gay Hume, who was Mahon's secretary. His receptionist will be Patty Pyle, who was a volunteer worker in the Lubbock

campaign office. Hance can hire up to 18 staffers, "but I doubt if I'll use the full allotment-at least not early in the session," he said.

One key staff post not yet filled is that of research as-

'I'll want to hire a research assistant who's been on Capitol Hill at least four years,'

Hance's office has a budget of \$280,000 per year, plus approximately \$70,000 for travel, office rent, etc.

Hance and his district office managers will be on the road or in the air much of the time.

Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Department members reported guish four cotton bur fires in a five-day period. No damages resulted from the fires, which occured last Wednesday at 2:14 p.m., Friday at 11:35 ington, and he said "it cer- p.m., Saturday at 4:30 a.m.

Firemen were called to the Also during the first week Castro County Courthouse at enue Sharing funds cannot be of the session, Hance has 6 a.m. Monday to extinguish scheduled a breakfast meet- a fire caused by a florescent ing with leaders of the Texas light. No damage resulted delegation of the American from the incident.

to return to the 19th District on second and third alternate weeks, while Knox or Riek will visit each county seat in the district once a month to hear individual case prob-

many of the administrative big-wigs, during the recent orientation session. At a Mondale made a terrific talk White House reception for at the White House briefing. freshman congressmen, he He said, 'We're going to be and President Carter found asking for your vote on some they have something in com- issues, and so will a lot of mon-the same newspaper others. But my advice to you former trust department of- group that owns the Augusta, is to remember who sent

"He said those folks never were very supportive of him in Georgia and he never could understand why,." Hance recalled. "He asked if the Lubbock paper felt the same way about him, and I had to Hance already has met tell him that was a gross

understatement. He added, "Vice-President

## United Way campaign is ending this month

Only the remaining days of to the total and Josselet hopes this week are left in the 1978 more late contributions and campaign for Dimmitt's United Way funding for the the drive nearer its goal. coming year. The drive will end officially with this month, Chairman Joe Josselet said.

been reached at midweek,

week added more than \$2,000 the \$17,681 figure.

pledges will come in to push Last year the Dimmitt UW

went over its goal of \$16,750 in funds shared by 12 agen-A total of \$15,116.97 had cies. This year, 13 agencies requested a total of more than Josselet reported, short \$30,000. The UW budget \$2,564 of reaching the goal of committee pared down all requests and eliminated four A telephone campaign last agencies from the list to set

## Cowboy Santa scene wins lighting award

Oversize candy canes were the fenceposts on the Willis scene in front of the G.L.

Strands of multi-colored merce. bulbs lighted the Robertson porch, windows and doors. A awards Thursday night. tree in the front yard was

outdoor decorations.

A "Cowboy Santa Claus" lawn, connected by strings of Willis home on Cemetery colored lights. The flower-bed Road was the first choice of wall, porch railing and eaves judges in the Holiday Home were lined with strings of Lighting Contest sponsored by the Chamber of Com-

house, bordering the roof, the city were inspected for

Second place went to the strung with more of the Jeff Robertson residence, 615 NW Seventh, and for third Colorful light displays fea- place the award was split tured the Wise and Birdwell between the Bill Birdwell homes, sparkling a Christmas home, 602 SW 10th, and the greeting to passerby - and to Frank Wise place on Cemejudges who toured the entire tery Road. Cash prizes were city to take note of special given by the Chamber in each place.

budgets are short.

IMAGINATIVE lighting

and tree-size plants will fill in bare spots when furniture

# Many visit for holidays -- some go to Hawaii

By Myrtle Sheffy

This week is the family get-together for the Christmas time, but here is about a nice trip to Hawaii by a group sponsored by P.G.C. people from Kansas, Oklahoma and this part of Texas went (they paid their own way). From here were Andy and Helen Behrends, Mr. and Mrs. T.G. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Hair of Flagg and Earth. They report a wonderful time. Good guides to tell them all about it. Sugar cane was growing abundantly, pineapple and flowers. They saw several floor shows. Helen says gentle rains fell on them, just enough to get wet. They think we should all go. Maybe so.

Alvin and Frances Frazier joined the Floyd Ivey family at her brother Alvie and Katie Ivey's house in Lubbock. Her aunt Cora Lee came up from Port Arthur, all of Frances' brothers and sisters and this past weekend their son Landol and Jamie and girls came up from near Fort Worth.

Don and Ellen Gregory, Keith and Becky, went to Colorado Springs for the holiday visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Troy and Kay Stafford and family of Oklahoma City were here to see the Killingsworths and Staffords. They worshipped with the Church of Christ people.

Louise Kemp had part of her family in for Christmas, Ginger several days here before her husband Dr. Leland Ward came from Atlanta, Georgia. Carl Lee and Susan and their two from here. La Dawn and husband couldn't come from California.

The B.M. Nelsons and Vada Belle Oldham of Lubbock, Connie Nelson here from UT in Austin were Christmas day guests of Don and Verbie.

Charles and Betty Vaughan had their family home for the holiday. I talked to David Vaughan, his wife Sue, who is a daughter of Mary Edna Hendrix, and children Brent and Harry and girl Shannon, Charlene and David Von Wrobel both families from Dallas, Don and Vicki Golden and two children Troy and Mandy from Muleshoe and they also visit the Ward Goldens and brother Ronnie, and Sherri (Vaughn) and Gary

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Dimmitt, Texas

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Baldridge and tiny Kevin. Tony and Frances Gabel of Carrizozo, N.M. and Kenny and Debbie Paxton were guests of Ben and Mollie Scott one of the Christmas

days. The Gabels also visit his

parents, the George Gabels

and Fran's folks.

And the Ben Scotts and girls and his folks Joe and Lois had dinner Christmas day with kin Annie Lee Dobbins at Easter and the Harley Davises at Hereford.

George Froehner of Grand Prairie and Dr. Robert Froehner of Fort Worth were here for the holiday time with their parents Nolan and Ewie

Company in the home of Bill and Deanne Clark were her parents Elva and Cal Forrester of El Paso, a nephew Terry Denner of Houston, and the Clark's children Tanya of Tech at Lubbock, Greg Clark of here now, was at Ruidoso and Jim and Cindy Harris of Lubbock.

Polly Bell served the Christmas dinner Sunday to her daughter Karen and Don Sheffy and girls Karla, Kristi and Carrie, and son Lonnie and Janice Bell, son Rick and Suzie and little son and Jeff Bell. And they had the Christmas tree gifts there.

Don and Irene Helmcke of Springwater, Utah and Steve and Susan Mack of Fort Worth were here to visit the girls' parents Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Thornton. Irene was guest soloist at the morning worship service at the Methodist Church. She is gifted with a lovely voice.

Weldon and Ruth Skinner had a house full of company Sunday. Their son David and Jane and baby Shannon from Waco, Ruth's sister and husband the L.D. Smiths from Temple, Tom Brittian of Abilene, Joe Brittian and sons Steven and Douglas of Midland, an aunt Ann Breeding of Midland and Saturday came son Donny and Kathy of Tech. He gets his BS this spring.

James and Sharon Patton came home from Nashville, Tenn. for a visit with her parents James and Reta Welch and the grands, the Clayton Graefs, also James' parents Jack and Clara Patton and family and James' aunt Ceal Carlile. Vera was home from UT at Austin, and sons Billy, Tim and his wife, Linda and Rodney

At Merediths Beauty place, I saw Carol Smith. She was going to Lubbock to be with her daughter Terri that was the eve and on Christmas day she went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Price, daughter of Billie Gwynn Davis and niece of Carol and the granddad L.T. Smith of Earth-

And Meredith was the birthday girl Dec. 22 so friends Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cleavinger baked her a cake and also supper for sons Tommie and Jimmie. Ceal Carlile, Gary and Sherri Baldridge and young Zeke Hooper, Meredith's son. Oh yes, that cake was the red velvet with ice cream.

was a guest.

Don and Betty Carpenter \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* were hosts to the family on

nie, Vicki and Steve Buckley, ton could not come. son Dusti, Becky, Sandra and Tim Hucks and Jennifer and

from Manchester, Tenn. for a visit with his mom Mrs. Jennie Reitzer and aunt Dean Taack. Jennie is staying at the dog while Nettie is at Jean's in Fort Worth.

George Bradford fell awhile Dorothy. back and cracked three ribs. Davis, Calif., that is near friend Kay Phillips.

wife Tamie and brother Har- New Year's holiday. program at Dallas.

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Morning Worship....11:00 a.m.

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Evening Service..... 7:30 p.m.

Prayer Service..... 7:30 p.m.

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and her friend Bea Suddreth guests in the home of sister from Kingsland, and Betty's Maxine Childers. They are mother Audell Covington of Jay Lee and Reba, Truman Tucson, Ariz., and all the and Betty and children, and Carpenter children - son Don- sister Myrle Franklin of Hous-

Kent and Mary Gabel and and Brett. children and grandmother Rachel Graham were in Mc-Richard White came in Lean visiting Billie and Katy Graham, and Mary's sister Kathy and Mark Hensled of Belen, N.M. were there too. Graham and Ted and

Bob and Jean DuLaney had Now that isn't funny, but he a house full of their mutual and Josie went out to James children, his daughter Vicky and Mildred's for a mini- and Mack Shugart and Dana family. Shanee and Rex Lust Christmas dinner and gift and Johnny of Plainview, exchange. The boys are Brad from college and Bob's home, Jim from Tech, Dr. parents Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sharla and Danny, Then Bob and Paula and baby DuLaney of Lubbock, and Christmas eve Betty's brot-Jamie from Orange, near Jean's daughter Poppy and hers came, Zane and family Beaumont and Kent who James Head and boys, P.J. from Big Spring and Wane teaches in a state university at and Jake of Hereford and and family from Littlefield.

and two children Stephanie Joy's parents Mr. and Mrs. in Iowa. and Michael are here from Jack Lamm of Sayre, Okla. Dallas to visit his parents, Daughter Pam came in Wed- are here from Wichita Falls to Clyde and Faye Damron of nesday from Dallas and her visit his aunt Meredith Hoop-Flagg, also his son John and husband will come for the er and Zeke. They had their

old and Bobbie. Dr. Damron Ben and Wanda Derrick Suzanne and Harry Lunt of

Christmas day. R.N. and Ann, were the Christmas dinner A'Lann and her guest Joe Collins.

> Donna and Tommy Stafford and three girls from Muskagee Okla. were here to be with his folks Florine and Roy Stafford and Donna's folks Dorothy and Rex Sheffy, Scott

The Burketts are home from their annual trip to Phoenix awhile back where - all there with families. they visited sons David and Joe and their families and on The Hensleds stopped in to Los Angeles to see Mike. Nettie Grahams looking after Amarillo to visit his folks, on And this week Mrs. Don King here to visit Perry and Kim of Pampa is here to visit her sister Katy Burket and Swain. All visited Swains' sisters in Lubbock one day.

And the Reeford Burrouses cooked the big dinner for their and Cory, Sherri and Jerry Matthews and Tawnee, and

Bob Martin came home Sacramento, Jack and Suzie Elvis and Joy Barker have from Dubuque, Iowa for a joined the family for the daughter Sharon home for the holiday visit with his folks dinner then went on to Mar- holidays. She will be going to Johnny and Nell Martin. With shall for the Christmas day London in January for 12 him was Scott Martin, who is with her folks, the Jim months to attend midwife with the Ditch Witch Co. in school. Also spending Christ- Perry, Okla. Bob is working Dr. John Douglas Damron mas with the Barkers were with the big John Deere Co.

Ronnie and Becky Hooper Santa visit while here.

is with the Texas Education had the family in for Christ- Sunray were here with her mas. They are son Shannon family John and Sue Merritt The Touchstone family from Lubbock, Muffy and and brothers Lint and Teresa.

Johnnie and Amy.

Aural Davis and daughter Susie Ellis of Amarillo went to Nazareth Friday night to hear the beautiful pageant of the nativity and then on Christmas Aural, Susie and husband Roy went to his brother Harry and Brenda Ellis's house for the big family Christmas dinner. Roy has five brothers and two sisters,

Don Jackson came home from Weisbaden, Germany for the holiday visit with his parents Al and Dorothy. All went to Levelland for the dinner with Dorothy's mother Mrs. O.L. Castle. Don has been with the Air force there for four years and will be in Germany till next October. He loves it, the people, country and the service.

Bob and Helen McLean had dinner one day with Charles and Jill, a son. Another day with son Robert and Roxanne and another time with neice Meri and Jerry Killingsworth and Jo Kirkpatrick, Keri and Don Carmichael and LaVerne

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Bates, of course the children,

Mrs. Carlile and I went out to the South Hills home Monday evening to visit friends Lynn King, Mr. Kern, Mrs. Springer of Frio, Mrs. Rachel Summers, Lindley, Metcalf,

dozens of others. We heard

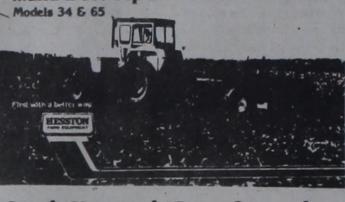
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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 5th and Halsell Rev. Delbert Fish, Pastor Phone 647-2651 Sunday-

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GARNETT F. HOLLAND Manager, City of Dimmitt 15-11-4tc

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By Teeny Bowden

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Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown attended the funeral services for his aunt, Mrs. Reba Greenlee in Abernathy Friday



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afternoon. She was the sister and Mrs. David Sadler, Melof his father, E.R. Brown of ody and Karla, Tresa, and Cheryl Powell of Dimmitt. The BYW assisted with the Mr. and Mrs. Jake King and Dimmitt Satellite School open Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dawson of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Tommy and Michael Gra- Conard of Dimmitt and Mrs. ham participated in the live Chad Windsor and Cory of Nativity Scene in Earth Mon- Austin had Christmas dinner Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. day night and went caroling Ezell Sadler. Mr and Mrs. Lynn Brown, Chris Elkins, James Powell joined them for and Jeanne Haydon partici- supper.

All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fulfer were home for the Christmas weekend. Mr. and Mrs. William H.

der participated with the 6th Fowler of Colorado Springs arrived Friday afternoon to Carrie Sadler and the Dim- spend the Christmas holidays mitt 8-A team lost to Mule- with their daughter, Mr. and shoe Monday night 26-19. She Mrs. Terry Guy, Ginny and

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner returned home last 33-8. Richard Sauseda was Sunday from LBJ Lake where high point man with 7 points. they helped his sister and husband get moved into a Mr and Mrs. John Gilbreath, Coby, Matt, and Hal house there. Mr. and Mrs. had Christmas dinner in Lub- Garner Ball and Debra of bock Saturday with Mr. and Hart, Mrs. Katie Waggoner Mrs. J.N. Barnett and David, of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. R.S. Rodgers of Jimmy Waggoner, Stacy and Gustine, and Mrs. Carmaleta Jana had Christmas dinner Barnett, Kim, Bart, Lori and with them Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown and Rodgers spent Saturday and Lynn had Christmas dinnight in Olton with the Bar- ner Sunday in Lubbock with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler, E.R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Carrie, Stacy, and Laura, Mr. Hylton Brown and family of

Bud Woodward and family of don Bradley and family. Lubbock. They visited Sunday Bob Swinney.

Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parson and family of Hereford had dinner with them Christmas day.

Loudder, Lance and Lane of Flagg and Kyle Cooper of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland, Zane and Gena of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Loudder, Kyle and Dara had Christmas dinner and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbreath, Coby, Matt and Hal spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day in Gruver with Mr. and Mrs. Zay Gilbreath, Gary, Alan and Mark, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilbreath and Mr. and Mrs. F.J. Mears of Dimmitt.

Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Gregory and Amy of Lubbock spent Saturday night through Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan. Bob Clatt of Lubbock also spent Saturday night and Sunday with them. They all attended the Sunday morning worship service.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley, Kent, Kelby, and Kyle of Lubbock attended the Sunday morning services on their way to spend Christmas in Dim-

Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. mitt with Mr. and Mrs. Wel-

Melody and Karla Sadler night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim went home with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Parson King Saturday night and and family of Houston arrived stayed through Christmas day with them. Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler spent Christmas eve and Christmas day with them and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Chad Windsor of Austin left Christmas day to spend a few days skiing in Colorado. Cory Windsor stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard of Dimmitt.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Wag-

goner and Daila of Roswell, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pharis, Randy, Russell and Kyla and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Jackson of Midland, Dr. and Mrs. Robbie Lindsey, Mark and Angelia of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Waggoner, Laura, Susan, and John and Mrs. Euless Waggoner had Christmas supper with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner, Quint, Holly and Gay Satur- Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox, day night and then went to the Euless Waggoner home for their Christmas tree. Mrs. Eddie Waggoner and children went to San Angelo Sunday morning to be with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton Sunday and Monday. The rest were with Mrs. Waggoner for dinner on Sun-

stayed until Christinas day with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bothwell of Plainview had dinner with them Sunday. All attended the church services Sunday night. Bubba and Wade also attended the Sunday morning services with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Waggoner, Stacy and Jana had Christmas dinner and supper with her family in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hasley of Dimmitt

Mr. and Mrs. James Powell, Tresa and Cheryl of Dimmitt had dinner Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of Houston came in Friday night to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Akers of Lubbock spent the Christmas weekend with them. Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and Alan Shive had dinner with them Sunday. Donnie Shive and Chris and Gregg and Mrs. V.E. Bearden all of Dimmitt visited in the afternoon and had supper with them. All but Alan Shive had dinner with them again Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spen-

cer, Mrs. V.E. Bearden of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Carmon Pigg, Kirk, Vanessa and day, some stayed through Jeffrey of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hill and Kyla of Bubba Jones of Fort Worth Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Miand Wade Jones of San An- chael Tinsley of Canyon, Alan gelo arrived Saturday and Shive of Denver City, Donnie

Shive and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry and Mrs. Ted Abrahamson, Cox and boys of Dimmitt all had Christmas dinner Saturday night in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shive, Jill. Jennifer, and Jason of Lubbock and her parents, Mr.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE OF INTENT

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79088, has filed with the Public

Utilities Commission of Texas a

petition of intent to change

rates in regard to large com-

mercial consumers and irriga-

tion facilities. Swisher Electric

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Intent to Change Rates which

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### On Wall Street By Bob Hill A.G. Edwards & Sons, Inc.

Business has a long list of uncertainties to consider and monetary policy is at the head to restrict credit. In fact most of the list. It's no question of the experts are confused that economists think that our fiscal policy will get tighter, because the Administration is committed to a slowing in the growth in federal spending.

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But the question is what the monetary authorities will do about what the Federal Reserve is doing at the moment. Statistics don't shed any light

on what the Fed will do. The money managers boosted the discount rate an extraordinary one percentage point a month ago. It is now at a record 91/2 %. This kicked the prime rate up to 111/2 %. It suggests a tightening noose for credit.

Our economic activity continues to advance at a moderate pace. The economy remains strong and the demand for credit continues. This suggests that we are really in a lull before the fiscal storm. If this is the case, then nervousness in international money market will force the Federal Reserve to tighten up on interest rates again.

There have been many recession forecasts lately. These forecasts figure that inflation and the need to defend the dollar will not only force interest rates higher, but will "mini-money crunch." These forecasts predict a prime rate of 13% within the next 90 days, which will set a new record. The previous high was 12% in

All of these developments -would force some kind of newpolicies by the Administration. The Federal Reserve Chairman remains opposed to credit controls, but the Chairman of the Council on Wage & Price Stability is raising the possibility of controls on borrowing as an additional means of curbing inflation.

To further confuse the issue, there are a number of onomy. Retail traded has flattened and there is a question about how willing consumers are to spend money heavily. The holiday season got off to a slow start. However, jobs and incomes are up nicely.

EXPECT a microwave oven to last about 15 years, but with good care it could last

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed bids addressed to the City of Dimmitt, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 6:30 PM, January 15, 1979, and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for drilling, equipping and installing one water supply well and piping.

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

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

The successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner. (If contract is less than \$25,000, no performance or payment bond is required.)

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

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

CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS By: E. H. Youts, Mayor -s- E. H. YOUTS

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## **UETERAN'S SERUICES**

By BEDFORD W. SMITH County Service Officer

Starting today (Thursday) our office in the courthouse will be closed for Christmas. We'll be open again all day both Dec. 28 and 29.

We have been informed that the annual accountable income limitations for VA pensions for 1979 have been raised to \$4,038 for both disabled veterans and widows, and to \$5,430 for veterans and widows with dependents, and for surviving children of deceased wartime veterans to \$3,289 of earned income.

VA pensions are not to be confused with welfare. This protection was earned by serving to keep our nation free in time of war.

Regional Office:

history, the Veterans Administration will issue personal identification cards to more than two million service-disabled veterans to emphasize their top priority in obtaining treatment at VA medical centers and outpatient clinics.

The innovative move was ordered by VA Administrator Max Cleland who said, "Veterans disabled in the military service are of prime concern to the VA. These identification cards will expedite the medical care they receive and will serve as a constant reminder to our employees as well as to veterans themselves that they are special people

their government. In a letter to 2,225,000 vetcompensation checks for service-connected disabilities, system and enclosed an ap-

entitled to special care from

The cards, with bold mark- call us. ings "Priority" and "Service-Connected" in a distinctive purple design, will alert staff members in VA facilities that bearers are entitled to special

Veterans needing treatment for conditions not suffered in service may get VA medical care if they can't afford to go elsewhere and VA facilities

Cleland said the new identification system does not remove the need to make appointments for examination or treatment at VA medical cenwhat you want-then sitting ters.

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AIRMAN GERARDO GON-ZALEZ, whose wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Montemayor of Hart, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls. Airman Gonzalez recently completed basic training at The following VA news re- Lackland AFB. He attended lease comes from the Waco high school in McAllen. His wife is the former Esmeralda For the first time in its Montemayor of Hart.

> pointments is still important to veterans seeking health care from the VA. Appointments assure that records are available, that staff is ready and that treatment is given.'

> Eligible for the cards in addition to those Cleland wrote are another 500,000 veterans with service-connected disabilities for which they are not now being compensated. They will not be contacted by VA but may call the nearest VA regional office or medical center for information.

Cleland said the only time a service-connected does not get priority attention is when there is an emergency for another patient.

Your County Service Officer erans receiving VA monthly is taking this means to thank the Castro County News for help in keeping veterans, Cleland explained the priority their dependents and survivors of deceased veterans inlication blank which veterans formed of benefits to which are to return to obtain the they may be entitled. If in doubt about any benefit see or

## to the editor

Dear Editor:

The other day I read in the Castro County News about a family that was turned down at Plains Memorial Hospital because of a lack of money. A person of the hospital staff said there was a misunderstanding in the translating in languages.

The reason I am writing is

drive

## Social Security tax rate will be increased in 1979

Workers may notice a higher deduction for their social security when they get their paychecks in 1979, a social security spokesman said re-

This is because the social 1978. security tax rate for 1979 will be 6.13 percent, compared with 6.05 percent in 1978, the representative explained. The increase amounts to an additional 8 cents on every \$100 in

In addition to paying the higher rates, workers who earn more than \$17,700 will pay the lax on a larger share of their income in 1979.

The maximum amount of earnings subject to social security taxes in 1979 is \$22,-900, compared with the \$17,-

because of a similar matter. On August 20, 1975 I took my wife to Dr. Murphy. Dr. Murphy examined my wife. He told me my wife was having a miscarriage and she needed to be admitted in the hospital.

We went to Plains Memorial Hospital and they asked me if we had insurance. I told them no. They asked for \$300 or \$350 before my wife could be admitted. I told them that we did not have the money. I asked them to give me some time to get the money, that I would try to get the money. They said they were sorry but that they have to go by the rules and refused us.

We went back to Dr. Murphy and told him what had happened. He said he was sorry and to let him give my wife a shot for the pain.

After we left the doctor's office I rushed my wife from Dimmitt to the Plainview hospital. They took care of my wife. The doctor there is still our family doctor, in case you want proof of her condition on Aug. 20, 1975.

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700 maximum in 1978.

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But they also can count on higher social security benefits later, the representative said. Monthly benefit amounts are based on average covered earnings so higher earnings generally mean higher benefit

Employers match the social security taxes paid by employees on a dollar for dollar

The increases in the tax rate and the amount of earnings taxable in 1979 were part of a new financing package enacted by Congress in 1977 to keep the social security system on a sound footing until well into the next century.

More information about social security taxes and benefits can be obtained at any social security office. The address and telephone number of the nearest social security office can be found in the telephone directory under "Social Security Administration.'

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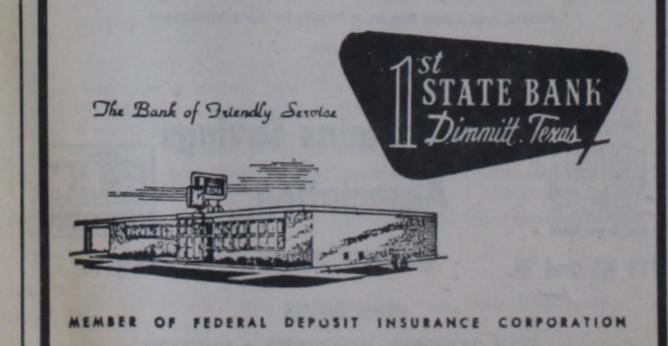
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### **COW POKES**

By Ace Reid



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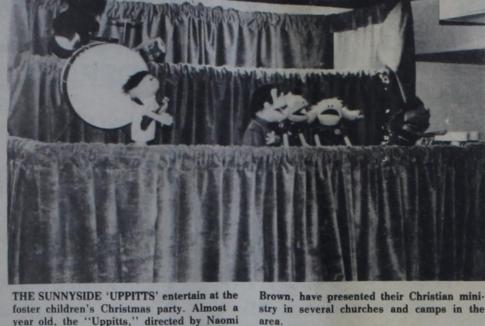
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### Gregory earns degree at LCC

Bill Gregory, son of Mr. Christian College during com-and Mrs. Bill Gregory of mencement excercises Dec. 9. Dimmitt received a bachelor of science degree in business

This was the first December graduating class of Lubbock Christian College and consisadministration from Lubbock ted of 28 seniors. Congressman-elect Kent Hance of the 19th District of Texas was the

commencement speaker. Gregory is a 1974 graduate of Dimmitt High School, participated on the LCC basketball team and was on the Dean's list during his stay on the LCC campus.

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Paul Acker. when standing on wet ground.

> Dec. 31 - Connie Ivey, Sheila Barton, Karen Hutson, Erik Thomas, Ricky Bagwell, Rudy Cantrell, Randy Bagwell, Dorothy Pohlmeier,

Jan. 1 - Charles Lane, Deann Leatherwood, Barbara

Jan. 2 - Bobbie Bruegel, Ruth Cochran.

## Happy birthday!

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

Dec. 28 - Bea Acker, M.A. [Buster] Tidwell, Guy Skelton, Carol Bagwell, Royce Huseman, Cyrilla Brockman, Mark Kleman, Mary Ann Schulte.

Dec. 29 - Janet Mays, Garland Coleman II, Kevin

Dec. 30 - Kristi Kelly, Kent Kirby, Lola McDaniel, Carla Summers, Randy Fry, James Killough,

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Masterworks of English Lit. 1	7 - 9:45 PM	M	HHS
Govt of the U.S. and Texas	7 - 9:45 PM	Th	HHS
History of the U.S. since 1877	7 - 9:45 PM	M	HHS
Penology	6 - 8:45 PM	Th	HHS
Traffic Planning & Administration	6 - 8:45 PM	M	HHS
Mid-Management Seminar	9:10 - 10 PM	M	HHS
Management Training	5:30 - 6:30 PM	M	HHS
Human Relations in Management	6:30 - 9 PM	M	HHS
Management by Objective	7 - 9:45 PM	Th	HHS
Intro to Money Management	7 - 9:45 PM	Tu	HHS
Psychology of Adjustment	7 - 9:45 PM	Tu	HHS
Real Estate Principles	7 - 9:45 PM	Tu	HHS
Human Anatomy-Physiology	7 - 9:45 PM	M	HHS
Laboratory	7 - 9:45 PM	Tu	HHS

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By Brick Autry

It's been nice here in Dim- Every time I passed by the mitt. I've been here for two truck stop she greeted me. years now but I feel that it's Finally, after the third time, time to turn a new leaf. I'm we decided that it was true

During my vacation I plan to be married. My new bride all the library patrons. Tell and I will go to her home on me, though, how can Dimthe Blackfoot Indian Reserva- mitt, Texas compare with the tion in Montana. We plan on thrill and the adventure of the a truly native honeymoon activities listed above? It just complete with teepee and can't. That's what. So, buffalo hides.

More about

SHEFFY'S

[Continued from Page 2] the good Christmas music by Avie Lewis at the piano, her children Kerry and Ronna, drums and their friend Laura Hargrove, a flute or horn, (forget). Kerry and Ronna are the grandchildren of Virgil and Geneva Justice. The home was bright and cheerful with many flowers. Mrs. Harris has been in Amarillo to see her 96-year-old mother. Also Wannie Stevens, her sister went along.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carter and sons Steve and Tim of Midland have been here for a visit with Mrs. Carter's sister Janice and Lonnie Bell and family. He says he is not the president.

Wayne and Donna Meacham and daughter Kimmie of Denver were here for a visit with Roy and Billie Meacham and Hugo Beyers, parents of Wayne and Donna. Mr. Beyers has been to Nevada where he has a farm-a stop off in Denver and down to middle Texas to visit his Dad.

The wedding for Mary prettiest I ever saw. The altar was decorated with white tree shaped candelabra with white ruffled shirts-a good looking bunch of boys, David was in white and Mary wore the long white dress. The girls were in light burgandy dresses, long, and Ruby Moultrie, the soloist, sang "Ava Maria" for the mothers and grandmothers entry and band. other solos. Bobby Jones says he managed to walk

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down the aisle with Mary, without falling. Beth Jones mother Mrs. Bridges and other relatives came from Arkansas and Bob had some from Hale Center. I didn't meet all the out of town guests but I met Emily Gregory from San Mateo. She is Carrol's daughter and Emily with Alann Truelock, Pam Nutt served the chocolate cake and coffee from David's table and Donna Schilling and Annette Littlejohn served the white bride's cake from a beautiful table covered with flounced lace and the pink silk

I met the future Mrs. Autry

at a truck stop near Anadarko.

love (or a bad case of gas).

Frankly, I will dearly miss

though it will really hurt to

You know you can read all about it on the society page.

roses for the centerpiece.

Mrs. Watson of Earth did the

cakes and table decorations.

I received my Christmas letter from Dr. Carrol Gregory (Jo's son) who lives at San Mateo, Calif. He sent a \$25 check to the Castro County of whooey I've ever written Museum. Says he is happy they have a real windmill Jones and David Gregory Sat- there. Dr. Gregory is interesturday morning was one of the ed in plants and trees in that part and he is a director in a bank besides an MD. His flowers and two tall Christmas daughter Emily is here with her grandmother Jo and for white tapers. All the ushers her cousin David's wedding and groomsmen were dressed with Mary Jones which was in wine colored suits with last Saturday. Jo Gregory and I received much beautiful red berried holly from Dr. Gregory. Thanks.

> Opal Bearden with her daughter Kay Snider and Patrice of Amarillo spent the holiday in Dallas with Opal's sister Margaret and her hus-

Cecil and Blanche Ginn went to Tempe, Ariz. for the holiday visit with son Rayphard and wife June and the grandkids. They usually take a few side trips to see that area. Rayphard is State Parks Director. June's dad Mr. Heard lives at Littlefield.

Saw Arlene Newman at the bank. She and Alan had their children home. They are Kerry, Eddy, Le Anna and Barry and her married son Rick and Lei Oldfield and baby Sharla from Canyon. Alan Newman is chief of police.

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44 persons would lose their lives during the Christmas period of Operation Motorcide and that figure was exceeded.

Every available trooper from the DPS will be on duty throughout the holidays according to Maj. C.W. Bell, regional commander. These troopers will be on full alert on all highways in the area to control traffic, lower speeds and get the drinking driver off Texas roads.

Excessive speed and the

Bell urges every driver to It had been predicted that do his part this holiday period by not drinking and driving. There is a strong opinion chen Brockman. among traffic safety leaders that at least 50 per cent of all lives lost in traffic are caused by the drinking driver.

> Texas reached a record high of 3,698 traffic deaths in the year 1977, an increase of 14 percent over 1976.

Slow down and practice defensive driving to stay

## Discovery Center has new NASA space show

The new star program at the Don Harrington Discovery Center in Amarillo starting Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 30 and 31, is celebrating Ameri-

can achievement in space. The year 1978 marked the twentieth anniversary of NASA, the American agency responsible for the fabulous

## Ray Mason is TSTI graduate

Ray N. Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mason of Dimmitt, graduated from Tex-She is the daughter of the Gee as State Technical Institute at Amarillo Dec. 14.

Mason graduated from the meat processing and market-

leave you, I hear my destiny and I must be off.

Also, this is the biggest lot and I wrote it because I couldn't think of anything else to write. Like it or not, folks, you'll have me to put up with for the next year (unless I get fired for writing this). If you can't take a joke once in a while, that's too bad. May your New Years punch be spiked with alum instead of cheer. Happy New Year!

Oh yes, if you are slightly trashed out from the holidays, then I suggest you read one of the several books by Stephan King. His most recent work, "The Stand", will make you so sick that you will forget all about your holiday depression. I urge, however, that hypochondriacs avoid the book if at all possible.

explosion in knowledge of the earth, moon, sun and planets.

A generation ago, the surface features of Mercury and Venus were unknown. The existence of canals on Mars was a major controversy. It was thought man might land on the moon, in about 100

The Legacy was developed by Hansen Planetarium of Salt Lake City through funding and other assistance from NASA. NASA also made possible the distribution of this program to 400 planetariums throughout the nation.

"The Legacy" is a spectacular journey through the solar system onboard an interplanetary spaceship of the future to see the planets close up and to appreciate the exciting new legacy provided by American manned and unmanned spaceprobes.

It will be shown weekends through March at the Don Harrington Discovery Center located on the western edge of Amarillo, in the Medical Center just across from High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Shows are presented at 8 p.m. Saturday and 3 p.m. Sunday. The box-office opens a half-hour early. Tickets are priced at \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students under 18. Special group showings may be arranged at other times by calling the Don Harrington Discovery Center office.

EATING rare ground meat is risky because the grinding process results in many surfaces on which bacteria may

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

Dec. 28 - Bob and Jean Dulaney, Fred and Bobbie Bruegel, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Schacher.

Dec. 29 - Hal and Gret-

Dec. 30 - David and Pat Keith, Albert and Rita Hart-

Dec. 31 - Jerry and Dena Phillips, Delton and Sue Tischler, Maurice and Wanda Campbell, Jim and June Fisher.

Jan. 2 - Manuel and Carman Catano.

Jan. 3 — Delbert and Jack Smotherman, Steve and Vicki

DON'T use good knives to cut string or wire or as screw drivers or levers.

## Yearend brings final dates for several ASCS programs—

EMERGENCY FEED PRO-GRAM - Dec. 31 is the final filing date for emergency feed program (EFP) applications by which all 1978 calendar year crop losses can be considered. The livestock owner must have suffered a substantial loss in the livestock feed normally produced on his farm for eligible livestock. COTTON PRODUCTION

CARDS - Don't forget to turn in your cotton production cards. These records are needed to complete your 1979 farm yields. The yield for the farms not submitting records will be zero.

WOOL AND UNSHORN LAMBS - The 1978 wool marketing year ends Dec. 31. Application for wool or unshorn lambs sold in 1978 must be filed by Jan. 31, 1979.



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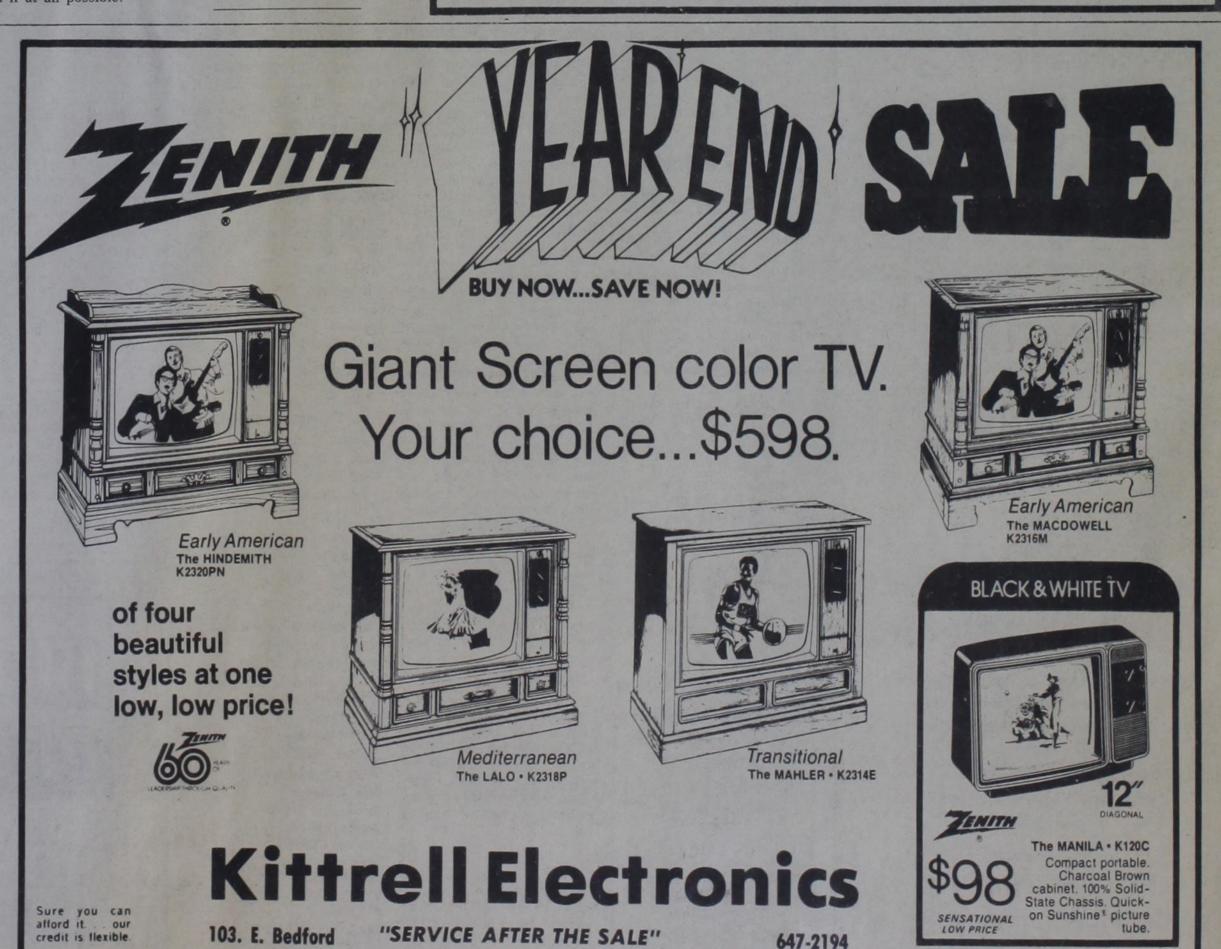
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THREE-POINT PLAY — Dimmitt guard Kelly Hill [11] is fouled as he goes up for a shot in the second quarter of the Bobcat's game against Brownfield last Thursday night. Hill sank the basket despite being crowded, then

made the free throw to give the Bobcats a commanding 41-19 lead with 21/2 minutes remaining in the first half. Dimmitt went on to post an 86-49 victory.

table 4-2 record while playing

in large-school divisions. They

finished third in their bracket

at the 16-team Snyder Invita-

tional and were runners-up in

the Reese AFB tourney. Their

losses to El Paso High at

Snyder and to El Paso An-

dress at Reese are their only

two setbacks in 13 games this

year. The Bobcats' tourney

victims have included Abilene

Cooper, Lubbock Christian,

as the Division II favorite in

the Caprock Tourney, al-

though the potent Tulia Hor-

First-round games in Divi-

sion II Wednesday pitted

Christ the King against Slaton

at 9 a.m., Lubbock Christian

against Floydada at 10:30,

Tahoka against Tulia at 2, and

Crosbyton against Idalou at

The Caprock Tournament is

sponsored by the Lubbock

Caprock Chapter of American

Business Clubs. All proceeds

of the tourney go to chari-

table projects and scholar-

Police to enforce

city holiday traffic

The large number of DWI

and narcotics arrests during

the Christmas weekend has

led to plans for increased city

traffic enforcement by police

during the New Year week-

end, according to police chief

In addition to the weekend

enforcement, city police will

begin checking more closely

for liquor violations, especi-

ally among teenagers drag-

ging main or congregating

by city police during the

holiday weekend on DWI,

public intoxication or narco-

Eight persons were arres-

ted on DWI charges and two

were arrested for bootlegging

by sheriff's office officials

during the Dec. 22-25 week-

Nine persons were arrested

Alan Newman.

downtown.

ships.

nets may have other ideas.

Lubbock Christian is tabbed

Pecos and Big Spring.

# Bobcats begin play in Caprock Tourney

they can find, Dimmitt's Bobcats tip-toed into the largeschool division of the Caprock ABC Holiday Basketball Tournament in Lubbock Wednes-

The Bobcats are in a "dark horse" role in the tourney, just as they were in the recent Reese AFB Christmas Classic -where they fought their way to the finals against a different field of large-school com-

Dimmitt was scheduled to meet Lubbock Coronado at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the first round in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

includes Class AAAA Lubbock Monterey, Wichita Falls High and Lubbock High; in the championship game. Class AAA Lubbock Dunbar and Lubbock Estacado; and naments this year, the Bob-Class AA Morton.

Other first-round games in the large-school bracket Wednesday pitted Dunbar against Lubbock High at 12:30, Wichta Falls against Estacado at 6, and Monterey against Morton at 9.

A Dimmitt victory over Coronado would probably set up a showdown with Dunbar in the semifinals Thursday night at 9. These two teams met in the championship game last year, with Dunbar winning it by seven.

Thursday's schedule in the large-school division will also pit the Morton-Monterey loser against the Wichita Falls-Estacado loser at 12:30; the Dunbar-Lubbock loser against the Dimmitt-Coronado loser at 2; and the Morton-Monterey winner against the Wichita Falls-Estacado winner at 7:30.

> HEREFORD CHIROPRACTIC CENTER Stephen Remlinger, D.C. Phone 364-2045 505 Park Ave., Hereford

In their pre-district quest On Friday, the Division I cats have compiled a respecfor the toughest competition (large school) consolation championship game will be held at 2 p.m., the third-place game at 6 and the championship bout at 9. Each of these games will be preceded by the equivalent games in Division II (small schools)

> Monterey, which has won the Division I title seven times in the last 10 years, is tagged as the tourney favorite.

Dimmitt and Morton dominated Caprock's Division II bracket for years before moving up to the large-school division. In their first appearance in Division I last year, the Bobcats whipped Lubbock High soundly in the first The large-school field also round and squeaked past Estacado by a point in the semifinals before losing to Dunbar

In their two previous tour-



DIMMITT Today (Thursday) - Varsity Boys at Caprock Tournament, there, Varsity Girls at Slaton Tournament, there. Jan. 2 - Varsity and J.V. Boys vs. Canyon, here. Jan 4-6 -8th Boys vs. Clovis

NAZARETH Dec. 27-30 - A Boys at Amarillo Tourney, A Girls at Happy Tournament

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Boys and B Boys vs. Adrian, Jan. 4&5 -J.V. Boys at Happy Tournament.

Jan. 4 - 7th and 8th Girls and Boys vs. Kress, here.

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## New service of Cable TV starts soon

Cable TV service in the expanded program planned for 1979 by the Dimmitt TV Cable Co. is expected to begin by Monday, with four new channels available to area customers.

The firm has received its final permit from the Federal Communications Commission for earth satellite receiver service, and equipment is being installed under direction of James Emmick, an engineer here from Chandler, Ariz.

Installation is expected to be completed and ready for testing by the end of this week, and the final turn-on by Monday.

One of the new channels will offer Home Box Office, an auxiliary service at an added charge, with movies, sports and celebrity specials.

The satellite stations will be received on Channel 8, KTVU from Oakland-San Francisco; Channel 9, CBN, Christian Broadcast Network, and Don the go Channel 12, WTCG from Atlanta, Ga.

Orders for the cable service and Home Box Office are being taken now at the company's office, 103 NW 3rd St.

### Morning mishap totals vehicle

A two-vehicle accident last Wednesday morning which totaled a 1978 Cadillac Fleetwood has resulted in charges of failure to yield right-of-way against the driver, Lois Scott,

Scott was headed north on highway 385 when she approached a stop sign and drove into the intersection, striking a truck driven by E.L. United Way campaign: Harvey Selby of Amarillo. Selby was headed west on highway 194.

Neither driver was injured in the incident.

### More about:

### **Emergency**

[Continued from Page 1] decide to issue a public statement on admission policies of the hospital.

If charges are filed under the state law, it will be a Class C misdemeanor which Tommy Stanton carries a maximum fine of \$200. Such a charge could presumably pave the way to filing a civil suit for damages.

Mr. and Mrs. Aguinaga do not speak English, and the language barrier has been blamed by Hospital Administrator Jack Newsom for the Castro County Grain 'misunderstanding' caused the couple to take Federal Land Bank their sick baby to Swisher Hi-Plains Savings & Loan County Hospital at Tulia, only to be denied admission there because they were not residents of that county

The child died while the Aguinagas were on their way back to Dimmitt. Dr. Murphy had ordered the baby admit- Carl Bruegel ted to the hospital for intensive treatment of a respiratory infection, high fever and dehydration.

Mr. and Mrs. Aguinaga charge they were told at the hospital business office that the baby would not be admitted unless they deposited E. R. Little \$400. They were accompanied Ben Scott by a teenage youth who acted Castro County News as interpreter.

On the current Grand Jury Central Plains S&L are five women and seven men, including one Mexican-American, eight Anglos and three Blacks.

Other cases investigated by Driver's Oil Company the Grand Jury resulted earlier in indictments for felony DWI, felony theft, burglary, robbery, theft by check and one case of manslaughter, in connection with an accident near Nazareth Oct. 8 in which 12-year-old Alicia Rodriguez Ted Sheffy was killed. Daniel Solis Mata was charged with involuntary Kent Birdwell Insurance manslaughter in that incident. Dimmitt Car Wash

USE of high quality seed and profitable cotton production go hand-in-hand. High quality seed is essential for planting early in the season when unfavorable weather is more likely. Also, high quality seed is one of the best weapons against seedling disease.

DESPITE higher prices for fed cattle, the cattle feeding business may well be in for a squeeze in 1979 due to high feeder cattle costs.

### More about:

### Meeting

[Continued from Page 1]

for any purpose. That ruling, Edwards said, threw the \$4,000 into what is legally termed a "voided account." That's where the money rests now, and it can't be touched until it is reallocated at the city's annual budget meeting in April.

As to whether funds for poor patients are available under the provisions of the federal Hill-Burton Act, the hospital board says "no."

Since federally guaranteed funds were used to construct Plains Memorial, the hospital is required to devote a certain amount of its budget to the care of indigent patients.

But according to Board Chairman Dan Nelson, the hospital already is spending more than twice the required amount to provide medical services to poor people. This money shows up not in loans, but in unpaid bills that the hospital has to absorb, Nelson

Christmas visitors in the Leonard Dollar home were Maude Lindsey and son, Weldon, of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. David Thompson and sons of Friona. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Monte Dollar and family of Lamesa were here for the day also.



**Bob Anthony** 

Personnel of the following farms and businesses have contributed or pledged an average of \$36 or more per family to the 1978 Dimmitt

George Bagwell Melvin Barton James Bradford Ted Collins Dan Heard W. E. Heath Jack Howell J. F. Mears Jr. John Merritt Joe Nelson Stanley Nelson M. A. Pennington Arlie Petty D. H. Shottenkirk Darrell Smith James Welch Donald Wright

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the faculty of the Basic Indus-Andy Behrends trial Development Course at Robert Benton Texas A&M University. Commenting on Milner's Earl Lust promotion, Springer said, Charles Wales 'Larry Milner works well with both people and facts, the Big T Pump Co. combination that it requires to Burkett, Ross and Edwards be effective in legislative and Joe's Real Estate regulatory affairs. Govern-KDHN Radio mental actions at both the Lonnie Bell state and federal level are having more and more impact on both the day to day operation of our company and the Justice Real Estate planning we must do for the future. We must keep our public affairs program at full Carlile Theatre speed, so we are putting

Reeve-Fleming Chevrolet Dimmitt Electric W&C Grain

Vern Lust Jim Golding Joe Lust Woodrow Nelson Frank Wise Higginbotham-Bartlett Running M Boot & Shoe Jerry Durham

Ira E. Brown J. R. Matthews Truman Touchstone **Emily Clingingsmith** Dale Winders **Production Credit** Western Auto Thomas Jewelry Lester Gladden Lint Merritt Glenn Odom

Jay Lee Touchstone

Doyle Underwood

Bill Potts



GRAND THEFT - Dimmitt guard Vicente Salinas [left] wins the race for a loose ball which he has just tipped away from a Brownfield player in the third quarter of last

Thursday night's game here. Salinas' steal led to a Dimmitt basket to give the Bobcats a 55-25 lead. The outcome was never in doubt as the Bobcats won, 86-49.

## **Bobbies go into action at Slaton**

Dimmitt's Bobbies were from the biggest scoring follow the Dimmitt-Dunbar scheduled for the opening game of the Slaton Holiday Tournament at noon Wednesday, against girls from Lubbock Dunbar.

15-team tournament with a loser of a Cooper-McCamey season's record of 13-1, fresh clash which was scheduled to

Larry Milner

Southwestern Public Service

Company, has announced that

effective January 1, 1979.

Larry S. Milner will become

director of public affairs for

Milner earned a bachelor of

arts degree from the Univer-

sity of Texas and started his

career with Southwestern in

1966 as manager of industrial

development. In 1972, he be-

came manager of area deve-

West Texas Chamber of Com-

merce and has been active in

the United Way program and

various civic activities. He is a

vice president of the Texas

Industrial Council and is on

Larry to work full time in that

arena now so that we will

have a smooth transition and

no loss of effectiveness when

Ed Weber retires at the end

In a related action, Cliff

Milnar, Southwestern's vice

president of marketing, an-

nounced that Doyle Moore

of 1979.

Milner is a member of the

the electric company.

**SPS** personnel promotions

announced to begin year

Berl Springer, president has been promoted to man-

also effective January 1.

Moore is a graduate of

West Texas State University

where he earned a BBA in

1950 and an MBA in 1968. He

started with SPS in the stores

department in 1955 and was

named Panhandle Division

stores supervisor in 1963. He

served as a tax representative

from 1966 to 1973 when he

was named an area develop-

certification from the Ameri-

can Industrial Development

Council classifying him as a

Certified Industrial Developer

(CID). Moore is one of only

600 CID's in the United

In 1977, Moore received a

ment consultant.

States.

and chief operating officer of ager of area development,

spree of any Bobbie team for Lubbock last week.

In second-round play today (Thursday afternoon) Dimmitt The Bobbies go into the will meet the winner or the

game of Wednesday. The years, a 103-29 victory over remainder of the Wednesday schedule for the first bracket pitted Tulia vs. Slaton JV and left DeSoto with a bye. Monterrey was to play Ta-

hoka and Frenship to meet Idalou in the other Wednesday afternoon games, while the evening schedule included Lubbock High vs. Christ the King and Floydada against the host team. In Dimmitt's section, winners are to meet at 4 p.m. and

losers at 5:30 p.m. Thursday. Competition will advance to Friday afternoon, consolational finals are scheduled at 5:30 p.m. Saturday and the final tournament game at 8:30 p.m.

The Nazareth Swiftettes had been entered in the Slaton tourney but withdrew earlier this month because of a scheduling conflict and will play in a tournament at Hap-

### First tryouts scheduled for 'Texas' roles

The directors of "Texas" will begin their annual search for talent Jan. 6. The first audition is scheduled for the Christmas holidays so that artists vacationing in the area will be able to attend.

Hearings will be at the Branding Iron Theatre on the campus of West Texas State University from 1 until 5 p.m. Dancers will be auditioned at

The audition on Saturday, Jan. 6 will be the first of six dates when applicants for places in the famed musical drama will be heard.

For information concerning the auditions or the show itself, call 806-655-2182 or write "Texas" Auditions, Box 268, Canyon, 79105.

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