

State contenders this weekend



BOBBY FINCH, HART
Class A 440 dash



JIMMY BROWN, HART
Class A 220-yard dash



NAZARETH'S GLENN EHLI, RICHARD BIRKENFELD
Class B boys' doubles



KIM KING, NAZARETH
Class B girls' singles



PATTI HOCHSTEIN, DELPHINE WETHINGTON, NAZARETH
Class B girls' doubles

Band is Colorado-bound

The Dimmitt Bobcat Band leaves for Colorado today (Thursday) at 3:45 p.m. to participate in the Canon City Jaycees' 35th Annual Music and Blossom Festival.

BAND Director Ralph Smith said the band's bus caravan will arrive in Colorado Springs about midnight, Mountain Time. The band will stay in the Rode-way Inn in Colorado Springs.

Band members will have Friday for sightseeing and preparation for their performance Saturday in the Canon City festival, Smith said.

The group will leave at 8:30 Saturday morning for Canon City, where drill rehearsal is set for 10 a.m. The DHS musicians will perform at 11:20 and march in the festival parade at 1:45.

SMITH SAID 110 bands will be in the parade, with Dimmitt marching in the 105th spot. Sunday the band will return to Canon City to play in an afternoon parade.

Circus coming

The circus is coming to town!

FISHER BROS. Circus will be the first to appear in Dimmitt in recent years. Now making its first swing through the Texas Panhandle, the big-top show will be here Tuesday for performances at 6 and 8 p.m.

The Jaycees are sponsoring the circus, and are selling advance tickets at reduced prices. Until show time Tuesday, tickets can be purchased from any Jaycee for \$1 each. At the ticket office, prices will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children.

Also available in advance is a \$5 family discount ticket good for two adults and four children.

USING AN elephant for their tractor, the circus crew will raise the Big Top and other tents along the 200 block of Northeast Second, across the street east of Dale Fowler Ford. The public is invited to see the raising of the Big Top and the unloading of the animals (See CIRCUS, Page 14)

D. Neumayer, 69, dies in Amarillo

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon for D. Neumayer, prominent farmer-stockman who had lived in Dimmitt 45 years.

MR. NEUMAYER, 69, died at 4:20 p.m. Monday in St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo, following a heart attack.

Last rites were conducted at 2:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church, with Rev. Jim Pickens, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens, directed by Dennis Funeral Home.

Born May 5, 1903, Mr. Neumayer came to Dimmitt from his hometown of Medford, Okla., in 1928. He operated a trucking business here for many years, but later devoted his full time to his farming and livestock operations.

HE WAS a longtime member of the First United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Clara; a son, Lowell, of Hereford; two daughters, Nancy Crum of Dallas and Sandra Bagwell of Dimmitt; three sisters, Eunice Higgins of San Bernardino Calif., Vyone Reetz of Mount Lake, Minn., and Goldie Jenkins of Corpus Christi; three brothers, Charles and Gordon of San Bernardino, Calif., and Lewis of Lemars, Iowa; and 11 grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Sam Gilbreath, George Blanton, P. P. Robb, Goodwin Miller, Ward Golden, George Baeswell, Raymond Wilson, G. L. Willis, Roy Meacham, Lester Gladden, Louis Allen, Howard Hershey, Earl Lust, Vern Lust, Ester Noble, Jim Hays, Sid Sheffy and Elmer Youts.

Young bandmen to compete here

Dimmitt will host a band festival and solo ensemble contest for elementary and junior high musicians May 12 in the high school auditorium.

FOURTEEN GROUPS will perform from Olton, Sundown, Springlake-Earth, Texico, N.M., New Deal, Hale Center and Dimmitt.

Performances will begin at 9 a.m. and finish about 4:30 p.m. Assistant Band Director Richard Bales said.

Parents and friends are invited to all performances. All bands will play concert performances and sight-read on stage.

385 Association to meet May 12

The Texas Division of the US 385 Association will meet May 12 at 4 p.m. at The Post in Marathon.

MEMBERS WILL hear reports on the progress of numbering US 85 and US 385 in North and South Dakota and discuss the annual International Parks Highway Association meeting June 8-9 in Spearfish, S. Dak.

Officers for 1973-74 will be elected for the Texas Division during the meeting.

Reservations should be made with the Marathon Chamber of Commerce, Box 218, Marathon, 79842.

Last rites held for Mrs. Summers

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon for Bertha Ellen Summers, 77, a resident of Dimmitt for 35 years.

MRS. SUMMERS died at 9:45 a.m. Saturday in Plains Memorial Hospital.

Last rites were conducted in the Northside Church of Christ by Cecil A. Shelton, minister, assisted by Rev. Charles Harris, pastor of the Lee Street Baptist Church. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Born July 9, 1895, in Tennessee, she moved to Dimmitt in 1937 from Oklahoma. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dan, in 1935, and a son, Roy, in 1971.

SURVIVORS INCLUDE six daughters, Dorothy Kirby, Betty Williams and Lenora Bruton, all of Dimmitt, Mrs. Jesse Lee Underwood of Sapulpa, Okla., Flora Nuner of Roff, Okla., and Ida Arms of Norman, Okla.; two sons, Charles of Pasadena and Ray of Houston; four sisters, Myrtle O'Neal of California, Molly Summers of Roff, Okla., Pearl Summers of Stroud, Okla., and Estalee Twyman of Stratford, Okla.; and a brother, John McGee of Stroud, Okla.

Active pallbearers were her grandsons, Danny Bruton, Danny Summers, Anthony Kirby, Dean Kirby, Rodney Williams, Thomas Underwood, Roger Nuner and Anthony Mayes.

"If we are in the top three in our class, the band will perform again Sunday afternoon," Smith said. "If we get to perform, we will do our football field show."

THE BAND will depart for Dimmitt Sunday when its required performances are completed.

Church to host Fellowship Day

May Fellowship Day is scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. Friday in Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

Following the morning program, lunch will be served. All Castro County women are invited to the program.

'Woman of Year' event set today

Castro County's Texas Home Demonstration Association will host a luncheon today (Thursday) to name its 1973 Home Demonstration Club Woman of the Year.

LUNCH WILL be served at 11:30 in the assembly room of the courthouse in Dimmitt, Irene Keating, county extension agent, said.

Mrs. Humphries, county pioneer, dies in Amarillo

Libbie V. Brown Humphries, a resident of Castro County 56 years, died at 11:55 p.m. Monday in Amarillo's High Plains Baptist Hospital. She was 81 years of age.

FUNERAL SERVICES were conducted at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt, with Rev. John Street, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens, directed by Dennis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Humphries was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church, Elephants Club and Order of the Eastern Star.

Born Libbie Viola Denney on Sept. 24, 1891, in Sulphur Springs, she moved with her family to Lockney when she was a young girl. She married Garland Brown Aug. 22, 1909, in Lockney.

SHE AND her husband operated a farm near Lockney until 1917, when they moved to the old Mulkey community, near Hart. He was elected Castro County sheriff in 1934, and they moved to Dimmitt when he took office in January 1935. Sheriff Brown was serving his seventh consecutive term at the time of his death in 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown had three children — Bernard, Zonell and J. R.

IN 1955 she and Noah H. Humphries of Littlefield were married in Clovis. After his retirement from an oil company in the late 1950s, they spent most of their time on the Texas Gulf Coast, but still maintained their home in Dimmitt. She is survived by two sons, Bernard of Nathrop, Colo., and J. R. of Dimmitt; a daughter, Zonell Brown Maples of Dimmitt; her husband, Noah; three stepsons, Porter of Granbury, J. D. of Lovington, N.M., and Mae of Littlefield; two stepdaughters, Valerie Jackson of Crosbyton and Imogene Parkman of Littlefield; six grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, six step-grandchildren and seven step-great-grandchildren.

PALLBEARERS Wednesday were Garnett Holland, Millard Allen Webb, James Burgett, George Blanton, Dr. W. J. Hill and Fred Bruegel Jr.

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Feeders turning the tide?

"Americans seem to feel they have a constitutional right to cheap food," the membership director of the Texas Cattle Feeders' Association told the Kiwanis Club of Dimmitt Monday.

THIS ATTITUDE, said Bud Patterson of Amarillo, was one of the main factors behind the recent beef boycott. American housewives, frustrated by spiraling costs of all consumer goods and services, chose the beef counter as their boycott target — although they're still spending a smaller percentage of their income on food than are housewives in any other major country.

The same attitude, reflected in government, has helped keep the food industry at the tail-end of the economy, and almost spurred an arbitrary rollback in beef prices that would have been disastrous to the cattle industry, Patterson said.

But directors of the state cattle feeders' association rushed to Washington, explained their plight to Congress and staved off the rollback.

"ONE OF OUR biggest victories was convincing the people in Washington to kill the proposed rollback," Patterson told the Kiwanians.

Although the Texas Cattle Feeders Association is carrying out an "extensive" beef promotion program, Patterson said, cattle growers and feeders in all states must coordinate their efforts and step up their educational programs if the industry is to avoid more boycotts and the threat of a rollback in the future.

"The recent boycott perhaps could have been avoided if we had had an effective, cooperative effort, with all associations from all states taking part," Patterson said.

THE Panhandle now depends on the cattle feeding industry more than any other pocket of the nation, Patterson noted.

"Texas is now the No. 1 state in cattle feeding," Patterson explained. "Our state now is feeding 4.3 million head worth \$1.4 billion. And three-fourths of the cattle feeding capacity in Texas is in the Panhandle-Plains area, from Lubbock north."

The water supply is the only limiting factor in the continued growth of the industry in the Panhandle, he said.

"WE STILL can produce a surplus of grain, and we still have plenty of growing room," he said. "If we can get the water problem solved, you'll see many more major packers come into the Panhandle area."

Cooler

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	60	38	.48
Friday	49	30	
Saturday	62	41	
Sunday	81	48	
Monday	82	51	
Tuesday	78	43	
Wednesday	72	37	
April Moisture			1.86
1973 Moisture			6.28

CHARLES WILKERSON



THE 101st HOUR — These 10 Dimmitt High School boys were exhausted after completing their record-setting 100-hour basketball marathon last Thursday evening, but not too exhausted to present Librarian Mary Edna Hendrix and Mayor Elmer Youts with their earnings — \$1,000 — for the Rhoads Memorial Library building fund. Marathon players, from left, are David Schaeffer, Norman Hays, Kenny Ringo, Ronnie Lawson, Lonnie Strickland, Robert Calhoun, Florencio Acevedo, Paul Langford, Brent Sanders and Edward Nino. The boys also received ribbons and shared a big, custom-decorated cake after bringing the marathon record back to Dimmitt.

Dimmitt cagers net 100--hours

Langford scores 3,258; Library fund \$1,000 richer

Ten worn-out, frazzled souls happily presented the Rhoads Memorial Library with \$1,000 for its building fund last Thursday evening upon completion of 69 1/2 basketball games in 100 hours of playing time.

THE DIMMITT Dudes downed the Funky Five 50 games to 19 in the five-day basketball marathon to raise funds for the new county library to be completed this summer.

Paul Langford of the Dimmitt Dudes was top scorer in the marathon, netting a total of 3,258 points. He scored more points than the entire winning team compiled in the first Dimmitt marathon in 1970, according to marathon statistician John Brooks.

The highest game score occurred late in the week with only two players still on their feet when the Dudes outscored the Five, 308-306.

ALSO SCORING for the Dudes were Kenny Ringo, 940 points; Brent Sanders, 1,224; Norman Hays, 2,290; and Robert Calhoun, 1,296.

Edward Nino paced the Funky Five with 2,080 points. Other team members and their points were David Schaeffer, 1,478; Lonnie Strickland, 1,336; Florencio Acevedo, 942; and Ronnie Lawson, 1,286.

The Dudes scored a total of 8,972 points in the marathon with the Funky Five trailing with 7,172.

IN THE presentation ceremony

after the 100-hour mark was reached Thursday afternoon. Mayor Elmer Youts congratulated the boys on their constructive activity during the Easter holiday break.

Meeting called to plan Roundup

Representatives of all the county's clubs and communities are being urged to attend a Friday night meeting of the Castro County Activities Committee to help plan the 1973 Roundup.

THE PLANNING session will begin at 8 p.m. in the courthouse community room.

"We would like to have at least two people there from each club and community so we can have a representative group and good participation," said Don Nelson, chairman of the county committee. "We also would like to have the advice of people who have worked on former Roundup celebrations."

Officers of the committee have prepared a tentative Roundup schedule to serve as a "springboard" for Friday night's planning session, Nelson said.

"WE'RE THINKING of bringing back the beard-growing contest and the western dress con-

test this year, and adding an old-fashioned Sunday afternoon festival at Nazareth," he said.

"Also, we want to have some good mid-week activities for our youth, such as a watermelon eating contest and a rock concert. We'll need to know what you want, and which organizations can sponsor or run the different events."

Roundup Week will be Aug. 11 through 19. Regular events of the week will include the three-night Dimmitt Rodeo, Hart Day, Western Day, Street Dance, Old Settlers Reunion, Roundup Parade, Pony Show, Roundup Barbecue, Kid Day, Pet Show, Water Polo and Jaycee Air Show.

The Just Amusement Co. Carnival also will be here during the week.

Jo Behrends, Activities Committee secretary, has asked all club presidents in the county to phone her Friday at 647-3490 and tell her who their representatives will be.

Ann Touchstone presented team members with purple marathon memory ribbons and hearty kisses. Paul Langford and Kenny Ringo were given special trophies for being the high and low scorers, respectively.

In a group presentation, the boys gave Mary Edna Hendrix, county librarian, \$1,000 in pledges and cash contributions. DONATING TO the marathon fund for the library were Dimmitt TV Cable Co., Dimmitt Agri Industries, Inc., Dimmitt Super Market, A-1 Mechanical, Ann's Steak House, Behrends Insurance Agency, Dale Fowler Ford, Farmers Supply Co., C & S Equipment Co., Arrow Package Store, Alvin's Drive-In Cleaners,

Dickey's Dozer Service, Hays Implement Co., Parsons Drug, Robb Pump Co., Dimmitt Cleaners, Colonial Inn Motel, Hi-Way Auto Sales, Dale Prather, Accountant, Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., Dr. and Mrs. Bill Lee, Five Point Gin, Harman's Department Store, Castro County Grain.

Big T Pump Co., Nelson Drilling and Pump Service, ABI Industries, A&H Supply, Western Ammonia Co., Kenneth Jackson Ditching, Von's Cafe, Willis Cattle Co., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youts, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Webb, Dimmitt Veterinary Clinic, Dairy Queen, Mr. and Mrs. William J. T. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ross.

Sheffy's chatter

Presidential Classroom delegate describes her trip

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Dear Mrs. Sheffy and Castro County News,
I really enjoyed my week's stay in our nation's Capitol.

and daughter Sandra spent Friday night in Snyder with an aunt, then on the Duncanville to visit her mother and three brothers.

at A&M at Bryan last weekend. I didn't get the boys' names as they were not home yet.

just bring your car. Thank you.
Maurine Bice and daughter Jennine of Midland were in town last week tending to business and visiting their many friends, among whom were Kate Beecher, Carolyn Jones and the Rameys.

They report it was 98 degrees there. And I hear that Jim caught several fish, one weighed four pounds. Jean caught one also but not as big as brother Jim's.

of her son George and Pat and family. Young Steve will go home with her for a visit next week.

Pampa attending the Annual Council meeting of the Episcopal Diocese of Northwest Texas. George was a delegate to the council meetings.

place was a total loss. They left Monday for Minnesota where they have a place. One day Ilene McElroy and Lena Crum went to Canyon to visit the Dixons. Ilene and Mable are sisters.

I also got to visit with both Senators Tower and Bentsen and with Congressman Mahon. The highlight of the week was our guest speaker on Friday night - Hubert H. Humphrey.

Larry and Marlene Altman spent the holiday at Ruidoso and Cloudcroft, N.M. They took the jeep train in their car up that steep mountain to Mon Jean the fire lookout, several other jeep trips. They stayed Friday night in Lovington with Marlene's parents Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Powell and Kenny and her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sowell from Pawhuska, Okla.

Cecil and Blanche Ginn went to Turkey for the celebration honoring the longtime musician, Bob Willis. The city unveiled a statue of Bob. He made many records. "San Antonio Rose" was his song. One of the nephews of the Ginn was with his band. The Theo Perrys of Dalhart, Evelyn McWhorter and the Lon Moore, of Memphis were there. The Ginn went to Memphis for a family visit with them.

MR. AND MRS. Wes Anthony were hosts at a steak dinner Thursday evening with games of 42 at home. That was Wes's birthday also. We wish you many more years, Wes. Guests were Fred and Helen Kuntz, Bob and Pat Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Behrends, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carlile, Cletha George, the George Bradfords, Gladys Cleavinger, the Sid Sheffys, Retta Cluck, the Clarence Beardens, Vera Webb and Leola Haberer.

MR. AND MRS. Gladys Cleavinger was hostess to her bridge group Thursday afternoon. She served salad and strawberry meringues and coffee to Dec Williams, high score winner, Josie Bradford, who came in second, Maggie Boren, Cletha George, Retta Cluck, Opal Bearden, Myrtle Sheffy and Ceal Carlile.

MR. AND MRS. Rita Mayhew are the parents of a new baby girl. Her name is Margie Gail. Her grandparents are Earnest and Ann Mayhew, and Richard and Skeeter Lindsey. The great grandma is Mrs. Z. H. Jouett.

MR. AND MRS. Dean Wright have moved here to the Bedford Smith trailer place. Mr. Wright is the new football coach. They attend church with the Methodists.

MR. AND MRS. Brown L Smith visited both sets of parents at Lampassas and spent a few days at Belton Lake over the holiday.

ANN WAS a student at the Presidential Classroom in Washington, D.C. She was sponsored by the Lions Club, the Jaycees, Rotary Club, Kiwanians, Alpha Epsilon Tau Club. She is a very fine student. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch.

MRS. BILL CLARK has been visiting her folks at El Paso and Albuquerque. She is organizer at the Methodist Church. Bill is with Agri Industries.

MR. AND MRS. R. O. Nelson of Lelia Lake and her brothers George and Sue Nelson of Lelia Lake and Jay Nelson of Denver, Colo., were guests of the Nelsons' daughter Jean and Dan Petty and the new son Dennis Jay and the two year old Kevin Dan. The Nelsons lived here a few years ago.

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JANE KOONTZ of Golf, Ill. and Lucille Smith from Wharton have been here to visit parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick.

MR. AND MRS. Blacky Lanford left here Sunday for a two week trip to Dallas, Paris, on into Louisiana to visit their kin and friends and to see the country there before it get hot.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday - Bible School 9:45 a.m.
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Bible Study 8:30 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Mack Turner, Pastor
Sunday - Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night - Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. M. A. Pennington, Pastor
N.W. 5th at Helsell
Sunday - Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO
East Halsell St.
Pastor, Gustavo Ornelas
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sermon 11:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper and Feet Washing 11:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside)
Third and Halsell Streets
Sunday - Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday - Classes 7:00 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Charles Harris, Pastor
Phone 647-5355
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 - Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
William E. Summers, Pastor
302 S.E. 2nd
Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday - General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m.
Choir 7:30 p.m.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James Robert Alexander
412 North East Street
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.
Monday W.M.U. 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday Brotherhood 7:55 p.m.
Wednesday - Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir 7:30 p.m.

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Ronnie Parker, Minister
Sunday - Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
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Wednesday - Bible Class for all 7:30 p.m.

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Jim T. Pickens, Pastor
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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday - General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m.
Choir 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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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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By AL FORRESTER
Club Pro

The big news this week I guess is local player Bill Glenn and 24-year old Neil Duffy of Amherst partnering this past weekend in our 1973 Annual Castro County Country Club Golf Partnership with an 8-under-par 67 - 69 - 136 to win the championship.

CLIFF COOK and Bob Lindsey won the first flight by totaling 69 - 71 - 140 for the two days. Elmer Wilson, West Texas amateur president, and Bob Kincaid of Plainview won second with 142.

Second flight was won by Wendell Burdine and Cliff Arnold of Hereford with 145; local linksters Charlie White and Cary Jackson teamed up to win third with 148; with the "Gold Dust Twins" Richard Walker and Bob Myers coming in fourth with 154.

The third flight was won by Bill Williams and Bob Vilas with 80 - 76 - 156; with John

ny Hucks and Joe Carver tied for third with 163.

WE HAD AN exceptionally good tournament as the course was in good shape, and the shotgun starts worked out well.

Laverne Bates had the snack bar open and really puts out a "mean" hamburger. Pilly Holland, Amy Glover, Ramona Annen, Delores Baldrige, Joan Roberts, and Bobby Vilas kept the hospitality booth going much to the enjoyment of the players. It's a long dry run around the course during a tournament, especially last Sunday with the time change. Polly said she sold enough Cokes to cool down an army.

President Amy Glover says to be sure and remind all L.G.A. members of our High Plains Golf Tournament here Wed., May 9 with play to begin at 9:30 a.m. We have some nine players eligible to play.

Laverne Bates came in with high score last Thursday, April 26 with a five-round total of 3700; Clyde Damron was second with 3090; Ellen Hrabal carded a 2900; Ramona Annen had 2810; Bobbie Damron 2560; with guest Katye Buckmaster scoring a 2490.

Polly and Garnett Holland were host and hostess with Laverne Bates and Carol Lantz due up for Thursday night, May 3.

ELLEN HRABAL came in with high score Friday, April 27 with a seven-round total of 3880. Genell Craig was second with 3800; Polly Holland scored 3370; Bobbie Damron 3320; and Jeanie Johnson totaled 3170 for the day.

Dorothy Elder was hostess for the day, with Cletha George acting hostess for Friday, May 4.

OPEN DATING OF MEAT PRODUCTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture is proposing open code dating of meat and poultry products to benefit consumers, according to a marketing and food distribution specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The change would require processors to indicate what type of dating system is being used whenever a calendar date is shown. A "pack date" indicates the day an item was packaged in final form. An "expiration date" is the last date of recommended use. A "pull date" is the date when the item should no longer be offered for sale.

WAR SPARES not the brave but the cowardly. Anacreon

What's cooking at the schools

Here are the Dimmitt School lunch menus for the coming week:

Today (Thursday) - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, broccoli, honey butter, rolls, and milk.

Friday - Meat loaf, sweet potatoes, lime gelatin with pineapple, rolls, butter and milk.

Monday - Pizza, corn, cabbage slaw, prune cake and milk.

Tuesday - Beef stew, fruit cup, cinnamon rolls, cornbread, crackers and milk.

Wednesday - Hamburgers, trimmings, potato chips, apricot halves, cookies and milk.

Next Thursday - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, honey butter, rolls and milk.

Friday, May 10 - Fish filets with tartar sauce, spinach rice, chocolate pudding and milk.

FLAME SAFE foam pillows and mattress pads are another step toward fire safety in the home, points out Patricia A. Bradshaw, of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

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- WHITE SWAN, 15 OZ. CAN **HOMINY** 8 for \$1.00
- WHITE SWAN, 15 OZ. CAN **PORK & BEANS** 6 for \$1.00
- DEL MONTE, 14 OZ. **CATSUP** 4 for \$1.00
- WELCH'S, 20 OZ. **GRAPE JELLY** 49c
- 38 OZ. BOTTLE **CRISCO OIL** 88c
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9—HELP WANTED

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14 CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
Those of us who played in the 100-hour basketball marathon wish to thank the people of Dimmitt who supported the marathon with their attendance, services, food and donations to the Library Building Fund. Our special thanks to Walt Hansen of Dimmitt Super Market, who furnished food, ice and seven cases of Gatorade during the marathon.
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15—LEGAL NOTICES

ELECTION ORDER THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CASTRO

WHEREAS, on the 4th. day of April, 1973, a petition was presented to me by Urban Ball and more than 20 other persons of the City of Nazareth, Texas, praying that an election be ordered to be held in the territory described in said petition for the purpose of determining whether or not the same shall be incorporated for municipal purposes as a City under the Commission form of government, and also that an election be ordered to be held at the same time designated for holding the election above mentioned and petitioned for, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for said City; and

IT APPEARING that the said petition bears the requisite number of qualified voters who are residents of said City, and is in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that the area comprised within the boundaries defined in said petition does not exceed two (2) square miles, and that all other facts set up in said petition are found to be true;

THEREFORE, I, Raymond E. Wilson in my official capacity as County Judge of Castro County, Texas, do hereby grant said petition and do hereby order that an election be held at Community Hall in the said City of Nazareth, Texas, on the 2nd. day of June, 1973, for the purpose of determining whether or not the same shall be incorporated for municipal purposes as a City, under the Commission form of government, under authority conferred by Article 1155, et seq., of Chapter 12, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and

I HEREBY APPOINT Greg Hoelting as Judge of said election, and the said Greg Hoelting shall appoint an Assistant Judge and two Clerks to assist in holding said election.

EVERY PERSON entitled to vote at any general election under the laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, shall be allowed to vote in said election.

THE BALLOTS to be used in said election shall have written or printed thereon "FOR COMMISSION" and "AGAINST COMMISSION".

EACH VOTER desiring to vote for the incorporation under the Commission form of government shall mark an "X" in the box opposite the phrase: "FOR COMMISSION".

AND EACH VOTER desiring to vote against the incorporation under the Commission form of government shall mark an "X" in the box opposite the phrase: "AGAINST COMMISSION".

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, except as otherwise provided by the statutes hereinabove referred to.

THE TERRITORY proposed to be incorporated is fully and accurately described in said petition as follows:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the projection of the North Line of Dunn Street in the unincorporated town of Nazareth, Texas with the West line of State Highway 168;

THENCE South along the West line of State Highway 168 to its intersection with the North line of the Jerry Wilhelm property now occupied by Joe Birkenfeld;

THENCE West or Southwest along the North or Northwest part of the Wilhelm property and the Ringwald property to the North line of Highway 86;

THENCE West along the North line of Highway 86 to its intersection with the projection of the West fence line of Dimmitt Agri-Industries property;

THENCE South across Highway 86 and along the West fence line of the Dimmitt Agri-Industries property to the corner of said fence in the South line of said Dimmitt Agri-Industries property;

THENCE East along the South line of said Dimmitt Agri-Indus-



CAKE BREAK—Ready for marathon cake are (from left) Kenny Ringo, David Schaefer, Lonnie Strickland, Norman Hays, Robert Calhoun, Florencio Acevedo, Ronnie Lawson, Paul Langford, (seated) Brent Sanders and Edward Nino. Jo Ann Smith baked and decorated the cake for a snack about two hours before the marathon ended. The boys polished it off in a 15-minute break at halftime.

Frio news

Brookses home from trip

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brooks accompanied by Robin and Renee Taylor of Frisco, spent a week in Tennessee, returning home Monday. They visited their grandson, Todd Taylor, and his mother, Martha at Memphis. The Brooks and Todd went on to Natchez Trace Park in their camper and staved

several days with the girls and Martha coming for the weekend. On Saturday night they all went to Nashville for the "Grand Ole Opry." That was the last time the old auditorium was to be used as the "Opry" was moving into new modern facilities. The Brooks report a very good time and also that reports this week indicate rain and much flooding since they left, although it was already high water.

Several of Arthur Blackburn's relatives were here with them this week. They were here because of the death of their brother, Claude Blackburn of Shallowater. Mr. Blackburn died Wednesday morning after having been injured in a car accident near Mulshoe on Friday. He is survived by his wife and one son and two daughters, 12 grandchildren, five sisters and two brothers. Relatives here with the Blackburns included the brother, Floyd of Denison, sisters, Mrs. Ethel Warren of Dallas, Okla., Mrs. Edna Lavey of Henrietta, Mrs. Minnie Christian and Mrs.

Thelma Speck, both of Sherman. Others of their families were also here. Funeral services were at Lazbuddie Methodist Church Friday afternoon and burial was also at Lazbuddie.

JOHN SIMPSON was honoree at a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of a son, J. C. Simpson. Mr. Simpson was 89 that day. Their other son, Robert, and Mrs. Simpson and their daughter, Mrs. Leon Roberts, her daughter, Mrs. Pat Ford and Kandi of Wellington, the Bill G. Cotten family, the Lloyd Lindleys, the James Simpsons and Gary Richardsons all came to be with Mr. and Mrs. Simpson for the special occasion.

Mrs. J. E. Warrick is hostess at the Frio Homemakers Club on Tuesday. The program was a review by Mrs. David Yandell of the book "One Man's Way," the story of Norman Vincent Peale, by Arthur Gordon. Attending the meeting were Mmes. T. L. Sparkman Jr., Laura Littrell, Harlan Barber, Tommy Sparkman, Fred Walton, Henry Andrews, Ronnie Andrews, Eugene Baldwin, and Owen Andrews. This was the club's first time to meet in Mrs. Warrick's new home, and the ladies visited awhile and had refreshments following the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reno of Midland visited their relatives, the Mobleys, during the weekend. After church at Frio Sunday morning they all had lunch with Nell Miller.

LITTLE MONICA Fisher is with her grandparents, the E. F. Voglers, for a couple of weeks while her parents, the Lynn Fishers, are at Gulfport, Miss. Lynn is doing a training session with the Naval Reserves and they planned to do a little sightseeing when he had time from duty.

WOMEN FROM Frio Church who attended the Vacation Bible School Clinic at Paramount Baptist Church in Amarillo Tuesday morning included Mmes: Ronnie Andrews, Floyd Cole, Frank Robbins, Weldon Stephan, Tommy Sparkman, Clark Andrews, Earl Harkins, and Chesley Johnston.

Mrs. F. Y. Moreman is in Deaf Smith General Hospital suffering from a fractured hip. The accident happened Saturday morning in her home at Hereford. Mr. Moreman has been with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Robbins and family.

Five from county earn SPC degrees

Five Castro County students will receive degrees during spring commencement exercises at South Plains College May 18 at 10 a.m. in the Texan Dome.

COUNTY degree candidates are John Nino, Janet Wylie and Robert Acevedo of Dimmitt, Emiliano R. Marquez of Hart, and Elaine Dobmeier of Nazareth.

The 295 degrees to be conferred are 16 less than that of a year ago.

Parents, friends and relatives of the graduates are invited to attend.

TEXAS 4-H CONGRESS

The first Texas 4-H Congress is slated for Houston July 10-12 at the Shamrock-Hilton Hotel, announces Dr. Don Stormer, state 4-H and youth leader for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Designed for 15 to 19-year-old members, the Congress will revolve around human values and their role in decision-making. New program ideas that reflect the concerns of young people will be developed.

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Bethel news

Families fish, ski at Lake LBJ during spring vacation break

By MRS. BUD McELROY
 Several Bethel families spent last week and weekend at Lake LBJ. Those going were Mrs. Charles Wales and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Sides and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Howell and children and Sue's parents Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ward of San Antonio.

MRS. JEAN Gilreath, Donna and Judy visited Jean's aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. John Kisinger at Graham last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McElroy, Sharon and David visited Bud's mother Mrs. Audrey McElroy and everyone of his brothers and sisters at Levelland over the weekend.

Mrs. Wanda McElroy and Hoover went to Morton to visit Wanda's mother Mrs. Lennie Hooper Saturday.

Mrs. Norma Smith and children went to the show at Clovis last week.

MR. AND MRS. Wesley Smith and children went to their ranch at House, N.M. last week.

Mrs. Norma Smith, Judith and Jill visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gray Saturday.

Mrs. Leona Stiles of Big Square visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust one day last week.

Mrs. Edwin O'Hair of Earth visited Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Morgan Friday night.

MR. AND MRS. A. T. Morgan visited his mother Mrs. R. R. Morgan at Amherst Tuesday.

Mrs. A. T. Morgan visited Mrs. Jimmie Ivy at Lazbuddie Monday morning.

Mrs. Sandra Bagwell and kids and Mrs. Vickie Yekum and kids went to Palo Duro Canyon Sunday.



25-YEAR MASONIC PINS were awarded to these five members of Castro Lodge 879 in an open meeting last Thursday night. From left are Charles Vaughn, Robert "Bub" Ramey, Eldon Lilley, P. C. Daniel and J. B. Noland.

The evening also included a sandwich dinner for members, wives and guests, and a "flower talk" by two members of the Order of DeMolay for Boys.

Draft is over, but registration is still required

Col. Melvin N. Glantz, state director of Selective Service for Texas, has issued a statement reminding young men of their responsibility under federal law to register with Selective Service.

"THE RECENT nationwide announcement that the draft has ended has misled some of our young men into thinking they no longer are required by law to register with Selective Service. This is incorrect," Glantz said.

The state director pointed out the fact that Selective Service is being reorganized into a standby operation to keep draft machinery operative and ready in case of a national emergency that requires the drafting of young men again in the future. He pointed out that although inductions have ended, the Selective Service System continues to operate and the law continues to require each young man to register within 30 days before or after his 18th birth-

On the Go

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and Tammi of Whitney were here over the Easter holiday for a visit with Jo Nan's parents Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills, who returned home with them. Mrs. Mills says the Millers have built a new home in a field of bluebonnets. It is so pretty there with all the wild flowers blooming. The Brazos River was bank to bank because of the recent heavy rains. They all went to Lake Whitney too.

Failure to register makes a young man subject to prosecution under federal law.

DURING THE reorganization of the system into a stand-by basis, registration may be completed at any one of the 63 Selective Service System area offices that will remain open in Texas — or at points in every Texas county where volunteer workers will assist the young man in the simple steps of registration.

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District Pioneer Gas employees set million-hour mark in safety

Employees of Pioneer Natural Gas Company serving in the Hereford District have passed the million man hours mark without a single lost time accident.

THE HEREFORD District of the company's service area includes the communities of Canyon, Dimmitt, Friona, Vega and Bovina, as well as Hereford. Some 57 employees work in the district.

From May 13, 1960, through February 5 of this year, 1,000-122 man hours were registered without an employee being involved in a work-related accident which caused him to be unable to work for any period of time.

For their safety record, employees of the Hereford District were honored last Thursday at a dinner hosted by Pioneer at Dickie's Restaurant in Hereford. Plaques from both the National Safety Council and the Southern Gas Association recognizing the safety accomplishment of the employees were presented at the dinner.

Burton P. Smith, company president, presented the National Safety Council Plaque and K. Bert Watson, executive vice-president, presented the plaque from the Southern Gas Association. Manuel B. Edquist, vice-president, presented each of the employees with a gift certificate in appreciation of their safety record.

Dale Young, Hereford District Manager, pointed out at the dinner that the Hereford District employees have logged an additional 25,270 man hours since a lost time accident without the 5th of February, bringing the total to date to 1,025,392.

MATERNAL testimony notwithstanding, babies are like as biscuits in a pan. — Ellery Sedgwick



DOCTOR IN THE HOUSE — Dr. and Mrs. Bill Lee of Dimmitt visit on the House floor with State Representative Bill Clayton (right) of Springlake while Dr. Lee was serving as the "Physician of the Day" for the Texas Legislature April 13. Under a program sponsored by the Texas Association of Family Physicians, Dr. Lee volunteered his time in the state capitol to provide emergency medical aid and treatment to legislators, assisted by a full-time registered nurse from the State Health Dept. TAFP members from throughout the state go to Austin at their own expense to provide the daily service while the legislature is in session.

Ban of DES will spur new nutrition studies

Major advances in feedlot nutrition may be an entity of the past, with future efforts directed toward the evaluation of present practices and a search for new additives for more efficient beef production, according to Dr. R. Hollis Klett, superintendent of the Texas Tech University Center at Amarillo.

KLETT addressed the first Texas Beef Conference meeting in the Amarillo Civic Center Friday. The conference, sponsored by Texas Tech University, the Agricultural Extension Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas Cattle Feeders' Association and West Texas State University, brought together researchers, educators, legislators, consumer affairs specialists and cattlemen for discussion of the status and trends in the beef industry.

Klett discussed energy-fiber-protein relationships in feedlot

rations. Klett said the removal of diethylstilbestrol (DES) a synthetic hormone, from cattle feeding by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has provided the impetus for studies toward practices such as the removal of protein at defined stages of finishing or manipulation of feed-fiber and energy sources to improve efficiency of feed utilization.

KLETT explained that DES is a synthetic hormone which caused steers to produce more muscle and less fat while being finished out in feedlots. A desirable replacement additive which produces the same effects in cattle is being searched for.

Klett reported on a series of feeder cattle trials initiated in 1971 to evaluate the use of energy, fiber, and protein sources and their relative values when fed in various combinations.

Two trials were designed to evaluate methods of maximizing performance for long-fed calves in the feedlot. An energy switch-back system, utilizing high and medium energy rations, was evaluated as an attempt to stimulate performance. A comparison of protein levels was incorporated into the second trial to evaluate the effect of protein removal at a given weight on finished cattle performance.

IT WAS LEARNED that daily gain was not significantly affected by changing energy levels, but feed consumption and feed required per pound of gain was significantly related to the energy level of the diet. Feed intake was highest for the lower energy rations and lowest for the high energy treatment, said Klett.

He reported that cattle fed high-energy feed during the entire trial gained slightly less than cattle in a similar test fed a diet beginning with high-energy feed and changed to a lower-energy feed later in the trial. The cattle fed high-energy feed during the entire trial made more efficient use of the high-energy diet.

Tests of energy and protein level variances in diet showed improved performance for high-energy rations and a reduction in dressing percent and quality grade for cattle fed medium-energy rations. In the trial, differences in total energy intake were not sufficient influence on carcass traits. The cattle fed medium-energy rations gained slightly more per

day, consumed more feed and were less efficient in feed conversion.

DATA GATHERED in the second trial were contrary to results of the first trial. Lower gains, higher feed consumption and significantly poor feed conversion was noted for treatments fed two energy levels during the finishing period of the protein varying tests.

Two additional tests were conducted to determine the relationship of energy and fiber when one was held constant and the other varied.

It was found that cattle can use high-energy low-fiber rations in early stages of finishing since stomach capacities are restrictive to high-fiber diets. The procedure appears feasible when starting light-weight calves in feedlots for long feeding periods. As the animal grows, stomach capacity becomes more conducive to an intake of higher-fiber diets, said Klett.

IN GENERAL, the tests showed feed consumption to be lower for low-fiber higher-energy rations with a corresponding poorer energy conversion rate. Increased energy efficiency must be related to higher digestibility of the grain portion of the ration with higher levels of roughage aiding to slow the rate of passage and improve rumen conditions said Klett.

He emphasized the high cost of feed cattle and feed ingredients coupled with the price ceiling placed on beef have made efficiency of production the key to a profitable feeding program.

Other presentations at the beef conference included discussions of cattle death losses on the high plains, handling light calves on arrival, new cattle disease research, and antibiotics, hormones and substitutes.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

The bill collection agent plays a necessary role in our society, since so much of our economy is based on credit transactions.

HIS PURPOSE and the creditor's rights are well recognized in our laws and our courts.

But the laws also recognize the fact that an over-zealous bill collector should not infringe on the rights of a debtor, and the Consumer Protection Division of the attorney general's office works to enforce the prohibitions against harassment and false collection practices.

The average creditor and the average professional collection agent are interested only in getting debts settled. They work under the assumption that if a person gets behind in his payments, he has a good reason and they try to find out the reason and work out a payment plan to suit the debtor's individual situation.

SOME BONA fide retail credit bureaus even offer debt counseling services, without charge, to help both the consumer and the merchants.

So, if an illness, job problem or some other personal crisis leads to a money problem and you have to delay bill payments, you should not hesitate to speak honestly about them to your creditors. You'll probably find them more than willing to help you work through that difficult time.

The prohibitions against deceptive debt collection practices are aimed at the unscrupulous few who would resort to misleading, and sometimes harmful, methods of collection.

THESE ARE well-defined in the Federal Trade Commission guidelines:

— A debt collector cannot threaten that he is turning an account over to an attorney, unless he actually is doing so.

— He cannot pretend to represent an independent collection agency, if he actually works for the creditor firm or its subsidiary.

— He cannot state that the consumer's credit record will be adversely affected, or that his employer will be notified, unless those are true facts.

— He cannot use stationery, letterhead or envelope designed to imply an official governmental association. (Under Texas law, it is a misdemeanor to simulate legal process. So a collection notice designed to look like a court order is illegal.)

— If he is trying to "skip trace" (locate a missing debtor), the creditor must clearly indicate in his correspondence that that is his purpose. Some collectors have used incredibly wild tactics.

WHILE THE vast majority of consumers do not make credit obligations unless they intend to meet them, and most people do their utmost to pay their debts, we have to remember that there also are some who are financially irresponsible. If you ignore a routine request for payment of a past-due account, the collector might assume you are in the latter category.

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| 1/4 cup lemon juice | |

Simmer ribs, covered, in salted water 45 to 60 minutes; drain. In small saucepan, blend molasses, mustard, lemon juice, Worcestershire sauce, hot sauce and salt. Heat to boiling. Grill ribs on medium heat for 10 to 15 minutes on each side, brushing often with the sauce. Serves 4.

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Home and hobby

Here's the May garden calendar

By IRENE KEATING
County Extension Agent

I hope all of you enjoyed your vacation from school. I know the children did. I made the mistake of washing my windows last week — it started raining only a few hours later. If I washed them when we need rain it wouldn't rain.

- IT IS TIME again for the monthly garden calendar.
1. Watch for aphids on new foliage. Malathion or Diazinon will do an effective job on controlling if population becomes great. Frequently natural predators will take care of small populations without the use of chemicals.
 2. May is elm leaf beetle time. Sevin does an effective job on controlling this pest.
 3. Time for powdery mildew to start appearing on crepe myrtle, zinnia, and euonymus. Control with Karathane or Actidione PM sprays or use dusting sulfur during cool weather.
 4. Still time to do any necessary pruning on the spring flowering shrubs. It is too late to prune anything that blooms on new wood. Included in this category of summer flowering shrubs are crepe myrtle, abelia, and althea.
 5. WITH ALL the spring rain we have had, an application of nitrogen containing fertilizer will make lawn grass look better. Use either five pounds of ammonium sulfate or three pounds of ammonium nitrate per 1000 sq. ft.

6. Unmulched planting areas should be cultivated to rework compacted soil around plants to provide aeration and better drainage. It will also aid in eradicating weeds and grass. Consider using a good mulch to prevent further compaction. Don't mulch poorly drained beds or they will stay too wet.
7. Make cuttings of your favorite chrysanthemums and root them in sand and peat moss for use in other beds.
9. Continue to apply blackspot controls to roses.
10. APPLY fertilizer to rose beds following each flush of bloom to encourage new growth and more flower buds.
11. Dahlias require ample amounts of fertilizer for best growth. Apply fertilizer every four to six weeks to obtain good foliage and plenty of flowers.
12. May is the month to set out summer flowering plants produced from bulbs and bulb-like structures. Those that should be planted this month include, dahlia tubers, canna roots, caladium tubers, tuberose, spider lilies, crinum, gladiolus, and liriopsis.

On the Go

Earl Chaney, manager of the Castro Co-op Gin, was host at the annual stockholders meeting at South Grade School cafeteria Monday evening. A good program with food was served.



Miss Benson

June 16 date set

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benson of Dimmitt announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan, to Gary Royel of Hereford.

ROYAL IS THE son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Royel of Hereford.

A June 16 wedding is planned by the couple. Miss Benson is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and attended Texas Women's University. Royel graduated from Hereford High School and attended Texas Tech. He is engaged in farming at Hereford.

Vows set Saturday

Gladys Annen McLain of Nazareth and Bob E. Kenworthy of Dimmitt will be married Saturday at 7 p.m. in Dennis Chapel, at 411 NW Fourth St. in Dimmitt.

FRIENDS AND relatives of the couple are invited to the ceremony.

Marriage revealed

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murray announce the marriage of their daughter, Charlotte, to Robert H. Fulkerson of Tulia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Fulkerson of Tulia. The newlyweds are at home in Tulia.

On the Go

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wooten are home from a four-week stay at Grand Lake in the Cherokee, Okla., area. They visited relatives, had one meal with the Barber Eubanks. Richard caught many channel catfish on the limb line. The Vinita country has had much rain, making the dogwood, azaleas and other shrubbery very beautiful.

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Book Club slates birthday meeting

The Dimmitt Book Club will celebrate its 35th birthday Wednesday afternoon in fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church.

Shower to honor Mrs. Cox Friday in McLain home

Mrs. Bessie Mae Cox will be honored at a tea shower Friday from 3 to 5:30 in the home of Mrs. D. L. McLain in Hart.

MRS. COX'S home possessions were ruined in a recent fire. Her friends are using the tea shower as a means of helping her replace her possessions.

Gifts or money may be left at Mrs. McLain's home, at Nora Lee's Apparel Shop in Hart, or with Mrs. Tom McLain at Farmers State Bank.

THE CLUB was formed 35 years ago to support the county library. Former Book Club members and friends are welcome at the special observance.

Ann Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch, will explain the Presidential Classroom and give highlights of her week's stay in Washington, D.C. She will show slides and pictures of the National Cathedral, the Moslem Temple, Lincoln and Jefferson Memorials, Arlington National Cemetery and other attractions in Washington.

Miss Welch is a junior in Dimmitt High School and is active in FTA, FHA and the National Honor Society. She is the 1973 FFA Sweetheart in DHS.

The business meeting will begin at 3:30 and the program at 4.

Wheat Producers issue cookbook to aid diabetics

"Creative Ideas . . . That Are Fun and Tasty in Following Your Diabetic Menu" is the title of a new 24-page booklet released by the Texas Wheat Producers' Board, according to Mary Ellen Dambold, staff consultant in wheat foods and nutrition to the organization.

IN ADDITION to scores of recipes for preparation of breads, puddings, cakes, beverages and meat dishes for the diabetic, the booklet discusses related subjects such as dining out, dietetic foods, planning meals with variety and interest, and a review of exchanges and their nutritive value; as well as principles of nutrition and dietary recommendations for patients with diabetes mellitus.

Copies of the booklet may be obtained from the county agent's office.

TEXAS hog producers intend to farrow 62,000 sows during March to May, which is nine percent more than a year ago.

Miss Welch wins Little Sister title

Ann Welch was announced as the 1973-74 "Little Sister" of the Dimmitt Young Homemakers at a tea honoring candidates April 19 in the home of Judy Moore.

MISS WELCH was nominated for the award by the Dimmitt High School FHA chapter. A junior in DHS, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Welch.

For a girl to be chosen a Little Sister of the Young Homemakers chapter, she must have

a grade average above 90 and be a church and community leader.

The Young Homemakers also presented gifts at the tea to girls who babysit for them during their meetings. Receiving gifts were Carolina Montes, Cholea Montes, Odellia Salinas, Raciuel Salinas, Eliza Ortez, Nancy Vardell, Lupe Tirenoney and Deborah Malone.

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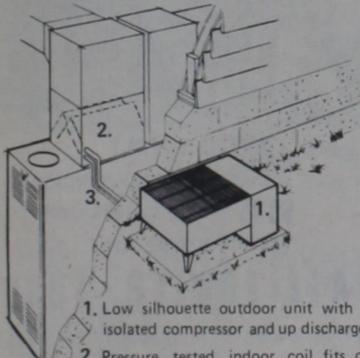
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The shop is owned by Oneeta Cole and is located on South Broadway. Her stylists book appointments Monday through Saturday.
Debi Musick, Meredith Hooper, Donna Brassfield and Flo Jouett are the stylists at Carousel Coiffures.
Debi takes appointments Thursday through Saturday and specializes in blow dry haircuts and styles. She graduated from the Southwest Beauty School in El Paso. Meredith has training in pivot point styling, a scientific method of hair design using fewer rollers and geometric styling patterns. She accepts appointments Monday and Wednesday through Saturday. Donna graduated from McBride & Davis of Lubbock, and works Tuesday and Thursday through Saturday. Flo Jouett has recently joined the Carousel staff and will take appointments Tuesday through Saturday.
Oneeta said the beauty shop will be offering specials during the coming weeks. Through May 10, all \$17.50 permanents will be given for \$12.50 and all \$20 permanents for \$15.
The Carousel offers early and late appointments and hospital appointments. The stylists sell and style wigs, wiglets and falls. A large parking area is an added convenience for Carousel customers.
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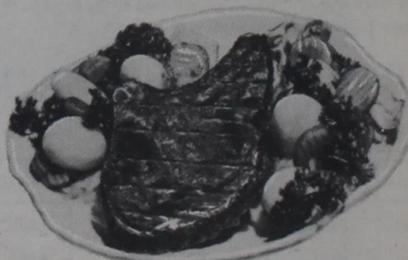
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Nazareth news

Teubal, Slavik are honored at Zone 2 Legion meeting

By Mrs. Florance Albracht Henry Teubal of Tulia and John Slavik of Nazareth were singled out for honors last Thursday night when the Nazareth American Legion Post hosted the District 2 meeting.

LEGIONNAIRES AND THEIR WIVES from Nazareth, Hart, Dimmitt, Happy, Hereford and Tulia attended the district session.

The meeting was dedicated to Teubal in honor of his 53 years of service to the American Legion. Teubal helped organize both the Nazareth and the Hart posts.

Teubal's life history was presented by Francis Wilhelm and Ernie Brockman of the Nazareth Post and by Jack Flynt of Dimmitt, former Texas Department commander. Wilhelm gave Teubal a gift from members of the Nazareth Post, and Flynt presented a gift on behalf of all Zone 2 Legionnaires.

Mary Flynt of Dimmitt, former president of the Texas Legion Auxiliary, presented a pot plant to Mrs. Teubal on behalf of the auxiliary members of Zone 2.

A highlight of the district meeting was John Slavik's re-



MR. AND MRS HENRY TEUBAL
... Long-time Legionnaire honored here Thursday



JOHN SLAVIK RECEIVES CITATION
... From Mrs. Eugene Hochstein

Two county JPs complete course

Mary Jo Smith and Elvon DeVaney of Dimmitt have completed a 40-hour training course for justices of the peace at Lubbock.

THE TRAINING program, required by state law, is funded by the Texas Criminal Justice Council, under the authorization of the Federal Omnibus Crime Control Bill and Safe Streets Act. The Texas Justice of the Peace and Constables Association has contracted Lamar University's College of Technical Arts to conduct the JP in-service training program at both the basic and advanced levels.

Lamar University conducts the programs throughout the state. JPs completing the basic phase are certified as required by law; the advanced course is designed for those who have been JPs more than one year.

Like any group of elected officials, justices of the peace represent a reasonable cross-section of society. They range from experienced attorneys holding the position in metropolitan areas to rural magistrates handling their duties on a part-time basis while holding

another job. The program recognizes the need for the transmission and updating of basic skills and methods needed to function effectively in the office, regardless of the workload of other training of a given individual.

THE BASIC and advanced in-service training workshops provide information as to the proper conduct of the office, and involve participants in hypothetical situations, role playing, group discussions, problem solving and examination settings. In addition to the formal presentation, the workshops provide an opportunity for informal visitation and exchange of ideas intended to improve the caliber and quality of service offered by magistrates across the state.

TIGHTLY COVER soft cheeses — such as cottage and cream — and store in the coldest section of the refrigerator. Use cottage cheese within 3-5 days — others within two weeks, advises Gwendolynne Clayton, consumer marketing specialist of Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

port on his trip to Valley Forge, Pa., under the auspices of the Freedoms Foundation.

Slavik was presented with a citation by Mrs. Eugene Hochstein.

NEXT SUNDAY Rev. Bishop DeFalco will be here to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation and also to invest the new deacons at the 10 o'clock mass.

The senior play "Two Dates for Tonight" was presented Sunday and Monday nights in the school cafeteria. It was enjoyed by a large crowd both nights. Lots of good acting. Since the class is large, part of the seniors will present another play the next weekend. Baptized after the 10 o'clock mass on Sunday April 29 in

Holy Family Church, the twins of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dee Johnson. The aunt and uncle Gale and Ricky Dobmeier were sponsors for Blaine Paul and sponsors by proxy David and Judy Irbeck of Grygla, Minn., for Janay Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. August Huseman spent two weeks in Natchitoches, La. over Easter visiting their daughter Ruth Ann.

ENJOYING DINNER Sunday with the Philip Huseman family were the Raymond Annens, Mrs. Cornelia Annen, Mrs. Rosalie Thiel of St. Johns, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Pohlmeier spent Sunday with their daughter and family, the Mike Williams in Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Al Hoelting vis-

ited their daughter and family the Ted Venhauses in Amarillo Sunday. Their granddaughter Lisa received her First Holy Communion in St. Laurence's Church at the 8 o'clock Mass.

Judging teams going down to Texas A&M with their teacher J. O. Seale from here were: Judging Poultry, Rex Ramaekers, Robbie Huseman and Mark Brockman; judging dairy pro-

On the Go

Guests in the Trent Downing home at Easter last weekend were his parents Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Downing of Lawton, Okla., his sister Tish Knutson and little friend Corky Murray of Manhattan Beach, Calif. Four family birthdays were celebrated.

ducts were Charles Heck, Weldon Wilhelm and Kevin Acker.

MRS. MARIAN EHLY had an appendectomy in Plains Memorial Hospital.

The Nazareth Band gave a concert in the school cafeteria Friday evening. The crowd enjoyed the concert though not many people came. There were too many other things going on, a shower, tournament and wedding rehearsals.

A wedding shower honoring Walter Pohlmeier and Lucy Maurer was given for relatives and friends of the two. They will be married May 11 in Holy Family Church.

A group from here enjoyed the R.E.A. free barbecue in Hereford on Thursday, given for their patrons.

AFTER THE 10 o'clock guitar mass Sunday the God, Home and Country awards were presented the following by Father Stanley, Richard and James Birkenfeld, Becky Huseman, Peggy Book, Stanley Gerber and Kathy Brockman. These awards are for leadership and achievements in school and community.

Mrs. Rosalie Thiel from St. Johns, Ind. is spending several weeks here visiting her sisters Mrs. Raymond Annen and family and Mrs. Cornelia Annen and brother Philip Huseman and family and Mrs. Frank Bauman of Hart.

MRS. LIZZIE Birkenfeld and daughter Petronilla spent Easter near San Antonio with Thomas Birkenfeld and daughter. Thomas was on maneuvers at Fort Hood. They went with the John Birkenfelds of Hereford who attended a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Hoelting spent the past week in Colorado Springs and Denver with

their sons, Denis, Leroy and Marvin and their families. The Germania Insurance Company treated their members to a supper in the community hall Tuesday, April 24th.

THE NAZARETH FHA elected new officers for 1973-74: president, Carol Drerup; vice-president, Mary Beth Ramaekers; second vice-president, Delores Heck; third vice-president, Mary Lynn Wilhelm; reporter, Nancy Acker; historian, Rose Braddock; secretary, Kimberly Wilhelm; treasurer, Patty Hochstein; parliamentarian, Mary Joe Schacher.

Delores Heck and Nancy Heck have written their Level II Encounters and will go to the State Meeting at San Antonio May 3 to May 6. Teresa Steffers was voted FHA Girl of the Year. She and Carol Drerup will also go with their advisor Mrs. Don Moore and husband. The Home Economics girls will have a style show Tuesday May 1 at 7 p.m. and will reveal their secret grandmothers.

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Hart news

Who'll be the 'Man of the Year'? You can help decide

By MYRT LOMAN

"Who's the Man?" The Hart Lions Club has placed a ballot box in the Farmers State Bank for Hart citizens to vote for the "Man of the Year." The winner will be presented the plaque at the club's "Ladies' Night" program May 19 at 8 p.m. in the Hart school cafeteria.

Ballots must be cast on or before May 14, and all citizens are urged to vote.

Bill Ritter, who is in charge of the Ladies' Night program said a group of Wayland College students will provide the program.

MRS BOB REED, Cub Scout den mother, and J. V. Westcott, Webelo leader, were in charge of the April Cub Scout pack meeting in the CVAE building.

Due to storm warnings, only a few boys were present to receive their awards.

Mrs. Reed presented the following boys their awards: Clay Barnes and Phil Foster, two-year service star; Marlin Marble, Bill Warren and Matt King, Showman and three-year service star; Russell Clevenger, Showman, Forester and three-year service star; Leslie Reed, Traveler, Showman, Naturalist, Outdoorsman and three-year service star; Brad Hill, Showman, Outdoorsman, Scholar and two-year service star.

BOB REED, Lion Boss, is asking for your cooperation in securing applications for any handicapped child, age 7 through 16, to go to the Texas Lions

Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville or a summer camp for diabetic children at Friendswood.

The crippled children's facility began in 1953 providing a two-week vacation for more than 13,000 handicapped children, and the past two years the Lions Club have sponsored a three-week vacation camp for diabetic children at Friendswood.

These two programs are available without cost to participating youngsters or to their parents.

Contact Bob Reed or any member of the Lions Club if you know of a handicapped child.

THE PARADE of Easter Hats was the highlight of the Zealot Club's April meeting in the home of Mrs. Claude Ray, with Mrs. Howard Mitchell and Mrs. Glen Gleghorn serving as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Hubert McLain, president, conducted the business meeting. Gifts for Girlstown were collected and members discussed a skit to be presented at the May 4 variety talent show. A scholarship for a 1973 Hart senior was authorized.

Mrs. Ray presented a program on "Banking for Women." Each club member made her hat and modeled it, with Mrs. Garlon Crosby winning first place and the prize of \$5. Her hat was a lovely original creation of white ostrich feathers on a brim, surrounded by large white bows, with small yellow bows centered with yellow butterflies.

Second place winner was Mrs. C. R. Jones, who modeled a hat with white bridal wreath and miniature pink roses including a bird's nest filled with assorted colored eggs, topped by a miniature white hat atop



MRS. GARLON CROSBY
... Zealot Club's wild-hat winner

an angel food cake pan, tied with pink and white streamers.

Mrs. L. D. Williams' hat placed third in the contest. It was a natural colored straw hat covered with multi-colored straw flowers, with a tall crown of white paper curls. The brim was edged with red Christmas balls and white braided fringe.

Strawberry floats, cake rolls, carrot sticks and cheese tidbits were served from a table covered with an avocado cloth, centered with an arrangement of fresh garden tulips and crystal appointments.

Mrs. Nora Zyburra was the judge for hats.

HART SCHOOL Calendar for the coming week:

May 3, 4, 5 - State FHA meeting, San Antonio.

May 4 - Band Talent Show at 7:30 in Hart Elementary Auditorium.

May 5 - State track meet Jimmy Brown will be running the 220-yard dash and Bobby Finch the 440-yard dash.

May 9 - Little Olympics, 1 p.m.

May 10 - Baptist Church supper for seniors.

May 11 - Band's spring concert.

May 12 - All Sports Banquet.

SCHOOL MENU for next week:

Monday - Meatballs and spaghetti, green beans, but-

tered corn, applesauce cake, cornbread, milk and butter.

Tuesday - Burritos, French fries, catsup, tossed salad, cherry cobbler, crackers, milk and butter.

Wednesday - Barbecued beef, pinto beans, cabbage salad, pineapple pudding, cornbread, milk and butter.

Thursday - Fried chicken, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, applesauce, milk and butter.

Friday - Sloppy Joes, potato chips, pickles, onions, homemade buns, peanut butter cookies, peaches and milk.

HART SENIORS were honored at a banquet Saturday night in the school cafeteria, with members of the junior class hosting the event.

With the theme of "Springtime," the room was decorated with spring flowers and greenery. Students entered through an archway that was decorated with multi-colored flowers and greenery.

Guests were served from card tables that were covered with white cloths centered with individual candles in a circle of flowers.

Babes Tatum, student from Wayland Baptist College, furnished the entertainment.

James McLain gave the welcome address, Kathy Cheves and Brent Lemons read the class prophecy and Rhonda Newsome and Stanley Dyer

read the class will.

EVERYONE come to the Variety Talent Show Friday night. The Hart Band Booster Club met at 4 p.m. in the Band Hall last Thursday to complete plans for the talent show, which will begin at 8 p.m. in the Hart grade school auditorium. Adult tickets are \$1 and student tickets are 50 cents.

Proceeds from the show will be used to purchase bags in which the uniforms can be carried and stored.

Another project which the band parents are sponsoring is a \$100 scholarship to the Outstanding Senior Band Member, which will be presented at the spring concert May 11. A permanent plaque will be put in the band hall with the new winner's name added each year.

Band Booster President Robbie Hawkins selected a committee to work with Roger Edwards on the senior student selection.

AS OF NOON Monday, the city of Hart had received 2.48 inches of moisture for April. Mrs. L. C. McLain remains in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

THE HART INDEPENDENT School District is taking a census of all children who will be school age on or before Sept. 1, 1973. If you have a child who will be 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, and have not filled out a census form, please pick one up in Supt. Ted Averitt's office or in Elementary Principal Frank Barnes' office.

Anyone having students attending Hart schools and living out of the Hart school district should go by Supt. Averitt's office as soon as possible for transfer forms. You must have a transfer form approved before your child can go to school out of the district in which you reside. The deadline is June 1.

Hart schools will have a pre-enrollment day Friday, May 18, in the kindergarten building from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. for all children who will be in the first grade next year. The cost for a lunch at the school that day will be 35 cents.

Roger Edwards, band director, has announced there will be a Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo today (Thursday) through Saturday

and some of his students are planning to attend.

Edwards will hold tryouts for twirlers and a drum major May 18 to help lead the Longhorn Band next year.

Dana McLain qualified for the finals in the Regional track meet in Levelland Saturday. She ran her season's best time in 7.5 seconds.

Bobby Finch ran the 440-yard dash in a time of 50.7 seconds for first place and Jimmy Brown ran the 220-yard dash in 22.4 and came in seventh in the Hobbs Invitational track meet Saturday. These boys will participate in the state meet this weekend.

The livestock judging team placed 21st in the state meet. Boys participating were Jim Tucker, Gary Hart and Stanley Harris. The milk judging team placed 66th, with Terry Hill, Brad Sharp and Blair Morrison as team members.

MEMBERS OF THE Hart Christian Athletes attended a three-day clinic April 27-29 at

Ceta Canyon. They participated in the new athletic techniques and attended conferences by Christian Athletes leaders.

Among the top athletic coaches and players were Tom Landry, Dallas Cowboys; Jim Carlen, Texas Tech coach; Ed Mconey, Detroit Lions; Ted Koy, Buffalo Bills; Don Rives, Chicago Bears; Russell Ingram, Atlanta Falcons; Joe Barnes and Doug McCutcheon, Texas Tech; and other popular West Texas athletes. Coach Glen Gleghorn attended with the Hart boys.

DIRK RAMBO, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rambo, placed third with some of his paintings exhibited among 189 other exhibits at the first Annual West Texas State University

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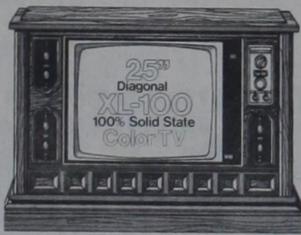
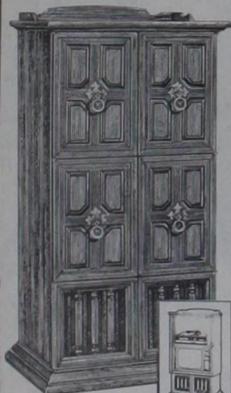
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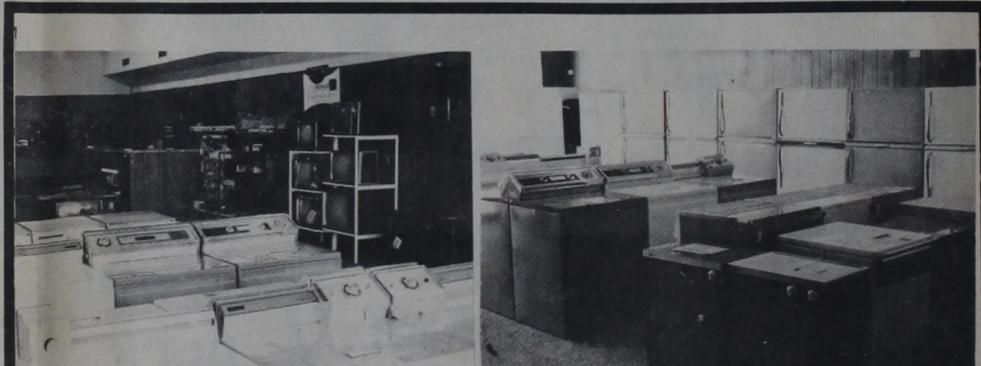
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Credit card: a blank check for swindler

(Fourth in a series of stories dealing with organized crime in Texas. This series is part of a public education program developed by the Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council with assistance from the Texas Criminal Justice Council, the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, the Texas Department of Public Safety, the Office of the Attorney General of Texas and local law enforcement agencies.)

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the less-than-honest "godfathers."

Within recent years organized crime has gained a foothold in the legitimate business world in Texas.

CREDIT CARD theft, criminal "monopolies," extortion and stock fraud are beginning to get their share of attention from law enforcement officials at all levels.

The Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council, co-chaired by Attorney General John Hill and Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Dept. of Public Safety, is mapping an all-out campaign on this relatively new organized crime endeavor in our state.

Credit card companies and innocent merchants are feeling the pinch of organized criminal rings as well as individual operators.

ILLINOIS RECENTLY completed a three-year investigation into this criminal field. Estimates there are that illicit credit card practices cost companies in that state more than \$20 million during the period under study.

One high-rolling crook bragged he "averaged out around

\$50,000 a year" and boasted various credit card companies would verify he had "beat them out of \$30,000 to \$40,000 in cash."

There are no corresponding loss figures for Texas available at this time. The Illinois investigation was under a legislative mandate.

BUT THERE is no doubt that Texas credit card firms are being bilked, as newspaper stories verify almost daily.

In a North Texas city not long ago, police officers seized between 500 to 700 credit cards and identity documents which had been stolen.

Credit card theft is an all too frequent occurrence, as court records throughout the state will show.

The underworld price for a credit card ranged from \$25 to \$100 — depending on its origin.

CARS STOLEN from the US mails and bank cards go for the top price.

Stolen cards procured by pickpockets, burglars or prostitutes who "roll" a client are in the cheaper price brackets because their loss is more quickly noticed.

These cards usually are good for a buying spree lasting from two days to a week. Typically, a thief will either purchase merchandise or sell the card outright.

WHEN A CARD gets "hot" it often will be left in some public place. Smooth operators pick a neighborhood where the finder usually would not be inclined to turn in the card anyway.

When the unsuspecting — and dishonest at heart — finder tries to make a purchase he may not only get caught on his own fraud attempt but may also be left holding the sack for all the previous illegal buys.

Organized crime has eagerly reached into this type of professionalism, adding the aspect of collusion as it refines the process.

ONE SHYSTER explains, "Some companies are so interested in giving you credit, they very seldom go into a really thorough check of a card applicant's background."

A credit card obtained through a fraudulent application is considered the "safest" by business crooks.

Merchandise obtained with fraudulent credit cards is especially valuable to the thief's "fence" (dealer in stolen goods).

A "fence" doesn't ask where the goods came from. Television sets, shotguns, clothes —

items such as these make up the bulk of hot merchandise found on the fence's shelves.

FRAUDULENT credit cards are used to maintain luxury living habits, to gain funds for legal advice and bail bonds.

Stealing and selling a credit card is a common means for a drug addict to obtain funds to support his habit.

Fraudulent — and legitimate — credit cards often are used by criminals to do everything from settling a gambling debt to keeping his automobiles running.

Some credit card abuses involved collusion with employees or even the merchants themselves. A store clerk will write a fraudulent sales invoice on a "hot" card, then give his co-worker half the value of the merchandise which is left on the shelf.

LATER, THAT same crooked employee sells the merchandise to a legitimate purchaser at full value... or sells it to an out-of-town friend or gives it to another merchant at a lower price.

Forgetful customers will go off and leave their credit cards at times, opening the door for dishonest employees to haul in the loot.

This is especially true at service stations, where such items as tires or batteries can be charged without knowledge of the credit card owner and later sold to a "fence" for cash.

CROOKED transactions such as these are punishable under state laws.

Most Texans are credit card holders from one or more major companies. Each of these companies has simple reporting systems for lost or stolen cards. Every card holder should maintain his own file of card numbers separate from the cards themselves so that he will have this information for reporting in case his cards are lost or stolen.

MISSING cards should be IMMEDIATELY reported to the card issuing company to insure minimum risk to the rightful cardholder.

Less easy to pinpoint and reprimand than credit card abuses are some of the more subtle tactics practiced through cut underworld circles to gain footholds in legitimate business enterprises.

MOB INFILTRATION of the business community appears in many disguises.

According to the US Chamber of Commerce, an industry or firm may serve as a front to camouflage the presence of

criminal individuals or syndicate operations.

Specifically, organized crime uses commercial enterprises as sources of reportable income. Business fronts are used to siphon-off profits through legal and illegal means and to clothe the criminal entrepreneur in an aura of semi-respectability.

Such "legitimate fronts" also are used as a drudge to cover tax gimmicks.

ULTIMATELY, of course, the criminal executive is interested in making money just like his honest counterpart. He just goes about it in a different manner, utilizing scare tactics and sometimes "muscle."

Two common racketeer schemes involve criminal monopolies and extortion.

A national task force on organized crime points out the difference in the two methods.

A CRIMINAL monopoly is a "pure racket" employing strong-arm tactics to keep competition destroyed or scared away to gain business success.

Protection money to the mob once was a way of life — and still is sometimes — for small businessmen in the large cities of the East. Fail to pay and you get a brick through the window or your store burns down.

This type of extortion doesn't seek to destroy competition, as is the case with criminal monopoly.

THERE ARE no indications, said the Organized Crime Prevention Council, that Mafia families are operating as such in the Lone Star State.

However, direct links between "home grown" Texas hoods and the organized underworld do exist.

One particular scheme which has shown up in Texas is the planned bankruptcy fraud.

A CORPORATION will be set up as a going legitimate concern. It promptly buys all sorts of equipment through credit and then quickly takes voluntary bankruptcy.

The illicit gains are converted to cash quickly and the mob has pocket money.

This particular device was one of the favorite methods of supplying "family" members with their every need during the heyday of the Mafia in New York and Chicago over a period of three decades.

The mind-boggling, whirlwind high-finance arena of stock fraud and stock manipulation doesn't touch the life of the average Texan — unless he has his life savings invested in a

company which is involved.

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Scouts to spend weekend at lake

A Boy Scout Bi-District Camporee-Hikoree for the Comanche Trail District and the Haynes District is set Saturday and Sunday, announced Nick Kramer, chairman of the camping and activities committee for the Haynes District, Boy Scouts of America.

THE CAMPOREE will be held in Camp Haynes, 11 miles east of Silverton, and the Hikoree will consist of a 10-mile hike from Lake Theo, north of Quitaque, to Camp Haynes.

A large number of Scouts are expected and a full schedule of activities has been planned. Visitors are welcome at all times and are especially invited to come on Saturday afternoon or Sunday to observe the activities.

Arrival time for the Scouts for the Hikoree will be 9 a.m. Saturday at Lake Theo. A sack lunch should be brought to eat on the trail. The Saturday night campfire will be under the direction of the Order of the Arrow. Sunday morning church services will be held at the campsite or the Scouts may attend the church of their choice in Silverton.

Kramer added that the purpose of this Camporee-Hikoree is to provide an opportunity for units to demonstrate skills

in hiking and camping; to enable Scouts to complete some of the requirements for the Hiking and Camping Skill Awards; to promote friendly competition in camping and hiking skills; to promote and prepare for summer camping and to encourage fellowship between Scouts and Scouters of the Haynes and Comanche Trail Districts.

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When the unsuspecting — and dishonest at heart — finder tries to make a purchase he may not only get caught on his own fraud attempt but may also be left holding the sack for all the previous illegal buys.

Organized crime has eagerly reached into this type of professionalism, adding the aspect of collusion as it refines the process.

ONE SHYSTER explains, "Some companies are so interested in giving you credit, they very seldom go into a really thorough check of a card applicant's background."

A credit card obtained through a fraudulent application is considered the "safest" by business crooks.

Merchandise obtained with fraudulent credit cards is especially valuable to the thief's "fence" (dealer in stolen goods).

A "fence" doesn't ask where the goods came from. Television sets, shotguns, clothes —

items such as these make up the bulk of hot merchandise found on the fence's shelves.

FRAUDULENT credit cards are used to maintain luxury living habits, to gain funds for legal advice and bail bonds.

Stealing and selling a credit card is a common means for a drug addict to obtain funds to support his habit.

Fraudulent — and legitimate — credit cards often are used by criminals to do everything from settling a gambling debt to keeping his automobiles running.

Some credit card abuses involved collusion with employees or even the merchants themselves. A store clerk will write a fraudulent sales invoice on a "hot" card, then give his co-worker half the value of the merchandise which is left on the shelf.

LATER, THAT same crooked employee sells the merchandise to a legitimate purchaser at full value... or sells it to an out-of-town friend or gives it to another merchant at a lower price.

Forgetful customers will go off and leave their credit cards at times, opening the door for dishonest employees to haul in the loot.

This is especially true at service stations, where such items as tires or batteries can be charged without knowledge of the credit card owner and later sold to a "fence" for cash.

CROOKED transactions such as these are punishable under state laws.

Most Texans are credit card holders from one or more major companies. Each of these companies has simple reporting systems for lost or stolen cards. Every card holder should maintain his own file of card numbers separate from the cards themselves so that he will have this information for reporting in case his cards are lost or stolen.

MISSING cards should be IMMEDIATELY reported to the card issuing company to insure minimum risk to the rightful cardholder.

Less easy to pinpoint and reprimand than credit card abuses are some of the more subtle tactics practiced through cut underworld circles to gain footholds in legitimate business enterprises.

MOB INFILTRATION of the business community appears in many disguises.

According to the US Chamber of Commerce, an industry or firm may serve as a front to camouflage the presence of

criminal individuals or syndicate operations.

Specifically, organized crime uses commercial enterprises as sources of reportable income. Business fronts are used to siphon-off profits through legal and illegal means and to clothe the criminal entrepreneur in an aura of semi-respectability.

Such "legitimate fronts" also are used as a drudge to cover tax gimmicks.

ULTIMATELY, of course, the criminal executive is interested in making money just like his honest counterpart. He just goes about it in a different manner, utilizing scare tactics and sometimes "muscle."

Two common racketeer schemes involve criminal monopolies and extortion.

A national task force on organized crime points out the difference in the two methods.

A CRIMINAL monopoly is a "pure racket" employing strong-arm tactics to keep competition destroyed or scared away to gain business success.

Protection money to the mob once was a way of life — and still is sometimes — for small businessmen in the large cities of the East. Fail to pay and you get a brick through the window or your store burns down.

This type of extortion doesn't seek to destroy competition, as is the case with criminal monopoly.

THERE ARE no indications, said the Organized Crime Prevention Council, that Mafia families are operating as such in the Lone Star State.

However, direct links between "home grown" Texas hoods and the organized underworld do exist.

One particular scheme which has shown up in Texas is the planned bankruptcy fraud.

A CORPORATION will be set up as a going legitimate concern. It promptly buys all sorts of equipment through credit and then quickly takes voluntary bankruptcy.

The illicit gains are converted to cash quickly and the mob has pocket money.

This particular device was one of the favorite methods of supplying "family" members with their every need during the heyday of the Mafia in New York and Chicago over a period of three decades.

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postal week We salute our postal workers!

April 29 to May 5

During the past four months, the Dimmitt Post Office processed 1,268,178 pieces of mail—everything from postcards to boxes of baby chicks. This averages 79,262 pieces per week or 11,323 pieces per day.

It was 10 years ago this month that Dimmitt's letter carriers started delivering parcels and letters door-to-door in residential areas here.

Before the Post Office Dept. was reorganized as the US Postal Service in 1971, the Dimmitt Post Office had 10 employees. That number has since been reduced to eight because of the nationwide USPS personnel cutbacks.

With 25 percent fewer employees than in 1971, Dimmitt's Post Office is now handling more mail than ever—and still staying 2 to 4 percent above the national average on origin-to-destination speed and accuracy.

Postal receipts in Dimmitt during fiscal 1972 were \$106,669.26, compared with \$88,846.62 the previous year. Postmaster John Wood attri-

butes the increase partly to a larger volume of mail, but mainly to the higher postal rates.

US Postal Service employees cover four million miles each day, getting 300 million letters and packages to their destinations.

US Postal Service customers include 52 million urban families, 12 million rural families and nine million businesses.

This year the US Postal Service will deliver 97 billion letters and packages weighing 13 billion pounds.

The US Postal Service sells nearly 27 billion US stamps yearly to carry letters to every corner of the world.

Ten new commemorative stamps honoring US Postal Service workers went on sale Monday, which was "National Postal People Day." Special envelopes commemorating Postal Week also went on sale Monday.



DOROTHY WILKE, postal clerk, has been with the Dimmitt Post Office 12 years. She's a member of the First Baptist Church and the American Postal Workers Union.



MOISES MURILLO, clerk and carrier, has been with the US Postal Service six years in Dimmitt and Hereford. He's a Little League coach and a member of the Joe Bailes Baptist Mission and the National Association of Letter Carriers.



MAX GOFORTH carries the mail from Dimmitt to Springlake (Star Route 1) and from Dimmitt to Hereford (Star Route 5). He coaches the Dodgers in the Hereford Bronco League and is a member of the Avenue Baptist Church.



GERALD BROADSTREET, city carrier, is quartermaster of the Castro Memorial VFW Post, writes "VFW News" for the paper, is a member of Castro Masonic Lodge 879, and is in the National Association of Letter Carriers.



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Hawaii.....	HI	Pennsylvania.....	PA
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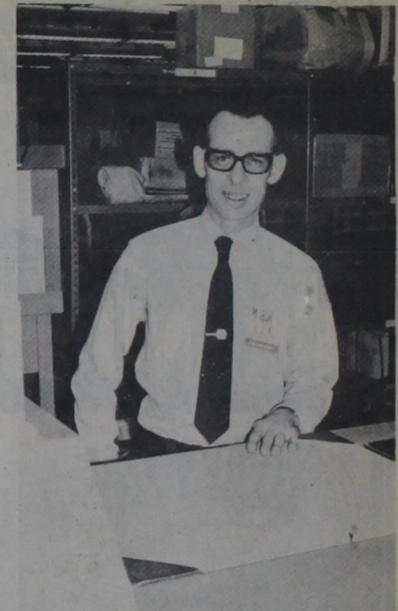
CLAUDE 'SHORTY' BARLOW, city carrier, is the worshipful master of Castro Lodge 879, AF&AM, and is a member of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept., First Baptist Church of Earth, Castro Memorial VFW Post and the National Association of Letter Carriers. He also coaches the Giants in the Dimmitt Babe Ruth League.



FLOYCE GEORGE delivers the mail to rural residents along Star Route 4 (Dimmitt to Earth), and at present she's also delivering on the Dimmitt-Tulia route for her mother, Irene Carpenter, who is recuperating from a recent auto accident. Mrs. George is a member of the First United Methodist Church and is an avid bowler.



JOE WEATHERFORD, city carrier, is the past noble grand of Dimmitt's Odd Fellows Lodge, is the player agent for the Little League, is on the Policy Advisory Committee for the Follow Through program in Dimmitt Public Schools, and is a member of the Dimmitt Rodeo Association and the National Association of Letter Carriers.



GENE BROADSTREET, window clerk, is a Master Mason in Castro Lodge 879 and is a member of the American Postal Workers Union.



ROSE WARREN is the postmaster at Nazareth. She's a member of the Holy Family Catholic Church, Nazareth PTA, Altar Society, Catholic Daughters of America, and National Association of Postmasters.

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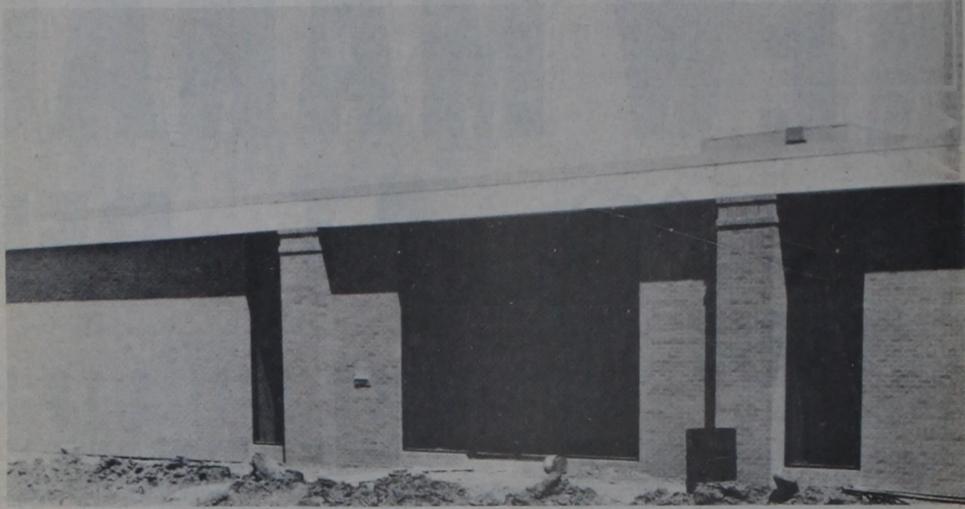
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SIMON RAMOS of Dimmitt was awarded a giant bunny rabbit Saturday afternoon at the local Perry Brothers Store. Ron Lovell, new store manager, said the stuffed rabbit was bigger than its proud new owner.

All witnesses invoke Fifth; man acquitted

Two Hart men on trial for fighting were acquitted Monday after all the witnesses invoked the Fifth Amendment and refused to testify.

THE UNUSUAL courtroom occurrence took place before a six-person jury in Justice of the Peace Elvon DeVane's court, and involved a misdemeanor affray charge dating back to November. One of the two defendants pleaded guilty and the other entered an innocent plea.

The state had subpoenaed six witnesses whom officers said were present when the fight took place in front of a Hart cafe.

But as they were called to the stand one by one Monday, each witness invoked the Fifth Amendment, which guarantees that a person does not have to answer a question that might tend to incriminate him. The witnesses — all men — wouldn't even confirm their names, DeVane said.

THIS LEFT the state without any direct evidence in the trial. County Attorney Robert Buntyn explained that the officer who investigated the incident had not arrived at the scene until after the fight was over, so he couldn't be called because his testimony would have been hearsay evidence, which is not admissible in court. And the second defendant — who had pleaded guilty by telephone before the trial started — was not present.

Since the charge couldn't be proved without witnesses, DeVane instructed the jury to return a verdict of innocent. Buntyn subsequently set aside the second defendant's guilty plea.



Mr. and Mrs. Terry Dan Hawkins of Hereford are the parents of a girl, Tonya Michelle, born April 25. She weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces.

It's a girl, Margie Gail, for Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mayhew of Dimmitt. Born April 26, she weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Foundation has tips on soybeans

Farmers wanting to increase soybean production on their farms this season can receive timely and helpful information from High Plains area leaders in soybean production and research scientists at the High Plains Research Foundation.

FOR THE past few years, the High Plains Research Foundation "Soybean Production Guide" has been available to aid farmers interested in soybean production. With recent favorable prices and releasing of acreages for more production, the information guide, prepared and updated by foundation scientists, may be helpful to farmers who have not grown soybeans before and to those trying to increase soybean yields.

Soybeans have moved from a "helping crop" situation to a full fledged money maker. But they must be farmed properly before full yield potentials can be realized, foundation scientists indicate.

The guide offers helpful hints on seed bed preparation, selecting quality seed, and varietal selection information that will help the producer decide what variety would be best adapted to a farmer's operation in view of water, type of land and cultural practices.

OTHER INFORMATION includes planting dates, seeding rates, fertilization, irrigation, and weed control as well as harvesting tips.

"This production guide is as complete and up to date as we can make it with our current knowledge and research", Dr. Douglas Owen, foundation senior agronomist, said.

Farmers can receive a production guide at the foundation or by writing High Plains Research Foundation, P O Drawer 1870, Plainview, 79072.

Counselor to conduct seminar for teens on dating, marriage

The First Baptist Church of Dimmitt will sponsor a dating and marriage seminar Monday at 7 p.m. in fellowship hall.

CHARLES E. WHALEY, director of family counseling at Perry Diagnostic Clinic in Lawton, Okla., will conduct the seminar.

He was the 1973 Willson Lecturer at West Texas State University in April. Whaley has done college work on four campuses and completed all coursework and foreign language

proficiency exams for his Ph.D. degree at the University of Oklahoma.

Whaley is currently serving as president of the American Life Institute, a national organization for professional lecturers. In addition, he also serves on the board of directors of Alpha Psi Omega, professional honor society of psychological counselors.

MIKE JETER, church youth director, said there would be no charge for the seminar and all youth in the community are invited.

Following the seminar, homemade ice cream and brownies will be served.

Three charged in Earth theft

Castro and Lamb County sheriff's officers Friday night arrested three young Dimmitt people, including a 16-year-old boy, and charged them with theft over \$50 in connection with an incident near Earth.

OFFICERS SAID the arrest followed a chase along FM 1055 that started near Earth and ended near the Easter community. The trio was charged with taking gas and some tools from a farm near Earth.

The Lamb County Sheriff's Dept. filed charges against Ray Row, 27, his wife, Cynthia, 19, and the 16-year-old youth. They were arraigned Saturday before Lamb County Justice of the Peace Stanley Doss, who set Rowe's bond at \$2,000 and his wife's bond at \$1,000. The youth was released to the custody of his parents, and Mrs. Rowe posted bond Saturday. Rowe is in Lamb County Jail.

More About

Circus coming

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during the day. One of the show's favorite animals, a two-ton hippopotamus from the Nile River in South Africa, will be displayed downtown in a 1,000-gallon tank during the day.

Other animals in the show include monkeys, apes, llamas, a five-legged cow, a 12-year-old horse named Tiny Mite which is only 18 inches tall, a five-footed horse named Trigger, and a giant Regal Python snake that's more than 24 feet long and weighs 200 pounds.

CIRCUS ACTS will include the Loyal Family, European bareback riders; Dixie, the performing and wire-walking elephant; Miss Luci on the high trapeze; Kathie's trained goats, dogs and ponies; Royal Rouge, a high-stepping dancing horse; the Canine Cavaliers, dog act; Fisher Bros. Riding School; Randal's military ponies; Mike Gasca, Mexico's "ambassador of comedy"; and the Fisher Bros. Congress of Clowns.

Admission at the box office will also entitle the ticket holder to any seat under the Big Top; no reserved seat tickets will be sold.

If their schedule permits, circus performers will stage a pre-show parade downtown and visit children in the schools Tuesday, a Fisher Bros. spokesman said.

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Oral cancer program set

Dr. Denton Dewitt, a dentist from Lubbock, will present a program on oral cancer Monday night at 7:30 in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The program is being sponsored by the Castro County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

Cinco de Mayo reina is named

Anna Maria Castorena, 17, daughter of Sr. and Sra. Alejandro Castorena of Muleshoe, has been elected Reina (Queen) of the Cinco de Mayo Fiesta to be celebrated Friday through Sunday in Muleshoe.

CHICANOS Unidos-Campesinos, which annually sponsors the event, announced the outcome of the competition Sunday. Balloting was conducted over a four-week period prior to the Sunday tabulation.

As reina, Miss Castorena will head the parade through town Saturday, following coronation activities Friday evening. Miss Castorena will be crowned by last year's queen, Mary Perez, also of Muleshoe.

Cinco De Mayo, a national holiday in the Republic of Mexico and a patriotic occasion for all persons of Mexican heritage, commemorates the beginning on May 5, 1862, of the decisive victory of the Mexican Army over French troops at the city of Puebla in the final days of the French occupation of Mexico.

Elected as princesses for the fiesta were Mary Gomez and Angie De La Cruz, both of Muleshoe, and Anita DeLeon of Earth.

ART IS limitation; the essence of every picture is the frame. — Gilbert Keith Chesterton

Man, 20, faces assault charge

A charge of assault with intent to commit murder was filed against Rockland Rhea, 20, of Dimmitt, upon a complaint signed by John Lance Thomas, 19, in connection with a Friday night incident in West Dimmitt.

Thomas charged that Rhea struck him on the head with a crescent wrench. Thomas was treated and released at Plains Memorial Hospital.

Rhea was arraigned the same night before Justice of the Peace Elvon DeVane, who set his bond at \$5,000. He posted bond Saturday morning, county officials reported.

Easter to hold 42 party Friday

There will be an Easter community "42" party Friday night at 8 in the community center.

TO KNOW is nothing at all; to imagine is everything. — Anatole France

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Clarence W. Boothe
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Olga Ellis
Israel Rodriguez
Jimmy Buckley
Bob Baker
Russell Freirson
Yolanda Martinez
Susan Irlbeck
Oscar Johnson
Mary Ann Pickens
Lillian White
Jessie Thomas
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Jessie Gonzales
Beral Hance
Rita Summers
Jim Vassaur
Eula Thomas
Rita Mayhew
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Clarence Hall
Richard Garcia
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Texas eggs laid daily per 100 hens averaged 55.8 compared with 61.3 nationwide.

Mrs. Gilliland attends meeting of administrators

DeLoris Gilliland, administrator of the Golden Spread Nursing Home in Dimmitt was among over 600 nursing home owners, administrators and staff in attendance at the 23rd annual spring meeting of the Texas Nursing Home Association in San Antonio April 26-28.

THE SPRING meeting program was entitled, "How To Promote Efficiency and Save Money in the Running of Your Nursing Home." The administrative office, housekeeping, nursing and dietary departments were covered in the program. All 12 hours were approved by the Texas Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators to count toward their continuing education.

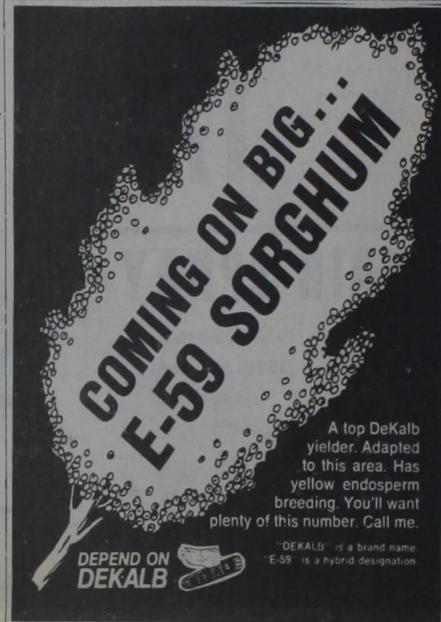
The Texas Nursing Home Association has been involved in educational programs for nursing home personnel since 1967, and over 16,000 have attended Texas Nursing Home Association educational presentations in the last six years.

The Texas Nursing Home Association, a professional organization of extended care and multi-care facilities in the state, is dedicated to the improvement of health care for the aged, and represents over 45-

600 of the licensed beds in the state. Its members are both proprietary and non-profit and all are affiliated with the American Nursing Home Association.

MEN'S WEAKNESSES are often necessary to the purposes of life. — Maurice Maeterlinck

THE BUSINESS of America is business. — Calvin Coolidge



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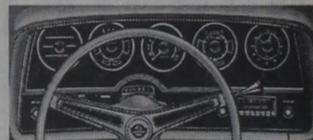
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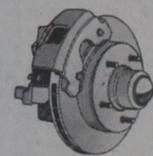
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MONDAY, MAY 7

*6:00—Cards vs. Dodgers
6:00—Astros vs. Tigers
8:00—Braves vs. Yankees

THURSDAY, MAY 10

*6:00—Astros vs. Yankees
6:00—Dodgers vs. Tigers
8:00—Braves vs. Cards

MONDAY, MAY 14

*6:00—Tigers vs. Cards
6:00—Astros vs. Braves
8:00—Yankees vs. Dodgers

THURSDAY, MAY 17

*6:00—Braves vs. Dodgers
6:00—Cards vs. Astros
8:00—Yankees vs. Tigers

MONDAY, MAY 21

*6:00—Tigers vs. Braves
6:00—Cards vs. Yankees
8:00—Dodgers vs. Astros

THURSDAY, MAY 31

*6:00—Yankees vs. Braves
6:00—Dodgers vs. Cards
8:00—Tigers vs. Astros

MONDAY, JUNE 4

*6:00—Cards vs. Braves
6:00—Yankees vs. Astros
8:00—Tigers vs. Dodgers

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

*6:00—Dodgers vs. Yankees
6:00—Cards vs. Tigers
8:00—Braves vs. Astros

MONDAY, JUNE 11

*6:00—Tigers vs. Yankees
6:00—Dodgers vs. Braves
8:00—Astros vs. Cards

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

*6:00—Astros vs. Dodgers
6:00—Braves vs. Tigers
8:00—Yankees vs. Cards

MONDAY, JUNE 18

*6:00—Astros vs. Tigers
6:00—Braves vs. Yankees
8:00—Cards vs. Dodgers

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

*6:00—Dodgers vs. Tigers
6:00—Braves vs. Cards
8:00—Astros vs. Yankees

MONDAY, JUNE 25

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6:00—Dodgers vs. Astros
8:00—Tigers vs. Braves

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TIGERS—Moises Murillo
YANKEES—Therman Oldham

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The view from your library

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX

I want to thank the 10 basketball boys who played in the basketball marathon last week. THE BOYS playing in the 100-hour marathon were: David Schaeffer, Lonnie Strickland, Ronnie Lawson, Edward Nino, Florence Acevedo, Robert Calhoun, Paul Langford, Brent Sanders, Norman Hays, and Kenny Ringo. John Brooks was manager and score keeper. I also want to thank all the donors and Ann Touchstone who was available to accept the money and who encouraged several to give to this fund. One thousand dollars was donated to the library building fund for these boys participation in this marathon.

Maybe Hart or Nazareth could raise some money through their schools or some other kind of a marathon. How about it Hart or Nazareth? How much can your schools raise for our county's new library? We know you have your own school libraries but we try to help with the needs of your school children either from our library or from the Amarillo Library or other Major Resource Libraries in Texas.

I ATTENDED a workshop in Borger last Friday that was conducted by our Texas Field Consultant, Ernest Lassiter, from Lubbock. He talked on three phases of the library:

(1) Adult Informational Needs, (2) Library's Responsibility, (3) Library's Response.

Mr. Lassiter said, "Everyone is a prospect for the library." We need to encourage more to use our library. There are several reasons adults need to use a library: for pleasure and recreation; for more knowledge about a job or work; for do-it-yourself projects; for continuing education; and the necessity for improving themselves in ability.

Most people have a greater life span now and some are being retired from their jobs at age 55. Mr. Lassiter gave a rubber factory as an example of this early retirement. Libraries should be a part of the community. Interests change at age 40 from job oriented to pleasure interests.

INTERESTING PEOPLE in the library: Jacky Dunn and his wife and two little girls. Jacky is studying to be a doctor in Kansas City, Mo.

FAMILIES, MORE than any other force, determine the personality and character of people—now and tomorrow—who, after all, determine what tomorrow will be, according to Dr. Jennie Kitching, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

AMERICA AND defeat cannot be made to rhyme. Eric A. Johnson

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VETERANS' SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH
Veterans Service Officer

The following message of utmost importance for all veterans of World War II concerns a false report that is currently circulating across the country, urging veterans to apply to the Veterans Administration for their "special" insurance dividend.

ACCORDING to the erroneous report, which is being carried in many newspapers and other publications, a law supposedly has been passed authorizing the Veterans Administration to pay a "special" dividend of 55 cents per month for each \$1,000 of GI or Government life insurance which he had in force in World War II. The story is completely false, and is nothing more than a cruel hoax, since no such legislation has been enacted by Congress.

A special dividend was paid in 1949 and 1950 to veterans who carried National Service Life Insurance during World War II. This was only a one-time payment, although annual dividends are still being paid to those veterans who have continued to keep their old GI insurance in force.

This false story seems to surface every two or three years, and all veterans are urged to recognize this "special" dividend rumor as a hoax. The Congress, in 1970, passed a "State Claims Act" which relieves the VA from the responsibility of processing claims which might be made as a result of this false story. Thus, any veteran who applies for the "special" dividend mentioned in these reports is ir. reality wasting his time, his efforts and the money spent for postage.

ANY VETERAN who is legally entitled to an insurance dividend from the Government will receive an official individual notice of the amount of his entitlement, and no heed should be paid to the false "special" dividend rumor.

THE FOLLOWING part of our news concerns our Vietnam Era Veterans:

Veterans are returning to civil life at a much slower pace than during the 1970-71 peak period for military discharges, but the Veterans Administration has not relaxed its "Outreach" program for veterans, according to Jack Coker, VA Regional Director.

A checklist of important deadlines is one of the timely reminders issued periodically as part of the "outreach" effort. Other steps include counseling at all military separation points, in military hospitals and even on aircraft carriers — and mobile van visits to home towns veterans after discharge.

THE VETERANS' timetable to take full advantage of various benefits and programs is: Within 90 days, apply to former employer for reemployment.

As soon as possible, register with local state employment service office. (Veterans have up to a year to apply for unemployment compensation, but applications filed after a long period of unemployment could result in a lower rate of unemployment compensation.)

Within 120 days (or one year if totally disabled at time of separation), convert Servicemen's Group Life Insurance (without examination) to private, commercial policy.

Within one year from date of notice of VA rating on disability, apply to any VA office for G. I. life insurance based on service-connected disability.

WITHIN ONE year, apply to any VA office for dental care. As soon as possible, apply to any VA office for G.I. education or training. Education or training under the G.I. Bill must be completed within eight years of separation from military service.

In 30 days, register with Selective Service or any local board, if not already registered. In ten days, report address to Selective Service through local board (in person or by mail).

THERE ARE no time limits for veterans to:

Apply to any VA office for a G.I. loan guaranty to buy a farm, or buy, build or improve a home.

File claims with any VA office for compensation for service-connected disabilities or disease.

Apply for hospital care. Seek assistance from state employment offices for jobs or Labor Department job training.

VA said its 72 assistance centers around the country are ready to help veterans get a quick start to civilian life.

FOR ALL VETERANS: Your Veterans' Service Officer wishes to urge you to join the Veterans organization that sponsors the many benefits for veterans. Join and keep dues paid up in some or all to which you are eligible. The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans and other such organizations need your support. They serve veterans, their dependents and survivors in many ways — regardless of membership in them.

COME TO my office in the courthouse for information concerning Veterans Administration benefits. We have the proper application forms for most benefits also.

And the boys played on... and on... and on...



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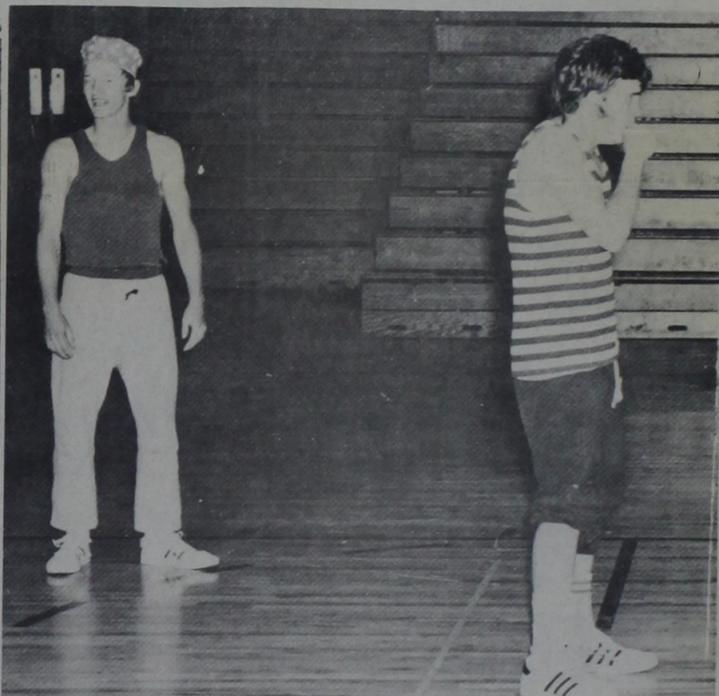
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... Ronnie Lawson and Lonnie Strickland



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Well, the elections are over for another year, and the new officers have their work cut out for them.

THANKS TO an accurate count by our election officials, Jaycee Sweetheart Virginia Sheffy and Judge Elvon DeVaney, we have as officers for

Thrasher elected Jaycee president

The Dimmitt Jaycees chose Avery Thrasher as their president for 1973-74 at their annual election of officers last Thursday.

THRASHER, WHO has served as secretary-treasurer the past year, will succeed Heck Braaffadt at the helm of the young men's civic club.

Allen McLain was elected first vice-president, to be in charge of the club's internal activities; and Jack Edwards was chosen second vice-president, in charge of supervising external projects.

Secretary-treasurer for the coming year will be Ron Montgomery. Elected director were Fred Underwood, Stanley Byrnes, Les Clary and Ray Davis. Gary Gerber was chosen sergeant-at-arms.

President — Avery Thrasher
First VP — Alan McLain
Second VP — Jack Edwards
Secretary and Treasurer — Ron Montgomery
Directors — Stanley Byrnes, Les Clary, Ray Davis, Fred Underwood.
Sergeant at Arms — Gary Gerber

WE HAVE less than a week left before the circus comes to town, so let's start pushing those tickets. Remember, the Jaycees get a better percentage of the gate if the tickets are sold beforehand. And our customers get a better price if they buy their tickets in advance.

JAYCEE JESTER: Gary Gerber may have to send in a requisition for an anti-ballistic missile detector to help him with his new job as sergeant at arms.

My nominee for the Jaycee Easter Egg Hunt Leadership Award: Larry ("Let's Go") Altman.

A TALE without love is like beef without mustard; an insipid dish. — Anatole France

GOOD WILL is the mightiest practical force in the universe. — Charles Fletcher Dale

Minor League tryouts slated Saturday at 2

Minor League baseball tryouts will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 in the city park. BOYS 8 through 10 must attend if they wish to play Minor League ball this summer. Boys will be placed on teams at this time.

Girls' softball meet set today

A girls' softball meeting is scheduled today (Thursday) at 4 o'clock in the basement of the courthouse.

ALL PARENTS with girls ages 9 - 16 who want to play ball this summer are urged to attend.

ALL THE historical books which contain no lies are extremely tedious. — Anatole France

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