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HART, CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY,

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LATE MODEL CAR driven by George Lee Young of Dimmitt was involved with a pickup driven by Robert Gonzales of Hart. Mrs. Young was confined to the hospital where she underwent surgery. Note broken windshield, through which Mrs. Young was thrown.

## Car-Pickup Crash Hospitalizes Two

A two-vehicle accident Sunday afternoon near the west city limits resulted in serious injuries to two Dimmitt residents.

Mrs. Lois Young, 43, was listed in fair condition at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt and Mrs. Carlene O'Brient Young was in serious condition in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo where she underwent surgery late Sunday.

George Lee Young, 25, driver of the Young car, and his three-month-old son Noland Lee were treated and released from Plains Memorial

Hospital following the accident.

Ray Gonzales, 15, was driver of the pickup involved in the accident. He was not injured and his pickup was undamaged.

Billy Scott of Dimmitt, highway patrolman, investigated the accident. He said Young attempted to pass the pickup while both were traveling east.

Scott said Gonzales attempted to turn left, Young swerved to miss the pickup, and his car went out of control, skidded broadside and struck a railroad crossing post.

## Mid-Semester Exams Set, Schools Dismiss Early

Students in Hart schools will be faced with their annual ordeal of mid-semester exams next week.

School authorities have announced the schedule of exams and remind parents that buses will run at 2:35 p. m. on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

Final exams for seventh period classes will be given Tuesday, Jan. 14 from 2:30 to 4.

Wednesday's schedule includes first period class exams, 8:30 to 10:05; third period class exams, 10:10 to 11:40

and fifth period class exams from 1:00 to 2:30.

Second period class exams will be at 8:30 to 10:05 Thursday. Fourth period classes at 10:10 to 11:40 and sixth period at 1:00 to 2:30.

School will be dismissed Friday, Jan. 17 for teachers' record's day.

## Nat'l Farmers Slate Meet

All farmers in the high plains area are invited to attend a meeting of National Farmers Organization Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the Hale County Agriculture Center in Plainview.

John Oster of Ethan, S.D., NFO National Director, will be guest speaker and explain the organization. One of the purposes of the organization is to secure a fair price for the product the farmer sells. Collective bargaining, through the organization, can enable the high plains farmer to receive a fair share of the nation's economy.

Businessmen and other interested persons are also invited to attend.

## Funeral Services Held For Son Of H. E. Lomans

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning in Greenwood Memorial Park Chapel and Mortuary in San Diego for Cletis Wayne Loman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman.



WAYNE LOMAN

## American Legion Post Plans February Auction

The American Legion Post 311 has planned an auction sale the latter part of February at the Nazareth Legion Grounds.

Consignments can be made

at Carl's Grocery or Nazareth Oil and Gas in Nazareth.

Any and all articles are welcomed.

## Kenneth Covington Named To P-A-G Hall Of Fame

Kenneth Covington has been named the area winner in the 1968 P-A-G Hybrid Sorghum Yield Contest according to an announcement from W. A. Dorman, Board Chairman of Dorman and Company, P-A-G

Distributors for West Texas and New Mexico.

A yield of 8662 pounds per acre on a 100 or more acre field earned the Hart farmer a place in the P-A-G Growers Hall of Fame.

First place winner in the contest was David Lee Jones of Edmonson. Jones had a yield of 9002 pounds per acre.



NAMED TO P-A-G GROWERS HALL OF FAME-- left to right, Mabry Peel, sales manager of Dorman and Company; Kenneth Covington, area winner; W. A. Dorman, Board Chairman of Dorman and Company and Weldon Jones of Jones Seed and Farm Supply, suppliers of the seed.

## District TSTA Slated Here January 23

A district meeting of the Texas State Teachers Association will be held in Hart Thursday night, Jan. 23, according to Supt. Ted Averitt.

The teacher's banquet will be held in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p. m.

The program will be held in the elementary gymnasium, with guest speaker, Wales Madden Jr. of Amarillo. Madden is one of the 15 men serving on the Governor's Committee on Public Education.

## Corn Growing To Be Discussed

An informative meeting for all farmers interested in growing corn is planned for Tuesday, Jan. 14 at 7:30 p. m. in the Community Room of Farmers State Bank.

Jones Seed and Farm Supply is sponsoring the meeting. Slides will be shown. Door prizes will be given.

All interested persons are invited.

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## Editorials

### Bill Clayton Speaks Opinion

Mr. Ted Averitt  
Superintendent of Schools  
Hart Independent School  
Hart, Texas 79043

Dear Mr. Averitt:

I appreciate very much your letter of December 11, and also appreciate your sending me the letter written by the interested "Citizens of Hart" together with the copy of the editorial.

Since the recommendation, that many of Texas' smaller schools be consolidated, was made I have given considerable time to studying the situation. I have made an effort to weigh the matter from all sides, and I have come to the conclusion that we must not accept this recommendation

for all of our schools. It is not in the best interest of the children who attend these schools, and of course that is our first concern, nor is it in the best interest of the communities where these schools are located. I shall oppose any effort to consolidate all schools that do not have the minimum enrollment that has been suggested, unless I am given better evidence of the good that would come from such consolidation.

You were thoughtful to write me as you did, and I can assure you that I shall keep your views in mind as this question is considered.

Sincerely yours,  
Bill Clayton

### Local Woman's Mother Dies

Funeral services were held recently in Ottumwa, Ia. for Mrs. Goldie M. Johnson, mother of Mrs. Joe Bailey. Services were held in Johnson Funeral Chapel and interment was in Memorial Lawn Cemetery.

A lifetime resident of Ottumwa, Mrs. Johnson was 71. She had been in ill health for several months.

Survivors include her husband Fred W. Johnson; five other daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Thrasher, Mrs. Hazel Shultz, Mrs. Darlene Selix, Mrs. Viki Mallonee and Mrs. Polly Ream; 17 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

#### IN RUIDOSO

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett spent the weekend vacationing at Ruidoso, N. M.

#### HOST DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill were host Christmas Day for a family dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hill and family of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell and family, all of Hart.

#### IN WICHITA FALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Alford and Charles spent Christmas holidays in Wichita Falls visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Green and Kevin.

#### VISIT ENGLISHES

Mrs. Janice Osborn and baby of Santa Ana, Calif. spent the holidays here visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Donald English.

#### UNCLE DIES

Mrs. Jimmy H. Davis received word Friday of last week of the death of her uncle, Joe Campbell of Duncan, Okla. who suffered a sudden heart attack.

#### VISIT RICHBURGS

Marion Shaw and McKiever of Amarillo visited during the holidays one day with Marion's aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Richburg and DeAnn.

#### FORMER RESIDENT VISITS

Norlan Dudley of Earth was in Hart on business Monday of this week.

#### IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mitchell and Rickey were in Dallas over the holidays visiting with Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Mitchell. They went on to Paris and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Varner and report that Varner is feeling much better now.



WAY SOME FOLKS GAMBLE WITH THEIR TIME THEY'RE BETTIN' THE COIN'LL STAND ON END!

### New Arrivals

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Vance at 6:47 in Plainview hospital on Jan. 5, weighing 7 pounds nine and one-half ounces. They named him Michel Kirk. Maternal grandparent is Louis Daubert of Hart. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Vance of Clovis, N. M.

#### FROM HOUSTON

Kim Davis of Houston has spent the Holidays here visiting with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Judd Davis and Lonnie and Mrs. Alene Lilly.

### Card Of Thanks

I want to thank everyone for the flowers, cards and concern during my stay in the hospital. God bless each of you.

Mrs. Roy Taack

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped us in our Toy Workshop for the New Mexico Christian Childrens Home at Portales. Your generosity brought joy to the hearts of all those at the Home, and because of your generosity we were able to deliver toys and games that would benefit children of every age.

Words just cannot express our appreciation to each of you. Thanks again.

Mrs. Oleta Sanders,  
Mrs. Marguerite McLain,  
Mrs. Velma Entekin and  
Mrs. Vera Alford

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Davis of Hart are proud parents of a daughter born Jan. 6, Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clay Anderson of Hart and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis of Hart.

### Mrs. Tallant Is TOPS Queen

Hart of Texas TOPS Club met Monday evening in the Community Room of Farmers State Bank.

Testimonials were given from new members. Nettye Tallant was crowned Queen for December and Jean Jameson was winner for the week. She received a grab bag gift for having lost the most weight for the week.

Janie Alexander, recorder, reported that members had lost a total of 258 and a half pounds since Aug. 1, 1968.

Anyone interested is invited to meet with the club each Monday at 7 p. m. in the Community Room.

#### IN ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Richburg and DeAnn spent part of the holidays at Paris, Ark. visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Richburg. While there they all went to Mt. Magazine the highest mountain in Arkansas.

#### VISIT RICHBURGS

Sandra Richburg of Canyon visited a few days last week in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Richburg and DeAnn.

### SCOUT NEWS



Den One and Den Two Boy's Cub Scouts will have a house to house sale of home made cookies Jan. 14 after school. They are selling cookies as a money making project for the two dens.

### Basketball Scores Given

Hart Junior High boys won 37-36 in overtime Monday evening in a basketball battle with Cotton Center. Junior high girls also won over Cotton Center, 20-18.

In action Tuesday night, senior high girls fell to Turkey by a score of 57-36. Senior high boys picked up a win over Turkey, 58-48.

#### SON CALLS

Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Hawkins Sr. received a call from their son Dr. and Mrs. Theron Hawkins reporting they had returned home Monday before Christmas after spending three weeks in Ethiopia on a lecture tour with the Christian Doctors Association. His lectures were given to doctors in Ethiopia.

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#### Cities in Flames

NEW YORK—Short of nuclear war, it would be hard to imagine fire destroying nine American cities in the next 70 years. Yet, the Insurance Information Institute notes that between 1835 and 1908 fire destroyed major portions of New York City, Charleston, S. C., Portland, Me., Chicago, Boston, Jacksonville, Baltimore, San Francisco and Chelsea, Mass.

### Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

The Secretary of the Treasury is responsible for the design selection of our paper currency, which also includes choice of portraits.

Here's an interesting side light relative to how portraits are chosen: there is a law which stipulates that portraits for our paper currency shall be deceased, statesmen, historically well established and well known to the American people.

The Director of the Mint is responsible for the selection of coin designs, subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Here's another interesting side light: Congress can and does prescribe coin designs, usually for centennial or bi-centennials of our greats.

One law governing coin design stipulates that the design of a

coin may not be changed more often than once in 25 years.

#### Watch Next Week For "SOME INTERESTING MONEY DATA"

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## Good Neighbors Club Meets In Hawkins Home

Good Neighbors Club met Tuesday Jan. 7 in the home of Mrs. W. A. Hawkins Sr. with an all day meeting and luncheon. Officers were elected and secret pals revealed.

Officers for the new year elected were Mrs. H. E. Newman, president; Mrs. Percy Hart, vice president; Mrs. Fred Hamm, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Paul Brooks, assistant secretary - treasurer; Mrs. E. E. Foster, Hospitality committee chairman; Mrs. Kenneth Lambert and Mrs. Vasca Kittrell, Hospitality Committee helpers.

Attending were Mmes. C. E. Johnson, Percy Hart, Ken-

neth Lambert, Paul Brooks, Lett McLain, Vasca Kittrell, E. E. Foster, Fred Hamm, H. E. Newman, Homer and hostess Mrs. W. A. Hawkins Sr.

Next meeting will be all day Feb. 4 at home of Mrs. Fred Hamm.

## Surprise Party Fetes Birthday

A surprise birthday dinner Sunday honored Mrs. Everette Cole. The party, a traditional one in the Cole family, was held in the Community House in Plainview Park.

A large birthday cake and gifts were presented to the honoree.

Attending were the honoree's family, Everett Cole, Gary and Carolyn; Mrs. Nathan Pevehouse and family of Hart; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schaefer and family all of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Richardson of Post; Mrs. Maude Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Sellers and family, all of Seagraves; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harm Cole and family of Wellman; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen and family of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and family of Whiteface.

### IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. P. Armstrong is still quite ill in the Dimmitt Hospital.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE Registered Hereford Bulls, some pairs, Call D. L. Lewis 864-3521 Edmondson, Texas after 6 p. m. 27-tfc.

FOR SALE - 2 trucks, 1955 G.M.C. with metal grain bed, 1956 Ford with metal grain bed with lift. 938-2271. 27-tfc.

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## School Menu

Jan. 13 through 17, 1969

MONDAY - Cheese and macaroni, vienna chunks, English peas salad, hot rolls, apple cobbler, milk and butter.

TUESDAY - Fish squares, tarter sauce, seasoned black-eyed peas, cabbage slaw, hot rolls, chocolate pudding, whipped topping, milk and butter.

WEDNESDAY - Brown beans, Spanish style macaroni and tomatoes, onion slice, cornbread, cinnamon rolls, milk and butter.

THURSDAY - Meat balls and spaghetti, whole kernel corn, tossed salad, hot rolls, orange cake, milk and butter.

FRIDAY - Barbecue beef on home made bun, French fries, catsup, peach half and cookies, milk and butter.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welty in honor of Welty's birthday on Friday, Jan. 3. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Brooks and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Welty and family. The hosts served birthday cake.

### HAS MUMPS

Mrs. Doyce McAdams is ill at home suffering from the mumps.

## NOTICE

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## Longhorn Trails

School days have returned to HHS. Not all in vain as it brought with it many heartaches, headaches, brainaches and muscleaches for many out of shape athletes and PE stars.

The many times repeated cries of "The holidays are over" have finally taken effect as semester exams creep upon us. In fact, they're not creeping, they're jumping by leaps and bounds.

Now that holidays are over, all that is left are just memories. Some are joyful, others kind of sad. If you want to know how some vacations fared, ask Mrs. Myers. She received many varied reports last week.

Love your enemies, for they tell you your faults. - Benjamin Franklin

REBECCA FUTRELL'S IDEAL BOY

Most Handsome - Mike Armstrong

Cutest - Andy Rogers

Hair - Gary Rambo Eyes - Steven Hanes and Ricky Mitchell

Smile - Joe Quiroz

Physique - Donnie Black

Hands - Mr. Burns

Walk - Roy Ethridge

Personality - Jimmy Allensworth

Best Dressed - Gary Rambo Meanest - Harold Bennett and Bob Waide and Roger Kennedy

Best All Around - Jimmy Allensworth Laugh - Richard Murray

The doors of wisdom are never shut. - B. Franklin

Who deceived thee so oft as thyself? - B. Franklin

### DEDICATION LINE

"This Diamond Ring" - to Linda B.

"It Won't Be Long" - to Charlene Moses

"I'm Hooked on a Feeling" - to Chuck and Becky

"Stormy" - to Sonia Perez from Joe

"We're Sure Gonna Miss Ya" - to Debbie from the basketball girls

"Girl With Kaleidoscope Eyes" - to Iona

"Sittin' In The Family Circle" - To Nanci

"Run, Run, Run" - to the basketball girls from Debbie

"In The Misty Moonlight" to Charles from ???

"Your Day Will Come" and "Look Out" - to second period American History and Coach Hayes from Nanci

"Chapel of Love" - to Margaret, Mike and Chopper

"Alley Cat" - to Chopper

"I'm Sorry" to whom it may concern

"Sooner or Later I'm Gonna Get Ya" - to Becca R.

"Don't Touch Me" - to Charles from Nanci

"Mustang Sally" - to Charles and Phil from Debbie

"Hair Today, Gone Tomorrow" - to Paula from Vicki

"I Had a Dream Last Night" - to Jan from Nanci

"Be True to Your Friend" - to Vicki, Pam and Nanci from Jan

"Moody Today, Happy Tomorrow" - to Pam and Nanci

"Getting Too Involved" - to Vicki

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the senior trip, concession stand, and the senior play. They decided to have their play April 15 and a committee was appointed to check into plays.

### RAUNCH THOSE 'ROOS!

Don't forget Seniors! Pay your dues. If unsure whether you owe or not, ask Iona Clevenger.

### LET'S GO HORNS! WIN DISTRICT!

District play begins Tuesday against Amherst. We have some new teams in our district this year. Let's go out of our way to show them what good sports we are, OK? OK?

### BOMB KRESS!

Annual staff meeting was held Monday night. The Longhorn staff works long and hard hours so be patient with them.

### AGGRAVATE AMHERST!

FHA held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon with Reba English, president, presiding. Banquet plans were discussed.

Refreshments were served by Chapter Mothers, Joan Clevenger and Marlene Bennett. Area Choir members recently named are Sharon Singers: Frances Cunningham and Iona Clevenger; Ima Dee Singers: Bonnie Seymour and Sue Bates.

### ALLEVIATE AMHERST!

FTA met Thursday and delegates to attend the State Convention in Austin were chosen. We will have their names at a later date.

## SCOUT NEWS



New patrol leaders were elected Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Junior Girl Scout Troop 23.

Sharla Carson served refreshments to Retha Aven, Tammy Bates, LeAnn Friday, LaDonna Hart, Debbie Lacy, Jana Mapp, Lisa Nelson, De Ann Richburg, Rhonda Rowland, Patricia Smith and a guest, Laurey Franks.

Leaders present were Marilyn Covington and Shirley Nelson.

## Attention All Farmers

### Informative Meeting

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**FROM COLLEGE STATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Martin of College Station spent the holiday season with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin.

**SUNDAY VISIT**

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Davis visited Sunday in Carlisle with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harris. The Harrises are former Hart residents.

**RETURNS TO CAMP**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennett and Charlene Moses returned this week from Camp Polk, La. where they took George Ed Bennett back after a leave for the holidays.

**HAS SURGERY**

Mrs. W. H. Felder is at home after spending a few days in a Plainview hospital where she had minor surgery.

**VISIT SHARPS**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wal-drop of Plainview visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sharp and family.

**VISIT DAVISES**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis had as guests during the holidays, their grandsons, Kirk, Mark and Johnny Davis of Lubbock. Johnny stayed due to having pneumonia and is doing better at this time.

# Moments Of Meditation

C. T. Cunningham, pastor of First Baptist Church

Earl Nightingale in "Our Changing World" tells of the late H. L. Mencken, an editor and writer, who in his later years got married. It was a newsworthy event. And one of the questions asked him by a reporter was, "What's the most important ingredient to a successful marriage?"

To which he replied, "Courtesy".

He put into one word what marriage counselors take books to try to say. He had put much thought into marriage.

And if there is one word that will help make a marriage successful and happy "courtesy" is the word.

It takes more than just love by itself. For one of the paradoxes of human nature is that it seems the one we love the most we hurt the most.

For the husband this means being courteous in all areas of the married life. It means that the husband will treat his wife with the same respect and courtesy that he would treat a guest in his home.

For the wife, she must treat the husband with the

same courtesy she shows to the ladies of the bridge club when they come to her home.

Sometimes a wife will dress better and prepare a better meal for the ladies than for her husband. Of course it may be the club is more important to you.

Also the husband may have earned this kind of treatment because of the way he treats his wife. He should never forget to be a gentleman.

What causes a marriage to go on the rocks?

Well, there are many factors involved. In a lot of cases, probably the "straw that broke the camel's back" was overlooking this simple but very important word in getting along with others.

Hard work! Of course it is. But is not your marriage or future marriage worth the effort. Sure!

## Applications Being Taken

Congressman Bob Price issued an appeal today for more applications from Panhandle youths who desire to make the Military their career by attending West Point, Annapolis, or the Air Force Academy.

Price stated that he can nominate as many as 80 young men for the eight vacancies this summer and that so far only 45 have applied.

The Congressman will be filling four vacancies at West Point, two at Annapolis, and two at the Air Force Academy.

Young men between the ages of 17 and 22 who are high school graduates and unmarried are encouraged to apply by writing or phoning Congressman Bob Price's Office in the Post Office Building in Amarillo.

Nominations are made on a strictly objective, non-political basis. Ten boys are nominated for each vacancy and compete equally for the appointment. After a series of physical and mental examinations and consideration of the boy's scholastic class standing and extra curricular activities, the academy appoints the best qualified young men. The deadline for applications is January 16, 1969.

**HAS BROKEN FOOT**

Mrs. Roy Taack spent last week in Plainview hospital undergoing tests and is now at home. She suffered a broken bone in her foot with bad infection and will be on crutches for the next two months.

**VISIT J. D. RODGERS**

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sharp visited Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rodgers of Olton.

**ATTEND MEETING**

Several persons from Hart attended the special meeting at the United Methodist Church in Plainview Monday evening of this week. Those attending were E. E. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Armstrong, Mrs. Robert Brooks, Mrs. T. B. Cox, Mrs. Buster Aven, Theron Morrison and Rev. Fred Brown.

**IN LUBBOCK**

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Newman and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cox visited Sunday in Lubbock with Mrs. Cox' aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cummings.

**CRICK GUESTS**

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crick on New Year's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Smith and three children of La Blanca, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Smith and four children of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Verle Crick, Bob Crick and Jim Hughes of Hart.

**VISIT COXES**

Welborn Vaughn of El Paso, Wash. former Hart resident, visited last week with Claude Cox and Mrs. T. B. Cox. Vaughn worked for the Cox Butane several years ago.

**OUT OF HOSPITAL**

Tom McLain has been in the Dimmitt hospital this past week and was released Tuesday of this week.

**RELATIVE DIES**

Mrs. Fluff Hacker received word recently of the death of her older sister's husband in Scappoose, Ore., Joe Mooneyham, 66, had been ill for the last several years.

**ATTEND BOAT SHOW**

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Holiman and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Alexander attended the boat show at the Civic Center in Amarillo Sunday.

**Covered Bridges**

Dressed in photogenic Quaker costumes, Indiana women at an annual festival sell home made apple butter. Proceeds are used to preserve the state's covered bridges.

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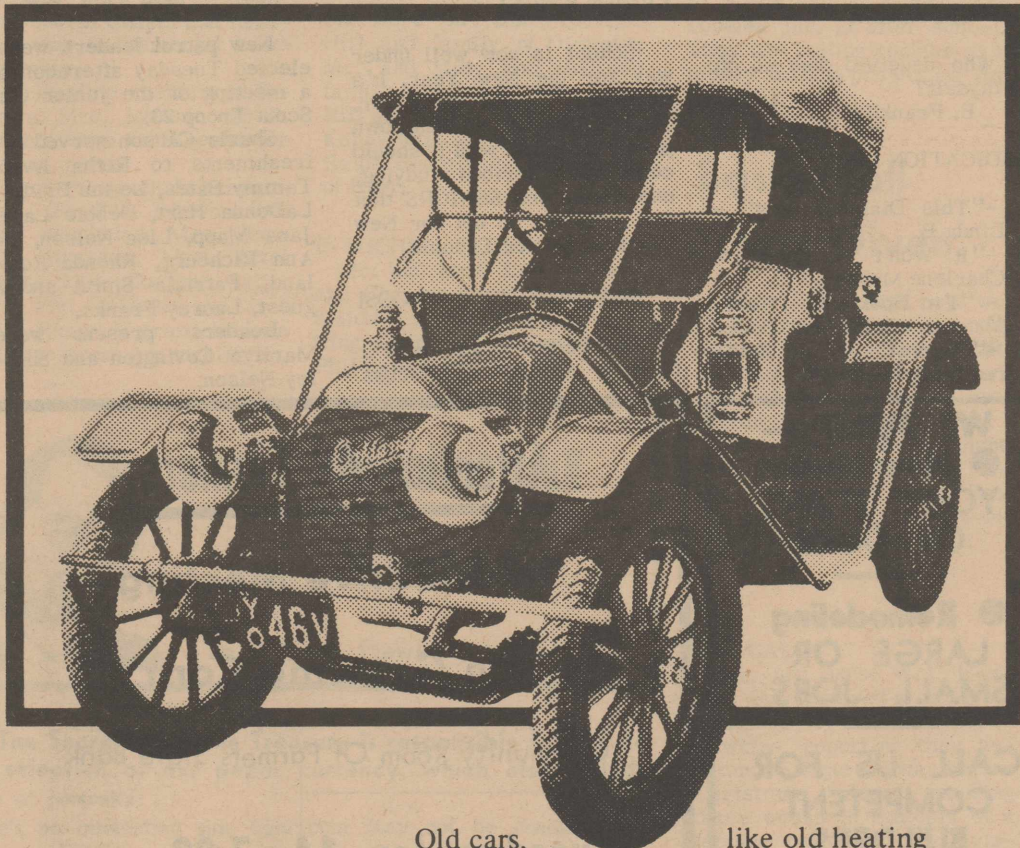
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