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Man killed, boy hurt
Wrecks rock US 385

A Texas Highway Dept. employee was killed, a Hereford boy was injured and three cars were smashed up in three separate accidents during the week along the construction section of US 385 north of Dimmitt.

A TEXAS highway patrolman said road barriers along the construction route were a contributing factor in at least one of the accidents — a head-on collision Friday night.

Ronald Miller, 28-year-old Texas Highway Dept. laboratory worker from Littlefield, died last Wednesday as the result of a freak accident on the construction project.

Miller died of a head injury he received when he was hit by a gravel truck driven by Luis Ferrer of Lubbock. The truck belonged to Boswell-Crafton, Inc., of Lubbock.

PATROLMAN Dyrle Maples said Miller was on foot checking the aggregate mixture of the road bed, and Ferrer was backing his truck along the road to hook onto a gravel spreader when the truck bed hit Miller in the face.

"Ferrer was following a gravel spreader and preparing to hook onto the speader as soon as it finished another truck's load when he saw Miller lying in the road," Maples said.

Miller received emergency treatment at Plains Memorial Hospital, then was transferred to a Littlefield hospital. He died en route — approximately at Springlake — and was pronounced dead on arrival at Littlefield.

Miller's death probably will be classified as an industrial accident and not as a traffic fatality, patrolmen said.

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A CARLOAD of Dimmitt people en route to a basketball game at Hereford Friday night narrowly escaped serious injury when their car collided head-on with a new Mercury driven by a Hereford man.

The accident occurred at 7:55 p.m. six miles north on US 385, at the intersection of Farm Road 1057, and caused heavy damage to both cars.

Patrolmen said a 1965 Chevrolet sedan driven by Durward "Butch" Strickland of Dimmitt collided with a 1970 Mercury driven by Antonio Ramirez of Hereford.

HIGHWAY Patrolman Dyrle Maples said Ramirez was driving toward Dimmitt on the left side of the highway after being guided to that side of the road by a construction barricade and sign. A smaller sign had instructed Ramirez to resume driving on the right side of the road, but Ramirez apparently did not see it, Maples said.

Ramirez was cited for driving on the wrong side of the highway.

Strickland and his wife were

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'LOLI' ORTIZ-RECLAT ENJOYS GAME
... Anywhere there are people



TYPING LETTER TO HER PARENTS IN ECUADOR
... Tales of snow, ice and open spaces

'Loli' praises second hometown

What's in a name?

A bundle of international good will, if the name is "Loli."

THAT'S THE nickname of the fast-grinning talkative girl from Ecuador who is Dimmitt High School's American Field Service exchange student this year.

"Loli" is a nickname of downright necessity for most DHS students. Loli's full name is Dolores Maria Victoria Ortiz-Reclat.

Ecuadorians have a more logical naming system than Americans; the last name includes the family names of both mother and father. So if you wanted to address Loli formally, you would call her "Miss Ortiz-Reclat." Her father's family name is Ortiz, and her mother's maiden name was Reclat.

THE AMERICAN Field Service, which arranged the exchange study for thousands of students annually through its unique program, doesn't want its sponsored students from other countries to make too many public statements during their first semester. But after half a year of getting accustomed to their new surroundings and their natural homesickness, AFS students are allowed to tour the after-dinner circuit at full speed.

Loli's round of public speaking engagements to civic clubs, churches and student groups is just about to begin.

AFTER looking us over for a semester, Loli is fascinated by:

—The friendliness of the people here ("Everybody waves and says 'hi' all the time. Here you don't have to know anyone to say 'hi.' Everybody says 'hi' to me downtown, and the men who work on the road are always waving to me.")

—Any event where there are other young people — school, basketball and football games, church class, parties, drug store gatherings, shopping, "and dragging Main — you know?"

—THE FOOD here, especially frozen peaches, meat loaf and Mexican food.

—Living on the Coles' farm seven miles north of Dimmitt instead of her home city of Guayaquil, population 800,000. ("I love living on the farm, you know. I like to ride the bicycle, but now it's so cold — my goodness, it's so cold.")

—Snow and ice. ("I had never been in a snow, you know, and I didn't know if I wanted to walk in that deep one we had — I didn't know where the bottom of it was. And, you know, the ice

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USDA slates grain meeting

An important grain producers' meeting is scheduled in Amarillo Monday at 2 p.m. in the Holiday Inn West.

GLENN WEIR, head of the grain division of the US Department of Agriculture, will meet with area farmers to get their opinions on the grain sorghum program and how they feel it should be administered.

Charles Heck Jr. of Nazareth, president of the Castro County Grain Sorghum Producers Association, urged all interested grain producers in the county to attend Monday's meeting.

Kemper trial is postponed

The murder trial of Mrs. Joyce Kemper, originally scheduled to get underway Monday, has been rescheduled for the third week in May.

DISTRICT Judge John Boyd approved the postponement Monday upon a motion by Mrs. Kemper's defense attorneys.

Mrs. Kemper is charged with murder with malice aforethought in the Aug. 14 automobile death of her husband, Clois Wayne "Bud" Kemper, 36, on a farm road near their home in eastern Castro County. She was indicted on the charge Sept. 4 by the Castro County Grand Jury.

Reyes placed on probation

Ramon Reyes, Easter farm worker who was convicted in September of murder without malice, received a five-year probated prison sentence Monday in District Court.

HIS sentencing was the outgrowth of a jury deadlock in the September murder trial.

A District Court jury found the 66-year-old Reyes guilty of murder without malice in the September 1968 shooting death of Jose M. Ramos, 37. But the jury deadlocked when it went back to the jury room to set the sentence.

In pronouncing the sentence Monday, District Judge John Boyd noted that a retrial of the murder case would amount to double jeopardy under a recent ruling by a federal appeals court.

Baker paces Cats past Owls, 77-50

Dimmitt's Bobcats took a 21-7 lead over the Hale Center Owls in the first quarter Tuesday night and went on to win, 77-50, as three Cats scored in double figures.

Bobby Baker led the Bobcat blitz with 22 points, while Mark Wohlgemuth sacked 19 and Kent Bradford 14.

Thriller at Hale Center gives Bobbies 3-AA title

Dimmitt's Bobbies plucked the District 3-AA championship from the Hale Center Owlettes Tuesday night in a 53-51 thriller that had the fans jumping for the rafters.

THE TITLE game had everything, including offensive blitzes and catch-ups by both teams and a missed layup by Hale Center at the final buzzer.

Coach Bob Askey's Bobbies were down by 10 points in the first quarter before they finally started hitting. With Delores Wilke scoring Dimmitt's first three baskets, the Bobbies pulled to within three points, 19-16, as Suzanne Merritt helped from outside — but the Hale Center scoring duo of Sue Roddy and Anita Burgess extended the Owlettes' lead to five points, 29-24, by halftime.

Both teams adjusted their defenses in the third period to hold the scoring down, but the Bobbies got the drop on the Owlettes when Askey sent in his secret weapon — long-shot artist Karen Baldridge.

WITH HALE Center's guards sagging to keep the ball away from Bobbie scoring queen Ruth Dyer at the post, Askey called on Baldridge to break it up. Baldridge connected on four of five field shots and three for four at the charity line, loosening up the frustrated Owlette defense.

Then Dyer, given all the working room she needed, joined Baldridge in the scoring spree to pass the Owlettes at 35-33 at the end of the third quarter and surge on to a 10-point lead early in the fourth.

Then it was Hale Center's turn to play catch-up, and the Burgess-Roddy duet almost pulled the game out of the fire in the closing minutes.

DIMMITT fans held their breath when guard Keri Kirkpatrick fouled out with two minutes remaining, but Ann Lust filled in and kept Roddy in check.

The smooth Owlette forwards pulled to within a single basket, 53-51, in the game's final minute as the Hale Center gymnasium shook to the rafters.

In the game's final heartbeat, Roddy drove for the basket and fired the layup shot that would have tied the score and thrown the game into overtime. But the ball rolled off the rim, and with it went the Owlettes' hopes for a playoff.

THE BOBBIES victory ended the second-half race in a three-way tie between Dimmitt, Hale Center and Floydada. The tie meant that the Bobbies, who won the first half, are the district champions outright with no playoff needed.

Dimmitt's scoring was well balanced as Dyer netted 21, Merritt and Baldridge 11 each and Wilke 10.

The Bobbies will play Post, the District 4-AA champion, for the bi-district title Tuesday night. At press time, Coach Askey was meeting with Post school officials in Lubbock to determine the bi-district game site.



EARLY START—Mrs. Avis Smith got an early start on both Friday the 13th and St. Valentine's Day this week when, with a cast on her leg, she broke open her first box of Valentine candy. For Mrs. Smith, a history and civics teacher in Dimmitt High School, Friday the 13th came early. She was walking into the DHS cafeteria Jan. 6, minding her own business, when she suddenly slipped and cracked her ankle. She hopes to be rid of the plaster cast before she finishes the chocolates. Not until 1976 will St. Valentine's Day fall on Saturday again and be preceded by Friday the 13th.

Hail-suppression project is 'go'

Now that Castro Countians have organized for an ambitious hail suppression project, the next step will be to have county representatives meet with other county committees to coordinate and finance an area-wide research program in cloud-seeding, according to Ed Ramaekers of Nazareth.

RAMAEKERS was elected chairman of the Castro County chapter of the Plains Weather Improvement Association when it was formed last week by 35 to 40 local farmers.

Other officers elected were Gerald Graham of Sunnyside, vice-chairman; Larry Huheman of Dodd, secretary-tresurer; and Cyril Brockman of Nazareth, farmers' agent.

Ramaekers and Graham were the county's delegates to last month's organization meeting of the Plains Weather Improvement Association. Other delegates to that meeting have returned to their home counties to help organize local chapters to make the research and control project area-wide, to spread the cost and benefits.

Ramaekers said a local business man would be appointed soon to act as the business man's agent in the hail suppression program.

"A LOT of businesses suffer equally with the farmer when a hailstorm hits," he explained.

"Our next step will be to coordinate the Plains program and seek financing for the research project," Ramaekers said.

Atmospherics, Inc., a California firm that has been pioneering new techniques in "seeding" hail clouds to turn the hail to rain or slush, proposes to conduct a research program to determine the most effective ways to disperse or weaken hailstorms in this area.

ANTHER goal of the research project is to discover the "mechanism" that causes hailstorms to generally occur earlier here than elsewhere, but not later in the summer when all the usual ingredients of hailstorms are apparently still present.

Financing will be the only major hurdle in the impelementation of the research project, Ramaekers said.

"It will require an investment county to conduct the complete research project and make the hail suppression program operational," he said. "This $50,000, if we can get it together, is a reasonable investment when you consider that the hail loss in Castro County averages almost a million dollars a year in crop damage alone."

Radio comment ires sheriff

Sheriff Jack Cartwright fired back verbally Tuesday at Radio Station KDHN after allegedly being accused over the air of suppressing information on an auto accident.

CARTWRIGHT charged that "Red" Hill, the station manager, "bad-mouthed the Sheriff's Office and the Highway Patrol all day Monday about a wreck which my department didn't have anything to do with."

The accident was a one-car turn-over Sunday night on US 385, in front of the radio station. Hill reportedly complained over the air that neither the Sheriff's office nor the Texas Highway Patrol office here would give the station any information on the wreck.

"IN THE first place, the wreck was out of my department's jurisdiction," Cartwright said, "since it occurred on a highway instead of a county road. We can't give out information on wrecks that occur in another agency's jurisdiction."

Cartwright said local highway patrolmen — who had jusridiction in the accident — "were in no position to give any information on the wreck Monday because the driver of the car left after the accident and never did report it. All the time we were being editorially criticized over the radio, the highway patrolmen were trying to trace down the driver to get the details of the accident."

AFTER tracing the car's owner through the license number, Highway Patrolman Billy Scott Tuesday arrested Alexander Johnson in Hereford and charged him with failure to report an injury accident. Johnson's 9-year-old son was cut by broken glass in the rollover, Scott said. Instead of reporting the accident to the Highway Patrol, Scott said, Johnson had caught a ride to Hereford with a passing motorist to have his son treated, and had left his 1956 Ford abandoned near the radio station.

Perry's store to open today

The new Perry's store in Dimmitt will hold its grand opening today (Thursday), starting at 8:30 a.m.

THE LARGE variety store-fabric center is located in the Wright Shopping Center on North Broadway.

The grand opening celebration will feature free door prizes for all the store's visitors and drawings for a color TV set, professional type home hair dryer, 30-coffee percolator and a movie camera.

Manager of the new Dimmitt store is Carl Benton, 28, who has been the manager of Perry's in Floydada. A native of Arkansas, Benton has lived in Texas 10 years and has been with the Perry's organization 5½ years.

BENTON and his family live at 710 SW Sixth St. He and his wife, Floydelle, have a 2-year-old son, Bruce, "and we're expecting our second child any minute," he said.

Helping Benton get the modern, 70 x 120 ft. store building ready for the grand opening have been several Perry's executives from the area, including Jack Simpson, Plainview district supervisor; Bill Lengefeld, Coleman district supervisor, and store managers from many area cities. They will also be on hand for today's grand opening.

The staff of the new Perry's store includes Brian Spraberry, Mrs. Inez Johnson, Mrs. Jane Killough, Mrs. Shirley Goolsby, Mrs. Mary Acker, Linda Wilcox and Mrs. Velma Lambright. Sherry Cole and Vicki Durham, Dimmitt High School seniors, are employed part-time. Benton said six other local ladies will help with the grand opening.

DIMMITT'S is the 112th store in the Perry Brothers, Inc., variety store chain.

The successful chain got its start 54 years ago in Center, Texas. Frank Perry, an employee of a variety store in Center, got the chance to buy the store and called in his four brothers — Roscoe, John, Hollis and C. W. — who were working at various jobs in Lufkin.

The Perry brothers decided to invest their earnings in the store, and with total assets of $300 plus some borrowed money, they acquired the store in 1915.

THEY USED the Center store as a springboard for acquiring variety stores in other East Texas towns, with each brother moving on as a store manager.

In 1920, when the stores came to outnumber the brothers, headquarters were opened in the family's store in Lufkin, with general offices in the balcony. It was in the Lufkin store that the company was incorporated in 1924.

Lufkin is still the headquarters for Perry Brothers, Inc., but the general offices are now in a four-story building, near the 95,000 sq. ft. main warehouse and distribution center.

The equivalent of four full carloads of merchandise are shipped daily to the 110 Perry's stores in Texas and two large stores in Lake Charles, La.

PTA open house set next week

The Dimmitt PTA will hold an open house in North Elementary School next Thursday night from 7 to 9.

A MUSICAL program is planned in the school gymnasium. Taking part will be the trio of Skip Skinner, Ruth Dyer and Suzanne Merritt, plus the fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

Refreshments will be served, then parents will tour the classrooms to visit with their children's teachers.

Correction

In last week's listing of candidates who had filed for the May 2 Democratic primary election, the News unintentionally omitted the name of County Treasurer Florene Leinen, who is running unopposed for re-election.

Spring-ish

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	61	20
Friday	53	20
Saturday	65	24
Sunday	70	26
Monday	58	18
Tuesday	60	18
Wednesday	70	31
1970 Moisture		0.05

HOWARD COOK
US Weather Observer



SECOND IN TEXAS—Charles Heck Jr. of Nazareth (standing, right), who was named recently by the Dimmitt Jaycees as the county's Outstanding Young Farmer of 1969, was announced as the state's first runner-up at the Texas Jaycees' Outstanding Young Farmer Banquet at Lubbock Saturday night. Here, Heck and his wife, Ann, receive the first runner-up plaque from Eddie Dyer of Garland, president of the Texas Jaycees. Dan C. White of Vernon was named the Outstanding Young Farmer of Texas at the banquet, and Ramon Lee Armstrong of Ennis was the second runner-up. One of the state judges was Donald Wright of Dimmitt, Outstanding Young Farmer of Texas last year.

Mrs. Martinez's funeral is held

Funeral services were held in Hart last Wednesday afternoon for Mrs. Isabel Martinez, 61, a resident of Hart for 12 years.

MRS. MARTINEZ died Feb. 2 in Olton Community Hospital, following a three-day illness.

Funeral mass was conducted in Hart by the pastor, Rev. Raphael Chen. Burial was in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home of Olton.

Born July 8, 1908, in Mexico, Mrs. Martinez moved from Uvalde to Hart in 1958.

SHE IS survived by her husband, Sylvester; two daughters, Mrs. Teresa Garcia and Mrs. Dora Menchaca, both of Hart; four sons, Tony, T.D. and Paul, all of Hart, and Eddie of Edmonson; a sister and five brothers.

Sheffy's chatter

Mrs. Betty Singer, children move to Italy for a year

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Betty Singer and children, Sherry, Nita and Noel left here last Thursday for Italy. They stopped in Washington, D.C., to visit son Gary, who is in the US Service. They leave Monday from Dulles Airport for Rome, where she will be met by relatives of Rose Acker and Rosetta Bellinghausen, who will help them get located in Pompeii. The children will attend school there. They plan to stay one year.

Leslie Singer of Amarillo is visiting her grandmother Ann Singer, and they attended the wedding of Leslie's mother, Mrs. Kay Singer and Mr. Jack Webber, at a chapel in Lubbock Monday. Jack Webber lives in Houston, but is an engineer located in Plainview, where they will live for the time being. Kay has lived in Dimmitt for many years. She has a son Boyd and Leslie who is in an Amarillo school.

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MRS. ETHEL LOWE is home after a week's visit with her daughter Sonya and Ted Godfrey and family in Spearman. The Godfreys have a new baby. Her name is Julie Denise. They have recently moved into their new home. Mrs. Lowe came home by Amarillo to visit daughters Mrs. Nickey Ezell and Peggy Mills and boys.

Ralph Smith, director of the Dimmitt Bobcat Band and Nolan Froehner, director of the Nazareth Band, are in Dallas attending a five-day meeting of the annual winter convention of Texas Music Educators. The convention is at the Adolphus Hotel and Memorial Coliseum.

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JACK AND Mary Flynt and daughter Karron left Dimmitt Thursday for Dallas to visit their daughter Sharron and her husband, Arnold Acker, Karron stayed with the Ackes while the Flynts went on to Austin to attend a meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary. There was a formal banquet honoring Mrs. Milton Davidson of Clovis, national president of the American Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Davidson is related to the Wes Anthonys and Fred Kuntzes.

Rex and Dorothy Sheffy and sons Scott and Brett of Van Horn were in Dimmitt for a few days visiting the family and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford H. Hargrove are the parents of a new boy who weighs 6-pounds, 5-ounces. He has been named Lynn. Mother is Kita and grandparents are Bill and Florene Struve and his paternal uncle is Forrest Hargrove. Clifford is serving in Vietnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Shaw visited relatives in Fort Worth last week.

Curtis and Marie Tate visited their daughter Pat Henderson and grandson Brent, Sunday in Amarillo.

John and Mary Hays and a friend Roland Lindy of El Campo, who are all students at Baylor in Waco, were home for a visit with parents Nancy and Charlie Hays recently.

Mrs. Jim Wooten, we remember her as Clarice Youts of Santa Monica, Calif., was in Dimmitt recently to visit the Lester Gladdens and the Hays. Other guests of the Gladdens were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youts of Sun City, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youts are in California visiting relatives but were called there to attend funeral services for a relative.

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MRS. O. K. HOWE tells me the Kappa Gamma tea was a beautiful party. It was at the country Club Saturday. The Valentine motif was used to decorate the hall and table. Mrs. Robert Duke presented the program. This is a club composed of school teachers. They had a good attendance.

Clarence and Elizabeth Wright celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary Sunday with a dinner for some of the family. They live in Rex's house on West Estes St.

Ivan Earl and Sherri Sinclair of Dallas were recent guests of his father Bryan Sinclair and sister Mrs. Fate Shannon and family. Ivan Earl is with Braniff Air Lines.

Gary and Eva Morrison and son Michael of Atlanta, Ga., are here for a visit with their parents, the Bud Giles and the Gene Morrisons. They spent a few days in Houston with friends, the Skipper Malleys, then back here for the senior V. H. Giles golden wedding anniversary party Sunday.

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RAY AND Jettie Sheffy went to Quanah and Vernon one day recently to get their car which was damaged there a while back in an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Davis of Lecnard have been here visiting her mother, Mrs. Ruby Bennight and her father, too. Mrs. Bennight has been in the hospital. They visited Ray and Jettie Sheffy one evening while here.

Tommy and Donna Stafford of Leedy, Okla., came over Friday night to see the basketball game with Olton. They visited his aunt Mary Hestand and grandmother Dora Hcutchens and Bob and Jean DuLaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Birchfield visited Sunday with their son Waymon and Dorothy at Sedan, N.M. They farm there — grains and vegetables.

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I HAVE another birthday Wednesday. I am so very thankful for all the good times. Am going to Paton for dinner with sister Mrs. Bill Sikes, two other sisters Mrs. Roland Moore and Mrs. George Gillham of Claude will be with us.

Editor Nelson is a February boy, as is Ray Sheffy Jr., his mother Pearl's is the 14th, Louise Kemp is a Wednesday girl, Mrs. O. K. Howe's was Monday and Bill Graham Sr. is a Valentine.

Mrs. Billie Graham Jr. went to Andrews to be with her mother who has had surgery. Mrs. Leona Rothwell went to the hospital for observation Sunday.

Ricky Noble went to Denver, Colo., for open heart surgery this week. His parents E. B. and Evelyn Noble went also.

Bennie and Vee Gollehon and three children of Hereford were Sunday supper guests of his parents Noel and Oleta Gollehon. Bernie is band director and a church choir director at Hereford.

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Buford Newton was a surprised fellow Monday when Dorothy invited some friends in for a birthday party. She baked him a cake, fixed up dips and chips and coffee. They had a good visiting and eating time. Guests were Ira and Jeannine Wimberley, Troy and Billie Kirby, Andy and Oleda Schumacher, Charles and Esta Vandiver, Gordon and Diker Stanford, W. A. and Bobbie Baldridge and Joy Baker.

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GENE IVEY and his brothers Floyd of Amherst, Eddie of Levellard went to Carthage, Mo. to visit brother Roy, who is ill, then went on down to Arkansas to see another brother Bob, then home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parmer of Pettus were recent guests in the home of their daughter Mrs. Joe Wall and family, who live at 200 W. Halsell and another daughter Carolyn Reed who is a beauty operator. The Parmers are house parents of a children's home called the South Texas Home at Pettus.

Rev. Don Cass will preach his last sermon at Lee Street Baptist Church, Feb. 8. He and his family will move to Plainview where he will pastor the Seth Ward Baptist Church which is located on the northside of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright visited his sister Mrs. Jess Hardy at Shallowater Friday. The Wrights are enlarging the dining area of the kitchen of their house.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wright of Plainview were Sunday guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wright.

John Quinby, ag teacher, Rocky Kay, Teddy Smitshon, Felton Isaacs, and Jim Bob Ellis went to El Paso for a fat stock show. They left Friday and will be back this Friday. They went to the dog races in Juarez.

Mrs. Sid (Vina) Stewart attended Mrs. Hoffmans funeral in Memphis.

Frank Stewart of Roswell, N.M. spent the weekend of last week with his mother Vina Stewart.

Kay Willis, Debbie Wilson, Suzan Benson and Jill Braafladt spent the weekend in Amarillo. They visited Jill's grandmother, Mrs. Galloup, and attended the musical show done by B. J. Thomas. The girls were invited backstage to meet the star. Thrill, Thrill.

Mrs. Leroy Cates, Mrs. Rex Wooten, Mrs. Ruby Maples and Mrs. Clyde Damron went to Amarillo one day to visit Mrs. Joe Smith and Mr. Gaines Neill, both very ill in the High Plains Baptist Hospital. Mr. Neill received treatment for a broken leg.

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REV. WILLIAM Summers, pastor of the Assembly of God Church reports they have just finished a five-day workers conference with 25 people receiving certifictes. Mrs. Summers is in Dallas visiting her daughter and taking care of a little new granddaughter. Her name is Holly DeAnn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bearden went to Oklahoma City last week to visit her brother J. W. Scruggs and family. They came home by Granite to attend a reunion of family and friends.

Virginia Sheffy is at home recuperating from a tonsilectomy she had in Amarillo. She is okay but not eating so good.

The Beta Sigma Phi Sweetheart Ball was Saturday night at Dimmitt Country Club. This is a Young Matron's Sorority and they invited their husbands to the party. Carol Bryant was voted "Main Sweetheart." This group is sponsoring a style show to be presented at the high school auditorium Feb. 26. Let's all go to that.

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DORIT AND Marie Smiley and Aural Davis went up to Hereford Country Club Saturday night for supper and to hear Ray Lee Brown play the organ.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Dennis went to Amarillo recently to visit nephew Gwineth Curtist give his missionary report for the Austria Church of Christ. The Curtis family have been there for two and a half years. The Dennis' visited Mrs. Emmitt Dixon and son, Bill from Plainfield. Mrs. Dixon lives northeast of Hereford. Mr. Dixon passed away recently.

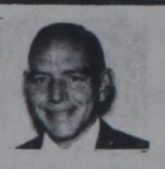
Kress seems to be the eating place on a Friday night. Specialty is fish and pie. Going were Irene Carpenter, Mary Edna Hendrix, Hazel Bagwell and Geneva Dennis.

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MR. AND MRS. George Bradford were hosts Thursday evening with a steak dinner at the Colonial Inn Restaurant and "42" at home later. Their guests were Bess Jones and Elma Beck of Amarillo, Beaulah Wright of Plainview, Vera Webb, Ann Singer, Leola Haberer and Messrs. and Mmes. Clarence Bearden, Horace Carlile, Wes Anthony, N. F. Cleavinger, Sid Sheffy, Jay Lee Touchstone. Believe it or not, I won high score for the ladies and Clarence Bearden for the men. Actually George Bradford won more points than any of us, but Josie wou'd'nt let him have the prize.

The same Thursday evening at the same place Swain and Katy Burkett were hosts with a dinner, then bridge at home. Their guests were the Jimmy Rosses, who won high score, the Edgar Rameys, who also did well on points, the Goodwin Millers, the Joe Butlers, Faun Welker, Raymond Wilson. Mrs. Wilson was unable to attend for some reason.

The same Thursday Nancy and Charlie Hays cooked up a good dinner for their bridge club. Their guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Jack R. Miller, Charles Vandiver, Harold Stephens, John Merritt, Goldman Dyer, Russel Moran, and Aural Davis. The Ted Sheffys couldn't be there because young Virginia had a tonsillectomy.



Bible Thoughts

VICTORY IN CHRIST

By RONNIE PARKER

One year a farmer made no effort to work his land. Day after day passed with him just sitting on the porch doing nothing. Finaly a neighbor approached him and inquired, "Aren't you going to plant any potatoes this year?" "Nope, potato bugs would probly get 'em". "Well what about cotton?" "I hear tell the boll weevil's gonna be bad . . . no use to plant any cotton." "Well, aren't you going to plant anything?" "Tain't no use - - what the bugs don't git, the drouth will. I'm just gonna sit this un out?"

That reminds us of Solomon's words, "He that observeth the wind shall not sow; and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap."

Have you ever felt like the farmer? When you look at life with all of its difficulties and adversities do you ask "What's the use?" Until we "eliminate the negative" we will remain in despair. If it were not for Christ, life would be bleak. Thanks be to God, there is victory in Christ! (I Cor. 15:57). Anyone can conquer through Him (Rom. 8:37). Optimistic today? Yes, the Christian can be. "All things are possible to him who believes (Mark 9:23).

These three abide—FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE and they will overcome any obstacle.

The view from your library

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX

On Friday, Mrs. Clark Dobbs had charge of the "Children's Story Hour." She read the story, "Be Nice to Spiders," by Margaret Graham. There were three boys and six girls present.

SOME OF our new books for children are "The Happy Lion" by Louse Fatio, "The Duchess Bakes a Cake" by Virginia Kahl, "Frederick" by Leo Lionni and "Policeman Small" by Lois Lenski.

Some new books for adult reading are "The King's Pleasure" by Norah Lofts, "The Wind in the Willows" by Grahame, "The Promise" by Chaim Potok and "E. V. Sumner" by F. Stanley.

We also have some reference books including the new World Book Encyclopedia.

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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Bible Classes for all ..... 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Ruben Calles
Joe Balles Latin American Mission
Sunday —
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ..... 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 8:00 p.m.
Monday —
Mission Service ..... 2:00 p.m.

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TRUE GOSPEL HOLINESS CHURCH
North East 8th Street
Pastor: Elder Earnest Smith Jr.
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Worship 11:00
FRIDAY Y.M.U. ..... 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday Night 8:00

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NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
J. C. Gardner, Pastor
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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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
600 Western Circle
Bedford W. Smith, Minister
Phone 647-5478
Sunday —
Bible School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship and Lord's Supper ..... 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Children's Hour, 6 yr. old through 4th grade ..... 4:00 pm.
Bible Study ..... 8:00 to 8:45 p.m.

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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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NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
M. A. Pennington, Pastor
N.W. 5th at Halsell
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.

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

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Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday —
Ladies Bible Class ..... 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday —
Classes ..... 7:30 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Don Cass, 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.
2nd & 4th Monday —
Brotherhood ..... 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Mid-Week Services ..... 8:00 p.m.
WMU ..... 7:00 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 —
Mid-Week Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
C. Mitchell Kennedy, Minister
Western Circle Drive
Sunday —
Church School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Common Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Dr. Raymond M. Perkins, Jr.
503 W. Bedford
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 —
WMU, Brotherhood Youth Organization ..... 5:30 p.m.
Supper ..... 6:30 p.m.
Officers, Teachers, Choirs 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:55 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir ..... 8:30 p.m.

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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor
701 E. Bedford — Phone 647-4219
Sunday—
Mass in English ..... 7:00 a.m.
Mass in Spanish ..... 10:30 a.m.
Religion Classes ..... 9:30 a.m.
Monday, Tuesday & Saturday—
Mass ..... 7:00 a.m.
Holy Days —
Mass in English ..... 7:00 a.m.
Mass in Spanish ..... 8:00 p.m.
Confessions —
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Baptism by Appointment

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IGLESIA METODISTA — ST. LUKE
Gilberto Diaz, Pastor
807 S.W. 5th
Sunday —
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Thursday —
Services ..... 7:00 p.m.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST
(S.W. 4th at Bedford)
Ronnie Parker, Minister
Sunday —
Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Bible Class for all ..... 7:30 p.m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
James T. Pickens, Pastor
110 S.W. 3rd — Phone 647-4356
Sunday —
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
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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MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. H. Hancock, Pastor
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 ..... Friday

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PUT 'EM UP!—Dimmitt's Bobby Baker (foreground) and Mark Wohlgemuth (20) get into a high-altitude hand-slapping contest with Olton's Steve Stockdale as they bobble for a rebound in the fourth quarter of Friday night's Bobcat-Mustang game here. Wohlgemuth came down with the rebound. The Bobcats won the District 3-AA game easily, 83-48.

First Christian Church plans 10th anniversary celebration

Plans have been completed for the 10th anniversary celebration of the First Christian Church of Dimmitt, beginning on the fourth Sunday of February.

MINISTER Donald Raiford of the Central Christian Church of Amarillo will be the guest speaker at the regular 6 p.m. worship hour that evening, and will also conduct the church's spring revival, March 15-22. Bill Henderson, former civilian head of the Amarillo AFB educational work, will lead the song service for both the anniversary and revival services.

Special music will be provided by Amarillo Christian Church talent. The Women's Council, headed by Mrs. Buck Kenworthy, has planned a fellowship supper at anniversary preaching service.

Efforts are being made to notify all former members and their families, as well as local friends of the church who have attended its services but as yet are not members.

TWO OF the present elders of the church, George Gabel and O. C. Fry, were elders, trustees and charter members when the local church started. A third elder, Roy Baylets, became a member of the church during the first ministry of the pastor, Minister Bedford W. Smith. Sandy Parsons Jr. of Wellington served as the third elder at the church's beginning, until his return to Wellington.

Minister Smith is now in his eighth year with the church, which was served by Minister Loren Dickey (now with Ozark Bible College in Joplin, Mo.) for two years, 1963-65.

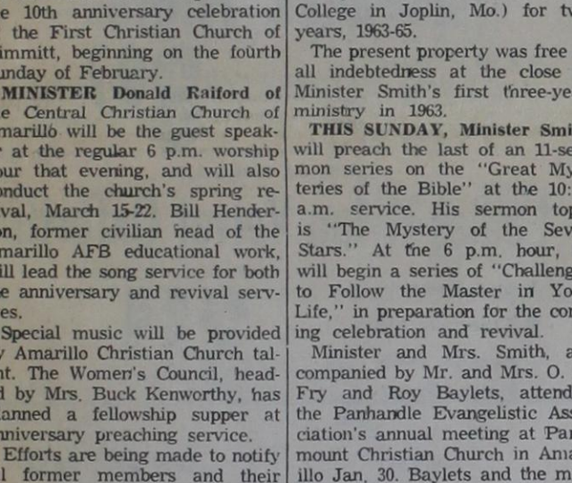
The present property was free of all indebtedness at the close of Minister Smith's first three-year ministry in 1963.

THIS SUNDAY, Minister Smith will preach the last of an 11-sermon series on the "Great Mysteries of the Bible" at the 10:50 a.m. service. His sermon topic is "The Mystery of the Seven Stars." At the 6 p.m. hour, he will begin a series of "Challenges to Follow the Master in Your Life," in preparation for the coming celebration and revival.

Minister and Mrs. Smith, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Fry and Roy Baylets, attended the Panhandle Evangelistic Association's annual meeting at Paramount Christian Church in Amarillo Jan. 30. Baylets and the minister will join in a work crew of repairing, painting, and bricking Central Christian Church, a new congregation in Shamrock, on Feb. 21. This project is sponsored by the PEA, one of the mission projects regularly supported by First Christian Church of Dimmitt.

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May vows scheduled

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie L. Lane of Lubbock have announced the engagement of their daughter, Diana Kay, to Edwin Keith Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gross of Route 5, Dimmitt.

A MAY 15 wedding is planned in Highland Baptist Church of Lubbock.

Miss Lane is a graduate of Lubbock Christian High School and is a junior at Texas Tech, majoring in elementary education. Gross, a Dimmitt High School graduate, attended West Texas State University and Lubbock Christian College. He is employed by W. D. Wilkins & Co. of Lubbock.

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Mrs. Oleda Raper wins TOPS title

Mrs. Oleta Raper was crowned "Queen of the Week" at the Jan. 26 meeting of the Dimmitt SOS Tops Club for having lost 4½ pounds during the previcus week.

FOURTEEN members weighed in at the meeting, recording a total loss of 19¾ pounds.

The ladies held no business meeting. Instead, many of them traveled to Tulia to visit and hear the Tulia club's guests speaker.

The SOS Tops Club meets each Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the office of the Plainview Production Credit Association.

Nazareth FHA style show has catalogue format

At the Nazareth FHA girls' annual January style show, the script written by Philomena Anderle was in the form of a catalogue fashion preview.

AS THE pages of the catalogue were turned, the freshmen girls modeled garments sewn in class — skirts, jumpers, blouses, in a varity of colors and styles, of cotton and Dacron-cotton blends.

As another page was turned, the junior girls modeled suits of wool and blends of rayon and acrylic fiber.

The fashion minded person was next attracted by home experience garments made by the freshmen girls — bell-bottom pants, blouses and skirts in colors to suit the individuality of the girl. The junior girls modeled home experience garments, pant-suits and dresses.

Cookies and punch were served to about 80 girls and guests.

AT THE Feb. 2 FHA meeting a program was presented by Philomena Anderle, "What Can FHA Be?"

Miss Anderle said FHA presented a challenge to help girls grow and meet responsibilities, to know their goals in life and to realize that they can accomplish their goals if they will try. She concluded by reading a poem, "Care Enough to Prepare," written by Nancy Heath, regional vice-president of FHA:

Preparedness does many things
To make our futures bright.
It enables us to face the challenge
Of turning wrongs to right.
Working hard for many goals
Has a common guide.
Preparing for them in advance
Will show one's brighter side.
Our world is full of problems
And solutions must be found.
If peace is somehow to evolve
Youth must make a sound.
Solutions won't come overnight
Or in a day or two.
One must first prepare for them
Those dreams may then come true.
Many tests will come in life.
You'll want to be prepared
To face them with will and strength
When no one else will dare.
Preparedness means many things
To those who always try.
Make sure that you care enough
To be on that same side.
Care enough to be prepared
For every opportunity.
You'll find preparedness will act
As a golden skeleton key.



MR. AND MRS. V. H. GILES
. . . Reception to be held here Sunday

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50th anniversary reception planned

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Giles of Olton will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception from 3 to 5 Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Giles, 703 W. Lee St., Dimmitt. All friends of the couple are invited.

MR. GILES and the former Miss Que Shields were married in Anson on Feb. 15, 1920. The couple lived in Anson until they moved to Dimmitt in 1957. They moved to Olton in 1967, where they now reside.

Mrs. Gary Morrison of Atlanta, Ga., and Jan Giles of Dimmitt, granddaughters of the couple, will serve at the serving table. Debbie Giles and Ted Giles will assist at the register.

The couple has two sons, W. J. Giles of Dimmitt and Douglas Giles of Olton, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Four more GI's are heard from after Christmas candy project

Four more "thank-you" letters have been turned in from Castro County servicemen who received homemade candy for Christmas.

THEY WERE received by Mrs. Reta Welch, chairman of the "Christmas Candy for GI's" project, Mrs. Donald Gilreath and Mrs. Claude Forson.

The letters came from Capt. and Mrs. Myles Sadler, Dennis Cleaver, Jack Twiner and Sp-4 Abel Espinosa.

Capt. and Mrs. Sadler addressed their letter to all who took part in the county-wide candy making project. Mrs. Sadler wrote:

"MYLES AND I would like to thank you very much for the boxes of delicious candy. We received the candy Jan. 16, so have had a few days of sampling before getting a note off to you. Your candy project is such an enlightening way of expressing the holiday season. Again, thank you."

Cleaver also addressed his letter to all who took part in the project. He wrote:

"I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the candy which was sent to me by the citizens of Castro County. The ingredients in the package were simply delicious and it was such a surprise to receive such a package. I think, however, that it was even a bigger surprise to those stationed here with me, because they could not believe that a county could be so thoughtful to its servicemen.

"Again, I would like to express my appreciation for the candy and to thank each and every one of those involved in preparing and sending it."

TWINER, who is the brother of Mrs. Bill Gregory of Dimmitt, wrote his letter to Mrs. Donald Gilreath of Bethel, whose homemade candy he received. From his station with the Fifth Marines in Vietnam, Twiner wrote:

"I received the package you sent through the candy project. It was really very good and a wonderful surprise. Several of the guys shared it with me and we all really enjoyed it.

"It is very difficult to convey our feelings. All I can say is, it is a very heartwarming experience and thank you very much. We wish you all a very merry Christmas."

SP-4 ESPINOSA addressed his letter to Mrs. Forson, who made the candy he received in Vietnam. He wrote:

"Here I'm writing you these few lines just to say hello and at the same time thanking you for sending me some candy that you made for the GI's. I surely was glad to receive the candy because I know somebody is thinking of us. I'm here in Vietnam, but I should be going home July 2 if everything goes all right. Goodbye, and God bless you for being so kind."

YH state officer attends meeting

The budget committee of the Area 1 Young Homemakers of Texas met Feb. 3 in the Silverton High School homemaking department. The members set up plans for proposing a budget to the area executive council as well as making plans for the council meeting to be held in Silverton, Feb. 28.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. David Prewitt, Area 1 president, and her advisors, Mrs. Ben Holcomb of Dimmitt, state officer; Mrs. George Wilson and Mrs. R. Brackeen of Ralls; Mrs. Tommy Garrison, area treasurer, and her advisor, Miss Barbara Waybourn, both of Childress; Mrs. Ima Dora Haile, area advisor from Plainview; Mrs. Gordon Lowrey, area vice-president, and her advisor, Mrs. Ken Cook, from Silverton.

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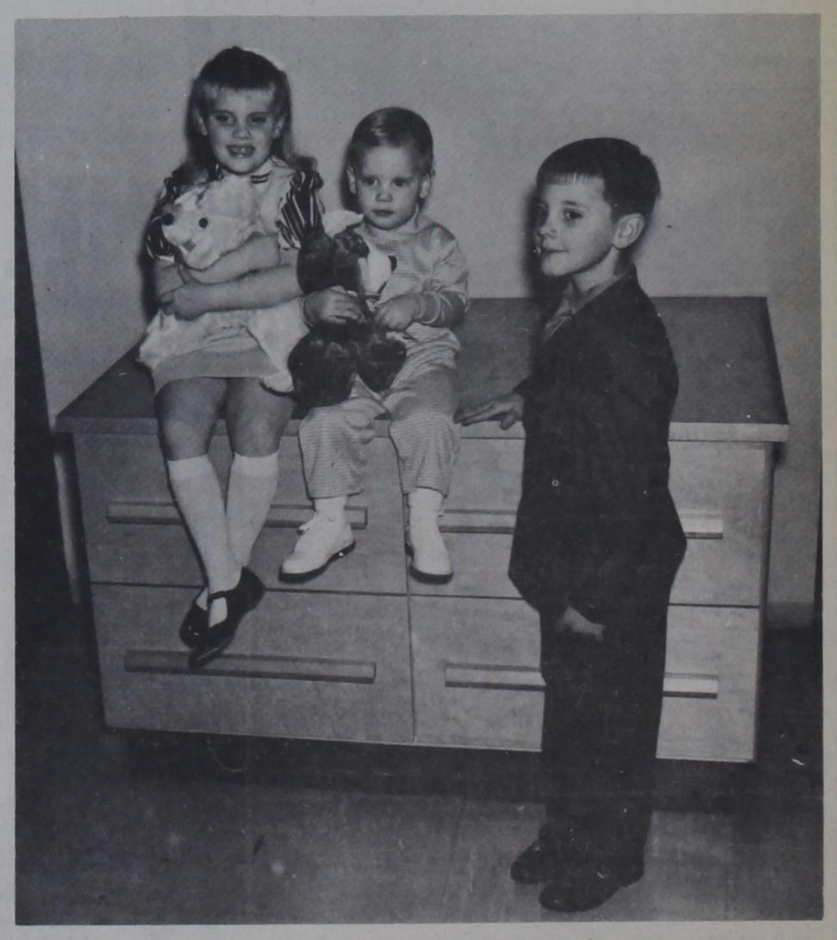
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SORORITY SWEETHEART — Mrs. Carol Bryant was crowned Sweetheart of Dimmitt's Alpha Epsilon Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority Saturday evening in a St. Valentino's Sweetheart Ball conducted jointly with the Hart BSP chapter. From left are Mrs. Jerry Butler, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Suzie Ellis and Mrs. Jane Blackburn, all members of the Dimmitt chapter. Mrs. Leta Clevinger was crowned sweetheart of the Hart chapter at the dance, which was held at the Country Club.

HD notes

Sugars attract new attention

By IRENE KEATING
Home Demonstration Agent

Many of us have become quite concerned about food since the cyclamate scare. Here is some information that will answer questions some of you may have. It was prepared by Mrs. Gwendolyne Clyatt, Extension consumer marketing specialist.

"CAN I use beet sugar for cane sugar?"

They are exactly the same product, chemically. There is absolutely no difference between the sweetening power of cane and beet sugar. Each contains 99.8 percent sucrose, the chemical name for table sugar.

Processors presently are testing sugars to which vitamins, minerals and flavorings have been added. So we can expect further changes in our sugar choices.

"IS BROWN sugar unrefined white sugar?"

No, brown sugar is as highly refined as white sugar and is refined in exactly the same way, except at a lower temperature. This produces a sugar of minute crystals mixed with natural refiner's syrup. As a result, proportionately, the actual granulated sugar content of brown sugars is less; but they taste sweeter on the tongue because of the syrup present.

In whole, cost is higher by 7 to 11 cents a pound for dark brown sugar. In the recently developed easy-pour, non-caking products, syrup and flavor have been reduced. The newest product, distinct granules of brown sugar, are the result of a pressure-temperature process which compacts it into uniform morsels for easy pouring and handling. No change in recipe proportions are needed since product "bulk" is about the same as packed brown sugar.

"WHY DO confectioners' powdered sugars contain starch?"

The three percent starch added helps keep the sugar from caking and also makes it work up into a smoother icing than would be possible with powdered sugar that did not contain starch. The label declares the presence of starch.

HERE ARE more food hints from Sally Springer, extension specialist.

CAN semi-sweet chocolate be substituted when a recipe calls for unsweetened chocolate?

Yes. There is such a slight difference in the amount of sweetness that you will never know which chocolate you did use. Use the same amoung of sugar whether you use unsweetened chocolate or semi-sweet chocolate.

WHEN A RECIPE calls for blanched almonds, why is blanching necessary?

Blanched almonds will give a main dish, vegetable or dessert a special nutty flavor and texture. To blanch, cover shelled almonds with boiling water. Let stand until skins will slip. Drain, put into cold water and rub off skins. Dry between towels.

Garden Club will meet Wednesday

Mrs. Charles Vandiver will present the program when the Dimmitt Garden Club meets at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday for lunch in the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

Freshly caught fish cooks best

Fish are at their delicious best when cooked freshly caught.

THIS IS because fish are at prime quality when first taken from the water, at the peak of their natural flavor, oil and texture.

Fish are cooked to develop flavor, to soften the small amount of connective tissue present, and to make the protein easier to digest. Cooking fish at too high a temperature or for too long a time toughens them, dries them out cut and destroys their fine flavor.

How can you tell when fish are cooked? Raw fish have a watery, translucent look. During the cooking process the watery juices become milky colored, giving an opaque, whitish tint to the center of the thickest part of the fish. At this point the fish is completely cooked, and the flesh will easily separate into flakes. If bones are present, the meat will come away from them readily.

Most cooked fish tend to break up easily, and consequently should be handled as little and as gently as possible during and after cooking.

Seafood recipes can be obtained by sending a postcard with name and address to Seafood, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, Austin, Texas 78701.



VALENTINE SWEETHEART — Mrs. Leta Clevenger was crowned Sweetheart of Hart's Xi Mu Iota chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority Saturday evening in a St. Valentine's Sweetheart Ball conducted jointly with the Dimmitt chapter at the Castro County Country Club. She was crowned by Mrs. Melvin Aven, last year's winner.

who's new?

PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Yemeal Madrid. She was born Feb. 2, weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and has been named Rita Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ward became the parents Feb. 3 of a 6-pound, 4½-ounce boy, whom they have named David Earl.

An 8-pound, 4-ounce boy was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. David Hardison. He has been named Jasen Paul Miller.

WHEN NEWCOMERS want to buy or rent a home, they look first at the classified ads!

Castro Lodge AF & AM 879, Regular meeting, 3rd Monday. Practice every Thursday. Ira E.Brown, Worshipful Master, Basil D. Smith, Acting Secretary, Visitors Welcome.

● On the Go

MR. AND MRS. Bill Whitten and Rhonda of Lubbock visited in the homes of the M. J. Reeds and Elvis Barkers Sunday afternoon. They were returning to Lubbock from visiting their daughter.

Sorority to give style show Feb. 26

Dimmitt High School auditorium will be the stage for a public style show of spring fashions and Easter designs to be presented Feb. 26 by members of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, their children and other community residents.

FASHIONS for the show will be furnished by the C. R. Anthony Co., The Village Shop and the House of Fabrics.

Door prizes, donated by Dimmitt businesses, also will be awarded at intervals during the show. Any business interested in donating a door prize may contact Mrs. Barry (Stephanie) Love or Mrs. Roy (Suzie) Ellis.

Music will be provided by Dwight Joiner at the organ, with special music by the trio of Skip Skinner, Ruth Dyer and Suzanne Merritt.

THE SHOW is designed for the entire family, with ladies', youths' and children's fashions to be modeled.

Curtain time will be 7:30 p.m.

Tickets at $1 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12 may be purchased prior to the show from any member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Adult admission at the door will be $1.50.

Proceeds from the show will be used by the sorority to carry out its community service projects.

Hughes speaks to BSP sorority

Van Earl Hughes, who spent many years in Cuba as a missionary, college teacher and representative of the US government, spoke on "Castro's Cuba" at last Wednesday night's meeting of the Alpha Epsilon Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

THE MEETING was held at the Country Club, with Mrs. Gail Ratcliff and Mrs. Sharon Wilke in charge of the sororrity program.

Members discussed plans for their St. Valentine's Sweetheart Ball and for a style show to be held later this month.

Mrs. Walter Maynard and Mrs. Pat Braafladt served refreshments.

Do you handcuff family's doctor?

Mother and father leave the house comfortably, knowing the children are left in the care of a competent sitter who has feeding instructions, bed times and a list of telephone numbers to call in case of emergency.

BUT THAT'S not enough.

Precious time may be lost because they did not leave authorization for the doctor to do whatever he thinks necessary.

Laws prohibit the use of certain medications and surgical procedures on minors without the consent of parents or legal guardians.

HERE IS a suggested form to leave with the baby sitter from Jane Fleischer, Extension specialist in family life education:

"This will authorize whatever treatment (medical or surgical) is necessary in the event of illness or accident of our (my) child ren whenever neither parent can be located. Such treatments are to be performed by .... M.D., address or and phone number. . . . or by a physician of his choice or by any licensed doctor of medicine."

Enclose the date and signature of the parents, adds the Texas A&M University specialist.

This form can also be left at school, or where the child works if he is a minor. A copy should be also with the family doctor to be sure there will be no frantic delays in case of an emergency.

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Affil. Food BACON lb. 79c
SunRay BOLOGNA lb. 69c
First Cuts PORK CHOPS lb. 79c
BEEF RIBS lb. 39c
—PRODUCE—
BANANAS lb. 12c
GRAPEFRUIT 5 lb. bag 49c
CARROTS cell bag, 2 for 25c
SPUDS 20 lb. bag 89c
—FROZEN FOODS—
Shurfine ORANGE JUICE 2 for 43c
Morton's POT PIES each 19c
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FOR SALE: Red top cane burdles, some rain damage, $10.50 per ton. Phone after 8 p.m. 276-5267. 3-18-3tc

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7—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

SILAGE WANTED — If you are interested in growing silage, call 647-5566 or contact anyone at Kemp Farms. 7-18-tfc

8—SERVICES

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9—HELP WANTED

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ANNOUNCEMENTS POLITICAL

The News has been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following persons for the offices indicated, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

For State Senator (30th Senatorial District)
Jack Hightower (Reelection)

For District Judge 64th Dis.
John T. Boyd (Reelection)

For District Attorney, 64th Judicial District:
Tom Hamilton

For County Judge:
Raymond E. Wilson (Reelection)
H. K. (Red) Hill

For County & District Clerk:
Zonell Maples (Reelection)

For County Treasurer:
Florene Leinen (Reelection)

For Commissioner, Pre. 2:
Dale Winders (Reelection)

For Commissioner, Pre. 4:
Al Maurer (Reelection)
Marvin Jones

9—HELP WANTED

FULL OR PART time automobile salesman. Bob Goss Ford. 9-14-tfc

10—WANTED, MISC.

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ANGUS BULLS — Andrews & Andrews. 276-5239, Please checkum carefully. 11-41-tfc

Due to moving, I am selling my 55 head of SPF brood sows: Two Purebred York Boars; 80 pigs now on the ground, not all weined on date of sale will go with the mothers. Pigs born weekly. Nights call 456-2455. 11-18-3tc

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12—NOTICES

WILL THE PERSON who borrowed the 6-foot wooden ladder from Hooper Shaw's backyard several weeks ago return it please. 12-18-1tc

14—CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS

To the Dimmitt Fire Department and others who extinguished the fire at our neighbors home, we want to take this opportunity to express our appreciation.

We are very grateful to you and thank you very much.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell 14-18-1tp

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to express our deepest appreciation for the prayers, beautiful flowers, memorials, cards and every act of thoughtfulness bestowed on us since the death of our Angela.

DON & ELLEN GREGORY & FAMILIES 14-18-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for the cards, letters, flowers, gifts, visits, food, prayers and every kind deed of kindness during my recent stay in the hospital and since I have been home. May God bless each of you.

MRS. G. B. DUNCAN 14-18-1tc

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say thank you to all our friends and neighbors that helped in so many ways while we were both in the hospital. The cards, flowers and visits all meant so much to us.

A special thank you to Dr. Blackburn and the nurses.

May God bless each of you in a special way is our prayer.

BUCK & LENA CRUM 14-18-1tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas — GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Castro County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: FERMINE RIVAS, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 64th District Court of Castro County at the Courthouse thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of February A.D. 1970, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 5th day of September A.D. 1969, in this cause, numbered 3332 on the docket of said court and styled Marguerita Rivas, Plaintiff, vs. Fermine Rivas, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Being a petition to dissolve the marriage now existing between Plaintiff and Defendant as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.



FIGHTING STEHR FIRE—Dimmitt Volunteer Fireman Billy Scott shoots water into the frame and bathroom subflooring of the J. T. Stehr home last Thursday after burning grass had started a fire inside the wall. At left is fireman Merton Powell, who manned the axe, and at right is Butch Strickland. The Stehr home is now being repaired.

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Bethel news

Fire damages Stehr home

By MRS. JACK RISTER

A grass fire got out of control at the J. T. Stehr home last Thursday after, causing damage to the south wall of the house. The burning lawn grass ignited wood inside the wall near the bathroom, and Dimmitt volunteer firemen had to chop away the exterior wall to put out the blaze, which had spread under the bathroom floor.

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MR. AND MRS. Bud McElroy, David and Sharon, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rister. They celebrated Bud's birthday.

Mrs. Bud McElroy was in Morton Monday on business and to visit Mrs. L. H. Hooper. Then she went by Levelland to visit Mrs. J. D. McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. August Albrecht of Mena, Ark., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Keeting and Katrina Sunday.

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MR. AND MRS. Max Keating were in Tulia, Friday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Albrecht and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee of Summerfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Sargent and Donna, Mrs. Don Moke and Trampas of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lee of Plainview ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howell and boys Sunday, celebrating Mrs. Lee's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Finck and family, Mrs. Joe Finck and David Evans from Tulia, Joe Lust of Texas Tech, Sue Lust of WTSU, Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust visited the Houston Lusts Sunday.

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MRS. JIMMIE HOWELL and Mrs. James Welch attended the Milady Garden Club meeting in Dimmitt Tuesday. The program was given by Mrs. Rose Acker of the Village Shop.

Mrs. Glenn Stiles of Big Square visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust Tuesday.

Buck Williams of Plainview spent the night with the Jim Bagweels. He is Mrs. Bagwell's brother and is working on the First Baptist Church complex in Dimmitt.

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MRS. RUSSEL Moran and Mrs. Kent Birdwell visited Grandmother Bagwell recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust and Denise Stone were in Canyon on business Monday.

Lyndon Smith and children of Lubbock were weekend visitros in the Moss Howell home.

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THE BETHEL Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Irene Keating had charge of the program on "Planning Good Meals for the Family." Thirteen members and three guest attended.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dee Willard have moved to our community from Kress.

Gaines Neill had surgery on his broken leg Thursday. They inserted a pin in the bone. He is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He would enjoy cards from his friends.

Charles Rickerd was in Plainview Monday night for a DeKalb banquet.

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MR. AND MRS. Carroll Brazill of San Anna, Calif., was a guest of their niece and family, the Charles Rickerds.

Dinner guests of the Charles Rickerd family Wednesday were Mrs. Pauline Lovan and son of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brazill.

4-H Club met Monday night at the Community Center. Mark Welch, president, had charge of the meeting. Mrs. Reta Welch and Mrs. Glenda Rickerd had charge of the program on photography. Two new members, Lessie and Brent Graef and 15 members attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kay and children moved back to the farm this week. And Floy Driver will live in their house on SW Fifth St. He is the new Mobile dealer here.

A LOT of folks have colds and the "flu" this week.

Mrs. Charles King is in Dallas visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lang. The Langs were in a car accident, but weren't hurt seriously.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lang and girls have moved to the Tom Miller farm from Lazbuddie.

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THE Bethel 4-H club members attended the Flagg 4-H meeting Wednesday afternoon. Irene Keating gave a demonstration for both clubs on how to Set Tables for the Bake and Food Show, which is to be held Saturday. Judy Gilreath, Rhonda Jamson, Carol Bagwell, Susie Clay, Lessie Graef and Mrs. Sandra Bagwell, leader attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bagwell and family spent last weekend in Carlsbad, N.M. A friend, Ed Olivers, of Monte Vista, Colo., met the Bagwells in Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Graef and children have moved to the James Welch farm. We are always happy to have a new family move into our community.

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MR. AND MRS. I. N. Wilcox and family have moved here from Muleshoe and live on the Alford Dutton place. They are Baptists. Mrs. Wilcox is the cute lady you see at Harmans Department Store.

Mrs. J. T. Stehr visited a few days with her daughter and family, the Herbert Schuellers in Friona, while her house is being repaired.

Those helping with the speech tournament Saturday at the high school were Donna Gilreath, Saron and Ronda Welch, Steve Bagwell and Mrs. James Welch.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

TAKE NOTICE that a public hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on March 2, 1970, before the City Commission of the City of Dimmitt in the City Hall, Dimmitt, Texas, for hearing the Order and recommendation of the Zoning Commission of the City of Dimmitt for re-zoning the following described land from Zone D Retail to Zone E Commercial, to-wit:

Lots One (1) through Six (6), in Block Seventy-four (74), Original Town of Dimmitt, in Castro County, Texas.

WITNESS my hand and seal of office, this the 2nd day of February, A.D. 1970.

E. B. NOBLE
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City Secretary
15-17-3tc

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

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

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Dimmitt, Texas, this the 3rd day of February A.D. 1970.

(SEAL)

Attest: Zonell Maples Clerk,
64th District Court
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Sunnyside news

Community store to open again

By TEENY BOWDN

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Hughes of Levelland started work remodeling and stocking the Sunnyside Grocery Store this week. It will be a truck stop and grocery store combined. They plan to start repainting next week, and hope to be open in the near future.

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CECIL ROPER and Paul Pruitt of Morton visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden, Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Ramona Dones, and Alton and Leslie Loudder. Cecil is a nephew to W. E. Loudder, Paul is Cecil's nephew by marriage. Cecil's brother-in-law, Floyd Mackey worked at the gin at Sunnyside in the 50's.

In the Hart Junior High Tournament last week at Spade, Hart defeated Anton 17-6. They were then defeated by Spade 37-33, and by Cotton Center 55-23. Stanley Harris plays on the Hart team.

Paula Sue Harris is on the planning committee for the Hart Best Beau Banquet to be held at the Hart High School Feb. 21.

The Springlake-Earth stage band received a Division II rating last Saturday in competition in Canyon. Marion Dawson plays the piano for the Stage Band concerts.

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IN THE springlake-Earth Band Concert Thursday night, all six bands participated, Marion Dawson witht the stage band and high school band, Denise Morgan with the high school band, Lesa Monggan, Renee Jones, Lisa Orr, Lonnie and Debbie Wilson, Susan Stepenson, and Dena Merriott with the junior high band, and Kim Kelley and Lee Brown, with the sixth grade band.

Leslie Loudder helped move Mr. and Mrs. Larry Odom from Dimmitt to Hereford Monday. They spent Wednesday night with him, and all went to Gunsight Friday for the weekend to visit relatives before he goes on his new job Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler for a fish fry Tuesday night included Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Keeler and J. B. Hensley of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and girls, and Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt. Mrs. Pearl Sadler stayed until Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ed Dawson was a hostess for the bridal shower of Debbie McAlpine, bride-elect of Keith Griffin last Saturday in Earth.

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THE BIRTHDAY Club honored Mrs. Cecil Curtis with a birthday party in her home Tuesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Floyd Ivey, Mrs. Irving King, Mrs. R. V. Bills, Mrs. R. A. Axtell, Mrs. J. E. Shirey, and Mrs. R. E. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan visited with Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham in Lubbock Tuesday and spent Tuesday night. Mr. Phelan was guest speaker for the Baptist Men's meeting of Southside Baptist Church where Rev. Durham is pastor Tuesday night.

The Sunbeams met at the church Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Doug Loudder, nursery leader, Mrs. Phillip Jones, the beginner leader, and Mrs. Thomas, the primary leader. Mrs. Larry Sadler is the director.

Last Friday night the Wolverines won over Kress 57-30. They lost to Farwell Tuesday night 76-49. Terry Bridge made 5 points. The Wolverettes won over Kress 47-36 last Friday night and won over Farwell 68-46. Janis Bridge made two points.

The Springlake-Earth Junior High lost to Vega Monday night the 7th grade boys 21-19. Steve Morgan made two points. The 8th grade girls lost 15-13. Debbie Zinda plays on this team.

The Springlake-Earth "B" team was defeated by Farwell Tuesday night. 54-53 was the score. Danny Bradley made one point. Lonnie Wilson plays on this team.

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MRS. FLOYD IVEY and her sister, Jewel Barnard of Amarillo spent Wednesday through Friday with their mother in a nursing home in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Herrington of Farwell visited last Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner and family.

Mrs. Pearl Sadler of Dimmitt and Mrs. E. R. Sadler visited Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Loudder, Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Ramona Dones.

The WMS met for the General Society meeting Wednesday night with Mrs. Roy Phelan in charge.

Rev. Mack Turner taught the last part of the book "The Letter of James" in the prayer meeting period Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gamblin attnded the funeral services for Angela Gregory 3½ year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler had a fish fry for their children, Mr. and Mrs. James Powell and children of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and Melody of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley were also present.

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W. E. LOUDDER was taken to Plains Memorial Hospital by ambulance Friday morning, but not admitted. Dr. Bill Murphy made a house call Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris of Tulia spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Rev. Mack Turner was admitted to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Sunday afternoon to undergo further tests next week.

Sixty-seven attended Sunday School with 32 in Training Union Sunday. The choir had charge of the evening services in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens of Petersburg visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis.

Mrs. H. H. Hamilton was honored by the Birthday Club with a birthday party in her home Saturday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. J. E. Shirey, Mrs. R. V. Bills, Mrs. R. A Axtell and Mrs. R. E. Duke.



TO GERMANY—Sp-4 Jerry D. Dodson of Dimmitt left Wednesday for Germany, where he will be stationed for 18 months of overseas training. Sp-4 Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Dodson and husband of the former Evelyn Taylor, received his basic training at Fort Lewis, Wash., and recently completed three months' helicopter training at the Army Transportation School at Fort Eustis, Va.

Easter Lions will sponsor '42' tonight

The Easter Lions Club will sponsor a "42" tournament tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the Easter Community Center.

THE EVENT is open to all persons who enjoy playing "42." Admission fee is $1 per person, with all proceeds going to the Easter Lions Club to help finance its community service projects.

Free refreshments will be served and prizes will be awarded for first, second and last place in the tournament.

Social Security agent to visit

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be at the Castro County Courthouse from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m. Wednesday to help local residents on matters relating to social security.

IF YOU cannot meet with the field representative next week, you may visit the Social Security Administration's district office at 1006 Adams St., Amarillo, to conduct your business. The Amarillo office is open from 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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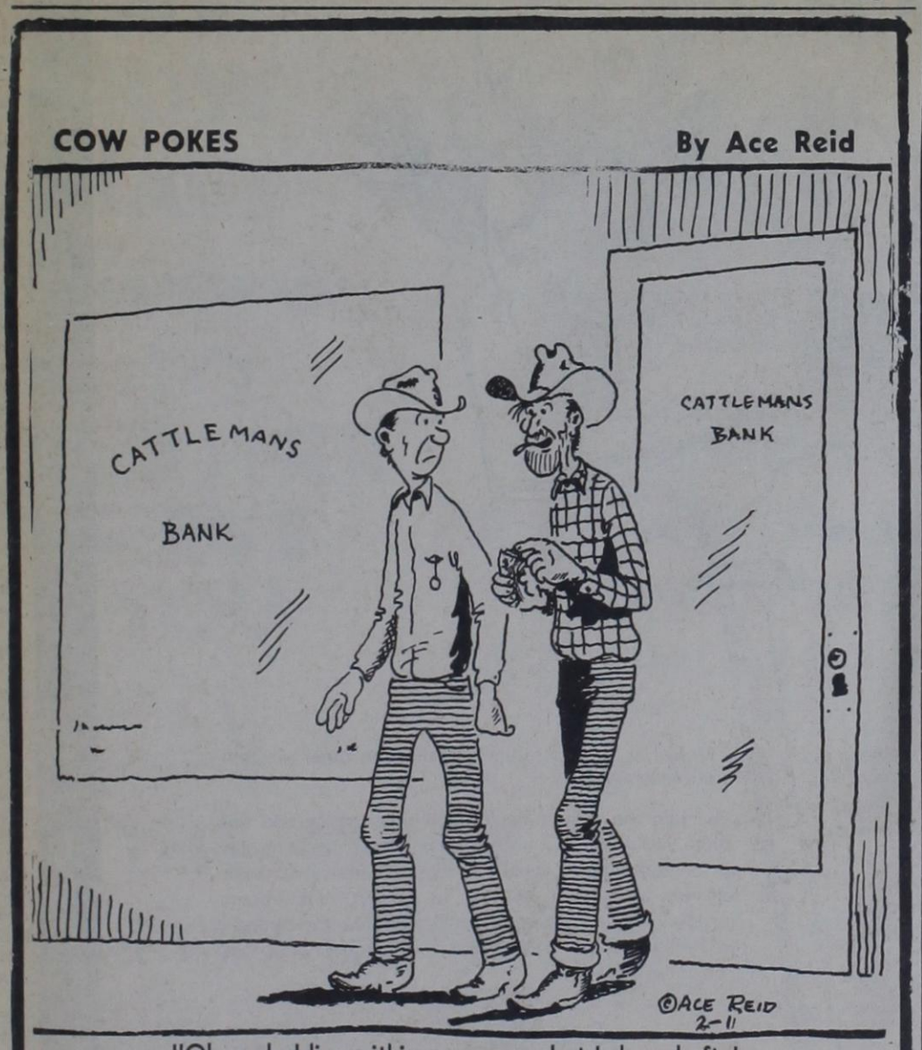
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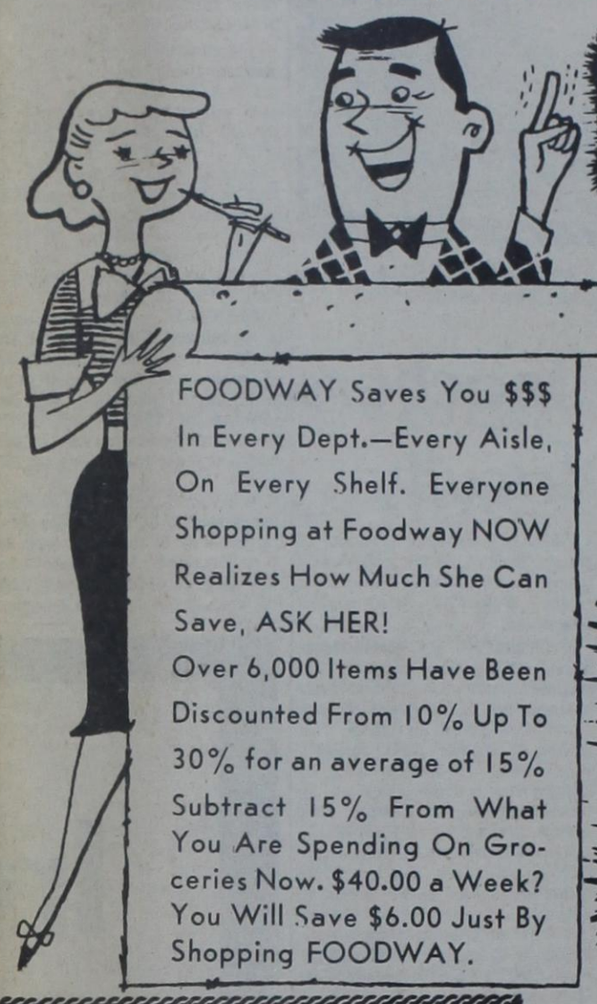
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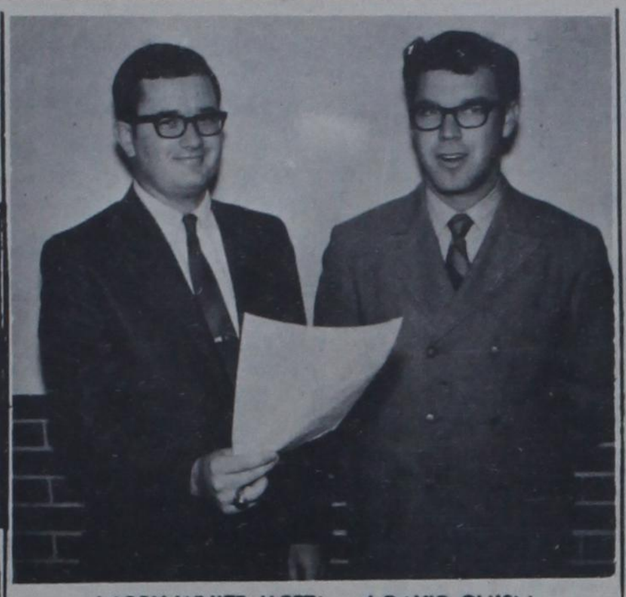
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LARRY WHITE (LEFT) and DAVID CHISM
. . . New history teacher, band assistant

Two new teachers on local faculty

Two new teachers have joined the faculty of Dimmitt Public Schools.

THEY ARE Larry White, high school history and geography instructor, and David Chism, assistant band director.

White, 27, joined the DHS faculty three weeks ago to succeed Mrs. Marilyn Hardison, who resigned for maternity reasons.

White is a January graduate of West Texas State University, where he received a bachelor of science degree in social studies education.

A NATIVE of Elizabethton, Tenn., White first became acquainted with the Southwest through the US Air Force, serving four years as an air traffic controller at Walker AFB, Roswell, N.M. while at Walker AFB, he started his college education by correspondence at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

After his separation from active duty in the Air Force, White returned to his home town of Elizabethton, where he worked two years in production planning for Tri-State Container Corp. He also studied at East Tennessee State University there.

When the post-Korea GI Bill was enacted, White moved back to this area to enroll at WTSU, where he took his last three years of college training.

WHITE teaches four classes of American history and a class of world geography at DHS.

His wife, Wynell, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barnes of Lazbuddie The Whites live at 207 NW Eleventh St., and are members of the First Baptist Church. White also is a member of the National Council for Social Studies.

CHISM, the new assistant band director, also attended West Texas State University. His home town is Hope, Ark.

A former professional trumpeter and winner of several major music awards at WTSU, Chism assists Band Director Ralph Smith with the high school, junior high and elementary band programs. He also gives private music lessons for all band instruments.

Chism started on the road to a musical career as a seventh grader, when he started in the band program of Hope (Ark.) Public Schools. He was named to Arkansas' all-state band his junior and senior years.

AS A student at WTSU, Chism was the trumpet soloist in the University Symphonic Band, a member of the Buffalo Marching Band, and a member two years of the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra. Last year he received the university music school's awards for Outstanding Bandsman and Outstanding Brass Recital.

Last summer, Chism played professionally with the American Symphony of Pittsburg, Pa., touring the eastern US.

Chism expects to receive his bachelor's degree in music education from WTSU this summer. A member of Kappa Kappa Psi, national honorary band fraternity, Chism is unmarried.

IN ADDITION to White and Chism, other new faces are appearing now throughout the Dimmitt Schools as college and university education seniors perform their practice teaching here under the supervision of experienced educators.

Co-op setting up 12 committees

Dimmitt Wheat Growers, Inc., is setting up 12 advisory committees composed of its members and directors "in an effort to get closer to our people and give them more of a hand in the operation."

AARON ISAACS of Dimmitt Management Co. said the new committees will play a leading role in the study and recommendation of future services and directions for the cooperative.

"We've got some good, well-educated people among our members," Isaacs said, "and we hope to utilize the brainpower that exists."

Five of the 12 new committees already have been formuiated or proposed, and one already has started working, Isaacs said.

THE committee which already has met once in the Agricultural Services Committee, headed by Jerome Brockman, This committee will work with the cooperative's total operation in advising and planning new services that may be needed in agronomy, entomology, spraying, etc.

Members of the Agricultural Services Committee are Bruce Parr and Keith Menefee of Friona, Lonnie Bell of Dimmitt, Houston Lust of Bethel, Calvin Wood of Earth and Floyd Light of Olton.

Another new committee is the Feed Committee, which will work with Barry Love, DWG feed nutritionist, on cattle feed tests he is now running. This committee will help determine which direction the co-op's new corn mill should take in the production of cattle feed, Isaacs said.

THE FEED Committee is made up of T. G. McKinney of Dimmitt, chairman, James Welch of Bethel, Dick Reinhardt of Dimmitt and Ray Joe Riley of Sunnyside.

Other new committees, either formulated or proposed, are:

Fertilizer Services — Carl King of Dimmitt, Chairman George Sides of Bethel, Trellis Summers of Dimmitt, Dale Maxwell of Easter and Vincent Guggemos of Nazareth.

Public Relations — Robert Benton of Dimmitt, chairman.

FARM Supplies — Phillip Haberer of Earth, chairman, Lawrence Acker of Nazareth, Dale Winders of Falgg, and Glenn Odom and Glenn Hatla of Dimmitt.

Elevator — Calvin Petty of Dimmitt, chairman, Melvin Summers of Dimmitt, Monte Boozer of Bethel, Ed Ramaekers of Nazareth, W. M. Massie of Friona and Larry Hausmann of Muleshoe.

"The management of Dimmitt Wheat Growers will not participate in the meetings of these committees unless we're called in," Isaacs said. "Everyone in the organization is on call to these committees."

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Manufacturing remains the key to economic growth for Texas

Manufacturing employment in Texas has increased by 49.2 percent during the past decade.

"MANUFACTURING is definitely the key to Texas' economic growth and will become even more so in the future," Jim Harwell, executive director of the Texas Industrial Commission, said in analyzing the new figures.

"Manufacturing employment increased almost 50 percent during the last 10 years while oil and gas, mining and agriculture all showed declines ranging from 11 to 24 percent," he noted.

He said 56.1 percent of the jobs in Texas were dependent on manufacturing during 1969, compared with 43 percent 10 years earlier. Manufacturing has increased an average of 24,000 jobs each of the 10 years.

HARWELL credited the areas of machinery, both electrical and non-electrical, and transportation equipment with the largest growth. Electrical machinery was responsible for 17.6 percent of the growth, transportation for 17.1 percent and other machinery for 13.4 pecent.

By category, electrical machinery proved to be the fastest growing industry in the state over the 10-year period. While increasing 17.6 percent of the overall total, the area grew at a 285.8 percent clip over its performance in 1959. Other strong growth sectors were miscellaneous durable goods, up 181.7 percent, and rubber and plastics, up 121.7 percent.

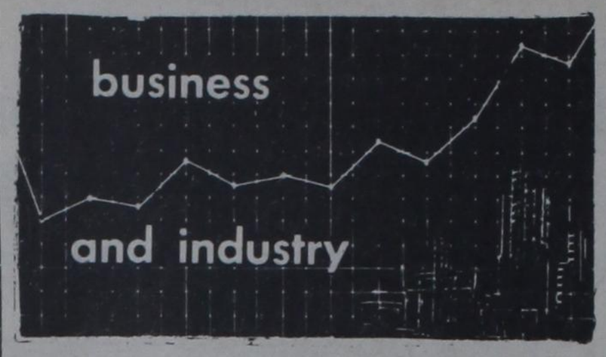
Miscellaneous durable goods includes such items as engineering and laboratory equipment, surgical and medical equipment, jewelry, sporting goods, needles and pins, brooms and brushes, and ordinance equipment.

In plant numbers, chemicals were the big addition to Texas' industry during the decade with new plants and expansions totaling second with 772 new plants and expansions.

Harwell said that in 1919 mobile homes were the leading locating industry in the state. Mobile home companies, a portion of the transportation sector, located 31 plants in the state, the majority of which were in rural areas.

About 30 percent of the industries added in the last decade were located in rural areas. In 1969 a total of 116 new plants were located in small towns, compared with 98 the previous year.

In all, a record of 411 new plants were located in Texas during the year. This compares with the previous all-time high of 327 new facilities reported in 1965.



Hart bank elects two new officers

At the January directors' meeting, the board of Farmers State Bank elected Mrs. Claude (Margie) Ray to the office of cashier, and Mrs. Weldon (Jonalyn) Jones to the office of assistant cashier.

Mrs. Ray has been with the bank since 1962, serving as bookkeeper, telled and assistant cashier.

Mrs. Jones has been with the banks since June 1969, having served as bookkeeper and teller. Mrs. Jones is presently serving as receptionist and secretary to the administrative officers, as well as assistant cashier.

Clinton Billingsley will continue as executive vice-president, having served as cashier since October, 1968.

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4-H'ers discuss rules of shows

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Nazareth news

Lent services scheduled

By Mrs. Florance Albracht

Lent season began Wednesday with the Ash Wednesday mass being celebrated at 8:20 a.m., followed by distribution of ashes. Evening services will be held each Wednesday and Friday evening during Lent at 7:30 p.m.

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ABOUT 60 members of the Christian Mothers Society met in the community hall for their regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, Feb. 2. Ways and means of raising funds to buy the drapes for the new building were discussed. Several ideas were brought up and will be carried out. A reading "The Meaning of Interfaith" was read by the program chairman, Mrs. Angela Acker. She also discussed reading materials since February is "Catholic Press Month." After the meeting the Dimmitt Promenaders entertained the members with several square dance drills which were enjoyed by all. They invited anyone wishing to join the group to come to Dimmitt on Tuesday evenings.

Tommy Wethington is home for a 10-day leave. He is with the Medical Corps and will soon be leaving for Germany to serve.

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LOTS OF flu and sickness around. Members of the parish meler, Mrs. Paul Venahaus and Mrs. Florence Meeks. We hope they will soon be home and well again.

Joe Vanhaus and Elaine Kern went to Farmington, N.M. over the weekend for a wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Venhaus planned to go but Mrs. Venhaus ended up sick in the hospital instead.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hoelting spent Sunday in Amarillo with their daughter and family, the Ed Venhauses.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Othello, Wash., visited their uncle and aunt, the Al Hoeltings. She is the former Betty Bowers from here. While they were here the Bowers had a family reunion in Tulsa, Okla. All were able to be there except Robert who is stationed overseas .The Cooper son was very seriously injured in Vietnam a year ago. They reported he is learning to walk. He lost both legs and one arm in a mine explosion.

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THE Catholic Daughters held their regular meeting on Wednesday evening in the Hall. They discussed the "World Day of Prayer" to be held March 6 and decided to invite women of other faiths to gather here for prayer service. Mrs. Margie Womack is the leader in this. Mrs. Cornelia Annen is chairman of "Share the Faith" program and will try to have something on this during Lent.

After the meeting the managers of Cobb's Dept. Store gave a nice program showing the new spring fabrics, patterns, etc. Prizes were given and the program was enjoyed.

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MRS. WARREN NORRIS and son Jeffry are here for 10 days with her folks the Frank Hoeltings, while her husband has gone to Atlanta, Ga. to see about his job. He will be transferred from Dallas to Atlanta soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Conrad of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Conrad of Claude were here Saturday for the Venhaus and Conrad wedding. Also here were Mrs. Annie Hilvers and daughter, the Francis Kaplans of Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoelting and Mrs. Warren Norris and son went to the Smorgasbord, put on by the members of St. Josephs Parish in Amarillo Sunday, Feb. 8. They met lots of old friends who have moved to Amarillo from here and enjoyed the worlds of food that was served.

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MR. AND MRS. Mike Williams and son and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hoelting and family of Amarillo, Mrs. Greg Hoelting, Anna Beth and Connie Aberant visited with the Vincent Pohlmeiers Saturday evening and saw the film sent from Germany from the Les Boyles family, who have been stationed over there the past two years. Mrs. Boyles is the daughter of Vincent Pohlmeier.

John Hemmer and Albert Demert of Lathair, Mont., came Sunday to spend a couple of weeks visiting the Venhaus families.

Mrs. Ben Vanhaus of Lawrence, Neb., is here also visiting the Verhaus families.

On Sinday evening, Mrs. Agnes Brockman, Mrs. Ben Venhaus, John Hemmer, Albert Demert and the families of James Wilhelm, Ralph Steffens, Tom and Cyrill Brockman and George Book Jr., enjoyed supper with the Philip Brockmans in Muleshoe.

FDIC increases interest ceiling

Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation have announced higher ceilings in interest rates payable by insured state nonmember commercial banks and by mutual savings banks insured by the corporation.

The FDIC board made the announcement of the higher interest-rate ceilings after consulting with the board of governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

NEW maximum rates payable for saving deposits by commercial banks were raised from 4 to 4½ percent, effective Jan. 21. The ceiling for multiple maturity time deposits with maturities of 30 to 89 days was also increased from 4 to 4½ percent.

A ceiling rate for single maturity time deposits of less than $100,000 and maturities of one year to less than two years was set at 5½ percent, and for single maturity time deposits of two years and over, the new maximum is 5¾ percent.

The 5 percent rate was retained for deposits with single fixed maturities of 30 days or more and for multiple maturity time deposits payable at intervals of at least 90 days.

UNDER THE previous rate structure, a maximum ceiling of 5 percent was in effect for all other consumer-type time deposits.

At the same time, the FDIC board set a new maturity and rate structure for deposis of $100,000 and over, as follows:

30-59 days — 6¼ percent maximum.

60-89 days — 6½ percent maximum.

90-179 days — 6¾ percent maximum.

180 days or more, but less than one year — 7 percent maximum.

One year or more — 7½ percent maximum.

FARMERS State Bank of Hart is now paying the above rates, according to Willis A. Hawkins Jr., president.

Hospital news

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

Minnie Ortiz
Elida Elizondo
Paula Madrid
Buck Couch
Richard Murray
Connie Farris
Ruby Bennight
Michael Wilkerson
John Woodall
Frankie Ward
Martha Paiz
Floydelle Benton
Roberta Wright
Deward Adams
Della Hackler
Shirley Leinen
Joe Ovalle
Robert Mercer
Margarito Munez
Vivilene Duke
Juan Garcia
Horace Lynn
Maude Jones
Willie West
Linda Scott
M. C. Dobmeier
Mary Ellen Santos
Marilyn Hardison

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL:

Frank Welch
Baby Girl Custaneda
Mary Fulfer
Fannie Broadstreet
Vulla Goodwin
Efemia Arguijo
Peggy Fulfer
Dora Houtchenh
Leona Rothwell
Jimmy Odom
Lillian Venhaus
Gwen Buckley
Robert Buntyn
Glen Hammond Jr.
Cecilia Annen
Neva Hedgecoke
Jose Guzman
Isabel Dominquez
Ione Webb
Michelle McFerrin

Local men help Terry NFO form

Four Castro Clunty members of the National Farmers Organization conducted an organizational meeting last Thursday night in Terry County, after contacting farm operators throughout that county.

HELPING CONDUCT the charter and sign-up campaign were Melvin Aven, Worth Jones, Louis Huseman and Leonard Schulte.

FARMERS received an average of 40 cents of each dollar consumers spent at retail for US farm produced food from January through March 1969, nearly the same as in 1957-59, but 10 cents less than in 1947-49. The farmer's share depends both on the prices he receives for his products and the cost of marketing them. The more marketing service the greater the cost. When the consumer spends a dollar on food at the grocery store, he is buying 40 cents' worth of products and 60 cents worth of marketing service.

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Nazareth honor students listed

Supt. John Slavik has announced the honor roll for Nazareth Public Schools for the third six weeks.

STUDENTS making the honor list during the third marking period included:

SENIORS

Geraldine Brocgman, Rosella Pohlmeier, Jaqueline Book, Rena Dobmeier, Gladys Steffens and Linda Wagner.

JUNIORS

Edna Braddock, Veronica Lange, Beatrice Schulte, Joyce Vanhaus and Billy Ed Hoelting.

SOPHOMORES

Lucy Ann Maurer, Agnes Hanson, Pat Acker, Kerry Brockman, Jocelyn Kleman, Neil Dobmeier, Bruce Warren, Susan Hochstein and Juanita Wilhelm.

FRESHMEN

Kent Birkenfeld, Peggy Book, Bonnie Wagner, Kathy Brockman, Rebecca Huseman, Teresa Steffens and Jackie Guggemos.

SEVENTH GRADE

Keith Birkenfeld, Charles Heck, Doyle Kleman, Glenn Kleman, Agnes Acker, Carol Drerup, Patti Hochstein, Lori Huseman, Noreen Kleman, Shelly Lupton, Rita Pohlmeier and Mary Jo Schacher.

SIXTH GRADE

Vera Birkenfeld, Norman Acker, Glenn Dobmeier, Leonida Durbin, Beverly Heck, Mark Hoelting, Theresa Kern, Shirley Maurer, Wanda Schacher, Elaine Schulte, Stanley Warren, Angela Wilhelm, Christine Wilhelm and Becky Wilhelm.

FIFTH GRADE

Twila Ball, Dorothy Guggemos, Jenny Huseman, Theresa Huseman, Tommy Kern, Gail Kleman, Rosemary Schulte, Sheryl Schulte, Judy Steffens and Timmy Wilhelm.

FOURTH GRADE

Frank Acker, Renee Ball, Chris Bcok, Kenneth Brockman, Ladonna Brockman, Anthony Brockman, Natalie Durbin, Cheryl Hartman, Wayne Heiman, Keith Hoelting, Anna Huseman, Debora Schilling and Clyde Warren.

THIRD GRADE

Bernard Acker, Hugh Acker, Joyce Acker, Lloyd Acker, Kyle Ball, Darryl Birkenfeld, Gayle Book, Cyrilla Brockman, Colleen Gerber, Glenda Gerber, Stanley Hoelting, Marlene Huseman, Paul Huseman, Randy Huseman, Patricia Kern, Dwayne Kleman, Paula Maurer, Germaine Pohlmeier and Evelyn Wilhelm.

SECOND GRADE

Roanne Acker, Norman Acker, Nadine Durbin, Gregory Birkenfeld, Teresa Brockman, Dianne Hochstein, Jimmy Kern, Lisa Pohlmeier, Doretta Ramaekers, Deborah Schacher, Jeffrey Schmucker and Dale Wilhelm.

FIRST GRADE

Chris Albracht, Perry Brockman, Lori Gerber, Deliha Gomez, Joe Hochstein, Dale Hoelting, Rebecca Hoelting, Christine Huseman, Laura Kleman, Rodney Kleman, Dianne Schulte, Janet Warren and Elaine Wilhelm.

B — Kent Hoelting, Gerry Kelman, Walter Verkamp, James Lee, Edith Durbin, Sharon Gerber, Leona Kleman and Dorothy Ann Wilhelm.

Frio news

Andrews return from Maryland

By Mrs. Owen Andrews

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Andrews returned home Thursday from a week's visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Baldwin and Randy, in Temple Hills, Md. The Andrews flew both ways and were met at the plane in Amarillo Thursday by their daughters-in-law, Carolyn and Anna Ruth Andrews. Andrews met in Washington with farm groups interested in presenting farm problems to government agencies. They visited some points of interest while there.

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MORE THAN 70 persons have been enrolled in the Bible study course at Frio Baptist Church the past week. Rev. Sam Ogan taught the adults from the book of James.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hargrove of Levelland are the parents of a boy, born Feb. 3 in a Lubbock hospital. The baby, named Ti Lyn, weighen 6 pounds, 5 ounces. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Struve. Hargrove is presently serving with the armed forces in Vietnam. Mrs. Hargrove is the former Kita Stuve.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Harder visited relatives and friends in the Clinton, Okla., area during the weekend. They spent Saturday night with the Roy Driscolls and her brother, Eward Schmidt and Mrs. Schmidt Sunday.

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MRS. RICHARD PRICE has been going to Lobbock this week to see her grandmother Bentley, who underwent heart surgery the first of the week.

Mrs. Tommy Sparkman went to Olton Friday afternoon to meet her brother, Howard Livesay. Howard was to spend the weekend with the Sparkmans here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Buckmaster of Ogden, Utah, came Sunday to visit his father, Ted Bush, and other relatives in the area for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lindley and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindley spent the weekend visiting relatives at Wellington.

Visiting the Tony Vigils during the weekend were her sister and family, the Gomez family and their mother from Portales. Their mother remained for several days with the Vigils here.

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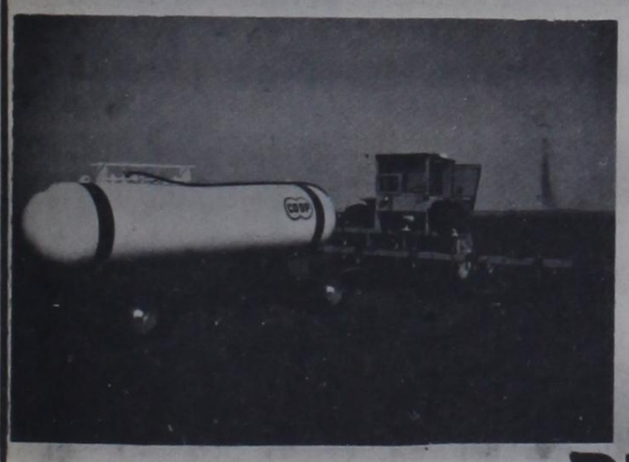
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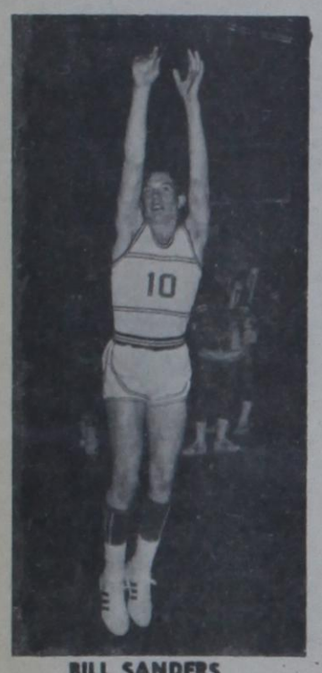
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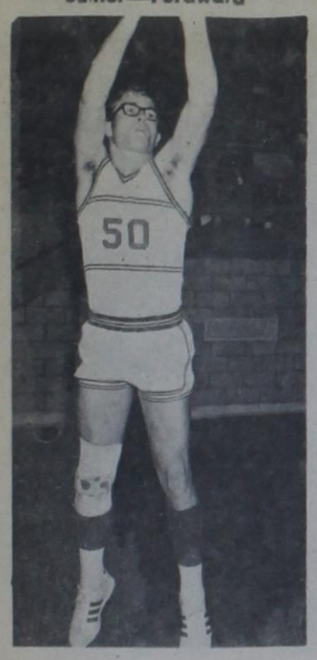
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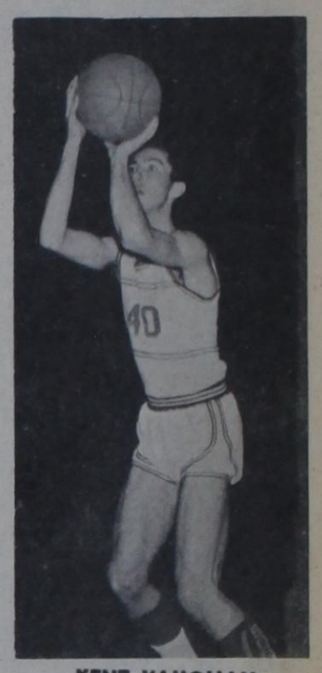
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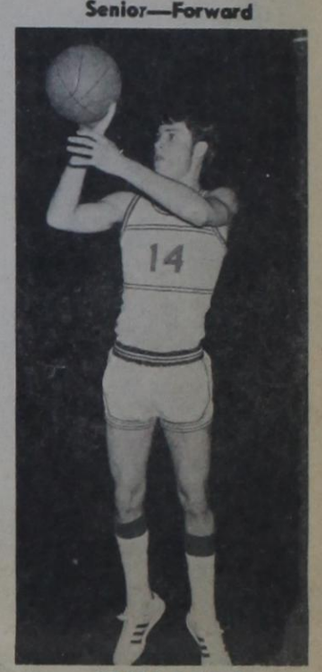
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KENNY DOSS
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DATE	TEAM	PLACE	BOYS WE	BOYS THEY	GIRLS WE	GIRLS THEY
Jan. 23	Adrain	There	88	55	58	41
Jan. 27	Lockney	There	57	82	50	39
Jan. 30	Friona	Here	75	46	37	28
Feb. 3	Floydada	There	76	39	35	36
Feb. 6	Olton	Here	83	48	35	20
Feb. – 10	Hale Center	There	77	50	53	51
Feb. 13	Abernathy	Here				

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SORGHUM WINNER—David Smith of Hart was the area winner of the 1969 P-A-G hybrid sorghum yield contest, according to an announcement by Dorman & Co., P-A-G distributor for West Texas and New Mexico. Smith was made a member of P-A-G's Hall of Fame. First-place winner in the two-state area was E. L. Monroe of Sunray, who produced 8,110 pounds per acre despite the year's adverse growing conditions.

17 join district for conservation

Seventeen more farm owners and operators in Castro County have become cooperators in the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District, according to the Soil Conservation Service office here.

THOSE who have signed recently as cooperators in the district include Maurice Campbell, Gerald Elkins, Douglas Adams, Don Buckalow, Vernon Andrus, Charles Schlabs, Jerry Terrell, Jimmy Brown, J. E. Warrick, Robert McClendon, Dr. J. D. Blackburn, Jerry Wilhelm, Ronald Johnson, G. L. Adrian, Mary L. K. Qualls, Guy Kelly and Edd Waggoner.

Cooperators work with specialists of the USDA Soil Conservation Service in designing and carrying out soil and water conservation programs on their land. They also are entitled to vote in district elections and serve on the district's governing board.

ASCS notes

'70 feed grain program is basically unchanged

By CHARLEY HILL
County ASCS Secretary

The 1970 Feed Grain Program as announced is basically the same as the 1969 program.

You will need to divert 20 percent of the base to be in the 1970 Feed Grain Program. This means you will be eligible for the price support payment on 50 percent of the base if that much feed grain is planted. You may divert up to an additional 30 percent of the base and earn a diverted acreage payment on this additional diverted acreage.

Barley is again classified as a feed grain, the same as grain sorghum and corn.

The sign-up started Feb. 2 and will close on March 20.

SKIP-ROW PLANTING

The skip-row pattern for cotton and feed grain will be the same for 1970. This means that two rows of feed grain and one fallow will count two-third feed grain; two rows of feed grain and two rows fallow will be one-half feed grain.

1970 COTTON ALLOTMENT

If you do not intend to plant any cotton in 1970 you may release the allotment to the County ASCS Committee by March 8. The farm will then receive history credit for planting cotton and the allotment will not be reduced in 1971.

Anyone who would like to request additional acreage must sign the request by not later than March 8.

CROSS COMPLIANCE

We again remind all owners and operators that the cross compliance provisions are applicable to all farms in the United States in which you have an interest. If you participate in the wheat, feed grain or cotton programs on one farm, you must not permit any other farm to have more acreage planted than the base or allotment.

'WORKMANLIKE MANNER'

The regulations governing the eligibility for price support payments under the 1970 cotton, feed grain and wheat programs require that such crops be planted with the expectation of producing a normal crop and that all normal farming practices be followed.

In instances where the ASCS Committee determines a crop was merely planted to earn price support payment and did not follow normal farming practices, no price support payment will be made.

THOUGHT: If some of us practiced what we preached, we would work ourselves to death.

You can grow 8 alternate crops on diverted land

Eight alternate, non-surplus crops which may be grown on acreage diverted from production of wheat or feed grain under the 1970 programs were announced Jan. 29 by the US Department of Agriculture.

THEY ARE castor beans, guar, sesame, plantago ovato, mustard seed, crambe, sunflower and safflower. Castor beans have been added to the list for 1970, County ASCS Executive Director Charley Hill reported.

Producer signup in the voluntary 1970 wheat and feed grain programs is scheduled Feb. 2 through March 20, Hill said. The cotton program signup takes place at the same time, but there is no provision yet for acreage diversion under the cotton program.

Six of the alternate crops can be grown on any acreage diverted from wheat or feed grain production, either on diverted acreage normally required as a condition of program participation, or an additional acreage diverted for payment.

THIS IS a change from prior crop years, Hill noted.

Sides appointed to grain sorghum producers board

George Sides of Dimmitt has been named to represent Castro County on the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board.

HE WILL join 28 other county representatives to form a 29-man advisory committee which will make recommendations to the board concerning problems facing grain farmers and projects they feel the board should sponsor.

The Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board was established in a referendum last Oct. 6. It's purpose is to develop research and promotional projects aimed at increasing the net profit to grain farmers. This work is financed by an assessment of five cents per ton paid by the producer, which is collected at the first point of sale or processing.

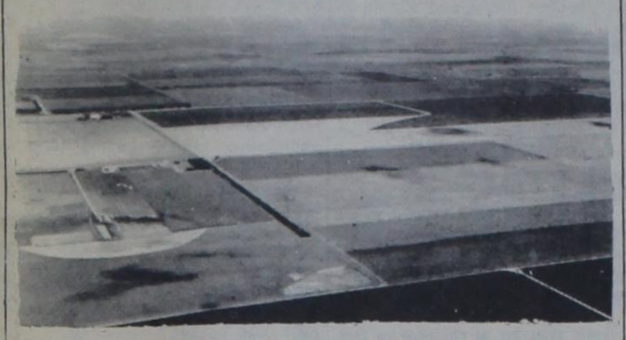
TGSPB Chairman K. B. Parish of Springlake said, "This advisory committee will give each county representation to the board, and we are grateful that these men have agreed to serve as they will be a vital part of the board's actitivies."

Parish added, "We are indebted to the county agents and their crop committees for selecting such a fine slate of representatives."

The board remained neutral on who was selected, asking only that the appointees be grain farmers and leaders in their county.

The board set insect and disease control as its primary goal, with special emphasis on green bug control. Project work will begin soon.

MODERN AGRICULTURE



Fertilizer firm gives bonuses to local corn contest winners

Winners of the Custom Farm Services, Inc., corn contest in 1969 were Jess Willard of Dimmitt, with a yield per acre of 177.48 bushels; C. C. Hanes of Nazareth, with a yield per acre of 139.31 bushels; and Larry Sturgess of Tulia, with a yield per acre of 117 bushels.

BEFORE the planting began last year, corn-yield contest cards were mailed cut to the farmers in the Dimmitt, Hart, Nazareth, Tulia and Bovina area.

It was a "no strings attached" contest. The only rejuirement of the contest was to sign up at planting time with a local CFS dealer, and at harvest time to have an impartial witness present to observe the selection of the 20-acre contest block and the harvesting and weighing of the corn from this block.

Approximately 40 cards were returned to CFS by farmers entering the contest.

The corn yield contest was carried out by the farmers without any special or extraordinary recommendations, and without any supervision except for the measuring, harvesting and weighing of the 20-acre block. Each farmer used his own choice of seed, fertilizer and herbicide. He planted the seed in his choice of row spacing and irrigated the field to fit his farming operation.

CFS awarded the first prize of $300 to Jess Willard, $200 second prize to C. C. Hanes, and $100 third prize to Larry Sturgess. These were bonuses for those farmers who sought more profit per acre during a weather-hazardous year.

WHAT DID Jesh Willard do to his 20-acre block of corn to make it produce the prize-winning yeild?

Milo was harvested from this 20-acre block of land in 1968. This was the fourth year that this contest block of land had received a complete analysis fertilizer.

In February 1969, Willard applied a complete analysis dry fertilizer to the soil. This provided the soil with total units per acre of 26 pounds of nitrogen, 100 pounds of phosphate, 20 pounds of potassium, 10 pounds of sulfate sulphur and one-half pound of boron. This dry analysis was incorporated into the soil with a tandem and a lister. An additional 160 pounds of nitrogen was applied June 15, 1969, as a side dressing, using anhydrous ammonia.

WILLARD chose Pioneer 3306 as his hybrid and planted the seed May 1, 1969, in 20-inch double rows at the rate of 21,000 plants per acre. He applied a preplant irrigation to the beds April 4, 1969, and added six more applications of water during the growing season.

This 20-acre block of top yielding corn was treated with an aerial application of granular Diazinon to help protect it against the spider mite and corn borer. Weeds and grasses were controlled by the use of a rotary hoe.

Willard's prize-winning block was harvested Oct. 5, 1969, with a moisture content of 21.56. The corn was used for feeding cattle. The price received for the corn was $2.20 per hundredweight.

LOOKING at the economics of this 20-acre block of corn, Willard figured that 177.48 bushels per acre at $2.20 per hundredweight was worth $218.65 per acre gross income.

This economic appraisal made Willard seek more information, such as what made this block produce more corn per acre. In reviewing the complete cultoral practices rsed in producing the 20-aire prize-winning blork, iompared with an adjacent 20-acre plot of corn which did not yield as high, Willard found only one difference: fertilizer application.

WHAT WAS the difference in fertilizer? Was the extra fertilizer applied to the prize-winning plot worth it?

Both fields of corn received the identical treatment, even to the application of 160 pounds of nitrogen from anhydrous ammonia. But the 20-acre prize-winning plot received a complete analysis dry fertilizer (328 pounds per acre of 8-31-6-10S-18B) for the second corn plot. This was the only difference in the two corn fields.

The adjacent 20 acres of corn produced 157 bushels of corn per acre, and was sold for $2.20 per hundredweight, grossing Willard $193.42 per acre. This was accomplished at a fertilizer cost of $10 per acre. The net iccome from the general analysis fertilizer was $183.42 per acre.

THE COMPLETE analysis fertilizer from CFS yielded 177.48 bushels per acre for a gross return of $218.65 per acre. The cost of this complete analysis fetilizer was $13.77 per acre, or, a net return on the complete fertilizer of $204.88 per acre.

The diffeence in fertilizer application was worth $21.46 per acre to Willard.

What's cooking at the schools

Here are the daily menus for students in North and South Elementary Schools and Dimmitt Junior High for the coming week, provided by Mrs. Sarah Blackwell, school lunchroom manager:

Today (Thursday) — Fried chicken, potato salad, broccoli, rolled wheat rolls, honey butter, cookies, milk.

Friday — Fish fillets with tartar sauce, whole new potatoes, green peas, baked school bread, butter, white cake with pink Valentine icing, milk.

Monday — Chili with beans, cabbage slaw, cornbread, butter, crackers, peach cobbler, milk.

Tuesday — Meat loaf with catgreens, rolls, butter, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday — Hamburgers with lettuce, onions and pickles, potato chips, blackeyed peas, banana cake, chocolate milk.

Next Thursday — Chicken a la King, green beans, rolled wheat bread, butter, Jello fruit salad, milk.

Extension specialist repeats dangers of various pesticides

When properly handled and applied, pesticides provide an effective and inexpensive means for damage and discomfort caused by pests in the home.

PROPER USE, points out Dr. Jack Price, Extension leader for agricultural chemicals, is more easily achieved if the user has certain basic information about chemicals, formulation equipment, application, handling procedures, storage and disposal.

Both organic and inorganic compounds are used for pest control. However, organic chemicals are the major source for insecticides. Organic materials are also used as herbicides and even metal-containing organic compounds are used in fungicides. Plant derivaties are also used as pesticides.

Therefore, says Price, it is important to recognize that many different chemicals are used as pesticides and that different products may require different use procedures.

PESTICIDES are available singly or in combination with other chemicals. Formulations include emulsifiable concentrates, wettable powders, dusts and granules. Dusts and fine sprays are generally more susceptibly to drift and if this is a problem, granules may be the formulation of choice if the desired pest control can be obtained.

Wettable powders, continues Price, may be less hazardous than formulations containing oil if protective measures are less than optimum. An oil soluble formulation is in many cases more easily absorbed through the skin than water soluble formulations or wettable powders that are mixed with water. In all cases, cautions Price, select the pesticides recommended for a specific use by a competent authority and follow label directions to the letter.

When pesticides must be mixed do it in the open or in a well ventilated area, Price advises. Avoid spilling or splattering the pesticide and use special containers for mixing, and use them for no other purpose, he adds. Wear natural rubber gloves when handling concentrates and other protective equipment as may be specified by label instructions. Maintain application equipment in good condition and always handle it with the same care as the pesticide itself, Price urges.

ACCIDENTAL home poisonings are a serious problem and in a majority of cases children under five years of age are involved. The home, says Price, contains an arsenal of potentially dangerous chemicals which include medicines, silver polish, detergents, moth balls, petroleum solvents, cleaners and pesticides, to name a few.

Storage of chemicals, out-of-reach of children, preferably should be under lock. Storage should also be away from food, either human or animal, and in an area of little traffic.

On disposal, Price says, do not save or reuse empty pesticide containers, promptly dispose of them. Do not puncture pressurized containers. Do not toss them into a fire; they can explode and may cause bodily injury or start fires. Wrap the empty containers, including bags and cartons, in heavy layers of newspaper or other paper. If trash collection is available, deposti them for trash removal. Otherwise, crush metal containers and break those made of glass; then take them to a public dump, or better, bury them at least 18 inches deep in a place where they will not contaminate a water source.

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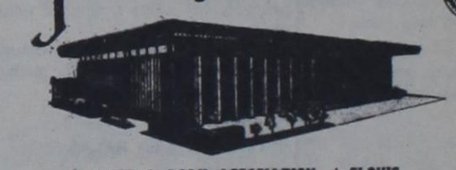
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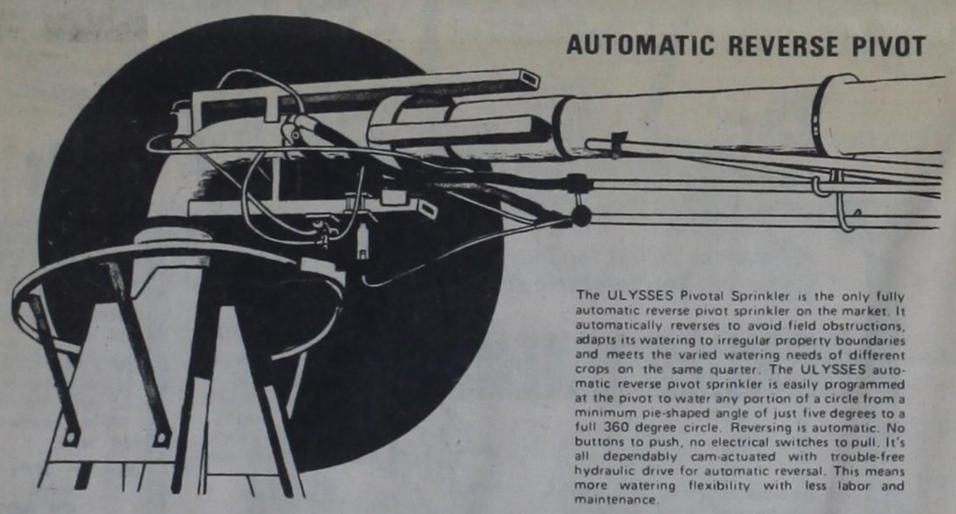
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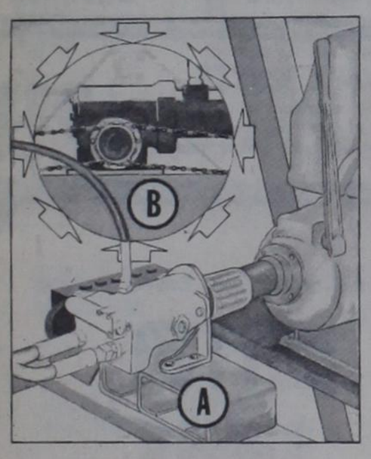
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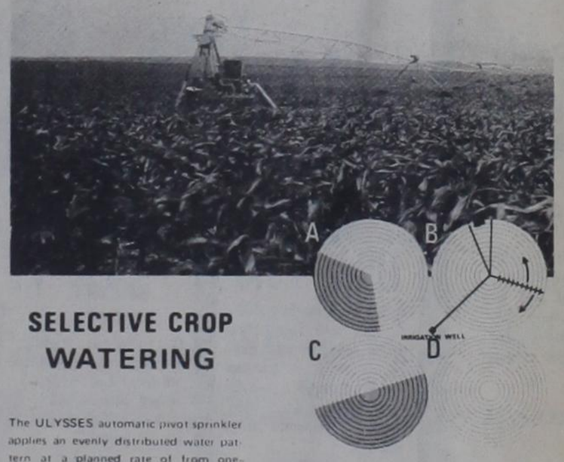


The ULYSSES Pivotal Sprinkler is the only fully automatic reverse pivot sprinkler on the market. It automatically reverses to avoid field obstructions, adapts its watering to irregular property boundaries and meets the varied watering needs of different crops on the same quarter. The ULYSSES automatic reverse pivot sprinkler is easily programmed at the pivot to water any portion of a circle from a minimum pie-shaped angle of just five degrees to a full 360 degree circle. Reversing is automatic. No buttons to push, no electrical switches to pull. It's all dependably cam-actuated with trouble-free hydraulic drive for automatic reversal. This means more watering flexibility with less labor and maintenance.



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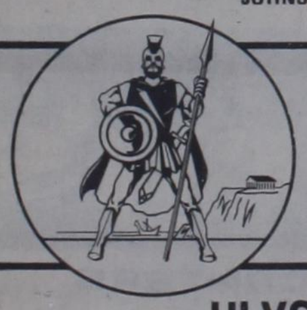


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Hart news

School board renews contracts, calls election

By MYRT LOMAN

The Hart School Board has renewed the contracts for one year for Elmer Six, high school principal; Frank Barnes, elementary principal; and Doug Higginh, head football coach and athletic director.

The Board set Saturday, April 4, as school board election day and appointed Wister Clevenger and Dewayne Brown as election judges. Business Manager Tom Ed Benton was appointed absentee voting judge. Absentee voting will be March 15 through 31 in the business office. Deadline for filing for the school board is March 4. The terms of Ralph Futrell, Robert Hawkins and W. T. King will expire in April.

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THE Hart High School basketball teams traveled Tuesday night of last week to Nazareth, where the Longhorns defeated Nazareth, 67-56. Jim Averitt was high point man for the Longhorns with 25.

The Hart girls lost in a close one, 49-46. Suzy Hawkins was high point girl with 22, followed by Cindy Dyer with 14 and Becky King with 10.

In Friday night's play, Hart won both games against Cotton Center. Ricky Farris led the Longhorns to victory with 21 points.

The Hart girls defeated Cotton Center, 52-31. Suzy Hawkins was high point with 21 points, with Becky King following with 15, Cindy Dyer scored 12 and Brenda Barham scored 4.

In their final game of the season, the Hart junior high boys defeated Nazareth here Monday evening, 34-27. Thomas Cunningham was high point with 12, followed by James McLain with 8.

The Hart junior high girls also beat Nazareth, 25-15. Nelda Henderson was high point with 14.

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FIVE F.T.A. students and their sponsor Mrs. Campbell, are attending the state Future Teachers of America Convention in Fort Worth this weekend. Those attending are Bobby Bledsoe, David Bass, Vicki Six, Frances Cunningham and Brenda Cheves.

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MR. AND MRS. Jimmie Davis honored his father, John L. Davis of Holdenville, Okla., with a birthday dinner Sunday in their home. Mr. Davis was 89 years old. His family presented him with birthday gifts and a money tree. The cake was decorated in yellow and green, with the number "89" on top.

A buffet dinner was served to Mr. Davis; his sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Jud Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis; his grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Davis, Mr. and Mrs. David Irons and children, Lloyd Davis and Lonnie, Larry Davis, and Tom McLain and Janet; his nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Davis and children of Springlake, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Davis of Muleshoe; a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Sharon Hall of Olton.

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ARTIE CARISLE, member of the First United Methodist Church of Plainview, spoke Sunday morning at the Hart Methodist Church. Carlisle spoke on behalf of the Gideons.

On the sick list and in hospitals are L. J. Rice, Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt; Mrs. Tom McLain, Plainview Hospital; and R. J. Murray, who is home from an Amarillo hospital.

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DEN 2 Cub scouts met last Thursday after school in the bank building with their den mother, Mrs. Jim Black, and assistant, Mrs. Darrell Davis.

The ladies assisted the boys in makirg wolf and bear candy favors for their brothers and sisteetrs to take home from the Blue and Gold Box Supper Banquet to be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the Hart School cafeteria.

Robert Lacy, Kelley Jones, Russell and Jackie Davis, Glen Black and Brett Aven completed their "Net Cubs," which will be used as the centerpiece for the Den 2 banquet table.

The Cub Scouts attended the morning worship service at the First United Methodist Church Sunday.

Cub Scout Week is being observed nationally Feb. 7 through 14.

Mrs. Black and Glen served Cokes and cookies. There will be no Den 2 meeting today (Thursday).

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THIRTY-FOUR members of the Royal Ambassadors met at the First Baptist Church with their sponsors, H. D. Smith. Jackie Newton of Tulia spoke to the boys on "Whatsoever Thou Doest, Doest Thy Best" and led the boys in games.

The Hart boys were hosts to boys from the Dimmitt First Baptist Church for basketball and football. The Dimmitt boys won the basketball game and Hart won the football game.

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MRS. RICHARD FRANKS, Mrs. Leon Kendall and Mrs. Robert Lacy, first grade teachers of Hart, asked the parents of their students to attend a special parents' meeting Monday at 7:30 in the Hart Grade School gym.

The teachers want to show what the children are doing in class. It is important, they said, for both parents to come with the child.

Other children in the family may play in the gym. Refreshments will be served.

MR. AND MRS. Dwight Miller were hosts on Saturday night for a Valentine party and games of 42 in their home. Guests were Messrs. and Mmes W. T. King, Deryl Clevenger, C. C. Hanes, Perry Baham, Lester Flippo, C. M. Moss and Lorenza Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee, parents of Mrs. Sam Davis, are presently making their home in the Heritage Home in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bennight flew to Houston last Wednesday, where Mrs. Bennight is undergoing tests and observation at the M. D. Anderson Hospital.

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THE DELTA Si Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, international society for women educators, met Saturday at the Castro County Country Club for a tea.

"Variety is the Spice of Life" was the title of the program presented by Mrs. Frances Duke. Group singing was led by Leta Kaul. The program was followed by a hobby sale which was conducted by Mrs. Lottie Westenbenger. Each member brought something she had made to be aucticned off at the hobby sale.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Ruth Skinner, Bea Hawkins, Mrs. Para Render and Mrs. Cleo Forson of Dimmitt. Those attending from Hart were Mrs. Flora Bledsoe and Mrs. Nancy Wescott.

The next meeting will be in Bovina March 21.

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YOUTH of the Hart First Baptist Church will sponsor a banquet for the young people Saturday night at 7 in fellowship hall of the church. The church youth director, Roger Edwards, will be in carge of the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Davis are the proud parents of a son, Jamey Ray, born Friday at 8 a.m. in Plainview Hospital. The young man weighed in at 6 pounds, 10 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Winton Hackler of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis of Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lambert were in Cheyenne, Okla., Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Maude Lambert, who is in the hospital there.

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THE BROTHERHOOD of the First Baptist Church conducted the Sunday evening service at the Golden Spread Nursing Home, with H. D. Smith in charge of the program.

There was group singing, a solo, duet, and trio. Vicki Six gave the devotional on "Faith." Roger Edwards, the youth director, presented a clarinet solo. Others participating in the program were LaDonna Hart, Patricia Smith and J. D. Rodgers, giving the closing prayer. Other guests were Sharon and John Rodgers, Mrs. Jim Dalton and Myrt Loman.

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THE ALPHA Epsilon Tau chapter of Beta Sigma Phi of Dimmitt had its annual Valentine party Saturday evening at the Castro County Country Club. Special guests were members of the two Hart Chapters, Chi Psi and Xi Mu Iota.

Highlight of the evening was the announcement and crowning of the 1970 Valentine queen. Crowned as queen of the Xi Mu Iota chapter was Mrs. Wister Clevenger. She was crowned by the 1969 Queen, Mrs. Melvin Aven. Mrs. Clevenger was preseneed with a boupuet of carnations and roses, and a crown-shaped pin. She is currently serving the chapter as vice-president. In the past she has served on the social committee and as corresponding secretary. Twelve couples from Hart attended.

Mrs. Bo Bryant was crowned queen of the Dimmitt Chapter. She was revealed by Mrs. J. D. Blackburn and crowned by the 1969 queen, Mrs. J. R. Brown.

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TWENTY members and 13 guests were present at the Hart Lions Club's weekly meeting Monday at noon in the community room of the Farmers State Bank.

A combo from the Springlake-Earth School presented the program.

The Hart Lions Club is aiding the Hart schools in trying to organize a band for Hart students.

The Boys Scouts of Troop 246 will complete their service project this week of canvassing the city for eyeglasses, frames or lenses to be turned in to the Hart Lions Club.

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Hart School Lunch Menu
Feb. 16-20

Monday — Baked ham, potato salad, pineapple slice, cottage cheese, hot rolls, pumpkin squares, milk and butter.

Tuesday — Meat balls and spaghetti, blackeyed peas, pickle slice, hot rolls, apple cobbler, milk and butter.

Wednesday — Pinto beans, buttered corn, onion slice, cornbread, applesauce cake, whipped topping, milk and butter.

Thursday — Hamburgers, mustard, onion, pickle, relish, French fries, catsup, Dixie Cup, milk and butter.

Friday — Hot dogs in Chili sauce, French fries, catsup, cabbage slaw, strawberry shortcake, milk and butter.

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THE CHI PSI chapter of Beta Sigma Phi honored Mrs. J. D. Myrick at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Charles Black recently, with Mrs. Bill Hill and Mrs. Sam McGill as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Myrick was presented a turquoise colored bassinet filled with layette gifts from sorority members.

Refreshments of cake, cookies and coffee were served.

Members present were Mmes. Tom Ed Benton, Jim Black, Richard Franks, Bob Lacy, Warren Lemons, the honoree and hostesses.

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AT A recent meeting of Boy Scout Troop 246, the boys made plans to canvass the city to collect eyeglasses or frames as their service project, with the glasses to be turned to the Lions Club.

Several of the boys completed work on their first aid merit badge requirements.

Attending were Scoutmaster Deryl Clevenger, Bob Clark, David and Theron Hawkins, Danny and Barry George, Mike and Larry Cox and James Warren.

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THE PUBLIC is invited to an evening of fun and excitement Friday night in the Hart High School Gym, when the Hart Booster Club will sponsor an evening of activities that includes a basketball game between the Hart parents and Hart school faculty, and a "slave auction," with the athletic boys and girls being aucticned as "slaves for a day."

The fifth and sixth grade boys will play basketball at halftime while the adults have a rest period.

All proceeds will be used to pay for an automatic exercise machine to be used by both junior high and high school students.

MRS. PAUL BROOKS was the hostess last Wednesday to members of the Good Neighbor Club for the February meeting and a covered dish luncheon.

Seventeen members and two guests were present.

Mrs. Paul Brooks, vice-president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. D. A. Bass read the program calendar for the next six months.

Mrs. G. R. Bennett demonstrated the making of burlap flowers, while other ladies discussed the art of covering lamp shades with burlap.

Wednesday, March 4, the Club will meet in the home of Myrt Loman for a covered dish luncheon and program of hobbies.

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SEVEN members of the Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met last Wednesday after school in fellowship hall.

Mrs. David Irons led the girls in work on their "Forward Steps." The first Wednesday of each month will be spent in this work.

Mrs. Harvey Davis served cake, brownies and punch.

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CUB SCOUTS of Den 3 met in the community room of Farmers State Bank last Wednesday after school.

Mrs. Doyce McAdams, den mother, assisted the boys in making their table decorations for the Blue and Gold Banquet to be held tonight (Thursday) in the Hart school cafeteria.

Den Chief Duane Clevenger led the boys in some games and Mrs. McAdams served refreshments.

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By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

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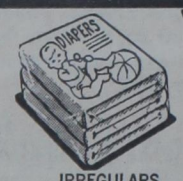
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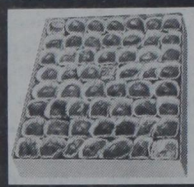
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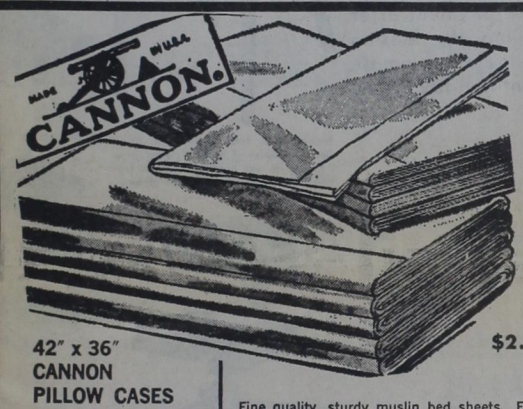


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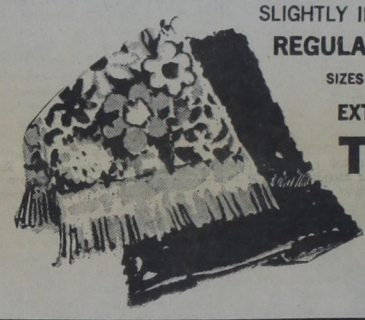
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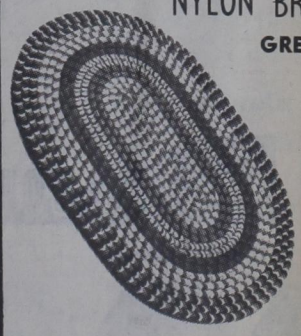


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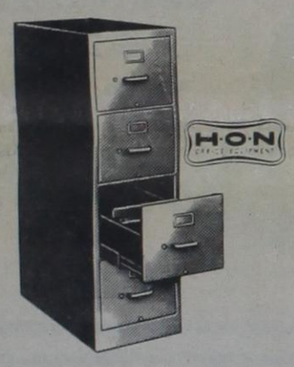
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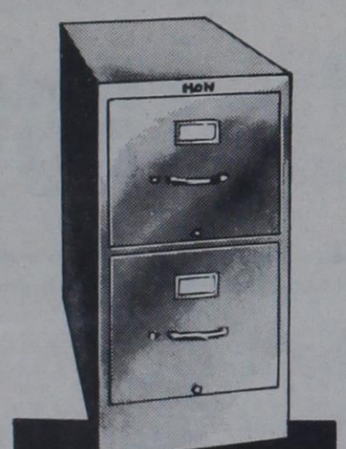


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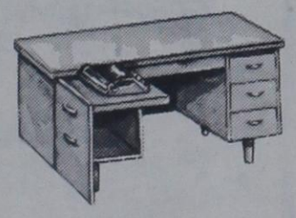
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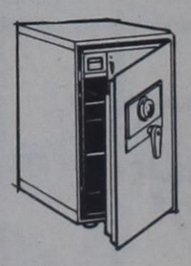
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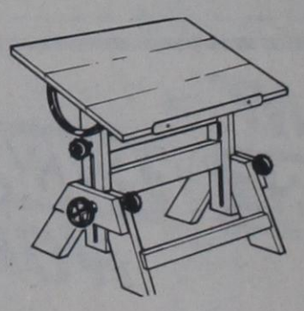












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FOUL!—Dimmitt's Kent Bradford (42) is fouled by Olton's Steve Stockdale while attempting a shot in the first quarter of Friday night's Bobcat-Mustang game here. At left, Olton's Mickey Crowder (33) uses body English to hex the ball away from the basket. Bradford made one of his two free shots to give the Bobcats a 24-10 lead. The Cats won the District 3-AA bout, 83-48.

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Cats rack Olton, 83-48

In their most precise game of ball control this season, Dimmitt's Bobcats socked it to the Olton Mustangs Friday night, 83-48.

THE CATS came on slow, not scoring until the game was almost three minutes old. But then they hit the accelerator and, with every starter getting into the act, they sacked up 18 points in the next four minutes. Mark Cleavinger hung up Dimmitt's first basket — a long set shot — with 5:11 remaining in the initial period, and the Bobcats went on to a 21-10 lead by the quarter's end.

The Mustangs returned the fire in the second period but could trim only a point off the Bobcats' lead. The score at halftime was 34-24, Dimmitt's favor.

With Cleavinger guiding the methodical, probing offense, the Bobcats widened the margin in the third quarter to 52-37. Then in the fourth quarter Dimmitt pulled out all the stops, racking up a tremendous 31 points in eight minutes for an 83-48 victory.

FOUR Bobcats scored in double figures in the well-balanced offensive attack.

Mark Wohlgemuth was as hot as 3 o'clock in Phoenix, connecting on 10 of 12 floor shots and firing four for four from the free throw line to capture scoring honors with 24 points.

Bobby Baker was right behind him with 20 points, and teamed with Kent Bradford to control the backboards. Bradford finished the fray with 15 points.

CLEAVINGER had one of his best games so far, setting up the plays from out front and hitting on five of seven field shots, most of which were quick zingers from outside of the key.

"I was tickled to death with their game," Coach Kenneth Cleveland said. "They looked for each other, and their teamwork was good."

He added, "I think we're going up again, which is what I like at this time of the year."

The Bobcats are headed for a district playoff against the Lockney Longhorns, who handed them their only conference loss of the year, ending a 49-game district winning streak.

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IN THE GIRLS' game Friday night, the Bobbies had their coldest shooting streak since their season opener but still salvaged a 35-20 victory over Olton's Fillies.

The Bobbies fired 50 shots but connected on only 15 of them for a 30 percent field goal average. They turned only five of 14 free throws into points.

It was the Bobbies' worst shooting percentage since their first game of the season against Adrian **HOWEVER, the Bobbies kept** their defenses up and pulled in 43 rebounds — the most they've snared in any game this year — to keep the Fillies from capitalizing on their misses.

The Bobbies led 11-6 at the end of the first quarter, 17-10 at halftime, 24-15 after three and 35-20 when the final buzzer sounded.

Ruth Dyer led the scoring with 16 points, while Suzanne Merritt sacked 14, Terrie Newton 3 and Delores Wilke 2. Keri Kirkpatrick was the top guard with 11 rebounds and a steal, followed by LeeAnn Merritt with seven rebounds and two steals, and Beverly Newman with five and one.

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IN THE boys' B-team prelim, David Nino racked up 26 points to lead the B-Bobcats to an easy 81-53 victory over the B-Ponies.

Four Freshmen: singing group? No--ball team!

In a hectic opening-round game against Canyon Purple last Thursday in the Hereford Freshman Tournament, Dimmitt's freshman boys had to "tough it out" for the final 10 minutes with just four players, but escaped with a one-point victory.

DIMMITT was coasting along with an 18-point lead when Kenny Ringo fouled out with two minutes remaining in the third period.

With the traveling squad reduced to six boys by the illness of Terry Powell, and with David Schaeffer already benched by fouls, only four boys were left to carry the load.

Paul Askey, Lonnie Strickland, Dean Summers and Brent Sanders had it all to themselves for those 10 long minutes as Hereford chipped away at their lead. But the clock saved them as time ran out with Dimmitt still ahead, 45-44.

It was the only victory in the tournament for Coach Roy Blair's frosh. Dimmitt lost to Stanton in the second round, 56-48, then dropped a 47-38 decision to Canyon White in the third-place game Saturday.

Regular season to end Friday -- then, stay ready

Dimmitt's Bobcats will meet the Abernathy Antelopes here Friday night in their last regular season game.

THEN, Coach Kenneth Cleveland said, "things are going to be fast and furious all of a sudden."

The Bobcats, winners of the first half of the District 3-AA go-round, will meet Lockney, the second half titleist, in the championship showdown at a neutral site either Feb. 20 or 21.

If the Cats wrest the championship from Lockney, they'll meet the District 4-AA champion Tuesday night, Feb. 24, for the bi-district title. At present, it appears that Morton will be the 4-AA representative, although Post is threatening.

THE REGION I tournament will be played the weekend of Feb. 27-29 in Lubbock Municipal Coliseum, and the state basketball tourney is scheduled March 6 and 7 in Gregory Gym at the University of Texas, Austin.

A boys' B-team game at 6:30 will precede Friday night's Bobcat-Antelope bout. The Bobbies finished their regular season Tuesday night by defeating Hale Center for the district championship, and will not play Friday.

● On the Go

ATTENDING the annual convention of the Texas Music Teachers Association Wednesday through Saturday in Dallas are Ralph Smith, Dimmitt High School band director; Nolan Froehner, Nazareth Public Schools music director; and Mrs. Betty Parish, Dimmitt elementary music teacher.

More about:

Man killed

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taken to Plains Memorial Hospital for observation and treatment, but were released after it was determined they had received no serious injuries, Maples said. The Stricklands' passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ringo were not hurt and Ramirez escaped injury also.

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A ONE-CAR rollover on US 385 Sunday night near KDHN Radio Station two miles north of the city resulted in injuries to a 9-year-old Hereford boy and sparked a search for the boy's father, who left the scene of the accident without reporting it.

Highway Patrolman Bill Scott arrested Alexander Johnson in Hereford Tuesday after tracing the wrecked car's license number. Johnson was charged with failure to report an injury accident.

Scott explained that he learned after tracking Johnson down that the driver's son had received glass cuts in the turnover, and that was why he had not reported the accident.

JOHNSON told patrolmen that after his 1956 Ford overturned at approximately 10:30 p.m. Sunday, he caught a ride to Hereford with a passing motorist to have his son treated, and didn't report the accident.

Scott said Johnson's abandoned car was reported by a truck driver who almost collided with it on the highway later Sunday night.

Girlstown needs mattress covers

Girlstown USA last week received 50 brand-new mattress and box spring sets, according to Mrs. Mary Hall of Dimmitt, volunteer worker for the girls' home near Whiteface.

IT'S THE first all-new bedding Girlstown has had in 20 years, Mrs. Hall said.

The girls now need twin-size mattress covers to keep their new mattresses in top condition as long as possible.

"Any type of mattress cover is fine, as long as it's for a twin size mattress," Mrs. Hall said.

If you have an extra mattress cover you'd like to donate, or if you can buy one or two new ones to send, leave them either at the courthouse office of Sheriff Jack Cartwright, a Girlstown board member, or at the home of Mrs. Hall at the Andrews Trailer Park on US 385 South.

More About

'Loli' praises new hometown

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on the sidewalk at church? Sherry had to carry me in, almost. Sherry, you know, she plays on it — and I can't even walk on it.")

SHERRY is the Coles' daughter and Loli's American "sister." The girls are both seniors in DHS and are almost inseparable. Other members of Mr. and Mrs. Cole's family are a son, Lee, an eighth grader; two other daughters, Barbara, who is a junior at West Texas State University, and Mrs. Jo Ann Burkham of Stratford; and a pair of grandsons, Robin and Jamie Burkham, 5 and 4.

Loli studies American history, civics, English, advanced typing and art in DHS. She is an honorary member of the Bobcat Band, Art Club, Future Teachers, Future Homemakers and National Honor Society.

"American history is my hardest course because I knew very little about American history when I came here," she said.

SHE'S A good typist, and types all her letters home to her family.

"She was typing a letter just after she got here, and Lee looked at it," Mrs. Cole said. "It was in Spanish. He said, 'Gee, I didn't know our typewriter typed in Spanish.' "

The US — at least, our part of it — isn't exactly as Loli imagined it would be.

"I guess everybody in my country looks at the United States as being such a big, industrial country, you know — that everyone is so busy with business and industry," she said. "But I think Texas is different. I know a girl who has lived in many countries and was born in the North, and she said she likes Texas better, that there is no other place like it. Some kids from other countries don't like too much the North."

SHE WAS surprised by the size of homes here, too.

"Homes here are so big, you know — my home in Guayaquil is small, but I love it. Our home has four rooms and a balcony.

"In this home," she added with a wave of the hand, "it is so big I feel lost the first time."

Meals here are generally less starchy than the typical meal in Ecuador, she said.

"Our typical meal would be bread, and either fish or beef," she said. "We don't have so much dessert — maybe malt, cake or Jello. Also, beans are a staple, mostly for supper, with rice and meat. We serve American foods sometimes from our supermarkets, but they are so expensive. With domestic foods in Ecuador, it takes so long — you have to plan and cook it all from the start.

THE SCHOOL year in Ecuador is from May to January — a concession to the three-month rainy season — and students must take both a written and oral exam before they can graduate.

One of the most emotional experiences that has occurred to Loli — and to the entire Cole family — was her customary telephone call to her parents at Christmas.

"I spent the first five minutes crying," she said. So did Sherry, and Beverly Newman, who was visiting, and Barbara, who was home from college, and Mrs. Cole.

"WHILE I was talking I would get into English and my parents couldn't understand. My mother was crying and couldn't control herself.

"I was supposed to talk for six minutes, you know, and Daddy (Mr. Cole) was counting the minutes with his fingers so I would know how long I was talking, you know, but I didn't notice. He said afterward that I can't talk and count at the same time. The phone call was 13 minutes."

The $40 cost of the international phone call was shared by the West Texas Telephone Co., the senior class and the local American Field Service chapter.

WHEN SHE returns to Ecuador this summer, Loli will finish the senior year she had started before coming to the US. Then she plans to attend the Catholic University in Guayaquil.

"I would like to work with an airplane company, you know, in the planes, to get free tickets so I can come back to the United States from time to time. And my mother — she can come with me someday."

BUT FOR now, she's having a ball.

"I feel like I have lived in Dimmitt all the time, you know, although it has been only five months. And I feel at home here, you know — I even feel different in the other towns, like Friona. I don't have to buy anything here — I don't have to buy my way into the show, or my dry cleaning, or the basketball and football games, or the teen dances. And the Coles buy all my clothes."

(Also, the AFS program provides for free school lunches for Loli.)

"The people in the North are so strange, you know — they don't help each other a lot, like the people here do. And the people here are so friendly, and always tell me they're glad to have me here."

One gets the impression, listening to Loli, that Dimmitt has itself another booster.

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Would you like to keep AFS'er?

Would your family like to have the experience of being the "American family" for a foreign exchange student in Dimmitt High School next year?

IF SO, you should immediately contact Mrs. Russel Moran, president of Dimmitt's American Field Service chapter.

Dimmitt High School has had 10 American Field Service exchange students from 10 countries in its senior classes in the last decade. This year's AFS student is Dolores "Loli" Ortiz-Reclat of Ecuador, who is living with the L. V. Cole family.

If your family wants to learn more about specific details of the program and responsibilities of the American Field Service host family, Mrs. Moran said she will provide you with the names of other families here who have opened their homes to AFS students in the past.

"WE NEED to have a family committment before the end of February," Mrs. Moran said. "This will give the AFS office in New York plenty of time to match the student with the family."

The student — either a boy or girl, depending on the local family's situation — will be 16 to 18 years of age, and will arrive in August to spend 10 months here as a senior in DHS.

Most of the program's cost is borne equally by the citizens of Dimmitt and the student's home town.

DIMMITT'S civic clubs and school organizations last week guaranteed the money for next year's AFS program. The local share is approximately $1,000, which includes a basic cost of $850 and $150 for incidental expenses.

Meeting with members of the local AFS committee, representatives of the Dimmitt Lions Club, Jaycees, Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs pledged financial and "shoe leather" support to the popular program for next year.

Most of the clubs agreed to either provide a share of the program's cost or to help sell sustaining memberships to individual citizens at $1 per month to underwrite the program.

"THE AMERICAN Field Service program through last year has involved 40,000 exchange students between the United States and 60 other countries," Mrs. Moran said. "I think it's one of the best people-to-people programs we have."

Hazel Merritt, AFS liaison officer here, added, "We pay our US consulate officers $16,000 or more per year to keep up our relations in other countries. With the AFS program, we get a diplomat for our country for $1,000 a year, and these AFS students will talk to many more people when they get back home than our consulates can."

'Breatholyzer' due here soon

The Texas Highway Patrol office in Dimmitt will receive a breatholyzer — the new machine that measures a person's blood-alcohol content with scientific accuracy — "as soon as the state receives shipment, we hope by March 1," Patrolman Billy Scott said this week.

THREE local law enforcement officers have received schooling and certification to operate the breatholyzer. They are Scott, Patrolman Dyrle Maples and Deputy Sheriff Rex Cowart.

Nazareth PTA to meet Monday

An investment consultant from Lubbock will present the program when the Nazareth PTA meets Monday at 8 p.m. in the school cafetorium.

Mrs. Netta Tillman of Lubbock is scheduled to give a short talk and show the film, "You and Yours," dealing with the interplay of taxes, savings, inflation and recession.

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GETTING READY AT PERRY'S—Preparing for today's grand opening of the new Perry's store in Dimmitt, these four company officials check the piece goods in the variety store's fabric center. From left are Don West, manager of Perry's in Snyder; W. A. Lengefeld, district supervisor from Coleman; Carl Benton, manager of the new Dimmitt store; and Al Novak, manager of Perry's in Seymour. Today's grand opening will feature free door prizes for all attending, Benton said.

1,050 farms in county eligible for programs

A total of 1,050 farms in Castro County are eligible to benefit from one or more of the 1970 voluntary farm programs, according to Charley E. Hill, executive director of the Castro County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

"THE VOLUNTARY farm programs enable farmers to work together to strengthen farm prices and to bring production into line with needs,' Hill said.

"American farmers are the world's most efficient crop producers," Hill added. "They provide an abundance of food and fiber for the nation and for the world. However, their very efficiency can be a mixed blessing for them if over-production results in a glut on the market and lower farm prices. The purpose of farm programs is to help provide a stable and prosperous agricultural economy by enabling farmers to cooperate voluntarily in obtaining the desired production."

In Castro County, 1,040 farms have feed grain bases totaling 245,112 acres; 991 farms have wheat allotments totaling 78,964½ acres; and 984 farms have cotton allotments totaling 56,134 acres.

All farms with feed grain bases, cotton or wheat allotments are eligible for participation in the 1970 voluntary farm programs.

SIGN-UP period is Feb. 2 through March 20 at the county ASCS office.

As participants in the programs, feed grain farmers divert 20 percent of their base acres into conserving uses. If they choose, they may divert additional acreage for which they will receive payment. (Provisions for farms with small feed grain bases are somewhat different and allow more diversion benefits.)

In return for program participation and compliance, feed grain producers will earn price-suppot payments and will be eligible for price-support loans.

WHEAT allotments for 1970 are about 12 percent below 1969, Hill said. A participant may grow his entire allotment if he wishes, but must divert to conserving use an acreage on his farm equal to 30.3 percent of his allotment. (This is the approximate difference between the 1968 and 1970 allotments.)

In return for program participation and compliance, wheat growers will earn domestic marketing certificates which they may cash, and will be eligible for price-suppor loans. If they choose, they may sign up and divert up to one-half of their wheat allotment (more on small allotment farms) and earn diversion payments.

No diversion provisions have been made for cotton, since cotton is not in excess supply. In fact, cotton allotments were increased for 1970 over 1969 to obtain more production. Growers participating in the cotton program will earn price support payments and will be eligible for price support loans.

HILL SAID that in Castro County last year about 92½ percent of eligible feed grain farms were signed up in the program, 94.3 percent of eligible wheat farm, and 98.9 percent of cotton farms.

Youth narrowly misses head-on

Highway patrolmen here said a Dimmitt High School senior missed a serious head-on collision "by about six inches" Friday afternoon, after a Tulia woman's car crossed the center line and glanced off the front end of the boy's auto.

INVOLVED IN the mishap were Kent Vaughan, 18, of Route 4, and Mrs. Grace Boman Cunningham, 58, of Tulia.

The accident occurred at 3:55 p.m. on Farm Road 1055, two miles north of its intersection with State 86.

Patrolman Dyrle Maples said Mrs. Cunningham's 1964 Ford sedan ran off the pavement on her side, and when she swerved back into the road she oversteered crossing the center line as Vaughan's car approached. The two drivers swerved their cars away from each other, Maples said, and the left rear of Mrs. Cunningham's car glanced off the left front of Vaughan's 1970 Chevrolet two-door.

THE ACCIDENT caused heavy damage to Vaughan's new Chevrolet and moderate damage to Mrs. Cunningham's Ford, Maples said.

Mrs. Cunningham was cited for driving on the wrong side of the road.

Study course set for homemakers

The Castro County Family Living Committee will sponsor a home study course on management for all interested homemakers. There is no charge for the course.

LESSONS will be mailed each Monday for six weeks. Topics are:

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"How Good an Executive Are You?"

"Managing Your Bank Account."

"How to Live on What You Make."

"When You Use Credit."

"Be a Good Shopper."

THE FIRST lesson will be mailed Feb. 23. There is room for 30 people in the course. It will be offered again if necessary. To receive your lessons, return the enrollment information below to the county agents' office, or call 647-3455.

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Pickup accident injures two tots

Two Amherst children were hospitalized with serious injuries Saturday night after a pickup driven by their mother overturned a mile south of Dodd on an unpaved county road.

INJURED in the accident were Jane Padilla, 5, and her sister, Mary Elizabeth, 6. Both were taken to a Muleshoe hospital.

Highway Patrolman Dyrle Maples said the girls' mother, Mrs. Amelia Losano Padilla, 27, of Amherst, was driving a 1949 Chevrolet pickup and had four children in the pickup with her. Mrs. Padilla and her other two children received cuts and abrasions in the turnover.

Mrs. Padilla was cited for driving without a driver's license.

Hart lady's mother dies

Mrs. Alvin Gruben, 66, longtime resident of the Cross Roads community, died at 7:30 a.m. in the Scott and White Clinic in Temple. She was the mother of Mrs. Laverne Upshaw of Hart.

HER FUNERAL was held Sunday at 4:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Rotan. Rev. Jim Appleby of Cross Plains Baptist Church officiated, assisted by Rev. Billy Hudnall of the First Baptist Church and Rev. C. T. Cunningham of the Hart First Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Rotan Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home, with grandsons and nephews serving as pallbearers.

Mrs. Gruben was born Sept. 28, 1903 in Fisher County. She married Alvin Gruben Dec. 10, 1921 in Fisher County. Mr. Gruben died Oct. 28, 1953.

The family requested any remembrances be made to the Cross Roads Baptist Church, Rotan.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. Preston Upshaw of Hart, Mrs. Therman Upshaw of Stamford, Mrs. Edgar Jones of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Billy Joe McCombs of Rotan; four sons, Glen, Bobby and Charles of Rotan and Wilber Lee of Lubbock; five sisters, three brothers, 19 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by two grandchildren.

Muleshoe sweeps forensic events

Muleshoe High School's debate teams, actors, speakers and readers captured the sweepstakes title in the second annual Dimmitt Invitational Forensic Tournament Saturday.

MULESHOE students compiled 263 points for sweepstakes honors. Meadow High School was second with 134 points, and Friona placed third with 104.

Tournament director Robert Ferrer, head of Dimmitt High School's Speech and Drama Department, reported that almost 200 students from 16 West Texas schools took part in the one-day forensic meet.

Dimmitt students, who served as hosts and timekeepers for the tournament, did not compete.

THE MEET utilized all four of Dimmitt's schools as students competed in boys' and girls' debate, persuasive speaking, informative speaking, prose interpretation, poetry interpretation and duet acting.

The proposition argued by adversary teams in the debate competition was "Resolved: That Congress should prohibit United States unilateral military intervention into foreign countries." Each of the 25 debate teams had to be prepared to argue for or against the proposition.

INDIVIDUAL and team winners in the tournament were:

Boys' Debate — D. Bass and B. Taylor of Muleshoe, first; S. Henry and J. Dempsey of Floydada, second; Thomas and Elliott of Friona, third.

Girls' Debate — B. Harbin and M. Chapman of Muleshoe, first; D. Adams and M. Keys of Hereford, second; S. Strue and S. Kendricks of Friona, third.

BEST BOYS' Novice Debate Team — N. McAndrews and K. Young, Hereford.

Best Girls' Novice Debate Team — D. Frazier and A. Hurst, Friona

Duet Acting — Woodward and Cole of Muleshoe, first; Raymond and Butler of Tulia, second; Verbeck and Bush of Boys Ranch, third.

Boys' Prose Interpretation — Smitherman of Floydada, first; Bass of Friona, second; Nelson of Hereford, third.

GIRLS' Prose Interpretation — Jameson of Floydada, first; Woodard of Muleshoe, second; Rucker of Denver City, third.

Boys' Poetry Interpretation — Pruitt of Brownfield, first; Farris of Muleshoe, second; Morehead of Meadow, third.

Firls' Poetry Interpretation — Bamert of Muleshoe, first; Holland of Meadow, second; Verner of Meadow, third.

BOYS' Informative Speaking — Mohr of Friona, first; Edwards of Muleshoe, second; Tibbetts of Muleshoe, third.

Girls' Informative Speaking — Beasley of Meadow, first; Brown of Denver City, second; Schuster of Muleshoe, third.

Boys' Persuasive Speaking — Thompson of Seminole, second; Mason of Muleshoe, third.

Girls' Persuasive Speaking — Mardis of Muleshoe, first; Darcey of Muleshoe, first; Reithmeyer of Friona, second; Mathis of Floydada, third.

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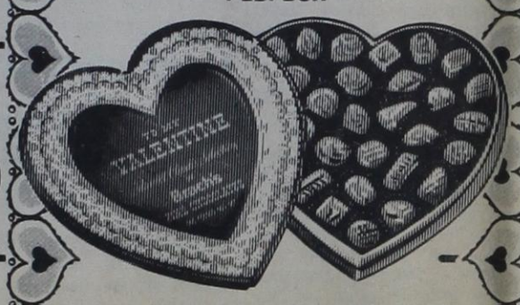
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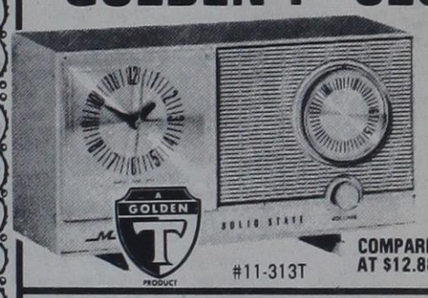


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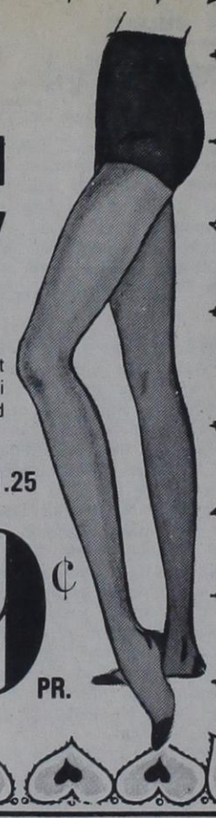
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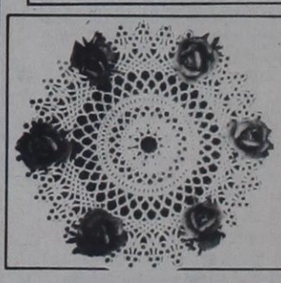


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