

Party picks to be made Saturday

Castro Countians will join other Texans Saturday in picking their parties' nominees for state office. And in many of the contested races, the choices are likely to be confusing.

In the almost-impossible task of trying to become known across the huge state, a few candidates have achieved "name

identification," but most have not.

On the Democratic Party ballot, there are contested races for 14 state offices. In the Republican Party primary, four offices have drawn two or more candidates apiece.

A sample Republican ballot appears on Page 8 of this issue,

and a sample Democratic ballot is on Page 9.

Although the most voter interest here will surely be in the local offices, several of the statewide campaigns have generated enough heat to spark voter turnout.

In the Democratic primary, the most visible race is the one

for governor. With six candidates vying for a chance to run against Gov. Bill Clements in the general election, two are having a front-running slugfest with a third hoping to attract the party faithful.

Front runners are Attorney General Mark White and Railroad Commissioner Buddy Temple. They've been hitting each other hard as if no one else were in the race, while Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong, a party loyalist, is hoping they'll scare voters to him.

Two contested state races that are likely to help pull Castro County Democrats to the polls Saturday are those for attorney general and agriculture commissioner.

Max Sherman, who earned the distinction of being named by Texas Monthly as the "best legislator in Texas" while serving this district as a state senator, has resigned the presidency of WTSU to seek the attorney general's post. His main challenge in a four-man race is coming from Jim Mattox of Dallas.

Agriculture Commissioner Reagan Brown — one of the better-known state officials here because of his frequent visits — is facing a challenge from Jim Hightower of Austin, a consumers' advocate and former editor of the Texas Observer newspaper.

In the judicial races, it's coin-flipping time again for Democrats, with most of the judgeships contested and virtually all candidates running low-key campaigns. The biennial poll by the Texas Bar Association (on page 5) shows which judicial candidates the state's lawyers favor.

On the Republican ballot, four state races are contested. Three men are seeking the right to challenge Democrat Lloyd Bentsen for the US Senate. They are longtime Congressman Jim Collins, who holds MBA's from both Northwestern and Harvard; Houston attorney and former State Sen. Walter Mengden; and Don Richardson, retired Air Force officer who now owns a data processing company in San Antonio.

Gov. Clements has drawn token opposition from an Austin man, Duke Embs.

In the Republican race for land commissioner, the three candidates are Al Gutierrez, owner of House of Tires chain and a Bryan restaurant; Woody Glasscock, Hondo farmer, rancher and businessman who also is involved in oil and gas leasing; and Andrew Jackson, an independent oil and gas operator who now lives in Austin.

Republican candidates for comptroller are Raymond Frank, retired military officer and former Travis County sheriff, and State Sen. Mike Richards, who represents Fort Bend and Harris Counties.

Republicans also will be asked to voice their opinions on five propositions — parimutuel horse racing, stiffer DWI laws, initiative and referendum, handgun control and abolishment of the state's "blue laws."

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Four local races are contested

Contested races for four county offices are likely to spur a good voter turnout for the Democratic Party primary election Saturday.

In the Republican Party primary, only one candidate is seeking local office.

So, for the Democratic candidates for most local offices, nomination in the primary will be the same as election.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, at 16 Democratic and four Republican voting boxes.

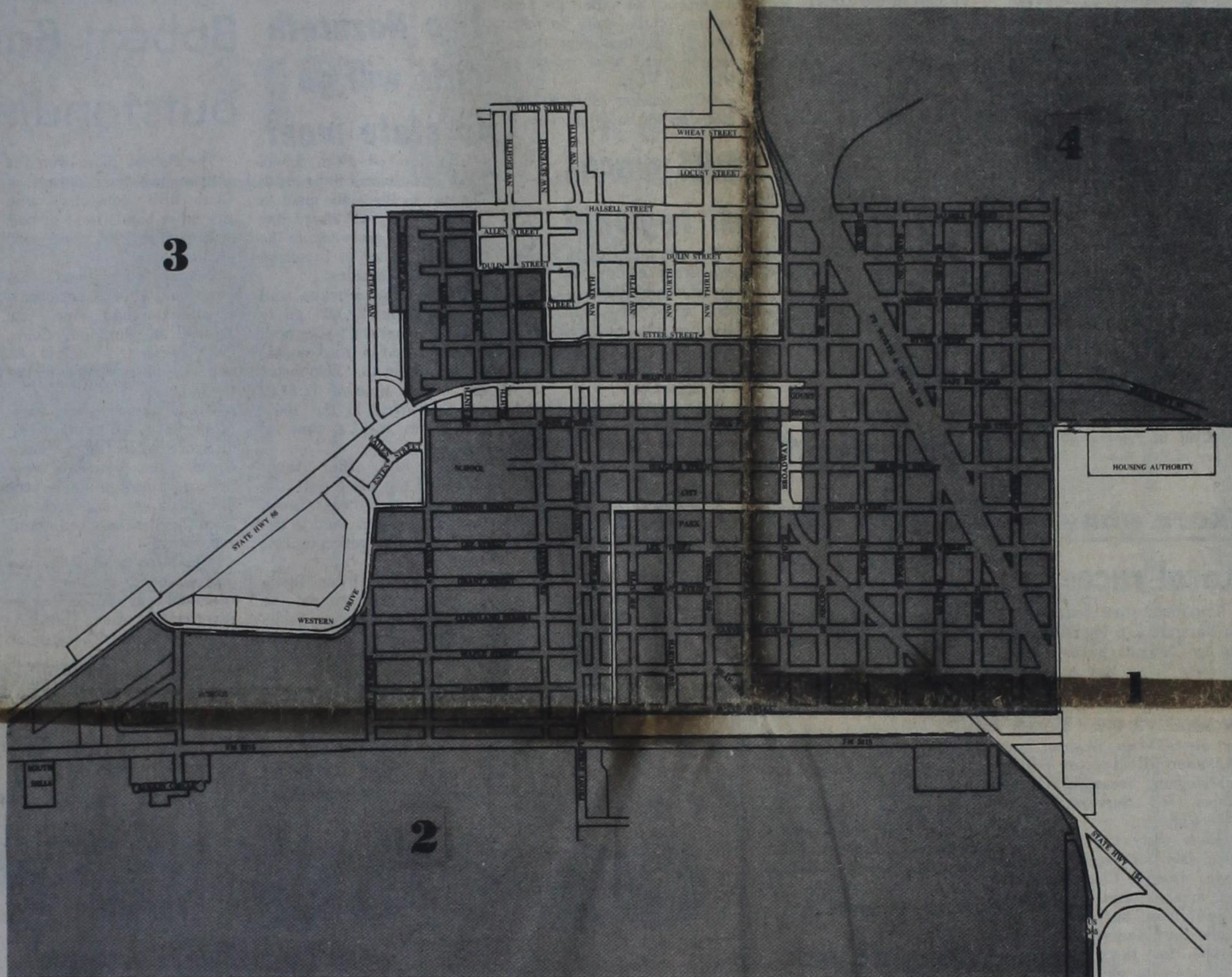
The hottest race going here is for county judge, with four candidates working hard to earn the Democratic nomination. Candidates are (in ballot order) Hart Mayor Bill Ritter; longtime Democratic County Chairman Oscar Wylie; Mrs. M. L. (Polly) Simpson Jr., who holds the office by appointment now; and Dimmitt businessman Sam Killough.

The winner — and it may take a runoff — will face Republican Winston Waggoner in the November general election for the right to succeed the late M. L. Simpson Jr., who died in office in December.

In the race for county and district clerk, legal secretary Mildred Sheffy and Deputy Clerk Joy Jones are vying for the right to succeed longtime County-District Clerk Zonell Maples, who is retiring.

In the county commissioners' races in Precincts 2 and 4, both incumbents are seeking re-election, and both are being challenged.

In Precinct 2, Dimmitt farmer John Walker is challenging incumbent Edd Wilson. And in Precinct 4, incumbent Alfons (Al) Maurer [See LOCAL RACES, Page 2]



Where will you be if a tornado hits?

In the event of a tornado in Dimmitt, Hart or Nazareth, local civil defense personnel would like to know where all the underground storm cellars are located.

If a tornado should touch down in one of the cities, debris may cover openings to the cellars and trap people inside. With knowledge of the whereabouts of the shelters, those people could be rescued.

The list of cellars will be used for "search and rescue" purposes only and will not be released to the public.

Residents of each city in Castro County are urged to mail or take information on their cellars to the County Sheriff's Office. The following form may be clipped and used:

Name _____
Street Address _____
City _____
Location of underground shelter from residence (distance and direction): _____

Weather system will be tested on Fridays

The weather warning siren systems of Dimmitt and Hart will be tested each Friday at noon for the duration of the primary tornado season. They will be tested only when weather permits.

The system in Hart will be one long blast of the siren. In Dimmitt, the warning will be three long blasts. Nazareth has purchased but not receive its new system.

"We want those within audible distance of the sirens to become familiar with them," Castro County Deputy Jerry Jansa said.

Three long blasts of the sirens in Dimmitt during stormy weather will mean that we are in for large-diameter hail, life-threatening winds or tornadoes.

The sirens will not be sounded for fires when severe weather threatens in order to keep down possible chaos. Firemen will be notified during those times by the pager system.

Fridays at noon when the systems are tested, KDHN

IA students win 35 honors

Industrial Arts students from Dimmitt High School attended the South Plains Industrial Arts Regional Contest that was held in Lubbock Saturday. The group brought home 35 different honors.

Ruben Sanchez and Kelly Ballard were named outstanding in their groups.

First place winners included the Industrial Arts Club, jeep-type vehicle; Jeff Pigg, dresser; Debora Jordan, shelf; Curtis Daniel, stereo cabinet; Ruben Sanchez, dresser; Manuel Aranda, headboard; Maria Sanchez, desk; Martha Garcia, china cabinet; Troy Ellison, Chevy engine (power).

Those winning second place were Tony Martinez, table and benches; Ramiro Esquivel, grandfather clock; Rose Guana, armoire; Roy Schilling, bumper pool table; Carla Moore, canopy bed; Rita Ramos, china hutch; Lonnie Robb, dresser; Corky Esquivel, stereo cabinet; Kelly Ballard, armoire; Shirley Salinas, chest of drawers; Scott Hays, curio cabinet.

Third place winners include Elvira Rojas, standing mirror; Alex Lopez, grandfather clock; Ross Armstrong, dry sink; Arando Velasquez, Bible stand; Doug Chavera, chest of drawers, Doug Schilling, book case; Daniel Jimenez, desk.

Those winning fourth place were Teresa Brown, headboard; Quint Qaggoner, coffee table; Robert Espinoza, curio cabinet; Dwayne Smith, trophy case; Wanda Brown, stereo cabinet; Raul Ramos, gun cabinet.

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Hart First Baptist to celebrate 75th

The First Baptist Church of Hart is planning a celebration Sunday, May 9 in honor of its seventy-fifth anniversary.

Dr. Theodore Boushey will be the guest speaker at the morning worship service that day. He is a retired professor from Wayland Baptist College, and presently lives in Winston-Salem, N.C.

NHS tennis duo will go to state

Nazareth High School's girls tennis doubles team of Roxanne Birkenfeld and Brenda Hoeltgen will go to state after winning first in the regional tournament in Levelland Friday and Saturday.

The duo defeated Revis Ward and Irene Reinberg of Ft. Davis with scores of 6-3, 6-3 in the championship match.

The first game the pair faced was against Ellison and Baker of Aspermont, defeating them 6-0, 6-0. Their second game was with Bearden and Moseley of Sands, downing them at 6-2, 6-1. They advanced to the finals after defeating Herrera and Martinez of Tornillo 6-2, 6-1.

In singles play, Leona Gerber won her first match, playing Thompson of Hartley 6-4, 6-2. But she was defeated in the quarter finals by Metcalf of Aspermont by a score of 6-4, 6-4.

Local races ...

[Continued from Page 1] of Nazareth is being challenged by Dimmitt businessman Thomas Falcon and Nazareth farmer Vincent Guggemos.

Running without opposition in Saturday's Demo primary are Sheriff Lonny Rhynes, Tax Assessor-Collector Billy Hackleman, Treasurer Oleta Raper and Surveyor John Alldredge.

Each party has only one candidate for county chairman. Deanne Clark is seeking another term as the top Republican party official, while Bart Kaderly is a candidate for the Democratic Party post to succeed Wylie, who resigned to make the judge's race.

More about County ...

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Don Elliott of Don's Wrecker Service in Dimmitt told the commissioners that he has a problem with wrecked cars he has picked up for the city police, Sheriff's office and Dept. of Public Safety.

"I've got some that have been on my lot for three years, and with a total of 22 cars, I'm running out of room," Elliott said.

Elliott said that he was told that owners of the vehicles are supposed to be notified within ten days of the time the vehicle is brought in.

"The law enforcement people are supposed to do the notifying, and then if there's no response, the vehicle is supposed to be sold at police or Sheriff's auction," he told the commission.

He added that the few times notice has been given to owners, he has had to send the certified letters himself.

"I just can't afford the time or money to do it anymore," he said.

Elliott said that to his knowledge there also has never been a Sheriff's auction.

The commission promised to look into the matter and see what could be done about it.

The commission received a card saying that the county's share of Revenue Sharing Funds for the coming fiscal year will be \$119,894 — \$1,000 less than last year, but more than was expected, according to Judge Simpson.

Commissioners approved a \$1,600 expenditure in Precinct 4 to go to Swisher Electric Cooperative for the moving of power poles so that a road could be widened.

Supt. Ryan is honored

Supt. Robert Ryan received the Administrator's Distinguished Service Award, and two Dimmitt High School girls attended the Vocational Office Careers Clubs of Texas State Contest.

Mary Salinas and Norma Martinez placed at the regional meeting held in Dallas last month and qualified to attend the state contest that was held in Austin on April 16-17 at the Hilton Hotel.

Miss Salinas placed among the top eight in the regional job interview contest. She received sixth place at the state contest and received a plaque.

The bulletin board placed among the top eight in the regional contest, but it did not place in the top six at state.

Ryan was one of three recipients of the Administrator's Distinguished Service Award given in Office Duplication Practices. He received a plaque at the general session of the state contest. This is the first year these awards have been given in ODP and VOE.

ODP teacher Sue Howell attended the meeting, also.

DHS places at regional

The Dimmitt High School girls' track team missed sending a representative to the state meet in Austin when they brought in a third and a sixth place at the Regional I-3A meet in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Beth Benton placed third in the 100-meter low hurdles with a time of 15.1, one-half second off her best time of 14.6 as a sophomore.

Kristi Sheffy was sixth in the 400-meter run with a time of 62.4, a new record for any DHS girl.

Littlefield's sprint relay team with a second place and Friona's Sherri O'Brian with a second in the 400 were the only District 2-3A athletes to qualify for state.

More about Azetca ...

[Continued from Page 1] parking spaces at the east and west ends of the streets, with turn-around access in and out, Gonzales explained.

"All family vehicles will have parking sites, but there will be no through traffic, or 'cruising,' allowed inside the project fences," he said. "Nor will any trucks be allowed to park inside the project fences."

Gonzales said he hopes local subcontractors can do most of the work in the million-dollar remodeling program.

"We want our local subcontractors to get the first priority," he said. "Some of them have been very anxious, but we've explained to them that they will have to be competitive. If our local subcontractors can get the bids, it will be a boost to our entire community."

He said the main subcontracted work will involve roofing, plumbing, painting, ceiling work and electrical work.

"The only subcontractor I can't find locally is a roofer who can do the type of roofing that's required here," Gonzales said.

The Farmers Home Administration has operated the housing project for the past 20 months, since the Castro County Housing Authority turned the project back to the FmHA after a federal court order halted block-leasing of apartments and the FmHA denied rent hikes. The Housing Authority claimed it couldn't operate and maintain the camp under the legal and regulatory restrictions.

At present, five buildings with 90 apartments stand vacant, condemned by the State Health Dept.

"Right now, 102 apartments are occupied and we have only 10 apartments available to rent," Gonzales said. "The first 10 families to come in will get them."



A CRUSHING VICTIM OF CUFUPU-2 was this worn-out dishwasher picked up Saturday by clean-up crew members David Anderson (left) and Al Cano, both employees of Amstar. The climax of the Clean Up, Fix Up, Pride Up campaign for this year was the gathering of junk cars and appliances on a lot in the 200 block of NE Second Street, where they were smashed into steel bales by a hydraulic crushing machine.

Two Nazareth girls will go to state meet

The Nazareth High School girls' track team will be sending two to the state meet in Austin May 7-8 after they qualified in their events in the Region I-A meet at Levelland Friday and Saturday.

Danelle Schmucker and Karen Birkenfeld will go to the state meet since they both placed second in their events, Schmucker in the 3200-meter run with a time of 12:51.9, and Birkenfeld in the 1600-meter run with a time of 5:47.8.

The only other team member to place at the regional meet was Leona Gerber, who took third in the 3200-meter run with a time of 13:03.3.

The points from these placings would have put the Nazareth team only two points behind the two teams who tied for sixth in team totals for the meet.

The Bobcat Band won the Outstanding Band award in Class BBB, competing with five other bands from schools of between 200 and 400 students.

The award was given to the local band after it performed at the Durango Fine Arts Festival in Durango, Colo., last weekend. About 60 bands in all competed in the festival.

The judges were very complimentary, Dimmitt band director Ralph Smith said. Some of the comments were "you do Texas proud, a very fine job, a very fine performance, well-rehearsed band and congrats."

In addition to attending the festival, band members and sponsors rode the Durango-Silverton coal train. The train only went halfway, because of the cold and snow.

"It snowed on us while we

Washington places twice

Hart High School's Linda Washington took two placings at the Region 1-2A track meet Friday and Saturday in Odessa, but she will not advance to state.

She placed fifth in the 200-meter dash and seventh in the 100-meter dash.

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Church will have special services

The Sunnyside Baptist Church will have special bilingual services beginning tonight (Thursday) through Sunday.

Services today, Friday and Saturday will be at 8:30 p.m., and the services on Sunday will be at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

The evangelist for the special services will be Rev. Sammy Medina of Lubbock.

Special music will be provided by the group "Genesis." The members of the group are originally from Guatemala and Mexico. They will sing and play marimba, guitars and accordion. It will be the first time for "Genesis" to perform in this area.

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OUT OF TOWN

Born April 7 at Permian General Hospital in Andrews was a girl, Mindi Lynn, to Jackie and Tonya Ethridge of Andrews. The infant weighed 6 pounds, 7 1/4 ounces and measured 18 3/4 inches long. Her grandparents are Travis and Jeannette Hampton of Dimmitt and Ray and Fay Ethridge of Hart. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cox of Phoenix, Ariz.



STRIPES—Roy Rodriguez Jr. [right] of Dimmitt is held up by his father for a closer look at the zebra in the zoo that was a part of the Carson and Barnes Circus which was in

Dimmitt Sunday under the auspices of the Dimmitt Rotary Club. The club brought in \$1,354.45 on its share of the sale of approximately 2,000 tickets.

Nazareth

Anniversary event held for Heimans

By VIRGIE GERBER

The children of Dennis and Dolores Heimann hosted a 25th wedding anniversary reception on Saturday evening at the Nazareth Community Hall after all attended the 7:30 mass at Holy Family Church.

The Rough Riders Band furnished music for the dance following the reception for approximately 200 guests.

Out of town guests included Ted, Deanna, Tonya and Tisha Huseman of Levelland; Florence and Hilda Heimann of Amarillo; Phil, Iona and Dawn Taylor of San Angelo; Charles and Jo Ann Bowman of Plain-

view; Shelly Bowman of Tyler; Donna Charanza of Canyon and the employees of Coors Distributing Co. of Amarillo where Denny is employed. The children hosting the event were Ted and Deanna Huseman of Levelland, Wayne Heimann of Amarillo, Rodney, Romana and Darrin Heimann of the home.

Patricia and Tommy Kern were home for the weekend to visit their family, the Bud Kerns and to go to the celebration at Turkey with other family members. Patricia is a junior at the University of Dallas, majoring in biology and works for the Wall Street Journal in Dallas. Tommy works for AmFac in Dallas and is working toward his masters degree in business at the University of Dallas.

Dennis and Patti Kern, Jerry and Carol Kern, Jimmy and Francis Kern along with several other guests enjoyed the Bob Wills celebration in Turkey this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Lake, Vic Kern and Lyn of Waterflow, N.M. were visitors at the home of Rose Warren this week. They visited with relatives in Nazareth and went with the Kerns to the Bob Wills celebration.

Marie Clausel was also a guest of the Walter Kern family this weekend. She is a friend of Patricia's and they work together at the Wall Street Journal in Dallas. Everyone going to Turkey for the Bob Wills celebration had a great time.

Mrs. Ruby Mae Hubbard of Fort Worth spent the week here with her parents, the Raymond Annens.

Enjoying Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Guggemos were Father Stanley, Leonard and Rosemary Wilhelm, Lucille Drerup, Cornelia Annen, Lawrence Schmucker, Mick and Jane Gerber of Bovina.

Matt and Rozena Albracht of Amarillo spent all day Friday visiting with relatives in Nazareth.

Lydia Schacher, Kimmie Huseman and Mary Beth Gerber spent Monday in Levelland with Carol (Drerup) Gary.

Mrs. Alma Conrad, Dora Albracht, Leola Ramaekers, Betty Wilhelm, Adeline Pohlmeier and Christina Hoeltgen attended a bridal shower for

Kids raise \$1,944 in bike-a-thon

\$1,944.89 was raised for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital as local bikers pedaled in the Dimmitt Wheels for Life Bike-a-thon Saturday.

"The ride was a great success and showed that Dimmitt understands the importance of research being done at St. Jude Hospital," Bike-a-thon Chairman Jo Parks said in announcing the ride's results, "Everyone who participated did a wonderful job."

"The \$1,944.89 raised from the ride will help continue the research into childhood cancer and other catastrophic diseases," Mrs. Parks said. "Children here and everywhere will be helped by this successful bike-a-thon and the progress being made at St. Jude."

Mrs. Parks urged all sponsors and riders to turn in their donations by May 4, when winners of the top prizes of a bicycle and a calculator will be determined.

Mrs. Sherman visits Dimmitt

Gene Alice Sherman, wife of former State Senator Max Sherman, brought his campaign for Texas Attorney General to Dimmitt Monday, stressing the need for people to remember to vote Saturday.

Sherman is seeking the Democratic nomination for Attorney General in the Saturday Primary.

Sherman has received the editorial endorsement of the News along with endorsements of several local newspapers including the Amarillo Globe-News, Canyon News, Moore County Leader, Hereford Brand and Tulia Herald.

As Senator, Sherman represented the 26-county Panhandle District 31 from 1971 to 1977. He resigned that position to become President of West Texas State University.

Sherman resigned from West Texas State University in mid-January this year.

As a State Senator, Sherman was noted for his fairness, hard work and level-headed approach to legislation. He chaired the Natural Resources Committee and served on the Jurisprudence and Finance Committees of the Senate.

Sherman's legal career began in Amarillo, following graduation from Baylor University and the University of Texas Law School. He was a partner in an Amarillo law firm for 17 years where his major practice was in trial and appellate work. Sherman is active in the Texas Bar Association and is a member of the Board of Visitors at the University of Texas Law School.

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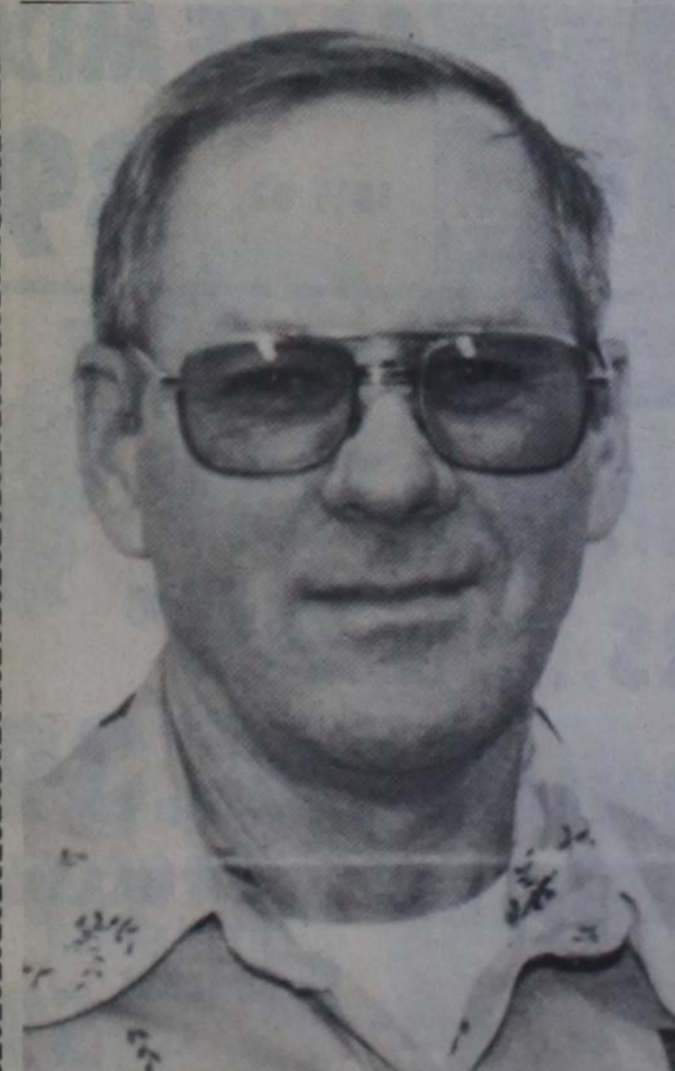
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Alfons (Al) Maurer

Candidate for

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Pol. Adv. Pd. by Alfons (Al) Maurer, Nazareth, TX.

Obituaries

Mary Ann Martha Hutcheson

Services for Mary Ann Martha Hutcheson, 74, formerly of Dimmitt, were Friday at 2:30 p.m. in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home in Hereford with Rev. Doug Manning, pastor of First Baptist Church of Hereford, officiating.

Burial was in Rest Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

She died April 20, and she was born in Goodwell, Okla. She moved to Deaf Smith County in 1950 from Dimmitt. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

She married Jessie H. Hutcheson in 1927 in Guntown, Miss. He died in 1970.

Survivors include five sons, Jessie R. of Dimmitt, Hays of Leslie, Ark., Jack and Cecil, both of Amarillo, and Jessie H. of Stratford; five Christine Messenger of Canyon, Birdie May Stacy of Amarillo, Rosa Lee Parvin of Borger, and Floradene Morris and Lorene Hix, both of Hereford; two brothers, B. F. Hays and Charles Hays, both of Kansas City, Mo.; two sisters, Nancy Long of Amherst and Mae Hester of Hutchins; 38 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren.

Annie Mae Springer

Services for Annie Mae Springer, 82, of Dimmitt, were at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Fourth and Bedford Church of Christ here with Dale Wells and Ronnie Parker officiating.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. in West Park Cemetery in Hereford under direction of Parsons Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Springer died at 7:20 a.m. Saturday at Plains Memorial Hospital, where she had been a patient for four days.

She was born Aug. 16, 1899, in Watanucka, Okla., and moved to Dimmitt four years ago from Hereford, where she had lived since 1918.

She married William Albert Springer in Childress on Oct. 15, 1916. He died in October, 1955. Mrs. Springer was a member of Central Church of Christ in Hereford and of Frio Home Demonstration Club for 40 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary Lois Summers of Dimmitt; two sons, George of Lovington, N.M., and Charles of Hereford; two sisters, Fannie Francis of Plainview and Lillie Mercer of Silvertown; four brothers, Wade Steele, Alton Steele and J. R. Steele, all of Silvertown, and Jeff Steele of Sweetwater; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Dick Ellis, Harlan Barker, Tom Draper, Lee Kent, Leroy Suttle and Judge Jack Miller.



Raymond E. Wilson

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Raymond Earl Wilson, longtime leader in local government, business and civic activities, died Sunday in a Phoenix hospital. He was 74.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p.m. today (Thursday) in the First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt, with Rev. Howard Quitt and Rev. Billy Strayhorn officiating. Burial will be in Castro Memorial Gardens, directed by Parsons Funeral Home.

Mr. Wilson served 15 years as Castro County judge (1959-64), during which time the present Plains Memorial Hospital, County Expo Building and Rhoads Memorial Library were built and the courthouse was doubled in size. First appointed to the top county government post, he was elected to four terms before retiring in 1974.

He served three terms on the Dimmitt City Commission (1938-1944), and was the city's mayor from 1944 to 1946.

Born June 29, 1907, in Haslett, he was raised in Tulsa and attended West Texas State Teachers College, where he majored in mathematics. He played varsity football and baseball and ran track all four years of college, and later served as the first high school football referee here. He also was active in the city's softball and baseball leagues.

He moved to Dimmitt in 1929 and opened Wilson's Grocery, which later was expanded into Wilson's Super Market, the forerunner of Dimmitt Super Market.

He married Margaret Carrell, whom he had met in college, on June 21, 1931, in Snyder.

Mr. Wilson was a charter member of the Chamber of Commerce and the Dimmitt Rotary Club, and a member of the Lions Club. He served 15 years as church school director of the First United Methodist Church, and also served on the church's official board many years.

A member of the Masonic Lodge here since 1931, he served a year as district deputy grand master, and last year received his 50-year membership pin. He also was a life member of the Order of the Eastern Star, and served 13 terms as worthy patron of the local chapter. He served five years on the board of trustees of the OES Home in Arlington.

He was also a member of the Texas Law Enforcement Association.

After his retirement as county judge, he and his wife bought a home in Sun City, Ariz., and divided their time between Dimmitt and the Phoenix area, where their daughter, son-in-law and grandchildren live. Mrs. Wilson died Sept. 9, 1977.

He is survived by a daughter, Patricia Brock of Phoenix; two sisters, Lucille Ford of Tulsa and Elaine Bybee of Hondo; three brothers, Milton of Corpus Christi, Hubert of Lubbock and A. M. of Bovina; and three grandchildren, Raymond Earl Brock, Shea Colin Brock and Ramona Coleen Brock, all of Phoenix.

Pallbearers at the funeral today will be Kent Birdwell, John Gilbreath, Tommy Stanton, Allan Webb, Houston Lust and Don Gregory.

Music teacher gives awards

Mrs. Avie Lewis has announced the music awards for Richardson Elementary School's third grade students for the fifth 6-weeks period.

Best Mannered Class awards went to Mrs. Harmon's class and Mrs. Axtell's class.

Most Improved Music Student awards were given to Felipe Salinas, Rafael Vasquez, Royce Schulte, Jesse Garza, Fidencio Gonzales, Jessica Wimberly, Jermaine Williams, John Ortegón, Joe Luis Flores, Ricardo Quiroz, Stacy Waggoner and Eva Garcia.

Best Listener Awards were given to Dennis Petty, Jeff Long, Adam Cline, Adam Puga, Kristi Barrera, Sylvia Galvon, Tommy Sparkman, Jami Baker, Maria Rosado, Susie Sifuentes, Lisa Travis and Shelly Casey.

Most Dependable Student awards went to Shawn Stanton, Robin Jordan, Rodney Killough, Stacy Coker, Carol Petty, Renea Harmon, Chris Fuentes, Sharla Jackson, George Rodriguez, Miguel Ontiveros, Casey Gentry and John Wall.



'HI THERE!'—Watching and waving back at performers in the circus parade under the big top Sunday in Dimmitt were (from left) Jill Gfeller, daughter of Ronnie and Kay Gfeller of Dimmitt; Derek Cargill, son of Keith and Linda Lowe of Dimmitt; Jennifer Annen, daughter of Hollis and Sharon Annen of Dallas; and Ty Annen, son of Jerry and Debby Annen of Dimmitt. The Dimmitt Rotary Club sponsored the Carson and Barnes Circus. An estimated crowd of 2,000 attended the two performances during the day.

LEWIS CARROLL made up the word "Portmanteau" in "Through the Looking Glass." It means two meanings packed up in one word.

RESULTS OF 1982 JUDICIAL POLL, STATE BAR OF TEXAS

SUPREME COURT, Associate Justice, Place No. 1	
John M. Barron	3,442
John L. Bates	1,688
Ted Z. Robertson	5,804
SUPREME COURT, Associate Justice, Place No. 2	
James G. Denton	8,114
Bill Kilgarlin	3,124
SUPREME COURT, Associate Justice, Place No. 3	
Charles W. Barrow	10,216
Woodrow Wilson Bean	1,148
THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, Judge:	
Place 1	
Charles F. (Chuck) Campbell, Jr.	1,356
Carl Dally	6,203
John E. Humphreys	1,154
Wm. B. Phillips	1,364
Place 2	
Wm. Carl Black	1,616
Mel Bruder	845
Chuck Miller	3,472
Ray Moses	2,466
Roy Rawls	691
Andrew Jackson Shuval	956

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Herschel Lee Miller

Services for Herschel Lee Miller, 57, of Idalou, were at 2 p.m. Monday in Idalou Church of Christ with B.C. Stapleton officiating.

Burial was in Idalou Cemetery under direction of Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock.

He was the father of Jerry Miller of Nazareth.

Miller died at 3:45 a.m. Sunday at Methodist Hospital after a brief illness. He was born in Lubbock County on Sept. 19, 1924. He graduated from Roosevelt High School. On Nov. 9, 1948, he married Ann McInroe.

Miller was a farmer. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the Army. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Jana Wolf of Garland, Judy Teague of Houston and Jill Lopez of Lompoc, Calif.; a son, Jerry of Nazareth; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Lubbock; three sisters, Mary Etta Ward of Amarillo, Pauline Hamilton of Dallas and Joan McCallister of Lorenzo; and two brothers, Charles of Lubbock and Don of Lorenzo.

John A. Bartels

Rosary for John A. Bartels, 83, of Hereford, was read at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Rix Funeral Chapel. Services were at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in St. Anthony's Catholic Church with Father Boniface Riedmann, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery in Hereford under direction of Rix Funeral Home.

He was the father of Anita Schilling of Dimmitt.

Bartels was born March 15, 1899, in Plum. He married Frieda Roemich on Nov. 14, 1922 at Hermleigh.

He was a retired farmer and a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Erwin and Leonard, both of Hereford; three daughters, Anita Schilling of Dimmitt, Hilda Reissig of Houston and Bernice Layman of Mangum, Okla.; a sister, Lena Baker of Yoakum; a half brother, Otto Kuck of Yoakum; 31 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

What's Cooking?

Dimmitt Schools

Here are the school lunch menus for the Dimmitt schools for the week of May 3-7.

MONDAY — Corn dogs, cheese cubes, French fries, ranch-style beans, wacky cake, milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken-fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, rolls, honey-butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Bean chulupas with cheese, buttered rice, lettuce and tomato salad, apricot cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, green peas, whole-kernel corn, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY — Submarine sandwiches, lettuce, pickles, onions, whole-kernel corn, chocolate pudding, milk.

Nazareth Schools

Here are the school lunch menus for the Nazareth schools for the week of May 3-7.

MONDAY — Chili dogs, cole slaw, pork and beans, vanilla pudding, milk.

TUESDAY — Spaghetti and meat sauce, corn, hot rolls and butter, fruit salad, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hot turkey sandwich, tossed salad, cauliflower, apple crisps, milk.

THURSDAY — Burritos and chili, tater tots, peaches, milk.

FRIDAY — Roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls and butter, whipped jello.

Hart Schools

Here are the school breakfast and lunch menus for the Hart schools for the week of May 3-7.

MONDAY — Breakfast: Frosted flakes, banana, milk. Lunch: Sloppy Joes on home-made bun, pinto beans, cole slaw, peanutbutter cookies, milk.

TUESDAY — Breakfast: Sausages, biscuits, jelly, grape juice, milk. Lunch: Baked ham, wheat rolls, potato salad, June peas, apple cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, orange juice, milk. Lunch: Cheeseburgers on home-made bun, tater tots, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickle, peaches, milk.

THURSDAY — Breakfast: Hot cakes, butter, syrup, apple juice, milk. Lunch: Chili beans, cornbread, pickles, onions, mixed fruit, chocolate cake, milk.

FRIDAY — Breakfast: Oatmeal, buttered toast, tomato juice, milk. Lunch: Chicken-fried steak, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, raisin cobbler, milk.

Cancer in Children

The American Cancer Society reports that mortality among children with cancer has declined from 9.3 per 100,000 in 1950 to 4.4 in 1978, largely as a result of research progress.

DHS All-Sports Banquet will be held Friday

The Dimmitt High School All-Sports Banquet will be Friday at 7 p.m. in the Castro County Expo Building.

Tickets will be \$5 per person and may be purchased from any of the coaches or from Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club members.

The theme of the banquet will be "Wheel of Success," and Johnny Ray Watson of

Hereford will be the speaker. The Barbecue Company of Dimmitt will cater the meal.

Coaches will present awards, including most valuable player and outstanding player awards in each of the nine sports represented by boys and girls at DHS.

Everyone, especially parents and fans, are invited to attend.

Brockman receives \$5,500 fellowship

Kenneth E. Brockman of Nazareth has received notice that he has been awarded a 1982-83 Arizona State University Graduate Fellowship which is designated to recognize and assist outstanding students in increasing their opportunities to concentrate their efforts on full-time graduate study.

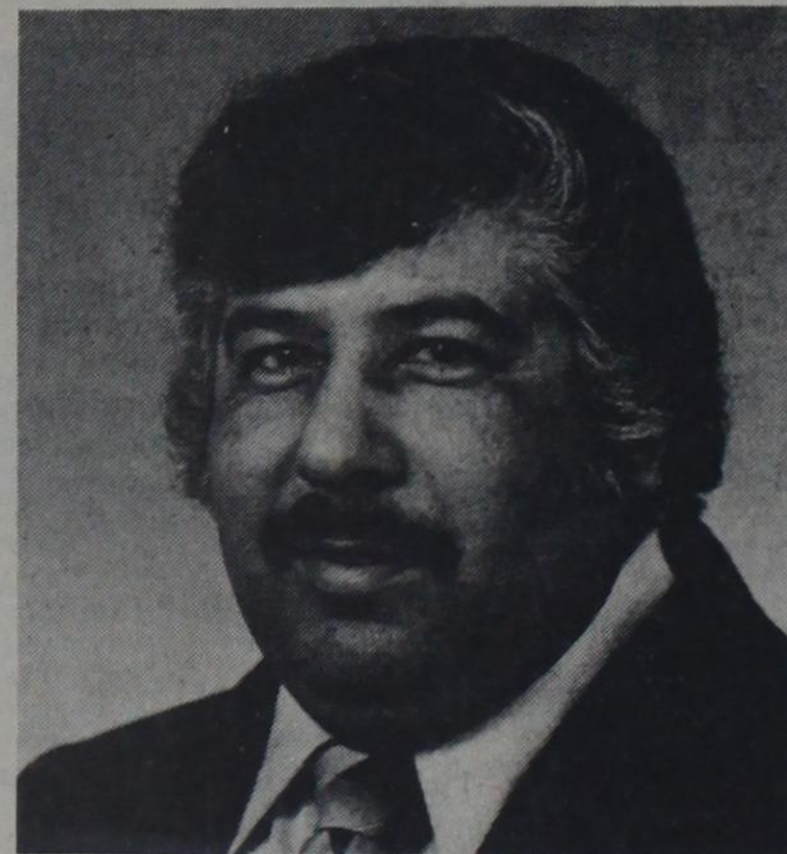
The fellowship carried a \$5,500 stipend for the nine-month period beginning in August. In addition, registration fees and non-resident tuition are waived.

Brockman is presently a student at the College of Santa Fe in New Mexico. He has been named to Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges for 1981-82.

Brockman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Brockman of

Nazareth, a graduate of Nazareth High School and a senior majoring in social work.

NUEVO COMMISSIONADO DE PRICINTO 4



Para que esto sea cierto necesitamos que todo votante de pricinto 4 salga a dar su voto el dia primero de Mayo. Habiendo el 60% de votante Hispanico, pueda que por primera vez en la historia que un Hispanico tenga la oportunidad de triunfar en estas elecciones. El candidato Thomas Falcon les agradecera su voto y soporte en las elecciones venideras. Demen la oportunidad de servirles ha ustedes como su commissionedado de pricinto 4.

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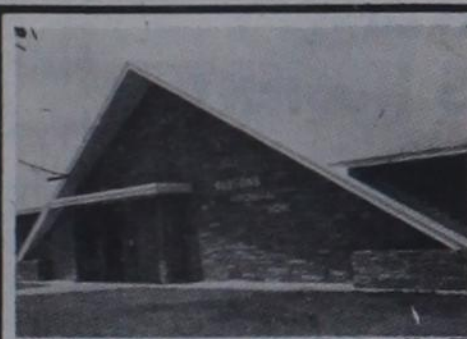
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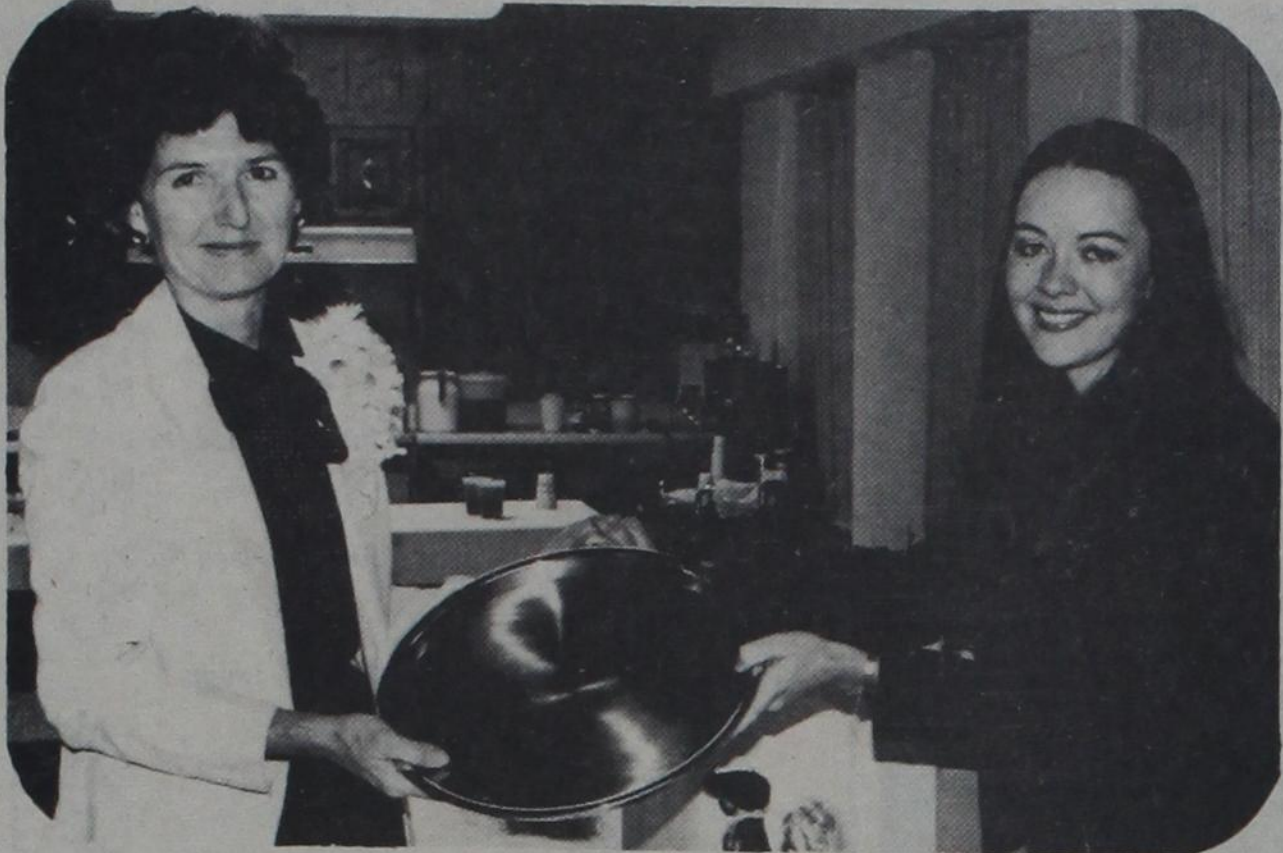
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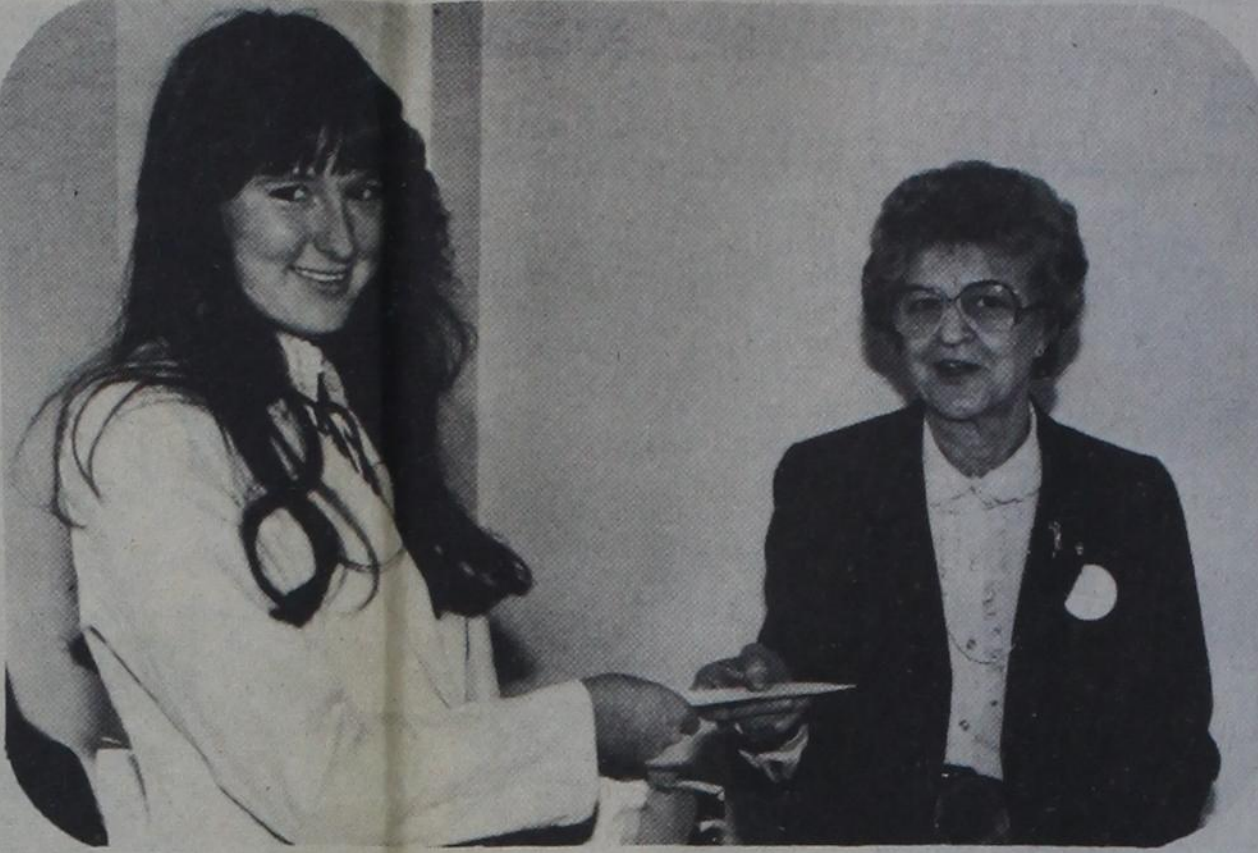
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WOMAN OF THE YEAR selected by the Castro County Extension Homemakers' Clubs was Carolyn Sides (left). She was nominated for the honor by her club, the Bethel Extension Homemakers. Other nominees and

their clubs were Ann Pevehouse from Town and Country, and Mildred Washington from Sundowners. County Extension Agent Teresa Nutt (right) presented Mrs. Sides with a tray at the E. H. annual Spring Luncheon April 20.



\$150 SCHOLARSHIP WINNER Tammy Behrends (left), a senior at Hereford High School and a member of the Easter 4-H Club, was presented her scholarship award by the

Castro County Extension Homemakers Clubs at their annual Spring Luncheon April 20. Doris Lust (right) announced the award.

Happy anniversary!

[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers, the Nazareth Swift Band, and the Hart Band.]

APRIL 29 — Mr. and Mrs. John Slavik.

MAY 1 — C. A. and Oleada Hance, Lawrence and Winifred Wagner.

MAY 2 — Ronnie and Regina Hoelting.

MAY 3 — Sam and Angie Espinosa, Paul and Lillian Venhaus.

MAY 5 — Thomas and Natalie Falcon, Norman and Kim Hays, Raymond and Cecilia Annen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lange.

MAY 6 — Leonard and Julia Birkenfeld.

Lumps Mostly Benign

While all abnormalities or lumps in the breast should be reported to a physician, the American Cancer Society notes that nearly 80% prove to be noncancerous.

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Baileys are in Lubbock

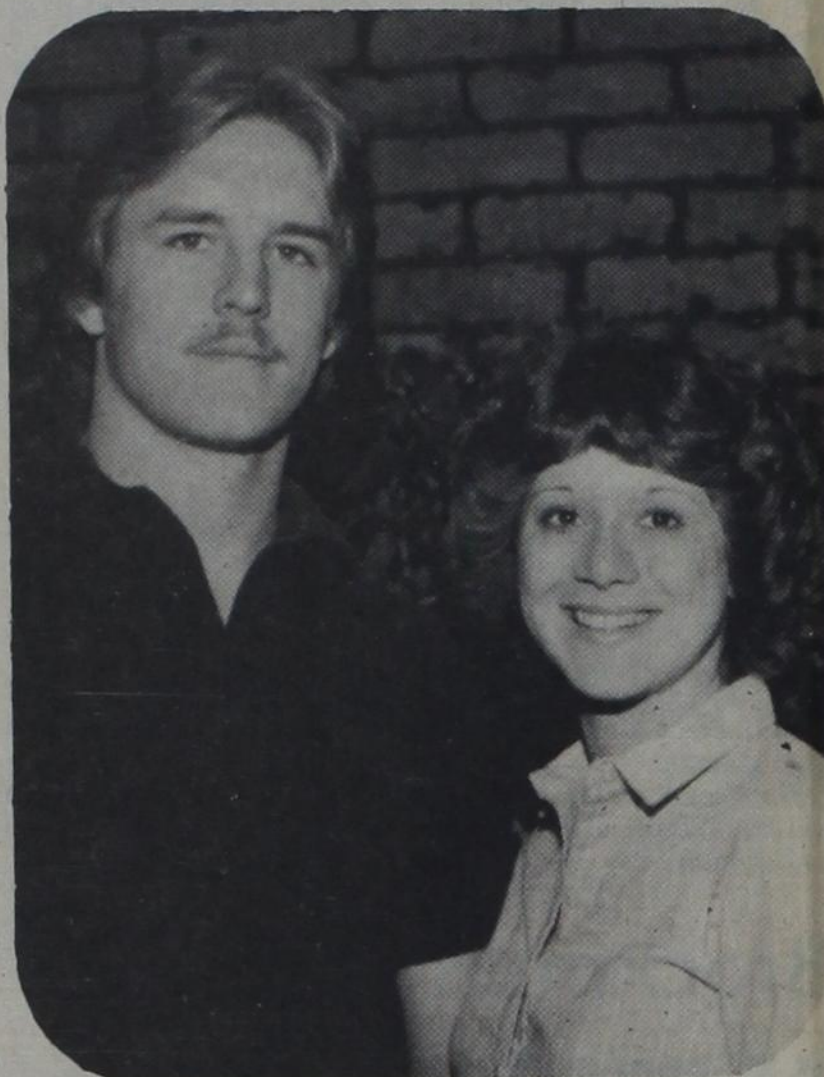
After their April 17 wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bailey are making their home in Lubbock, along with Mrs. Bailey's daughter, Suzanna.

Mrs. Bailey is the former Sharon McElroy Johnson of Lubbock. She is a 1972 graduate of Dimmitt High School and a 1973 graduate of Southwest Business College of Plainview. Her parents are Bud and Wanda McElroy of Levelland.

LVN exam scheduled

The LVN Aptitude for Nursing Exam will be given at 8:30 a.m. Friday in room 101 of the Wheeler Building on the South Plains College at Plainview campus located at 8th and Yonkers. The fee will be \$4.00, payable at the time of registration.

Anyone wishing to take the exam must be present by 8:15 a.m. and have with them a completed admissions form. These may be picked up at the college from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. today (Thursday). For more information, call Rick Hudson at 293-3605.



Greg Field and Dondi Wood

Pair to wed in June

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood of Hartley announce the engagement and ap-

proaching marriage of their daughter, Dondi Lea, to Gregory Scott Field, son of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Field of Dalhart.

The bride-to-be is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wood of Dimmitt.

The couple is planning a June 26 wedding at 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Hartley, with Rev. Robert Field, uncle of the groom, officiating.



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APRIL 29 — Nelda Tuttle, Will Sanders, Charlene Reed, Felipa Bermea, Albert Schulte, Jimmy Ray Davis, Jr. Longoria, Stanley Dyer.

APRIL 30 — Weldon Jones, Emma Castillo, Brent Huseman, Barbara Reed, Delfina Catherine Gripp, Brad Schmucker, Kenneth Schilling, Shawn Jackson, George Wall, Hank Lynn, Tammie Tuggle, Allan McClure, Brad Frazier, Deanna Sears.

MAY 1 — Al Gibbs, Maxine Tidwell, Don Davis.

MAY 2 — Richard Franks, Karen Gerber, Leon Sanders, Jamie Baker, Ricky Bennight, Wesley Don Wright, Opal Reed.

MAY 3 — Teresa Jeter, Justin Roberts, Tommy Spencer, Danny Bermea, J. B. Allensworth, Andy Gonzales.

MAY 4 — Kathy Jahay, Doyle Schulte, William Lea Shannon, Lavern Patterson, Melvin Barton, Jaci Holcomb, Darlene Stanton, Wilda Wright.

MAY 5 — Charles Kuntz, Juanita Summers, Nora Louder, Mark Lust, Eddie Jordan, Frank Guajardo, Lee Norris, Dale Hoelting, Leon Birkenfeld, Jennifer Davis.

MAY 6 — Virginia Reed, Dan Jones, Brian Ramaekers, Prissy Boothe, J. O. Seale, Scott Hunter, Jean Robb, Johnny Merritt, Chad Yokum.

Sundowners name Mohon

The Sundowners Extension Homemakers met April 20 in the home of club member Karen Carter.

In a brief business meeting, Faye Mohon was elected as the club's delegate to the state Texas Extension Homemakers Association meeting set for September.

The program for the meeting was presented by Durward Strickland, who described the various cuts of meat and suggested the best methods for cooking the various cuts to obtain the best flavor.

Fiesta is Sunday

The South Hills Manor nurses' aides are sponsoring a Fiesta Sunday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. at the Castro County Expo Building.

Mexican food plates will be served, along with soft drinks, at \$3.75 per plate. Door prizes will be awarded, and live entertainment, singing and dancing will also be featured.

Proceeds from the event will go to buy a new bathtub lift for the nursing home.

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Social Security in Castro County

By JANICE GRANN



Are you a high school senior receiving social security benefits?

By now you have undoubtedly heard that student benefits are being eliminated. But how will this affect you?

First of all, let's define "student" for social security purposes. Right now a student is a person eligible on a parent's record, who is 18 years old and attending school full-time. The school may be either a high school or a post-secondary school.

The definition changes effective July, 1982. A student will then be defined as a beneficiary between 18 and 19 years of age who attends high school.

This same legislation provides for a transition period. Certain students will continue to receive benefits on a limited basis, others will not. In order to continue as a student beneficiary, you must have been eligible for a social security check in August, 1981. You must also be in full-time attendance at a college or other post-secondary school before May, 1982.

It is very important to understand that this means you are going to class full-time by April 30, 1982 at the latest. Enrollment for future attendance does not fulfill this requirement.

If you meet both of the above requirements, your benefits may continue as long as you stay in school, are under age 22 and do not marry. However, the frequency and amount of your benefits will change. You will not receive checks in the summer even if you are in class. Nor will you receive any cost-of-living increases. And finally, the amount of your check will decrease by 25% each September until benefits for college students are completely eliminated after April, 1985.

If you qualify for continued benefits under these circumstances you will receive a check May 3, 1982 but not a June 3, 1982 check. Then on Oct. 3, 1982 your benefits will resume but the amount will be 25% less than the May 3 check.

The second classification of students are those who do not meet the qualifications discussed earlier. In other words if you were not eligible for a check in August, 1981 or you will not be in full-time attendance at a post-secondary school by May, 1982, your benefits will stop this summer. The last check you will receive will come Aug. 3.

This is a very controversial and often confusing change. If you have any questions, call our toll-free number, 1-800-392-1603, and we will gladly answer your questions. Or you can stop by our office at 1401-B W. 5th St., Plainview, Texas.

Our representative will be in Dimmitt the first and third Thursdays at the courthouse from 10 a.m. to noon. She will also be glad to answer your questions.

Shower fetes Mrs. Wright

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jimmy Wright, nee Danice Davis, was given in the home of Mrs. Rex Wooten April 17.

Joining the honoree in the receiving line were Shirley Davis, mother of the bride, Katy Wright, mother of the groom and hostess Darlene Wooten.

Mrs. O'Neal Watson from Amarillo, an aunt of the groom, registered the guests. School friends alternated serving iced tea, coffee, cream puffs and a fruit tray from the serving table, which was decorated with a peach blossom centerpiece, and accented with crystal and brass accessories.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Milt Draper and daughters Susan and Amy of Tahoka.

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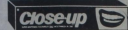


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GETTING SET for the benefit tennis tournament to be sponsored by the Castro County Chapter of the American Heart Association are Jean Petty (left), president of the Dimmitt Tennis Association, and Patricia Braafladt, campaign chairman for the AHA chapter. Each participant in the tournament, set for May 7-9 at the Dimmitt High School tennis courts, will receive a headband like this one.

Tennis event to aid heart victims

The Castro County division of the American Heart Association will hold its annual Tennis Charity Tournament May 3-9.

Events will include men's, women's and mixed doubles in A, B or C divisions; boys, girls and mixed doubles in two age divisions — 9-11 year olds and 12-14 year olds.

The entry fee is \$7 per person per event. Friday, April 30, is the entry deadline for youth, and Wednesday, May 5, is the deadline for

adults and high schoolers. Entry forms are available at First State Bank, Dimmitt Super Market, Dimmitt Middle School and Dimmitt High School.

Checks should be made out to the American Heart Association and will be tax deductible, according to Joe King. Entries and money should be mailed or taken to King, Box 26, Dimmitt.

King may be called at 647-4587 or 647-2189 for more information.

Lust is on judging team

The South Plains College livestock judging team will join more than 200 contestants and 50 teams from throughout the nation for the annual National Association of College Teachers in Agriculture (NATA) judging competition, hosted this year by Texas Tech University April 30-May 1.

SPC team members are Tim Addison of Plains; Benton Easter of Floydada; Lance Dunn of Post; Mark Thomas of Wolforth; and David Lust of Lubbock.

Presbyterian happenings

"What to Do in a Crisis" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday at the Presbyterian Church. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

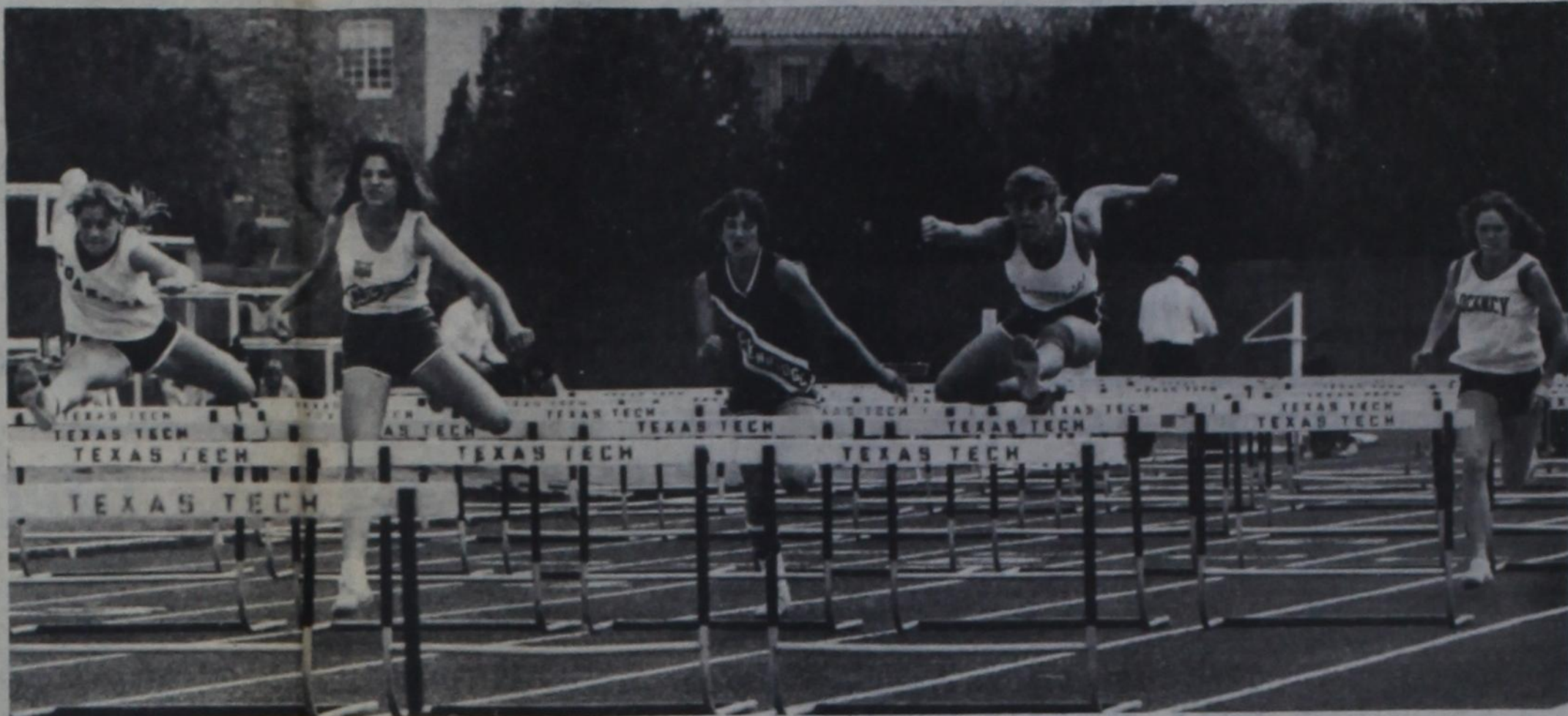
The Session will meet Monday at 7 p.m.

The choir will practice Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Thursday, May 6, is the National Day of Prayer.

Members of the Dimmitt Ministerial Alliance and their spouses will meet at the Presbyterian manse Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Youth Quake '82 will begin Sunday and continue through next Wednesday at 8 p.m. each evening in the LaPlata gymnasium in Hereford. The evangelist is Eddie Tice, and special music will be by "Living Water." Ricky Stanley, Elvis Presley's stepbrother, will be the special guest Tuesday evening. Although the emphasis is on youth, all ages are encouraged to attend. The Youth Choir of First Christian Church, Hereford, will also sing Sunday evening.



BETH BENTON [second from right] of Dimmitt High School sails over a hurdle at the midway point of the 100-meter event in the Region I-AAA finals Saturday. Although Benton posted a time of 15.09 seconds — within half a second of the 14.6 clocking that won her fourth in the state two years ago —

she finished third, just .15 of a second short of another trip to state. Winner of the event was Cathy Caldwell of Coleman [second from left], with a 14.61 time. Runner-up was Coahoma's Gayla Gaige [left], who clocked a 14.95.

Kiwanis board to meet Monday

The Dimmitt Kiwanis Club Board of Directors will meet Monday at 7 a.m. in the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

One of the items to be discussed will be the planned increase in the cost of meals at the Colonial Inn, where the club holds its noon meetings. At Monday's meeting of the club, members voted to give \$200 to an area family struggling with heavy medical bills.

Members were told by Club President Jimmy Davis that Charles Richard is the first official candidate for Lt. Governor of Kiwanis Division 33 for the 1984-85 term.

Richard Stahl was named as

acting treasurer to serve during the one-month absence of Cliff Lewis.

A nominating committee was chosen, with Charles Richard as chairman.

Division 33 is sponsoring a golf tournament May 21 for Kiwanis members, potential members and the general public. There will be separate divisions for members and non-members. The tournament will be held at the Hunsley Hills course in Canyon.

Davis reminded members that four of them need to attend the weekly Key Club meetings for it to count as an interclub.

Hart students will be in several events

On taps for students in Hart Schools are literary events and the band trip.

The junior high girls' tennis meet will be held today (Thursday) at Farwell.

Today and tomorrow, the Hart Band will make its trip to Sandy Lake Amusement Park in Dallas. Also, the State FHA Meeting will be held in Fort Worth.

The junior high and elementary literary events are scheduled for Friday at Farwell.

On Saturday, the junior high boys' district tennis meet will be held at Kress.

Minnick Physics Award is established at ASU

The first annual Robert Jodie Minnick II Physics Award was presented last week at Angelo State University.

ASU's Society of Physics Students established the memorial award and plaque in honor of Dimmitt High School's 1977 salutatorian, who went on to become one of the state's top-ranking physics students at ASU. He was on the student physics research staff of the Welch Foundation.

Minnick drowned in a river accident in Southwest Texas last summer, shortly after his graduation from ASU.

The Minnick Award is to be presented annually to an

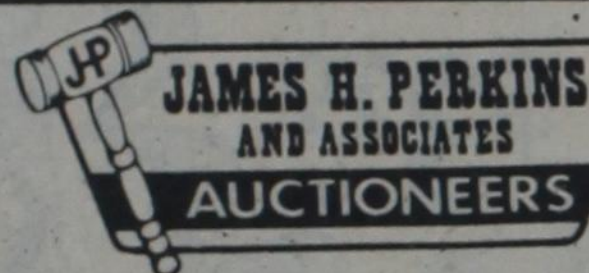
outstanding physics student at ASU, selected by the physics faculty.

Winner of the first award was Virginia Ann Drake of San Angelo, a graduating senior.

Making the first Minnick Award presentation last week was Minnick's widow, Susan, of San Angelo.

Also attending the award ceremony were Minnick's son, Joe Dan; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Minnick of Dimmitt; and his sister, Shelli, a student at Angelo State.

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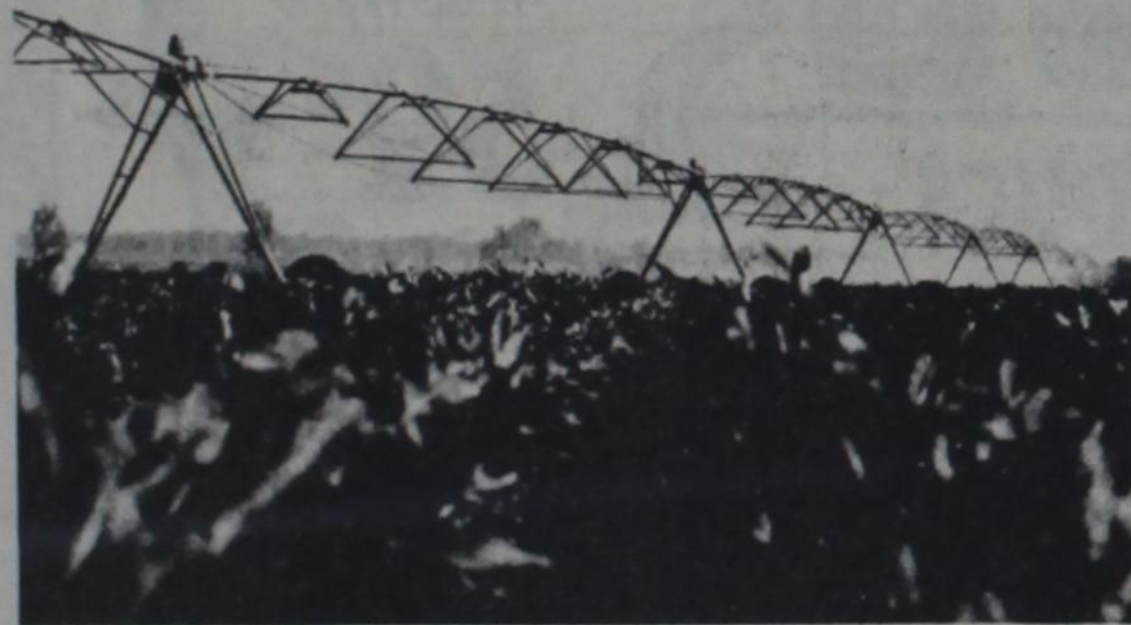
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May 1, 1982 (1 De Mayo De 1982)

(SAMPLE BALLOT) (BOLETA EJEMPLO)

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION)

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

I am a Republican and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary. (Yo soy Republicano y me comprometo a apoyar a los candidatos nombrados de esta primaria.)

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- ☐ Millard K. Neptune

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- ☐ Donald Herbert

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- ☐ John Thomas Henderson

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- ☐ John L. Bates Place 1

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- ☐ Ray Moses

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For County Chairman (Para Presidente del Condado)

- ☐ Deanne Clark

For Precinct Chairman, Precinct (Para Presidente del Precinto, Precinto Num)

- ☐

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (Nota de Instruccion):

Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote. (Marque con una "X" el cuadro al lado de la frase que indica la manera en que quiere usted votar.)

- ☐ FOR (A Favor De)

- ☐ AGAINST (En Contra De)

Are you for or against passing a law in the next session of the Texas Legislature permitting the parimutuel wagering on horse races by local option? (¿Está usted a favor de o en contra de aprobar una ley en la proxima sesión de la Legislatura de Texas que permite apuestas parimutuas en las carreras por opción local?)

- ☐ FOR (A Favor De)

- ☐ AGAINST (En Contra De)

Are you for or against mandatory jail time for repeat drunk driving offenders? (¿Está usted a favor de o en contra de un plazo mandatorio de cárcel para las personas que repitan la ofensa de manejar mientras intoxicados?)

- ☐ FOR (A Favor De)

- ☐ AGAINST (En Contra De)

Are you for or against initiative and referendum as a way for the public to vote directly on issues and make law in elections rather than depending solely on state legislative action? (¿Está usted a favor de o en contra de iniciativa y referéndum como un medio para el público de votar directamente en las cuestiones y para efectuar leyes en las elecciones, en vez de contar únicamente con las acciones de la legislatura estatal?)

- ☐ FOR (A Favor De)

- ☐ AGAINST (En Contra De)

Are you for or against passage of a law that would ban the private ownership of handguns? (¿Está usted a favor de o en contra de la legislación de una ley que prohibiera ser dueño de pistolas de mano?)

- ☐ FOR (A Favor De)

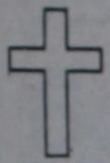
- ☐ AGAINST (En Contra De)

Are you for or against the Texas Legislature abolishing the Texas Sunday closing laws, commonly referred to as Blue Laws? (¿Está usted a favor de o en contra de que la Legislatura de Texas anule las leyes Texasanas de cerrar los negocios los domingos, las leyes comunmente conocidas como "Blue Laws"?)

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HAVE BOTH LEARNED, AND RECEIVED, AND
HEARD, AND SEEN IN ME, DO: AND THE
GOD OF PEACE SHALL BE WITH YOU.**

Please Read Philippians Chapter 4.

**DYF to have
noon meeting**

The Dimmitt Young Farmers will meet today (Thursday) at 12 noon at Ann's Steak House. The club will pay for the members' lunch in the buffet line.

Following lunch, the winner of the scholarship for this year will be chosen.

All young farmers are urged to attend.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM refers to wreckage and other goods found in the sea.

Police calls

Edwards Laundry at 117 West Jones reported cases of theft and vandalism at two separate times. One time, someone broke the money slides on two washing machines and took an undetermined amount of quarters. Another time, someone failed at an attempt to break into the washing machines but succeeded in damaging the money slides.

Sunday, a man grabbed a woman by the neck and



DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY ELECTION
(ELECCION PRIMARIA DEL PARTIDO DEMOCRATICO)

(CONDADO DE) CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
MAY 1, 1982 (1 DE MAYO DE 1982)

SAMPLE BALLOT
(BOLETA EJEMPLO)

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I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary. (Yo soy Demócrata y comprometo mi apoyo a los candidatos nombrados de esta primaria.)

KRISTI SHEFFY (left) of Dimmitt High School races to a sixth-place finish in the championship heat of the 400-meter dash at the Region I-AAA girls' track and field meet at Lubbock Saturday. Sheffy led the field until the final curve, and finished with a time of 62.4 seconds, a new Dimmitt High School record.

A DOLT is often described as "beotian." It comes from the word Beotia which was an agricultural area in central Greece during the first and second centuries before Christ. A contemporary comparison is "hick."

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Please submit sealed bids to the Attention of The Dimmitt Board of Aldermen, for the City of Dimmitt on or before 5:00 p.m. May 14th at the City Hall. The bids will be opened at the City Council meeting which is scheduled for May 17, 1982, at 6:30 p.m. The Dimmitt Board of Aldermen maintain the right to accept or reject all bids.

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Spanish revival starts tonight

By TEENY BOWDEN

Rev. Sammy Medina of Littlefield will preach the Spanish revival scheduled for Thursday night through Sunday night. A couple called "The Genesis" will have charge of the music with a man from Guatemala assisting with several kinds of instruments being used. The services will be in both Spanish and English and everyone is invited to attend. Bennie Villarreal will be in charge.

Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of Sidney, visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden and Mrs. E. D. Thompson, and had supper with the Hershel Wilsons and the Gerald Elkins. Also visiting in the Wilson home with the Joneses Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson and children, Cliff Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gamblin of Avery. Rev. and Mrs. Jones spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and visited with Rev. and Mrs. Richard Clymer and Daniel Wednesday morning before returning home. They had spent Monday night and Tuesday in Plainview with

their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bothwell.

Hershel Wilson has taken the position of song leader at Lee Street Baptist Church in Dimmitt and they have moved their church membership there.

R. V. Bills received painful ammonia burns to his body Tuesday morning while at work at the Tide Sunnyside Branch. He was wearing a mask so received little damage from fumes.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie King and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall King, Lance and Lincoln attended the funeral services for Bill Sweeney in Amarillo Thursday morning. He died Tuesday a.m. in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He moved to the Sunnyside community with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sweeney, from near Panhandle in 1939. He farmed here even after Mr. Sweeney's death in 1955 until 1962 when they sold the farm and moved to Amarillo. Brandon Cox and the Dimmitt High School Dairy Products Judging team left Thursday for Texas A&M to compete in State Competition Saturday. They won 21st place.

The Uppitts gave a performance for the DAR Tea in Hereford Sunday afternoon. Those participating were Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee Brown, Cheryl Powell, John Clymer, and Gay and Melody Sadler. Others attending were Mrs. Lee Brown, Jared and Jason, Rev. Richard Clymer, Tom and Daniel, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross and Chanin. Chanin was recognized as the Hereford DAR Chapter's sixth grade essay winner for state competition.

Rev. Richard Clymer, Mrs. Hershel Wilson, and Mrs. Lee Brown attended the VBS Clinic in Amherst Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer spent Saturday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shive in McCamey. Mrs. Spencer attended a baby

shower given to honor Mrs. Shive. They visited Sunday in Denver City with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Shive. Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Gamblin of Avery were here when they got home Sunday evening. They stayed until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harmon came in from Telluride, Colo. last Sunday to visit for a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harmon of Dimmitt and other relatives and friends in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Larry Sadler and Randy Powell spent last weekend at Hubbard Lake at Brecken-

ridge preparing for the Loudder reunion there this weekend. Larry and Randy came home Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Loudder, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Westmoreland of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the reunion Saturday and Sunday. The Ezell Sadlers also attended the Gunsight Cemetery Association meeting and work session Saturday morning.

Mrs. Cliff Brown visited in Lubbock Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Swinney. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clatt, Jasmyne and Tyler of Lub-

bock and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harmon of Telluride spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler. David and Karla Sadler had dinner with them.

David Sadler was home from Hobbs for the weekend with his family.

Mrs. Lee Bradley went with her son, Gregg George on the Dimmitt Band trip to Durango, Colo. Wednesday. Jerri Ka Clark and Rhonda Ross also went. They got home Sunday evening. Mrs. Don Ott kept Joel Bradley, Lynn and Sharon and Cinnamon Cox entertained. Sharon, and Lee and Irene Bradley took care of Jack and Justin.

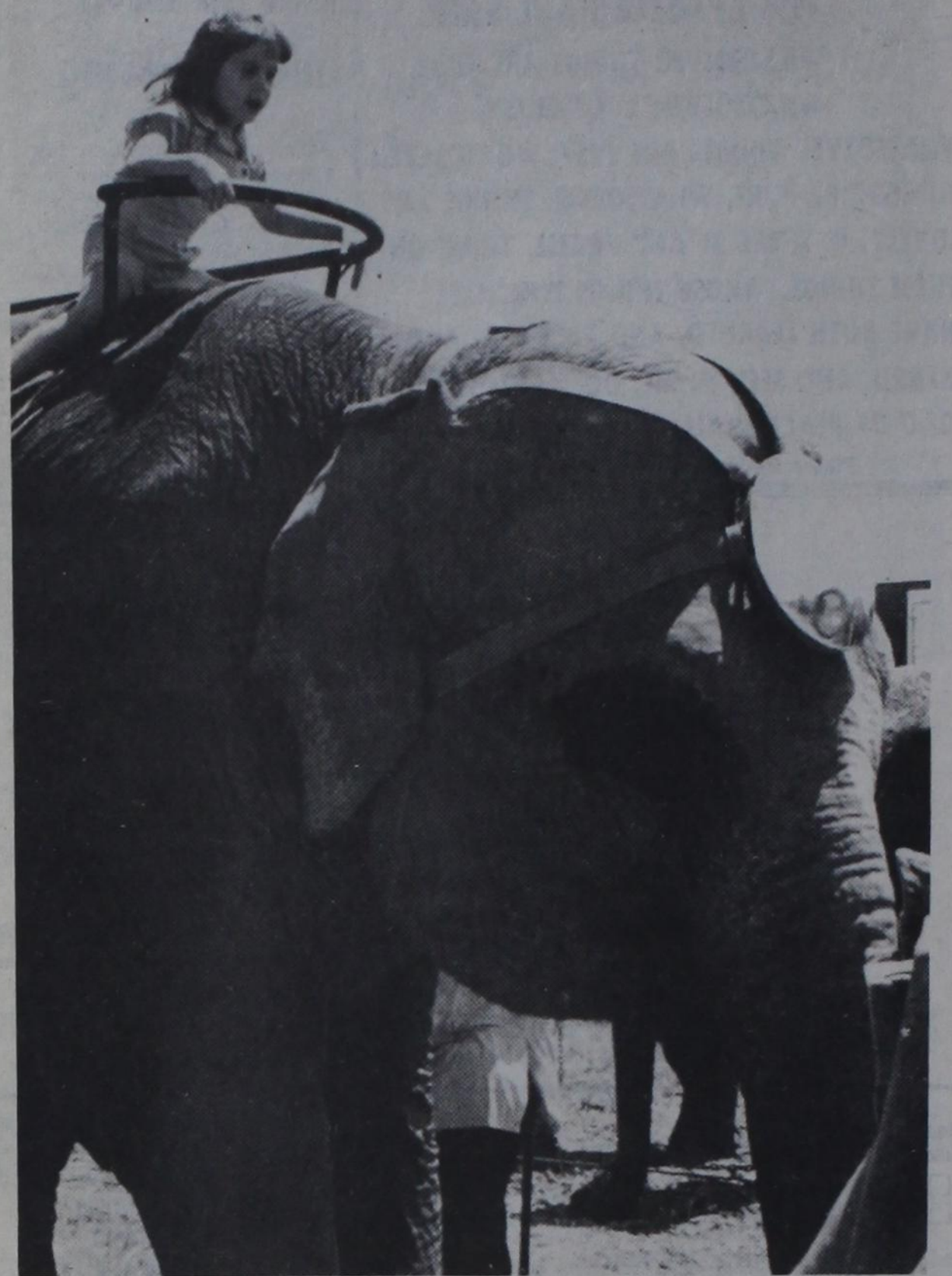
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown attended the BSU Spring Banquet in Levelland with Lynn Brown Saturday.

Erin Bridges rode in the St. Jude Bike-a-Thon Saturday. She rode 12 miles and made about \$60 for the fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake King and Karl and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dawson and Bethany of Hereford visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and Melody and Karla.

Karla Sadler and the Longhorn team won all their games this season playing their last game, the 26th.

Tom Clymer was called as music director of the Fieldton Baptist Church Sunday and he accepted the call. He will continue to live and work in Plainview and go to Fieldton on Sundays.



'GIDDYAP'—Holly Wise, five-year-old daughter of Gary and Rhonda Wise of Dimmitt, seems to be urging on her mighty steed at the elephant ride that was a part of

the Carson and Barnes Circus, which came to Dimmitt Sunday under the auspices of the Dimmitt Rotary Club.

Soil compaction will limit crop production

Soil compaction can act as an unseen enemy to farmers and reduce crop production. Commonly called a "hardpan," compacted soil can literally "choke off" plant roots so that they're unable to get water or nutrients.

"Probably the most evident plant system of compacted soil is a shallow root system," said Dr. Ed Colburn, agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Plant roots may be unable to penetrate a severely compacted soil and may grow horizontally, resulting in what some farmers call 'crow foot' in such crops as cotton that have a tap root."

Along with stunting plant roots, soil compaction may affect seed germination, seedling emergence and other phases of crop growth and production, Colburn said. Poor stands, poor plant growth, discolored plant leaves and premature wilting may signal problems due to compacted soil, the agronomist noted. However, many of these same symptoms can also be due to dry weather, nutrient deficiencies and other factors.

"Excessive soil compaction also reduces water penetration and increases run-off and soil erosion," Colburn added. "Water standing in a field may signal a soil compaction problem since water infiltration is slow in a hardpan area."

"The best way to identify a hardpan is to dig a hole at least three feet deep and look for crop roots in the subsoil," explained Colburn. "If roots have penetrated the subsoil, then the next crop should also be able to move to that depth."

A farmer can also use a sharp rod or soil probe to check for hardpans, the agronomist said. He should be able to push the rod into the soil at a fairly constant rate until compacted soil is reached. The average person will have trouble pushing the rod through a hardpan.

"Some soils are naturally compact, especially subsoil material," explained Colburn. "Excessive tillage, which reduces the size of soil granules, and tillage or other field operations when soil is wet are two major causes of

soil compaction."

In fact, any machinery operation results in soil compaction, noted the agronomist, whether it's planting, cultivating, fertilizing or harvesting.

"Farmers should limit the use of heavy equipment and the number of tillage operations to those required to keep soil productive," Colburn recommended. "Avoid tillage if it does not improve soil physical conditions, promote water infiltration and aeration, help weed control, incorporate crop residues into the soil, prepare a seedbed or help control wind and water erosion."

15—LEGAL NOTICES

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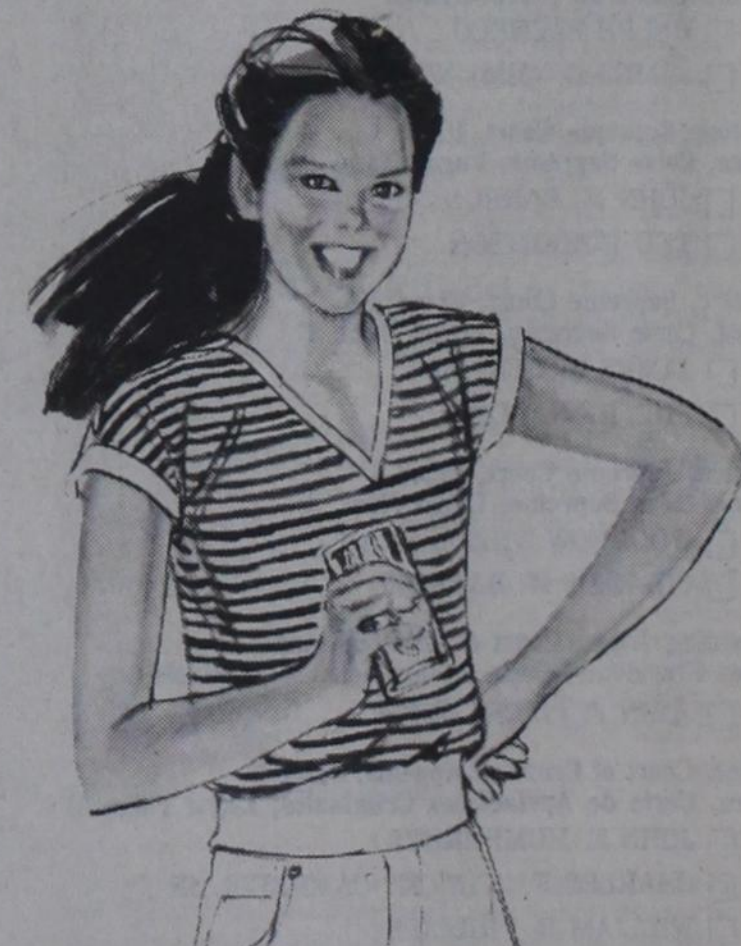
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My family and I thank you for any consideration shown me in the Democratic Primary.

EDD WILSON

Castro County Commissioner, Precinct 2
Pol. Adv. Pd. by Edd Wilson, Dimmitt, TX.

WINSTON WAGGONER
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE
FOR
CASTRO COUNTY JUDGE

Just a reminder to you to take advantage of your right and privilege to be involved in grass roots politics, and vote in the May 1st primary. Since I am unopposed in the Republican primary for County Judge, I have not campaigned extensively. I do need your vote in the Nov. 2 general election.

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Winston Waggoner, Dimmitt, TX.



Sheffy's Chatter

Band has big time in Colorado

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX and BERAL HANCE

Wednesday morning at 8:00 four Greyhound buses filled with 109 excited band students and 23 parents, sponsors and band boosters left from the Dimmitt High School on their way to Durango, Colo. Several interested persons were there to wish them a pleasant and safe trip and wave good-bye as the buses drove out of the parking lot. Some of us were remembering the times when we were a part of the group. We always enjoyed the band trips.

Wanda Murdock and Oleta Gollehon gave a short report of the band trip when they arrived home. The weather was cold and it was snowing when the buses drove into Durango. The trees and shrubs were beautiful with all the snow on them.

The group rode the train half-way to Silverton and had to wait an hour for part of the track to be rebuilt, so they went back to Durango. They stayed at the Mountain Shadows Best Western Motel.

The senior band students dressed up one night and ate at the "Oar" house. They all reported the steaks were the best they had ever eaten.

The band concert, under the direction of Ralph Smith, was very good and everyone enjoyed it very much.

Saturday the group went to Albuquerque and stayed in the American Family Lodge. They went to Old Town, The Mall, and the Flea Market.

Two of the band students became quite ill on the trip, but Ann Murphy and Bobby Murdock had taken enough training that they were able to help take care of the girls until they could come home to their family doctor.

As usual, the motels and restaurant managers complimented the band students on their good behavior. We are all proud of our Dimmitt Bobcat Band!

This is the season for the 40 year olds to celebrate! Dr. W. J. Hill was the birthday boy last Monday. His secretaries helped him celebrate his birthday by having a dinner party at K-Bob's. Those present were Dr. W. J. and Sara Hill and little son, Andy, Pam and Joe Josselet, Donna and Danny Newton, and Gerald and Patty Summers.

A group got together and surprised Mollie Scott on her 40th birthday. They took a black cake made in the shape of 40, a black shawl, and a black corsage. They served punch with the cake. They gave a gift certificate and humorous cards. Those present were: Mollie's sisters Jean, Jimmie, and Rochelle from Hereford, Wanda Nelson, Debbie Paxton, Becky Killingsworth, Beth Odom, Dorothy Vaughn, Patty Summers, Shari Bradley, Sara Hill, Cindy Wells, Teresa Nutt, and Ellen Gregory.

Horace and Anna Cochran from Texarkana visited their daughter, Ruth and brought her a deep freeze. Maxine Myers invited the Cochrans for dinner on Saturday and Rev. Ed and Betty Freeman invited them for dinner on Sunday.

The Dimmitt School Librarians have been busy attending meetings and conventions. Mrs. Jackie Armstrong, Ruth

Cochran, and Maxine Myers went to the Texas Library convention in Fort Worth, then they all attended the Computer Workshop that was held in Amarillo.

Ellen Howell of Levelland cooked the birthday dinner for Floyd Ivey, all of Mr. Ivey's children were present for the celebration. Alvin and Frances Frazier and Gene and Connie Ivey were there from Dimmitt.

The Dimmitt Key Club had their Installation Banquet last week. Several Kiwanians and their wives attended. Mark Bruegel was installed as the president for next year. The lt. governor of District 33 installed the officers. Woody Glass and Zelda Ellison entertained the group.

Irene Carpenter went to Amarillo and picked up her sister, Frona DuBose, and they went to Wheeler to visit another sister, Inez and Lewis Wright. Monday, Irene Carpenter and a friend from Plainview, Mildred Wheeler, had lunch in Dimmitt. Mrs. Wheeler went on to Hereford on business.

Debbie Murdock, Jeff Meadow, and Beth Welch were in Dimmitt on Friday evening for the King-Keener wedding. They all live in Amarillo.

Elmer and Mauzee Youts spent the weekend in Monahans visiting their daughter Pat and her husband A. P. Sligh. Pat was celebrating her birthday so her daughter, Cindy Robison, who lives in Midland came over. They all ate at K-Bob's in Monahans which is owned and operated by Gordon and Diker Stanford, former Dimmitt residents.

Jack and Murna Miller had company over the weekend. Their son Brent and his wife, Linda, came up from Abilene and brought Murna's aunt, Mrs. Nora Welch, who is a sister of Murna's mother, Mrs. Lucy Welch, who lives in Friona.

Kay Geller told me some members of her family had been sick with strep throat. Their son Matt broke his arm just after he had finished practicing with the Little Dribblers. Their daughter, Jill, is taking ballet lessons from the Larrymore School of Dance at Bethel Community.

J. C. and Rhoda Mays, Anthony and Mary Mays and their children, Sabrina, Cory, and Wesley, and Laura and Dennis Scrogum and children, and Bill and Sharla Mays and family from Amarillo, all attended the program "Shout to God" at Palo Duro Canyon last weekend. There were quartets, solos and choirs from Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Arkansas. This program is an annual event and lasts from Friday through Sunday.

Wesley, the young son of Mary and Anthony Mays, was so proud Thursday afternoon because he had two grandmothers there at the Beauty Shop at the same time. They were Aline Kirby and Mrs. A. T. Kirby.

Tom and Jennifer Miller visited their parents in Lincoln, Neb. Jennifer's mother is Marjorie Neill, and Tom's parents have the famous name of Glenn Miller. Tom and Jennifer took their children, Terry and Bobby, to the zoo while they were in Lincoln, and they did a lot of visiting with brothers and sisters.

RAIN!! I had to go to Midland to see rain again! Geneva Dennis and I went to Midland to see her daughter, Decimae. We went to the city-wide Midland Crusade at the Chapparral Center on the Midland College Campus, where they had services each night for a week. John McKay was there on Wednesday night and he gave a 30-minute concert and testimony in song. Wanda Jackson, the country and western gospel singer was there on

Friday night and she sang several numbers and gave her testimony. Rev. Richard Jackson, from North Phoenix Baptist Church, was the evangelist for the week. Larry Black from Jackson, Miss. led the choir each night.

Decimae invited Jo Ann Montgomery, a niece of Myrna Cowser, Mark and Kay Merritt (Mark is the son of Mona and Glenn Merritt and Kay is the daughter of Rev. John and Dorothy Street) over for dessert, Turtle Pie, after the Crusade services Friday night.

Saturday we ate at the Tea Room, Bah Humbug. We made a tour of the Permian Basin Petroleum Museum. This is an interesting museum. We ate Mexican food and went to the show "Chariots of Fire." This is a good clean show and won several academy awards.

Jo Ann Montgomery was honored at a banquet for her 25 years of service in the Midland School System. Sunday we went to the First Baptist Church where Dr. Daniel Vestal is the pastor. We visited with Becky Street and her friend, John, who were attending church. We ate lunch at the Golden Dragon.

Several Dimmitt women attended the Distinguished Women of Panhandle Awards Banquet in Canyon. There were 400 present. Reta Welch, Deanne Clark, and

Willie Faye Huseman were nominated for an award. Mrs. Wilhelm, Connie Ivey, and Betty Freeman were there as guests.

Mrs. Woodrow (Alma) Nelson visited her sister Nora Clawson and husband A. R., in McLean, a brother C. J. Brock and wife Myrtle in Pampa, and sister Sadie and Earl Lane in Skellytown.

Dorit and Muriel Smiley have been in Dimmitt visiting Aural Davis. The Smileys lived here at one time, but they are living in Dallas now. Aural took the Smileys to the Country Club in Hereford for lunch one day and the Bill Williamses entertained with a breakfast on Sunday morning.

Several former Dimmitt couples are moving into new homes — Suzie and Bobby Phillips and daughter Julie in Amarillo, Jim and Suzanne Axe and daughters Lori and Heather in Lubbock.

Glenn and Diane Hatla took their son Tracy and his friend, Ricky Henderson, to Turkey for the annual celebration of

"Bob Wills Day." They reported a great time. They visited with friends in Turkey from Littlefield. Diane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dibert from Littlefield, visited with the Hatlas on Sunday and also Mrs. Dibert's sister Maxine Tidwell and family and mother Grace Winters.

The Thursday Bridge Club met at the Senior Citizens Center with Elizabeth Huckabay as hostess. Others attending were Johnnie Vannoy who was high scorer, Betty Cartwright second high,

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Evening Worship..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday—
General Meeting
WVCS..... 9:30 a.m.
Choir..... 7:30 p.m.

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1201 Western Circle Drive
Rev. John Street, Pastor
Sunday—
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Prayer Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal..... 8:10 p.m.

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Rev. Jackie Thompson, Pastor
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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.

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501 S.E. 3rd—Ph. 647-2402
Pastor, Rev. Kenneth Carroll
Sunday—
Sunday School & Morning Worship..... 10-11:30 a.m.
Evening Service..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Prayer Service..... 7:00 p.m.

STILL WATERS

The old proverb "still water runs deep" meant that people who talked very little, like Calvin Coolidge, were supposed to be thinking profound thoughts about important things. There is probably more truth here if the proverb is reversed "deep water runs still," for most great people are not noisy about their greatness. Nowhere is this principle truer than when applied to God. He does not force Himself upon us; He will not dazzle our eyes and force us to respect; He has left man free even to reject his Creator. The Bible says that this is exactly what man, every person, has done. We have all repeated the tragedy of Adam and the meaning has drained out of life.

Our rejection, however, does not end God's love. He continues to send His rain on the just and unjust. But far more than this He sends an only son that through Him we may become reconciled to God, for here we can see the magnificent depth of God's steadfast love. His love continues to flow deep and still like this stream, ever there for whoever will turn to Him in trust.

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Mass..... 7:00 a.m.
Holy Days—
Mass in English..... 7:00 a.m.
Mass in Spanish..... 8:00 p.m.
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Dale Wells, Minister

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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.
NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James Alexander, 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.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Richard Clymer, Pastor

Sunday—
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
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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.
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Prayer Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.
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Pol. Adv. Pd. by Signatories, c/o Carolyn Simpson Andrews

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Evening Worship..... 7:00 p.m.
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Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service... 7:00 p.m.

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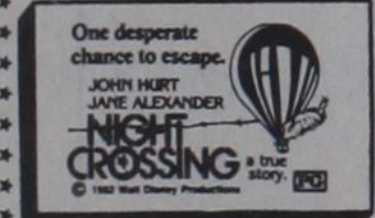
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Sermon..... 11:00 a.m.
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Wednesday Services... 7:30 p.m.

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and the six-fish string scaled 25-30 lbs. They caught the fish from the shore with rods and reels, using earthworms which they dug at the lake.

Letter to the editor

Cancer Center's funds explained

Dear Editor:

The people of Dimmitt are in a unique position in their ability to support the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center in that TWO funds have been established for the center at the First State Bank. On the one hand, this situation illustrates the generosity and support the center receives from residents of Dimmitt; on the other, it may give rise to some confusion. I'd like to explain the difference.

Like many other banks throughout the Panhandle, the First State Bank of Dimmitt has made a cooperative agreement with the Harrington Cancer Center. The agreement, called the Endowment Fund Agency Agreement, calls for banks (or savings and loan firms) to serve as depositories for the Cancer Center's Endowment Fund. Banks establish the funds by pledging a percentage of current deposits over the next three years. Then area residents can contribute to the funds through their local banks. While those donations (the principal) are held and invested by the bank, all income from the investments goes to Cancer Center Endowment Fund.

There are several advantages to this plan. First, the Cancer Center, which provides a vital service to citizens throughout the Panhandle, is assured of ongoing funds for treatment, research and education. Local banks and the community's economy benefit from keeping the money at home; and contributors have the convenience of working

with their own banking institutions.

The second account is unique to Dimmitt, Hereford and Friona, but also is held at the Dimmitt bank. Termed "Project Linkup," this fund will help us purchase computer terminals for area hospitals which will be connected to a central computer at the Cancer Center. This program will be a key element in our efforts to provide coordinated follow-up care for cancer patients in this area. It is called the Bob and Helen McLean Memorial Fund because funds given in their memory will be used to purchase the terminal for the Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

Individuals may give any amount to either or both funds on any occasion. The bank processes the donation while the Harrington Cancer Center acknowledges all contributions.

If anyone wishes more information about these funds, simply contact the First State Bank or the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Development office at 1500 Wallace Blvd., Amarillo, 79106.

With gratitude for your generous support,

MARILYN VAN PETTEN
Director of Development

Senior Citizens will honor two

Two award winners were named at the April 20 meeting of the Castro County Senior Citizens' Association.

Ocie Bolton was named Volunteer of the Year and Cleo Forson was named Senior Citizen of the Year by members of the association.

Both will be honored at special ceremonies during the month of May — Senior Citizens' Month as proclaimed by President Ronald Reagan and Governor W. P. Clements.

Annie Laura Hargrove was the winner of the sunbonnet quilt at the April 20 meeting.

Letter to the editor

What is bingo? Law doesn't say

Dear Editor:

I noticed with great interest that the voters in Justice Precinct 4 in Castro County have approved legal bingo for charitable purposes.

Even though the voters have expressed their will, I wish to draw your attention to some difficulties that exist in administering our Texas Bingo Enabling Act as it was passed during last year's special session.

First, the definition of "bingo" is vague and ambiguous. It is defined in our law as a game of chance, commonly known as bingo or lotto, in which prizes are awarded on the basis of designated numbers or symbols on a card conforming to numbers or symbols selected at random.

There are many different variations of the game commonly played under many different names depending on what part of the state you're in.

Enclosed (with the original letter) are samples of "pull tabs" or "break-open" cards and tickets. They all have the word "bingo" on them. They are games of chance in which prizes are awarded to holders of the cards with the winning numbers or symbols. Are they "bingo"?

My investigators have determined that millions of these cards are now used in Texas each year. The manufacturers and distributors of these products have confirmed this. Does their widespread use make them commonly accepted as bingo or as part of a bingo night? Are the games played in South Texas with pictures rather than numbers considered "bingo"?

In 1976, the Presidential Commission on the Review of the National Policy Toward Gambling proposed a set of model bingo regulations which included a standard definition of bingo. Our legislature did not adopt that definition. Does this suggest that our lawmakers meant to legalize all variations of the game?

Secondly, the maximum amount of prizes which can be given away under our law is limited to \$2,500 on any one

bingo occasion. The law, however, does not define the term "bingo occasion." Although a group can't conduct games for more than four hours a day, can it have more than one occasion a day? Or, must it use its allotted four hours consecutively? How many occasions can it have in a four-hour period?

Other problems of interpretation exist in the Texas Bingo Enabling Act. It is not an easy law to administer. I will accept the responsibility given me, but the law needs to be refined and clarified before it can be fairly and properly enforced.

BOB BULLOCK
Comptroller of Public Accounts

[Editor's Note: Hey, what kind of a can of worms have we opened here?]

THE highest proportion of intoxicated drivers is on the road after midnight.

Auxiliary sees MHMR program

The Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary met last week at the hospital. Sixteen members were present. Special Projects Technician Sandi Miller, of the Central Plains Community Mental Health and Mental Retarda-

tion Center of Plainview, gave a slide presentation and program on the services provided through the center.

An awards brunch will be held in Rhoads Memorial Library on May 13 at 10 a.m.

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Key Club has annual banquet

The Dimmitt High School Key Club held its annual Leadership Installation Banquet recently.

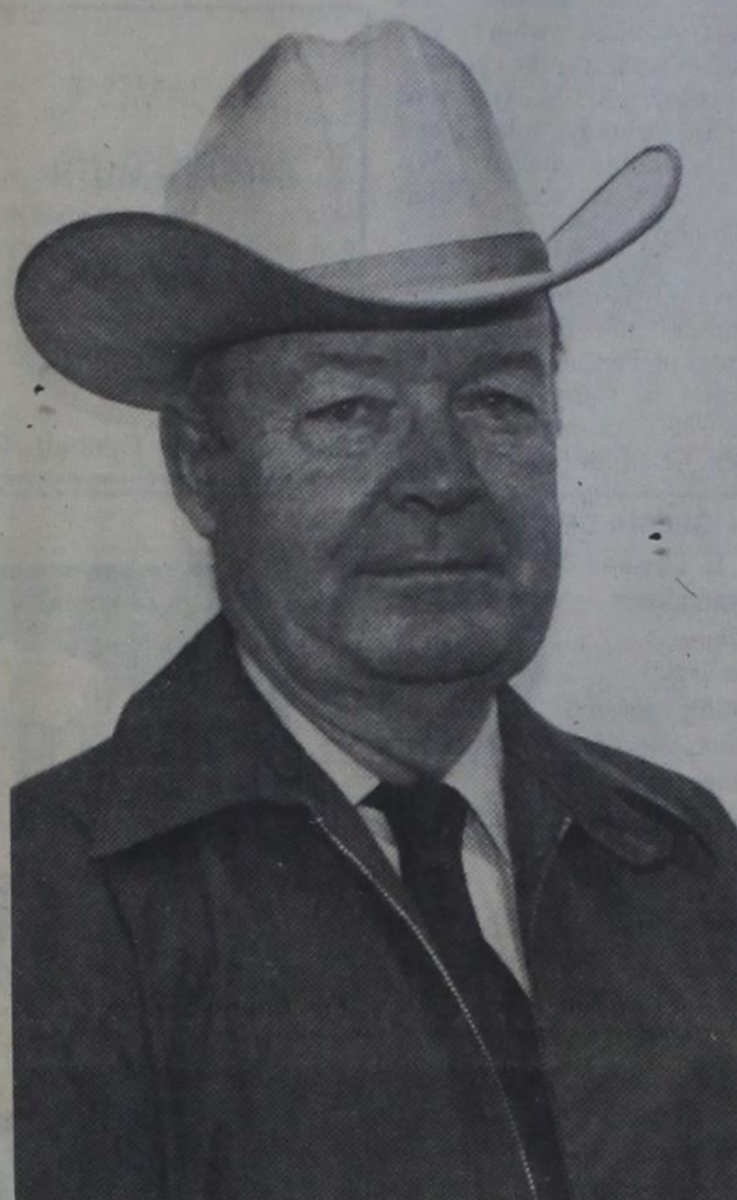
President Phil King served as master of ceremonies. He introduced Brent Glenn, Lt. governor from Hereford Key Club, who installed the 1982-83 officers.

The new officers are Mark Bruegel, president; D. D. Bishop, vice president; Denise Behrens, secretary; Debra Sava, treasurer; and Kim Howell, reporter.

Faculty advisor for Key Club is Sue Howell, and Kiwanis advisor is Bob Murock.

Woody Glass and Zelda Ellison provided entertainment for the banquet catered by Caison's Bar-B-Q of Hereford.

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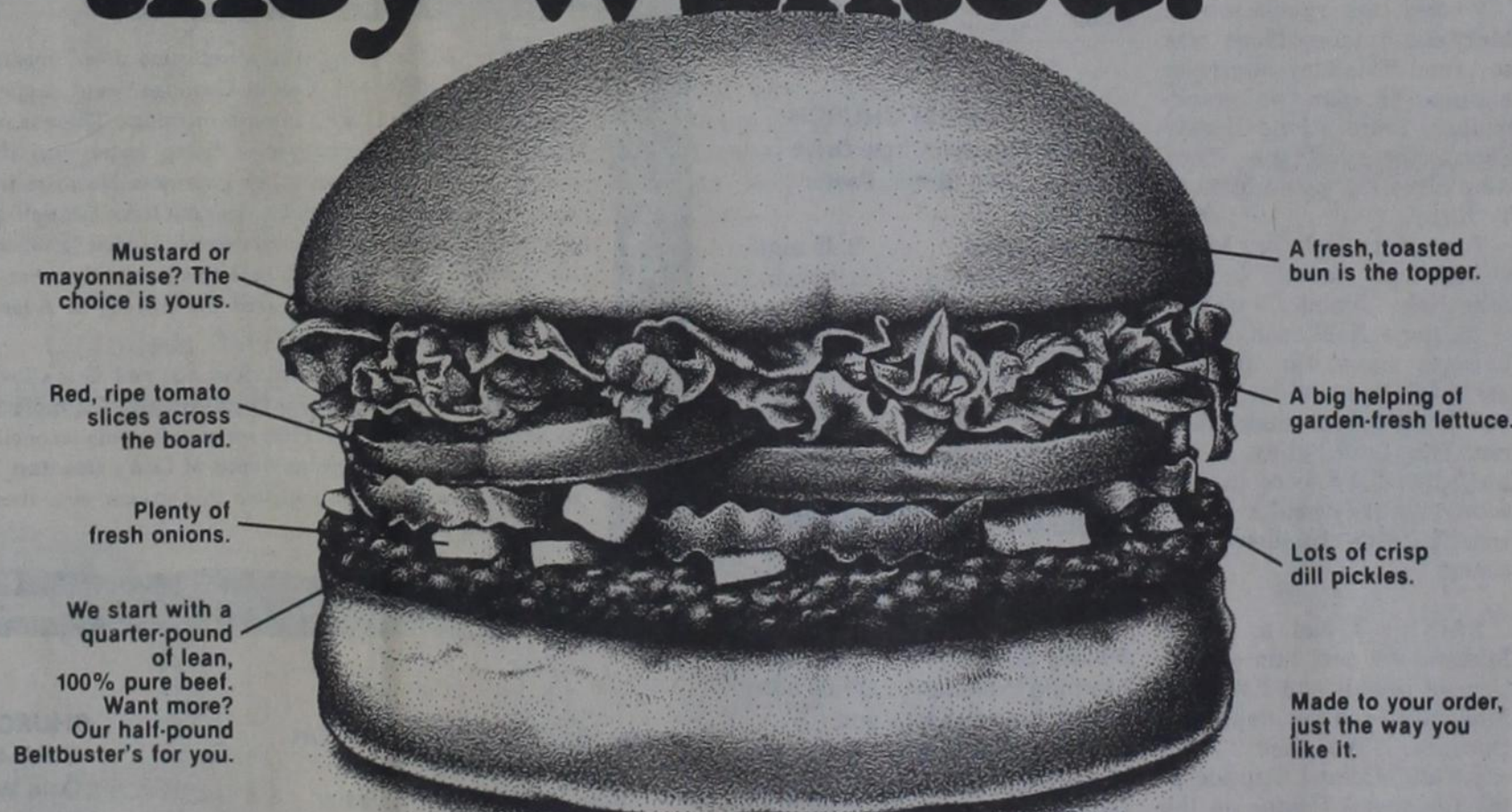
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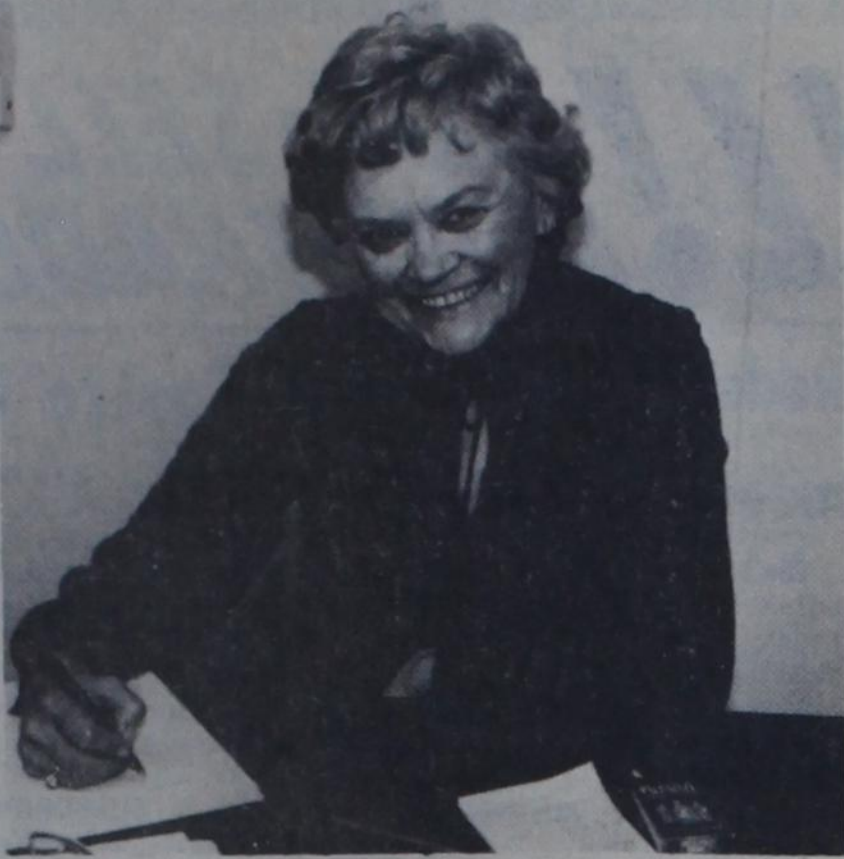
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Jean Holt

Mrs. Holt is SHM's new administrator

Jean Holt is the new administrator at South Hills Manor nursing home, having moved to Dimmitt April 7 from Commerce.

Born and raised in Griffithville, Ark., Mrs. Holt graduated from high school there and afterward attended a business college in Little Rock, Ark. She moved to Shallowater in 1975, and has lived in Crowell, Throckmorton, Dumas, and Commerce.

She received her certificate of nursing home administration in 1980 after completing her instruction at South Plains College in Lubbock.

Mrs. Holt has a son living in San Angelo and a daughter in Alamogordo, N.M. She also has four grandsons.

"My main project for the Manor right now is to recruit more residents," Mrs. Holt said. "This is one of the nicest nursing homes I've ever worked in and the residents seem happy and seem to get along very well together."

Mrs. Holt is a Methodist, and her favorite hobby is reading.

"I came here on just a temporary basis and then decided I wanted to stay," Mrs. Holt said, adding, "I want to get acquainted with the community, and would certainly like to invite every-

one out to visit us."

Former administrator of the home, Suebeth Marmet, moved back to Menard, where she had previously served as director of nurses. Her daughter also is living in Menard.

Smith reports no fatalities here in March

Sergeant Joe Rex Smith, Area supervisor of Castro County, reported that for the month of March the Texas Highway Patrol Troopers investigated a total of six accidents in this county. There were no fatal accidents, four injury accidents with a total of seven persons injured and two property damage accidents.

In District 5B, which includes the top 31 counties of the Texas Panhandle, there were 201 accidents investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol. Captain Bob Russell reported that the Texas Highway Patrol Troopers investigated no fatal accidents, 91 injury accidents with a total of 158 persons injured and 110 property damage accidents.

Bingo seminar is set May 5

State Comptroller Bob Bullock announced recently that his Lubbock office will present a bingo seminar in Lubbock May 5 at the Energas Flame Room, 1500 Broadway, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Members of the Lubbock office staff will discuss eligibility requirements, applications, reports, and other regulations.

Charitable bingo has been approved in Lubbock and Gaines Counties, parts of Terry and Castro Counties, and the city of Dickens. Organizations from these areas that are interested in conducting bingo games are urged to attend.

Because of space limitations, each organization should send no more than three people. For more information, call the State Comptroller's Office in Lubbock at (806) 795-0691.

Key Club will have slave day

The Dimmitt High School Key Club will hold its annual slave day Tuesday.

Members will work for individuals or businesses from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The \$20 fee will go to Key Club to help support projects during the year.

If you are willing to let a member work for you, please contact Mark Bruegel at 647-2318 or call the school at 647-3105.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to list the names of the following candidates for public office, subject to the Democratic and Republican Party primary elections May 1:

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

For County Judge:
Sam Killough
Bill Ritter
Mrs. M. L. (Polly) Simpson (appointee)
Oscar Wylie

For Commissioner, Pct. 2:
John Walker
Edd Wilson (incumbent)

For Commissioner, Pct. 4:
Thomas Falcon
Vincent Guggemos
Alfons (Al) Maurer (incumbent)

For County-District Clerk:
Joy Jones
Mildred Sheffy

For County Sheriff:
Lonny Rhynes (appointee)

For County Treasurer:
Oleta Raper (incumbent)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
Billy Hackleman (appointee)

For Justice of the Peace:
Marshall Young (incumbent)

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

For County Judge:
Winston Waggoner
(Listings in this Political Announcement column are paid for by the candidates. Names for each office are listed in alphabetical order, with incumbents or current appointees designated. Listing in this column is not a consideration in the publishing of a candidate's news-story announcement.)

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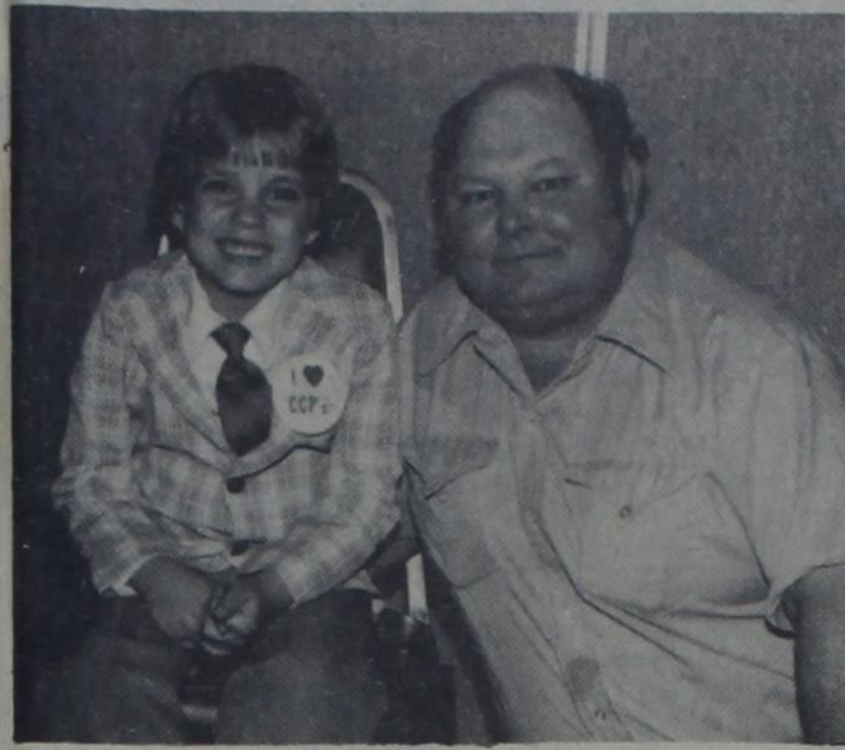
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ANTHONY KIRBY has been named Dimmitt's Muscular Dystrophy Association community chairperson. Here, Kirby is shown with Darold Haddican, MDA Texas State Poster Child, during a recent training conference in Dallas.

Kirby is chairman of local MDA campaign

The Amarillo Muscular Dystrophy Association has announced that Anthony Kirby will be serving as the MDA community chairperson for Dimmitt.

Kirby will act as a contact for muscular dystrophy patients in the Dimmitt area and will also be in charge of all MDA fund-raising activities.

Kirby attended a training conference recently in Dallas, along with other chairpersons from throughout Texas and southern Oklahoma. He received information regarding MDA and its programs of research and patient services.

MDA covers 40 diseases and provides services free of charge for those diagnosed. Such services include clinics, orthopedic appliances, aids to daily living, recreational activities and transportation.

For further questions about MDA or suggestions for fund-

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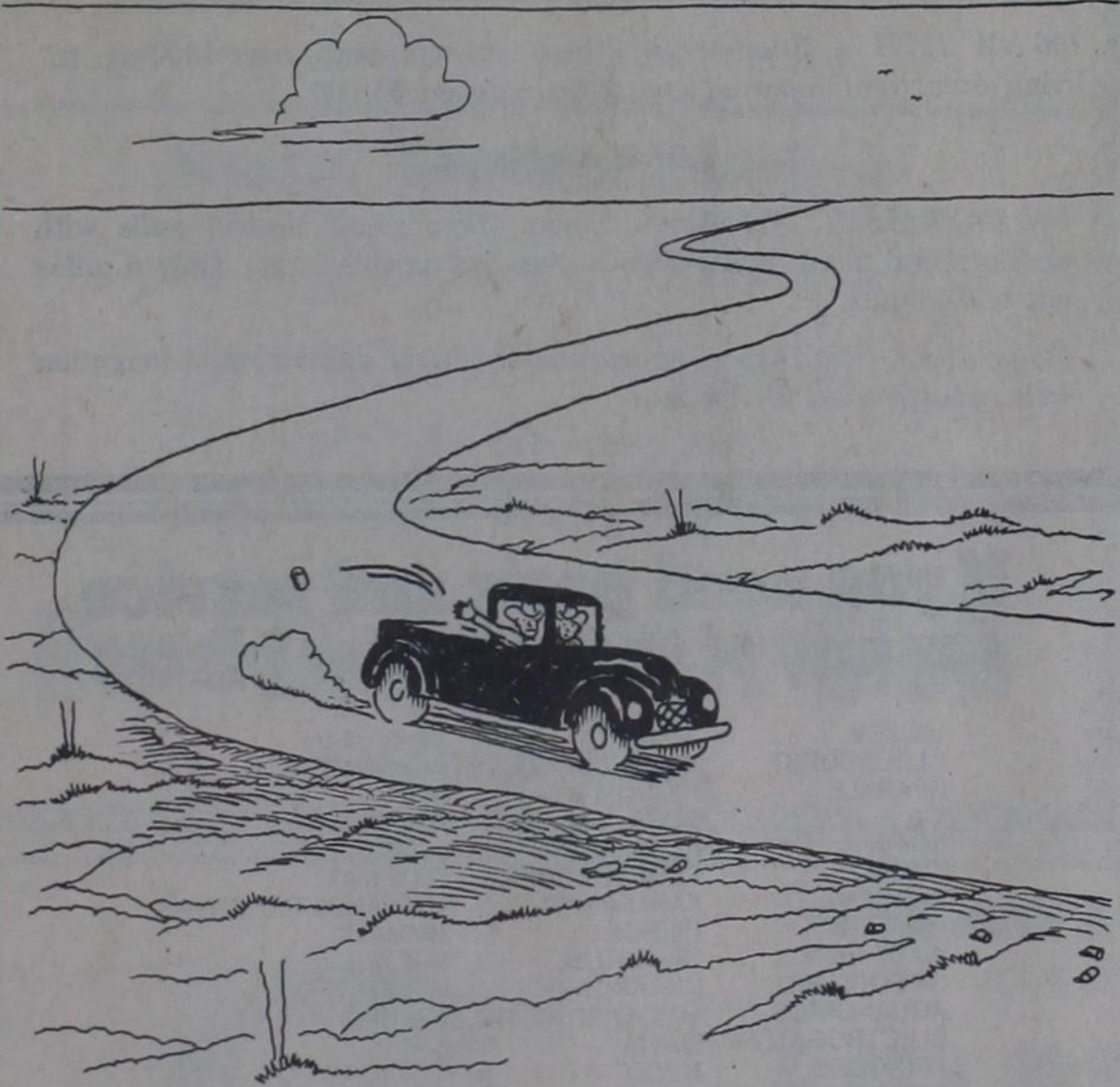
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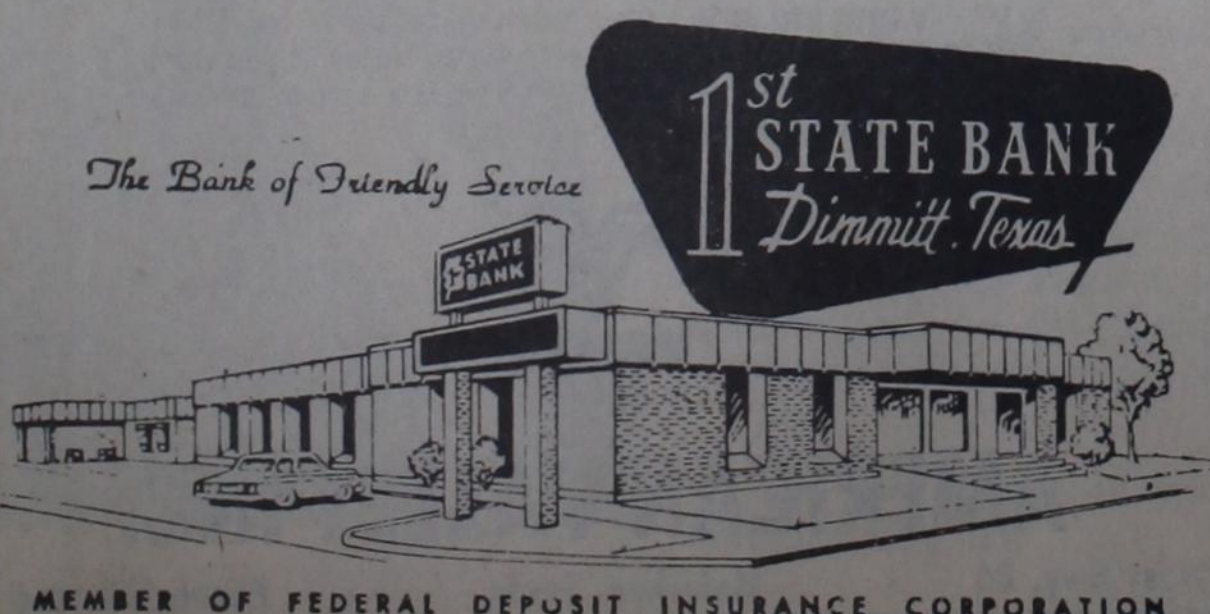
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We would like to take this means to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends that sent cards, flowers and for the phone calls, and especially for your prayers during Wilma's stay in the hospital in Amarillo. We ask for your continued prayers during her recuperation at home. We thank God for your interest and concern. CHARLES AND WILMA DOSS

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CYO sets Nazareth School Board car wash reorganizes and elects

The recently formed Catholic Youth Organization of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Dimmitt is sponsoring a car wash Saturday at George's Exxon in Dimmitt.

The car wash will cost \$5 per vehicle, except for vans and station wagons, which will be charged \$8 each.

Lasting from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m., the car wash will include pick up and delivery services, available by calling 647-5539 or 647-4641.

The Nazareth School Board canvassed election results, and the new members were approved and sworn in by the Superintendent. They were Rita Book, Dennis Huseman and Allen Dobmeier.

Placques were presented to Clyde and Richard Hoelting for their service to the school and the community.

The Board was reorganized. Floyd Schulte was elected president, Rita Book was elected secretary and Denis Huseman was elected vice-president.

The delegation and sponsor for the Senior Class met with the board to present their trip agenda. It was approved with the stipulation that two sets of parents go with them. They should have a sponsor for each 5 seniors.

The Board set the new time for their meetings to be 9 p.m. due to daylight savings time.

The Board approved the Football Budget presented by

Ken Cole, Head Coach and Athletic Director, at \$5,200. This was an increase of approximately \$1,200 over the past budget due to inflated costs of equipment and more boys participating next year.

The Board also purchased some used carpet from Coy Ringwald for use in the field-house next year.

Also, the Board allowed a regular school day on May 20 instead of the usual Holy Day, due to the fact that the holiday would split final exams. This will allow consecutive days of finals on May 19 and 20 and the teachers then will have two consecutive workdays on May 21 and 22 to close-out the school year.

The school has not yet secured a driver education car. It seems, due to the excessive costs, that it will be difficult to obtain one this year. Several options were discussed. However, no decision was reached.

pet parade



A GOOD COUNTRY DOG can be yours if you contact Dimmitt Animal Control Officer Charles Whitman by Monday. The mixed-breed male dog is black, and Whitman estimates his age at 2½ to three years old. He will need a rabies shot, which costs \$7, Whitman added. The impoundment fee is negotiable. You can contact Whitman through the Dimmitt Police Dept., 647-4545.

TSTI sets registration

Texas State Technical Institute in Amarillo will hold early registration for summer quarter classes from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 3-6 at the Resource Center on the campus.

Any returning or new student with complete enrollment file may register early to avoid the lines of regular registration on May 25.

For information regarding classes offered for the summer quarter, or to complete the enrollment process, contact the Admissions Office, 335-2316, extension 218.

TSTI now offers 21 vocational-technical programs, including aircraft mechanics, auto body repair, auto mechanics, boot and shoe operations, commercial art in advertising, computer science, construction technology, cosmetology, diesel mechanics, drafting and design technology, electronics systems technology, industrial maintenance, interior design, machine shop operations, meat processing and marketing, printing, professional truck operations, saddle and tack making, technical office training, transport refrigeration mechanics, and welding and fabrication.

Summer classes will begin at 7:30 a.m., May 26.

Correction

In a photo cutline in the April 15 issue about the ribbon-cutting for the new Castro County Insurance, the News listed Don Reeve as the owner and Randy Small as salesman. Actually, the two men are equal partners in the new agency.

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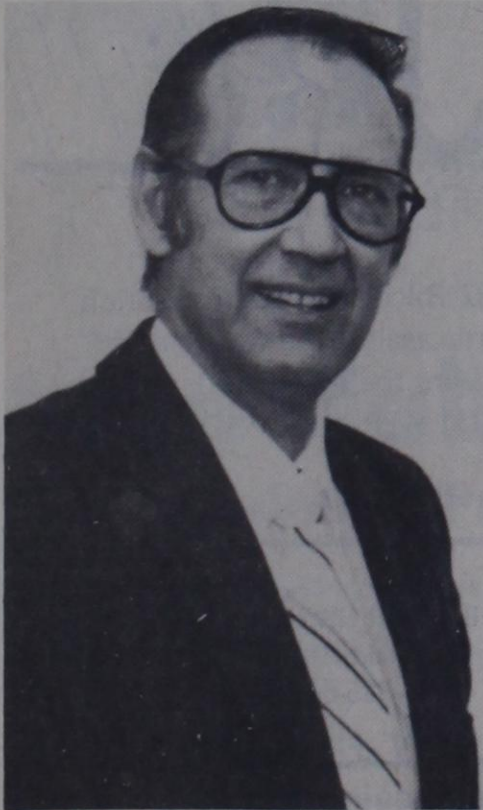
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Pol. Adv. Pd. by Bill Ritter, Hart, TX.



Cities receive sales tax checks

State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently sent checks totaling \$31.8 million to 962 cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for April.

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Dimmitt received \$6,414.87, which is an increase of 3.42 percent over the same period of time last year. Hart received \$918.09, which is 0.43 percent lower than the check for this time last year.

Nazareth's check for \$763.97 was an increase of 5.32 percent over last April's check.

Other totals sent to area cities were \$1,063.87 to Bovina, 15.24 percent lower; \$3,315.48 to Friona, 28.19 percent higher; \$16,545.23 to Hereford, 1.83 percent higher; \$4,821.21 to Littlefield, 2.55 percent lower; and \$5,766.15 to Tulia, 0.16 percent higher.

Amarillo's check was for \$392,812.15, up 18.54 percent from the check that city received last April. Lubbock received \$436,224.68 which is a 15 percent increase over the check received last year for the same time period. Plainview's rebate was \$30,782.21, a 9.87 percent increase.

"Total payments we have sent to these cities so far this year are running more than 19 percent ahead of last year."

The city sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and businesses and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.



FIVE TOP SPELLERS for the whole third grade at Richardson Elementary were recognized at the recent third grade awards program for the fifth six-weeks. Awarded a certificate and a book were [from left] Lisa

Travis, Paul Axtell, Servando Villanueva, Casey Gentry and Chip Thrasher. The five were able to go through the entire spelling list without any mistakes.

Third grade awards given

For the first time, more than one top speller was named for the whole third grade at the fifth six-weeks award program held recently at Richardson Elementary School in Dimmitt.

Paul Axtell, Casey Gentry, Chip Thrasher, Lisa Travis and Servando Villanueva all went through the complete list of spelling words without any mistakes. Each received a certificate of merit and a book at the awards program.

Each six weeks, students are named in seven categories for various honors. One student from each of the six third grade classrooms is named in each category.

Also, all the students who placed in the series of spelling bees, and those who made all "S" (satisfactory) or "S+" grades were recognized.

Students noted as being the Hardest Workers were Elbert Bugarin, Craig Heller, Raymond Duran, Leigh Hyman, Henry Rendon, and Sylvia Pena.

Those who were named as Most Courteous were Chris Fuentes, Maria Martinez, Rocky Salinas, Norma Alvarar, Brandi Hoyle, and Melissa Montalvo.

Best Citizens were Renae Josselet, Lisa Esquivel, Anna Gonzales, Jennifer Martin, Freddy Martinez, and John Ortegón.

Showing the Most Improvement were Chas Humphrey, Danny Oltivero, Shelley Casey, Jesus Quiroz, Henry Flores, and Cheli Lopez.

Designated as having the Best Manners were Daniel Reyes, Jeff Long, Toni Flores, David Maydon, Veronica Rodriguez, and Bam Bam Romero.

Students turning in the Neatest Work were Chad Killingsworth, Domingo Zambrano, Poppy Thomas, Larry Pena, Raphael Vasquez, and Carol Petty.

Judged to be the Most Helpful were Sylvia Galvan, Dena Nava, Melissa Juarez, Jerry Creek, Royce Schulte and Joe Reyes.

Top spellers from the various classes were Chip Thrasher, Chris Fuentes, Sylvia Pina, Chad Killingsworth, Tye Lamberth, Freddy Martinez, Royce Schulte, Monica Catano, Adam Cline, Gregg Vasquez, Lisa Travis, Casey Gentry, David Maydon, La Tisha Smith, Anna Gonzales, George Rodriguez, Miguel Ontiveras, Esther Cano, Susie Sifuentes, Servando Villanueva, Shawn Stanton, Leticia Gil, Carol Petty, Paul Axtell, Rachel Rameriz, Melissa Montalvo and Renae Josselet.

Students making grades of all "S" or "S+" were Paul Axtell, Renae Josselet, Renae Harman, Sylvia Galvan, Carol Petty, Michelle Caddell, Kristi Barrera, Rachel Rameriz, Oscar Mendoza, Brandi Hoyle, Shawn Stanton, Vicky Santibanez, La Dawna Campbell, Servando Villanueva, Dennis Petty, Henry Flores, Joe Luis Castenada, Becky Tovar, Lisa Esquivel,

Rotary sets Ladies' Day

Friday will be Ladies' Day for the Dimmitt Rotary Club at their regular noon meeting at the Senior Citizens' Center in Dimmitt, with R. L. Fleming and Jerry Heller in charge of the program.

Club members will receive a report on the circus they sponsored Sunday. Chairman of the circus committee, Doug Pybus assigned members to various work details Friday and reminded members to turn in their money and

tickets. "We donated 48 tickets to various classes in the Dimmitt schools," Pybus also reported.

Twenty members were present, along with the club sweetheart, Tammy Stanford. The members viewed the game film of the Dimmitt Bobcats' state championship basketball game for the program.

Correction

In last week's issue of the News, Hart was inadvertently left out of a listing of towns represented at the art show held in connection with the Silver Tea and Fine Arts Show sponsored by the Friends of the Library and held at Rhoads Memorial Library April 18.

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Programs concern high estate taxes

Farmers and ranchers have been concerned for years about high taxes that erode their estates. To help take the bite out of their high estate taxes, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is

planning several educational programs. Two two-day seminars are planned which will help farmers and ranchers learn how to reduce taxable estates and learn new methods for passing their operations to the next generation.

These special seminars on "How to Lower Your Estate Tax Burden" are scheduled for Robstown, May 4-5, and for San Angelo, May 25-26. "Of major importance is how every farm estate will be affected after the recent estate tax law changes," pointed out Dr. Wayne Hayenga, a lawyer and Extension economist. "The best tax planning of the past may be the worst under the new law."

Each seminar will begin with a discussion on estate taxes, including deductions, expenses and tax rates. Basic estate planning devices will be explained in depth. Among these are wills, bypass trusts, gifts, disclaimers and property titles.

The second day of the program will be devoted to special estate tax rules for agriculture. These include special farm land valuation, deferred estate tax payment rules, life insurance, "flower" bonds and other property.

647-3123 for Printing



UIL WINNER ADVANCES TO STATE—Denise Acker of Nazareth High School will advance to the State UIL Literary Meet April 30-May 1 in Austin. Acker won first in persuasive speaking at the Region 1-A UIL Literary Meet hosted recently by South Plains College, Levelland. Acker's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Acker of Nazareth. [SPC Photo]

Bobcat Band lauded as a 'classy group'

In an age of stiff competition and rivalry between schools, compliments from one school to another are rare — and appreciated.

Bobcat Band Director Ralph Smith this week received a letter from Eddie Chance of Muleshoe High School addressing the members of the DHS band.

The letter concerned the behavior of Smith's band when Dimmitt was the guest of Muleshoe for the football game on Oct. 31.

The letter said: "I simply want to say that I thought you exhibited very classy behavior as you watched our homecoming activities. After our candidates for Homecoming Queen were introduced, they rode around the field and in front of the visitors bleachers where you were seated. You may remember that as an organization you rose together and applauded these young ladies as they rode by. I was thrilled to see you respond when other kinds of behavior could have been chosen. It just seems to me that sometimes in our rivalries and desires to win that we forget that sportsmanship is more important than who wins or loses. Thank you for the beautiful example you set for

other young people to follow.

"I also wanted to congratulate you on your fine first division performance at the November Marching Contest. Although I heard people question the two other I's made, I have yet to hear the first person say Dimmitt didn't deserve their first division. Your performances were beautiful — both here on Friday night and in Lubbock at contest.

"Best of luck to you in the upcoming contest. Other bands in this region are better because they strive to reach a level of performance standards that you have reached year after year.

"Sincerely,
EDDIE CHANCE
Muleshoe High School"

Cubs, Webelos meet tonight

All Cub Scouts and Webelos are invited to a pack meeting at the Castro County Expo Building tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock.

Guest speakers for the event will be John Cory and Bob McMaster.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Garza gets 10 years probation

Albino Garza, 46, of Hart was found guilty Friday in 242nd District Court of voluntary manslaughter and sentenced to ten years felony probation.

Garza was charged with murder in the May 25, 1980 shooting death of Isabel (Chevelo, Joe) Avitia, also of Hart.

The eight-man, four-woman jury deliberated for three hours before deciding on the lesser charge, which is a second degree felony. They deliberated for only 20 minutes on the punishment.

County/District Attorney Jimmy Davis said that a hearing will be held at a later date to determine what restitution will be set for Garza.

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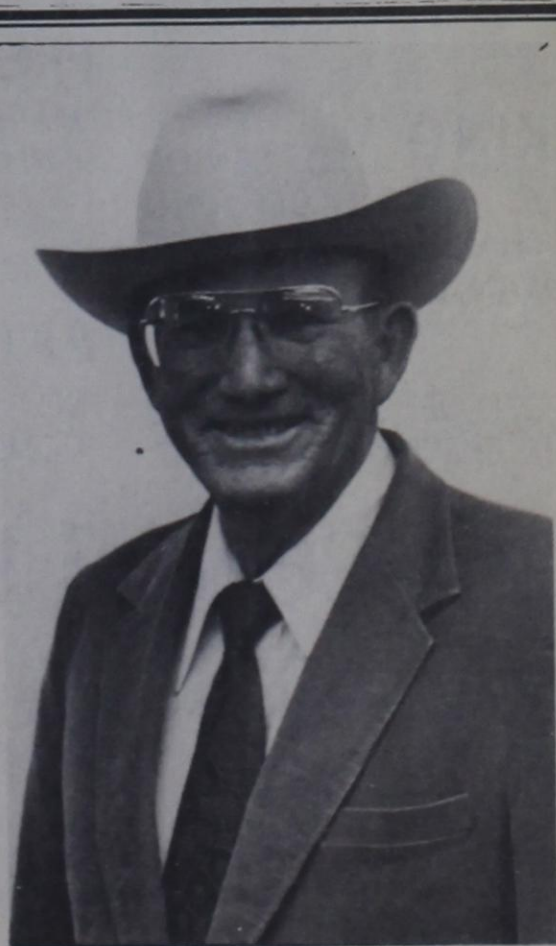
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Our great American heritage has been kept strong because of our freedom of choice over our past generations. County government is just as important as State and Federal government is. Good government comes by choosing those who will work and dedicate themselves to the people of whatever office they represent.



★ I believe I can represent the County Judge's office in a manner that will be pleasing to all the people of Castro County.

★ I will dedicate myself to the youth of our county.

★ I believe in efficient, effective government.

★ I will devote my energies on a full-time basis to this important position.

★ I have the business background that is necessary to fulfill this position.

If I missed you during my campaign please let this be your personal invitation to vote for me as I tried to see as many people as humanly possible in the county. I NEED YOUR VOTE.

Pol. Adv. Pd. by Sam Killough for County Judge,
Anthony Kirby, Treasurer, Dimmitt, TX.

Thank you,
SAM KILLOUGH

More about



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Bailey of Carlsbad, N.M., his mother Mrs. L. King and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bailey of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pool, Kyle and Kelly and Bud Pool of Groom, Barbara Brown and Kevin Keener of Amarillo and grandparents of Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keener and Mrs. Scott Stokes of Sundown.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Monty Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Brington of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ellison, April and Chris of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Keener and David of Tulsa.

On Thursday evening the groom's parents were hosts at a rehearsal dinner in the Carl King home.

Flo Nichols entertained friends from Tulsa and Dimmitt with a luncheon and style-show and bridge at the University Club in Lubbock last Friday. Those attending from Dimmitt were: Carole Dyer, Shirley Stephens, Esta Vandiver and Sue Merritt. These ladies enjoyed seeing and visiting with Dr. Bill Bennett, a former Dimmitt resident.

Visitors over the weekend with the John Merritts and Amy were Kelvin Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Parsons of Lubbock.

Special guest of Edwin "Goose" Ramey Sunday was Joy Neal, a Wayland student.

Joy's major is drama. Also present were Decimae Beene of Friona and the Bub Ramey family of Amarillo. Joy was reared in Friona and they were neighbors of the Beene's. Her family now lives in Big Lake.

Jeff Isaacs was featured in another play at Amarillo College, where he is completing his freshman year. "The Lark" is the name of the play and the author is Jean Anouilh and is adapted by Lillian Hellman. The play was presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Going to Amarillo for the Thursday performance were Brenda Andrews, Jeff's cousin, and his aunts, Ruby Ramsey and Phoebe Claiborne. Friday his grandparents, the C. A. Hances and his parents, the Jake Isaacs, attended the production.

Claude and Ida Mae Moore have had both of their sons at home. Wendell and his wife, Pat and their 12-year-old son, Sean, were here from El Paso. Wendell is a sergeant in the army and has been stationed in El Paso for six years. Navy airman Gary L. Moore and his wife, Carla have been here three weeks from their home in Kingsville. They will leave Wednesday for Jacksonville, Fla. where Carla will live while he will be on the USS Eisenhower, the largest naval vessel ever built. Gary

is one of more than 3,300 officers and enlisted men on the nuclear-powered ship. The carrier is 1,092 feet long and has a flight deck of 4 1/2 acres. It can accommodate 100 tactical aircraft.

All the Moores went to McLean for a few days to visit relatives and Gary and Wendell and their wives went square dancing at Hereford and at Clovis while visiting in Dimmitt.

Leonard and Clara Dollar were hosts to a Dollar family reunion in their home Friday evening. Everyone brought food and those from out of town were Ruth and Ernest Breedlove and son Winfred Harrigas of Amarillo, Maude Lindsey and son Weldon of Hereford, Austin Dollar of Grants Pass, Ore., Bill and Helen Dollar, Kyle and Kelly, Shot Dollar, Jack Dollar and his wife, Black Lockney and Kitty Taack of Lockney. Shot and Bill Dollar are twins.

Jesse and Ruby Wooten and Rex and Darlene Wooten are in Yuma, Ariz. to attend funeral services for Ruby's brother, Garvin Patterson. The Jesse Wootens had visited their brother and family recently.

Mrs. Elmer Scott is at home after having surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Her sister, Retta Cluck and her sister-in-law, Augusta Farris have been in Lubbock with her and Mr. Scott.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Raymond Wilson in Arizona. He was Castro County Judge here for many years, and before that he was owner of the Wilson Grocery Store and had farm land in this area. Our sympathy goes to his daughter, Patricia Brock and her husband, Dr. Bob Brock, to the three grandchildren and to Judge Wilson's brothers and sisters. Mrs. Margaret Wilson preceded her husband in death several years ago.

We are also saddened by the death of Mrs. Annie Springer, the mother of Mary Lois Summers. The Springers farmed for many years and reared their family in the Frio Community south of Hereford.

Glenn Hobratchsk, son of Mrs. Ida Hobratchsk, has been appointed vice president, controller, of the construction management subsidiary of the CRS Group. Glenn is a graduate of Dimmitt High School (1962) and was graduated from Texas Tech University as a registered CPA in Texas and also a member of the AICPA and Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants. Glenn and his wife, Marsha, have two sons. Marty is 15 and Monty is 12.

Mrs. Carl Easterwood of Amarillo visited with Mrs. George Gabel and attended the bridal shower for Anne Golding Stelle last week. Mrs. Easterwood formerly lived in the Flagg Community south of Dimmitt.

religious perspective

Halt the petition

By Rev. Kenneth Carroll

Last week's article regarding the efforts of Madalyn Murray O'Hair was the result of my receiving a petition in the mail from a lady who used to be a member of the church which I pastored in Ohio. This petition was R.M. 2493, which has been and is being circulated over the country in several churches.

Due to Mrs. O'Hair's having succeeded in getting Bible reading and prayer eliminated from public schools 15 years ago, it is only appropriate that Christians should take whatever steps may be necessary to block Mrs. O'Hair's further efforts to abolish our religious freedoms.

However, I learned since last week's article was published that the information in the petition being circulated is inaccurate. Therefore, I sincerely apologize for the error and am giving below the information which I received.

The following information is quoted from a letter signed by Lottie Beth Hobbs of the Pro Family Forum in Fort Worth, and from the Lubbock Eagle Forum newsletter which is signed by Skeet Workman. I am also pleased that Mrs. Darla Stewart of Dimmitt was kind enough to supply me with this information.

"The information concerning M. M. O'Hair and her efforts to knock religious programs off the air... is false. It is still being circulated in petition form among the churches, with requests for people to send them to the FCC. The FCC has done everything possible to let people know that this was never the case - so for us to continue to circulate these petitions and send them to FCC harms our credibility on other issues.

"Someone is distributing a petition that says that Madalyn O'Hair has been granted a hearing in Washington to remove religious programming off the airways. It is a hoax! I received several calls about this petition, so I called our Washington Eagle Forum office to check it out. Helen Blackwell, who runs our office, is wife of Morton Blackwell in the White House, so she had his office call the National Religious Broadcasters Assn. They said that in 1976 Mrs. O'Hair had requested a hearing but was denied. She has never asked again. They said to please stop sending these petitions. If the devil can get us off working on something that doesn't count, then he can get a lot done elsewhere."

There are still several attacks being made by various groups and companies against our religious freedom and heritage, so regardless of the error that I made last week, Christians still need to be diligent in their efforts to safeguard our religious freedom.

Ministers to meet Friday

The Dimmitt Ministerial Alliance will meet Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Presbyterian manse located at 1510 Western Circle Drive. Both ministers and their wives are encouraged to attend the meeting.



Senior Citizens have busy week

Andy and Oleda Schumacher and Ralph Lambright manned the refreshment truck for CUFUPU-2 Saturday, representing the Castro County Senior Citizens.

Thirty people showed up for the "sing" Sunday afternoon at the Castro County Senior Citizens Center. There will be a sing on the fourth Sunday of each month, open

to everyone who likes to sing. There is a Bible study every Monday noon from 12 to 1 p.m.

Every Tuesday evening there is a game night at 6:30 at the Senior Citizens Center. The third Tuesday is a covered dish supper.

There is an exercise class every Friday morning at 10.

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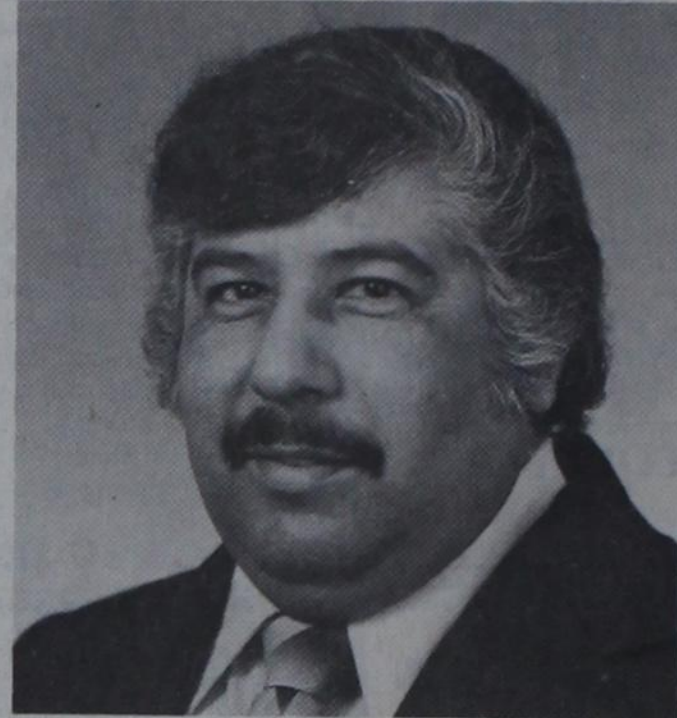
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