



THIS 1967 Ford, driven by Brenda Underwood, 15, of Dimmitt, collided with a 1964 Mercury driven by Rosalinda Villegas, 15, also of Dimmitt at the intersection of Front and Jones Tuesday afternoon. According to W. W. Jones, city police chief, the Underwood vehicle was headed east on Jones and the Villegas vehicle was going south on Front

at the time of the mishap. Sandra Tischler, 15, a passenger in the Underwood vehicle, suffered minor injuries in the collision. Both young drivers were issued citations for driving without licenses and their fathers were cited for allowing them to drive without a license. Villegas was also cited for failure to yield at a stop sign.



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county  
by b. m. n.

We had a fairly heavy frost Monday night. All of the frost that I saw was on the tops of cars. Maybe there was only slight, if any, damage to crops since they are closer to the ground than the top of a car. We are not quite ready for a killing frost, and chances are we won't be ready when it comes. Crops have just not had a chance to mature during the past weeks of cool rainy weather. We will have to be satisfied with just a fair crop this year, and be proud that we are getting an underground season for the production of a bumper crop next year.

If you intend to vote in the general election Tuesday, November 5, and if you need to vote an absentee ballot, and if you expect to get your ballot by mail from the county clerk, then you need to turn to page fourteen of this newspaper and fill out the ballot application form and mail it to your county clerk. We are publishing this form as a public service to Republican and Democrat voters, and especially Democrats. Election is just around the corner, you had better hurry or you will lose your right to gripe later on.

The best thing about the televising of the president's speech in Kansas City Tuesday night was the privilege of seeing that fine bunch of farm boys. It was the annual convention of the Future Farmers of America and a finer looking bunch of boys I have never seen. The president chose a fine forum to make a speech and make his pitch. In his speech he used the words "marshmallow" and "tough turkey" in a rather involved manner that I won't try to explain here. Rather I would say that the entire speech was more like a "cold oatmeal sandwich." The President used up a bunch of valuable television time to give the people of the country a lesson in third grade economics. He said for us to save a dollar and put it up for a rainy day, to eat everything that we put on our plates, to economize in the use of energy, and a lot of other things that our parents taught us when we were children. What the president didn't tell us is how this frugal type style will lower the price of fertilizer, interest rates, building supplies, newsprint, gasoline, automobiles and chewing tobacco. I have read that the president played center on his college football team. That's a position where the player never has time to look up to see where the play is going. He's playing a different position now. He is the quarterback and he needs to look up and see where the problem is before he calls the play. One of his players suggested the only solution to the crisis this country faces, and that is mandatory wage and price controls until the economy is put back on an even keel. This suggestion comes from the Senate majority leader, Senator Mike Mansfield of Montana. He is a wise and good man.

I believe that the Bobcats have a better than even chance to win district in football. The only thing we have to worry about this week is the Littlefield Wildcats; other problems can be considered later.

## John Blaine dies; services Wednesday

John W. Blaine, who earned state and national recognition as Dimmitt High School's head coach in the 1940s and 1950s, died Monday afternoon in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

HE HAD been hospitalized since Sept. 20, when he was injured in a fall from Plainview's Bulldog Stadium.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Plainview, with the Rev. R. L. Kirk, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Dimmitt's Castro Memorial Gardens, following graveside services at 5:30 p.m. Lemons Funeral Home of Plainview was in charge of arrangements.

MR. BLAINE guided Dimmitt High School teams into state playoffs in four major sports during his coaching career here, which spanned more than a decade.

His greatest success was in basketball. His girls' teams won the state championship in 1950, 1951 and 1952, and two of these teams went on to win the mythical national championship, defeating the Iowa state champions. And his 1952 boys' basketball team captured both the state and inter-divisional championships. He guided two other boys' teams into state tournaments.

As an all-sports coach, working with only one assistant, he compiled enviable records also in football and track. His football teams from 1948 through 1952 won three district championships and two bi-district titles. Mr. Blaine was the first high school coach in the Pan-



JOHN W. BLAINE

handle to use the T-formation.

HIS TRACK teams here won the regional title in 1949, placed second in the regional meet in 1950, won second in the state in 1951 and captured the district championship in 1952.

He was the winningest high school coach in America in 1951-52. That year his Bobcats and Bobbies went undefeated in basketball and captured back-to-back state championships, and his football team was undefeated until the regional championship game. His record that year in the three major sports was 83 wins and one loss.

During his coaching career he produced 17 all-state athletes, and three of his basketball girls went on to become all-Americans at Wayland Baptist. [See JOHN BLAINE, Page 14]

## Schools consider seven-period day

The Dimmitt School Board Monday night wrestled with the pros and cons of a seven-period high school day, heard a report on a school-tax equalization plan that's likely to become state law, and learned that the cost of school buses has jumped at least 50% in the past 18 months.

WELDON Skinner, curriculum director, presented the pros and cons of the seven-period school day, based on a feasibility study of 32 schools in the area.

Trustees are considering the additional school period to enable DHS to expand its curriculum and allow students—especially those who are in both band and athletics—to take more elective subjects. Only four of the 32 schools surveyed by Dimmitt administrators have seven-period days, Skinner reported, and most of those have study halls, leaving students with six academic periods—which DHS already has.

THE MAIN advantages of a seven-period day, Skinner said, are that it would enable the school to have a better choral

## Chili supper set for Friday

The Littlefield Rotary Club is sponsoring a chili supper prior to the Dimmitt-Littlefield game tomorrow (Friday) at Littlefield.

THE SUPPER will be held from 5:30-7 p.m. in the Littlefield High School cafeteria according to Buddy Wells, president of the Littlefield Rotary Club.

The menu will include chili, pinto beans, cake, tea or coffee. Admission will be \$1.75 for adults and \$1 for children.

program and would allow more active students to broaden their courses of study.

The main disadvantages, he said, are that the extra period would require adding 25 or 30 minutes to the school day in all schools here, and that it could

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## DHS exes elect; '54 class reunites

Joe Nelson was elected president and Darlene Dowell vice-president of the Dimmitt Ex-Students' Association Friday.

ELECTIONS were held during the Ex-Students' Reception in DHS cafeteria following Friday afternoon's Homecoming pep rally.

Nelson and Mrs. Dowell are both members of DHS's Class of 1955, which will be the honor class at next year's Homecoming. Nelson succeeds Bob Anthony and Mrs. Dowell succeeds Gale Sadler in the top two Ex-Students' posts.

Bill Stephenson was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the organization.

IN OTHER Homecoming activities, Gene Veals and Evelyn Martin were announced as the Flame King and Queen at Thursday night's Homecoming Bonfire; Loretta Young was crowned Homecoming Queen at Friday's pep rally; Mrs. Myrtle Behrends, a 1924 DHS graduate, and former coach Leo Fields were singled out for recognition during the Homecoming Pep Rally Friday; and Robert Horton, Robert Mayberry, Brad Sanders and Shannon Truelock were announced by Coach Deane Wright as the

permanent football captains for the year.

Dimmitt High's Class of 1954 held its 20th-year reunion with a dinner and program Saturday evening in the First United Methodist Church. Eighteen of the 41 class members, plus class sponsor S. T. Newman, were on hand for the reunion. The former classmates came from as far away as California, Colorado, New Mexico and Oklahoma for the reunion.

At the time of the accident, McAfee was driving a truck owned by Leaseaway-Southwest, Inc. and Sanders was driving for Forshage Trucking Co.



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## Frost, rains have farmers worried

# Harvest bogged down again

By JIM STEIERT  
News Editor

Weekend rains bogged down Castro County's grain harvest before it could get restarted following light showers last week and a slow-moving cold front that swept down from Canada and spread across Texas toward the Gulf Coast, brought widespread frost conditions to the county Tuesday morning to add to farmers' woes.

FARMERS were hoping to venture into their fields to resume harvesting operations over the weekend but showers which began at about midday Saturday put an end to their hopes. The rains got heavier through the remainder of the weekend, reaching a peak Sunday.

Frost conditions Tuesday morning added to the farmers' worries. A good deal of the county's milo has not fully matured and if the Tuesday frost was severe enough to halt maturation of the grain, the milo crop will be short.

A good portion of Castro County's corn crop is already down, sent toppling by high winds and extremely wet conditions. Winds and steady drizzle Monday sent more of the yellow grain falling.

THE COTTON crop has been at a virtual standstill for weeks due to the long wet spell.

Mrs. Jerome Brockman reported that 2.70 inches of moisture fell from Saturday through Sunday at her husband's farm three miles south and two miles west of Nazareth.

"We have only been able to work long enough to cut a load or two of grain between rains," said Mrs. Brockman. The William Hochstein farm east of Nazareth recorded 2.60 inches of rainfall from Saturday through Monday with light frost Tuesday morning.

US Weather Observer Aubrey Myers of Farmers Grain Co. of Hart reported 1.38 inches of rain fell at Hart Saturday and Sunday.

"WE'VE HAD a total of 17.66 inches of moisture for the year and 11.71 inches of that total has fallen since Aug. 15," said Myers. "Tuesday morning's frost may halt any further maturation of the milo crop," he added.

News correspondent Teeny Bowden reported that 1.50 inches of moisture fell from Thursday through Sunday at her husband's farm at Sunny-side and an additional .20 inches was recorded Monday.

Approximately .65 inches of rain fell at Flagg Grain Co. south of Dimmitt from Saturday through Monday according to

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COUNTY'S FIRST BALE—Neil Wells (left) manager of the Lakeview Gin and Duane Raper, manager of the Elmer Klemman farm of Nazareth pose with Castro County's first bale of cotton for 1974. The cotton was grown on the Klemman farm five miles east of Nazareth. According to Raper the More-Cot 70-A variety cotton was planted on pre-watered ground May 12 and was watered once during the summer. The cotton was hand-

picked last week before the weather set in and the bale weighed in at 575 pounds. Lakeview Gin threw in free ginning, bagging and tying, plus a \$25 bonus for the first bale. Klemman plans to donate half the money received for the bale to the Castro County Unit of the American Cancer Society, while the other half will go to the County Activities Committee.

## Absentee voting underway

Absentee voting in the general election got underway Wednesday and will continue through Oct. 31.

COUNTY voters may cast absentee ballots at the county clerk's office from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. daily.

The general election is scheduled for Nov. 5.

Unopposed candidates for county office include: County Judge - Weldon Bradley; County-District Clerk - Zonell Maples; County Treasurer - Florene Leinen; County Commissioner, Precinct 4 - Jerry H. Wilhelm; County Commission-

er, Precinct 2 - Edd S. Wilson, Jr.; Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3 - Marshall Young.

IN THE state gubernatorial race, incumbent Dolph Briscoe is opposed by Republican candidate Jim Granberry, former Lubbock mayor. Other candidates for the governor's post include Ramsey Muniz of the Raza Unida Party, Sherry Smith of the Socialist Workers Party and S. W. (Sam) McDonnell of the American Party.

Bill Hobby is opposed in his bid for another term as lieutenant governor by Republican candidate Gaylord Marshall

and Dan Feir of the Socialist Workers Party.

Attorney General John Hill is seeking another term. He is opposed by Republican candidate Tom Cole and Socialist Workers candidate Pedro Vasquez.

Republican Nick Rowe and Sas Scoggins of the Socialist Workers oppose Democratic candidate Bob Bullock as he seeks election as comptroller.

JESSE James is opposed in his bid for re-election as state treasurer by Republican candidate Robert G. Holt.

Socialist Workers candidate William Rayson and Republican hopeful Mary Lou Grier oppose Democrat Bob Armstrong for the office of land commissioner.

Zack Fisher is the Republican candidate opposing Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White as he seeks another term.

In a crowded race for railroad commissioner, Republican Joe P. Cain, Fred R. Garza of the Raza Unida Party and Rick Congress of the Socialist Workers Party oppose Democratic candidate Jim C. Langdon.

Democratic candidate Mark Wallace and Republican Dale W. Steffes are opponents in a race for an unexpired railroad commission term.

UNOPPOSED Democratic candidates and the offices they seek include: Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1 - Sears McGee; Associate Justice, Su-

preme Court, Place 2 - Thomas M. Reavley; Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Place 3 - Zollie Steakley; Criminal appeals court, place 1 - W. A. Morrison; Criminal appeals court, Place 2 - Leon Douglas; State Representative, Dist. 74 - Bill Clayton; Board of Education, Dist. 19 - James H. Whiteside; Civil Appeals Court, Dist. 7 - Mary Lou Robinson; Dist. Judge, 64th Dist. - John T. Boyd; Dist. Attorney (Unexpired term) 64th District - Marvin F. Marshall.

## Square dancers to meet Tuesday

All couples interested in taking square dance lessons should meet with the Dimmitt Promenaders square dance club at the Castro County Country Club Tuesday at 8 p.m.

PLANS WILL be discussed at this time as to when and where the lessons will be given. Now is the time to get into square dancing. It is clean, wholesome entertainment for young and old.

The Promenaders enjoyed visiting the square dance club in Olton Thursday night. We captured their club banner by having a square of dancers present.

Remember, the lessons start Oct. 22. Bring your friends.

## Roundup, Festival schedules changed

All Roundup activities in Dimmitt next August will be packed into three days, and the Nazareth German Folk Festival will be rescheduled for July.

THE SCHEDULE changes were approved last week by the Castro County Activities Committee, which also elected officers, picked a 1975 Roundup theme and laid plans for fund-raising projects to aid the committee's depleted bank account.

All Roundup events in Dimmitt will be conducted Aug. 14, 15 and 16. The carnival will run all week, but all other Dimmitt activities are to be scheduled into these three days, committee members decided.

The committee approved the moving of the Roundup Art and Hobby Show to Nazareth next year, since only three Dimmitt artists participated this year.

COMMITTEE members also gave tentative approval to a request from Mrs. Roger Malone of the Town and Country HD Club to take over sponsorship of the county fair next year.

Avery Thrasher was re-elected president of the committee, to supervise Roundup activities again next year, and Jo Behrends was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Chosen as vice-presidents for communities were Don Nelson of Dimmitt, Jerome Brockman of Nazareth and Marguerite McLain of Hart.

Members chose as next year's Roundup theme "The Opening of the Prairie," to emphasize the role of the Plains in feeding the new nation and making it self-sufficient.

MRS. BEHRENDIS reported that the committee's income

from this year's Roundup was the highest ever—\$3,586.10, mostly fees from money-making activities and income from advance ticket sales for the concert—but that a \$2,300 loss on the Terry Stafford-Jean Shepard show, plus other expenses, left the Roundup fund almost \$800 in the red.

Halloween Carnival booths, a talent show after Jan. 1, a carnival next spring, and commercial exhibits in next year's county fair were proposed as projects to help build up the fund before next year's Roundup.



FOND MEMORIES—Darlene Wooten (right) renews memories with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fields of Haskell during the Dimmitt High School Ex-Students' Reception Friday afternoon in the school cafeteria. Fields coached here in the 1950s, and Mrs. Wooten was a forward on his state championship girls' bas-

ketball teams of 1954 and 1955. The Fields' son, Alton, is now an assistant coach here. Ex-students from California, New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma and the Houston area were here for Homecoming activities and the 20th-year reunion of the Class of 1954.



Sheffy's chatter

Dimmitt residents enjoy traveling to north, east

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Dimmitt people went east and north this past week.

These I heard of were Kenny Doss went to East Lansing, Mich. to visit Kent and Teena Bradford who are in school there at the university.

James and Reta Welch were in Lamoni, Iowa visiting their daughters Rhonda and Sharon and Jim Patton, also students at Graceland College. That was the college Homecoming week.

Russel and Myrtle Lois Moran are home from their trip to Atlanta, Ga. to see daughter Pat, who is going back to school, taking a course in college to be a court reporter. The Morans went on to South and North Carolina. They report the fall colors in trees and flowers quite beautiful in all the states between here and there.

MRS. CHARLES Vandiver went to Abernathy one day last week as guest speaker for Lena Martin at the Garden Club. She talked and showed pictures of the old Southern homes in Natchez, Miss. She and Doctor and other dentist friends made the trip last spring. And as a coincidence, most of the towns Dr. Parks mentioned in the Faulkner review Mrs. Vandiver's mother and aunt lived in, like Ripley, Oxford and several other cities.

Adeline Rush was hostess to the Women of St. Thomas Episcopal Church from Hereford Saturday afternoon. Reta Welch presented the program, entitled "Who's Under Your Hat?"

HAWAII was the place a group of Dimmitt folks flew across the Pacific to see. Martha Hyman tells me she and Harold went. All saw everything to see in a few days time, most wonderful food and colorful flowers. They heard the well-known entertainer Don Ho sing and talk. Going were Gene and Mary Smith, his brother Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Green, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. or Joe Newton. They made a tour of Pearl Harbor and were sad for our 5,000 boys buried there; but a lovely trip.

Sam Gilbreath, an old A&M ex, was among the many going to Bryan to see the A&M-Texas Tech game. Mrs. Cleavinger's granddaughter Miss Dawson from Earth is a twirler in the Tech marching band.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schilling and family went to Lawton, Okla. a while back with the Trent Downings for a visit with Trent's parents and for a stay in their guest boathouse.

Jessie Ebeling and her sister from Littlefield went to Colorado Springs to visit a sister, and the other sister from Greeley, Colo. came over for the sister get-together.

Tara Lane of Stegall, near Muleshoe, and roommate of Marla Mayfield at Tech were weekend guests of parents Dorothy and Herb Mayfield.

MR. AND MRS. Claude (Pod) Merritt of Colorado spent a day or two with his brother John, Sue and family and their sister Dee and J. M. Kendrick near Hart. Mrs. Merritt was a county home agent here several years ago. Pod was a rancher and farmer.

Lynn King had a good visit with her son and family in Wichita Falls. Lynn is a former librarian and lives now at South Hills Manor.

Dr. Sue Parks, an instructor in English at WTSU, reviewed the book "Faulkner" by Joseph Blotner Wednesday afternoon in the assembly room of the Rhoads Library. Mrs. Parks was guest reviewer for Betty Boothe. Seems the first Faulkner came to South Carolina from Scotland. They later drifted west, which in the 1774 time was Missouri, then later generations went south to Mississippi. The town Oxford was mentioned most. The last one was William Faulkner, the well-known novelist who wrote many short stories and novels. "The Reivers" was made into a movie with Steve McQueen as the star. He also wrote "Requiem for a Nun", and he received the Nobel Prize. Was a friend of Clark Gable. Sue Merritt presided at the Book Club business meeting and Maxie Horton and Ruby Bagwell served cookies and coffee to the 30 ladies.

MR. AND MRS. W. A. Murphy (Effie) of Graham and Mrs. Ruby Hastings of Dumas have been visiting their brother Jim and Dorothy Elder this week.

The town had many people home for the school get-together. Mary Evelyn came in from Houston to see her dad George Behrends and Myrtle. Ann and Bob Heins and baby Craig are here for the school get-together and a visit with her parents Bernice and Ben Hill. Ann has two other children that stayed with grandma in Plattsburg, N.Y., the Heins' home. They are enroute to San Antonio for a vacation.

Katy Thomas of Amarillo was home for the activities. She is the daughter of the John L. Thomases.

Brent Sanders and friend Sarah Puckett of Floydada were weekend guests of his parents M. L. and Polly Simpson, also for the wedding of his step sister Lisa Simpson and Tommie Dixon.

Coach and Mrs. Leo Fields were here for homecoming and a visit with his son Coach Alton Fields and Mrs. Fields.

Bob and Pat Anthony, son Steve and Jacklyn and Ag teacher Larry Gray went to Dallas this week to show the kids fat steers. They usually win. Mrs. Richard Bills and several other Earth people also went to the stock show to show, among other animals, Randy Bills' pigs. Richard is gathering corn. The soy beans are in, thank goodness.

MRS. GLADYS Cleavinger, her daughter Norma and Ed Dawson and son Clint of Earth went up to Tres Ritos in the mountains near Taos for a few days. The family has a vacation house there.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Cleavinger had her bridge group in for a few games. She served a good salad and fancy dessert to Josie Bradford, Retta Cluck, Ruth Wooten, Cletha George, Ceal Carlile, Myrtle Sheffy, Opal Bearden and Ruth Coleman, who won high score. Josie was second.

The Friday bridge was much fun at Dimmitt Country Club. Dorothy Elder was hostess. She made the best fresh apple cake and a coffee cake to finish off Mrs. Glenn's hamburgers. People playing were Deanne Clark and Bobbie Damron, who won high score. But I whipped Deanne one game. Others were Cheryl Glidewell, Josie Bradford, Cletha George, Dee Williams, Margaret Wilson, Rosalie Gilbreath, Opal Bearden, Diane Hatla and Brenda Andrews.

Quite a crowd of men were playing another game besides golf in the other room. They didn't tell me their score.

Sue Howell was hostess at their bridge club Thursday with a Mexican food dinner. Guests were Maxie Horton, Lucy Nelson, Darlene Dowell, Betty Dennis, Dalia Gregory, Pat Anthony and Brenda Andrews.

MRS. BESSIE Dobbs of Rocky Comfort, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNeill of Purdy, Mo. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cox. The Coxes were pioneer residents of Castro County, moved away, then came home again. They bought the brick house just north of the former Golden Spread Nursing Home off Halsell Street. A nephew Walter Cox and family from west of Canyon have been down for a visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Lennol Hester left here Monday for San Antonio to attend a task force on communications for the Texas Council of Methodist Churches. He will come back by Kerrville to attend the Faith and Order Conference Oct. 21-24. The Hill Country will be beautiful now with the colorful live oaks and other shrubs along the roads.

Mary and Herb Burnham and boys came in from Albuquerque, N.M. for homecoming and a visit with her folks the B. M. Nelsons. DeAlva Howard Koester of Monte Rey Park, Calif. was here. You remember she and Mary were on the very good All State Basketball team in 1954.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Witt came home from Littleton, Colo. Rosie Young Hall from Pecos and Don Johnston were masters of ceremony for the church party Saturday evening in fellowship hall. Several from Hereford were here. Don Nelson has names. George and Carolyn Sides were hosts for ten of the 1954 class at their home Friday evening after the Lockney and Bobcat game.

MRS. DORA Houtchens was the 80 year old birthday girl Saturday. Her daughters and husband gave her a party—Mary and Charlie Hestand, Marion and Louise Boyd from Clovis, Percy and Patsy Merritt west of Clovis. Louise baked the cake. The family gave money that was rolled tiny like little candles all over the cake. The ladies of the work day of the Church of Christ made many fancy cookies, served with fruit punch.

Several people came from out of town, her sister-in-law Mrs. Ruby Stallings, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baber of Canyon, granddaughters Jackie Bailey and Scott, Joey Baughman, Robbie and Kirk all of Clovis, Florene and Roy Stafford from San Antonio (a daughter) helped with the party. Son Charles called from Alaska and son Doyle called from Arkansas. Kin called Dora from six other states.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Manning and family of Houston are here for a visit with his brother Shorty and Polly Manning. Wayne Grant and Harvey Staton spent a few days at Stanford Lake fishing. They have a trailer house there. Mr. Grant says the fishing was not very good. They caught a few crappie for supper.

MURIEL AND Dorit Smiley of Richardson, east of Dallas, were in Amarillo on business but did meet Bill and Dee Williams at Hereford Saturday evening for supper. Daughter Cindy and Richard Ridgewood, a friend, met them there also. The Smileys, former Dimmitt residents, have a service station and two big mail routes there, and Muriel manages an apartment house. They send greetings and plan a visit here soon.

Chesley Johnston and family of Hereford and Don Johnston and family of Killeen were weekend guests of their mother Pearl Johnston.

Dora Houtchens says thanks a million times for the flowers, cards and calls and to the 40 people who came out in the rain to her birthday party. Hoyt Hestand, a grandson who is now living in Alaska, called her. He was enroute to Hawaii.

MR. AND MRS. R. E. Catoe just returned from a trip to visit their daughter Patty, her husband Ron and two girls Rhonda and Jennifer in Cleveland, Ohio. They went on up to Niagara Falls for eight days and stayed on the beautiful Niagara River in Grand Island, N.Y. The falls on the Canadian side were just breathtaking. They also went to many exciting eating places. They went to "John's Flaming Hearth" in Niagara Falls, N.Y. where Nikita Khrushchev insisted on visiting when he was in the U.S. The steaks were superb. They also went to the famous and original "Showboat" (1896 vintage) in Buffalo, N.Y. and enjoyed a "gourmet's delight". Of course the highlight of the trip was visiting with Ron, Patty and girls. Ron, by the way, is in the precious metals business, and is a distributor for Engelhard, selling silver bullion and gold coins. He will also be selling the gold bullion when it is legalized the first of the year.

The trip was really fun and they flew back Wednesday after a week and a half away from home.

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

Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m

Wednesday—

Bible Classes for all... 7:30 p.m

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JOE BAILES

300 N.E. 7th

Tesorero Gabriel Montiel

Secretaria Sara Sallinas

CULTOS DOMINGO PARA Y VISITANTES

Escuela Dominical... 10:00 a.m

La Predicacion..... 11:00 a.m

Estudios Biblicos.... 7:00 p.m

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

C. Lennol Hester, Pastor

110 S.W. 3rd — Ph. 647-4356

Sunday—

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship..... 10:45 a.m.

MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. 5:30 p.m.

Evening Worship..... 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday—

General Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.

WCSG..... 9:30 a.m.

Choir..... 7:30 p.m.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Robert Alexander

412 North East Street

Sunday—

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.

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

Training Union..... 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship..... 7:00 p.m.

Monday W.M.U..... 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday Brotherhood. 7:55 p.m.

Wednesday

Prayer Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.

Sanctuary Choir..... Friday

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

William E. Summers, Pastor

302 S.E. 2nd

Sunday—

Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.

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

Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church... 6:00 p.m.

Evangelistic Service... 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—

Mid-Week Service.... 7:30 p.m.

★ The church encourages ...

**READING GOD'S WORD**

The reading of God's word is a neglected love by many today. It has been too easy to forget the price paid by many in the past, to make the Bible available to all. There was a time when men were hungry for all the wonderful messages contained in God's word. The Bible is full of wisdom and the teachings that men need. "Man doth not live by bread only, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of the Lord."

EVERYONE IN THE CHURCH

THE CHURCH IN EVERYONE

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor

1001 W. Halsell — Ph. 647-4219

Sunday—

Mass in English..... 7:00 a.m.

Mass in Spanish..... 10:30 a.m.

Religion Classes..... 9:30 a.m.

Monday, Tuesday & Saturday—

Mass..... 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days—

Mass in English..... 7:00 a.m.

Mass in Spanish..... 8:00 p.m.

Confessions—

Friday..... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Baptism by Appointment

CHURCH OF CHRIST

S.W. 4th at Bedford

Ronnie Parker, Minister

Sunday—

Bible Study..... 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship..... 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday—

Bible Class for all.... 7:30 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.

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

Evening Worship..... 7:30 p.m.

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

Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday—

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Morning Worship and Lord's Supper..... 10:50 a.m.

Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday—

Bible Study..... 8:00 p.m.

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Sunday—

Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.

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

Training Union..... 6:00 p.m.

Evening Worship..... 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night—

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N.W. 5th at Halsell

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## 10—WANTED, MISC.

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## Sunnyside

# Waggoners host visitor from Ohio

By TEENY BOWDEN

Lesla Morgan and Perry Don O'Hair of Earth were married in a double ring ceremony at the Sunnyside Baptist Church Saturday night. Officiating at the wedding was Gary Schwantz of New Deal, a licensed minister who is a sophomore at Tech. Debbie Deering of Dallas served her sister as matron of honor, Becky Turman, a cousin from Phoenix, served as bridesmaid. Ricky Byers was best man and David Templeton of Earth was the groomsmen. Travis Deering of Dallas and Bill Shrantz of Earth were ushers. Steve Morgan read a love poem to his sister and Perry Don. Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner, Mrs. Hershel Wilson and Mrs. Larry Starnes helped out with the reception that followed in fellowship hall. After a wedding trip to Eureka Springs, Ark. the couple will be at home west of Earth.

HOWARD YODER of Dayton, Ohio visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner, Robert Duke, R. J. Lefevre and Bill Summers at Waggoner's Farm store Monday afternoon. He was on his way to Florida and came about 1,000 miles out of his way to see where he used to live. The Weldon Bradley collection of tractors caused him to stop here. His father sold their farm to the Starkey family in 1920 after living here three years. He attended school at Springlake, but attended church at Sunnyside when it was still held in the school building. He remembered going to church on the west side of the highway, but since no evidence is left of the Sunnyside School he was not aware he was on the five-acre tract of land where he used to attend church as he visited.

John Gilbreath, along with other Grain Sorghum Producers Association members and Texas G.S.P. Board members, hosted a 40-member group of agricultural leaders from Japan recently in Lubbock. During the two day tour the Japanese team was shown the grain fields, the feedlots and the supermarkets, and fed on grain-fed beef.

THE WMU had an installation service before church as a part of the worship service Sunday night. Mrs. R. J. Lefevre installed Mrs. Thomas Parson as WMU director, Mrs. L. B. Bowden as secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Hershel Wilson as Mission Action director, Mrs. Cliff Brown as Enlistment and Enlargement director, Mrs. Carl Dean Carson as Mission Action director, Mrs. Gale Sadler as Girls-in-Action director, Mrs. Gerald Elkins as Acteen director, and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler as Baptist Women director. Not all were present to receive the charge. The script was written by the late Evaline Parson, sister of Mrs. Thomas Parson.

Mrs. Cliff Brown and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Llanos Altos Associational meeting in the First Baptist Church at Littlefield Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Winston Waggoner and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary meeting at the hospital Wednesday morning.

Mrs. L. B. Bowden worked at auxiliary duties Monday afternoon. Mrs. John Gilbreath worked last Tuesday morning and again last Friday morning.

MRS. TOMMY ALAIR took her mother Mrs. Rachel Elsea, her aunt Mr. and Mrs. Jack

## 11—LIVESTOCK, PETS

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Ogletree of Bangs, and Mrs. Odessa Hopper of Coleman to Odessa last weekend to the home of another aunt for a Cox family reunion. All but two of the family were present. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox of Denver visited with the Tommy Alair family Sunday night through Tuesday night.

Mrs. V. C. Hopson of Dimmitt taught the WMU manual

to ladies of the church Thursday morning with guests from Lee Street Church in Dimmitt. Guests were Mrs. Pete Stewart, Mrs. Lewis Wakefield, Mrs. Paul Williams and Mrs. Bobby Gordon.

Mrs. Wauline Lilley of Plainview spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan

spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler visited in Lubbock Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes and Dr. and Mrs. Myles Sadler and children. They had supper out with the Sadlers.

Lesla Morgan was honored with a bridal shower by the women of El Paso Natural Gas camp and Earth friends last Saturday in Earth. Mrs. Lloyd Blanton and Mrs. Eddie Haydon also were hostesses.

.30 of an inch of rain was received Thursday night. .60 of an inch Saturday night and .40 of an inch Sunday.

Rev. Mack Turner taught the book "Reach Out to People" during the Wednesday night prayer service and the officers and teachers meeting that followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan attended the class of 1954 reunion at Dimmitt High School Saturday night as a part of the Homecoming activities.

LARRY DUKE and Robert Calhoun and the Dimmitt Bobcats won their Homecoming game over Lockney 40-15 to highlight the homecoming activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Lee and Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Swinney of Lubbock attended the art festival at Portales Sunday.

Mrs. Gerald Elkins spent each day this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawson and Natalie Ann helping out with the new baby. Mrs. Lawson was dismissed from the Littlefield Hospital last Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. Carl Dean Carson visited in Denver City with her parents Wednesday through Sunday and went through Carlsbad Caverns on Friday.

Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mrs. Ezell Sadler were in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview most of the week with Mrs. Pearl Sadler, who is making a satisfactory recovery from her recent surgery.

L. B. Bowden visited in Dimmitt Thursday afternoon with Goose Ramey.

## Here's Hart's school menu

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Hart Schools for Oct. 21-25.

Monday — Beef ravioli, whole kernel corn, green beans, peanut butter cake, cornbread, milk and butter.

Tuesday — Meat balls and spaghetti, new potatoes, black-eyed peas, peaches, yeast rolls, milk and butter.

Wednesday — hot dogs with chili, great northern beans, green salad, apple cobbler and milk.

Thursday — Pinto beans with hams, cabbage slaw, candied yams, pudding, cornbread, milk and butter.

Friday — Roast beef and brown gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, oatmeal cookies, hot rolls, milk and butter.

PERMIT and encourage children to verbalize their feelings, even when their ideas are different from your own. Ilene Carrington, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, suggests.



## VFW NEWS

By GERALD BROADSTREET

Greetings Comrades,

I have some important news regarding our annual dues. It was voted at our last meeting that the annual renewal fee be increased to \$10 after Jan. 1, 1975.

If you pay your dues now you can still get it for \$8.25, but anything after the last day in December will be \$10. So do yourself a favor and pay your dues today. You'll be saving money plus you'll be helping me, your post and your district. Comrades, I would like to mention, we are running way behind this same time last year on dues payment. With your help I know we can catch up and surpass our old record. Let's get with it and prove it, okay?

LAST Sunday at the post home we honored the Gold Star Mothers and World War I veterans. This program was a product of and spearheaded by our Ladies Auxiliary under the direction of President Florene Leinen. We did have a nice turnout for this event. Everyone played games of bridge, 42, etc. A table of snacks and refreshments was provided by the Ladies Auxiliary.

At our last meeting it was voted that we observe Veteran's Day on the original date of Nov. 11. The Federal government will observe this holiday on Oct. 28, but due to the VFW's stand on this issue we voted to comply with the way we and our other Comrades felt on this matter.

AS YET we have not received our permit from the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Comm. but as soon as it arrives in the mail we will announce our opening on the local radio station KDHN.

## Early mailing dates slated for Christmas

Urging all customers to mail as early as possible, Postmaster John Wood recommends the following dates by which residents of Dimmitt should deposit Christmas mail to the points indicated:

OCT. 15 - International surface parcels to the Far East.  
Oct. 25 - International surface greeting cards to the Far East.

Oct. 28 - Surface mail to Armed Forces in Antarctica, Australia, Burma, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Okinawa, Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand and Vietnam.

Nov. 1 - Surface and Space Available Mail (SAM) to Armed Forces in Ethiopia, Iran, Israel, Saudi Arabia and Turkey.

Nov. 4 - International surface greeting cards to Africa and the Near East.

Nov. 7 - Parcel Air Lift (PAL) mail to Armed Forces in Ethiopia, Iran, Israel, Saudi Arabia and Turkey.

Nov. 11 - Surface and Space Available Mail (SAM) to Armed Forces in South and Central America, the Congo and Liberia; surface mail to Armed Forces in Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain; international surface parcels to South and Central America, and Europe.

NOV. 18 - Parcel Air Lift (PAL) mail to Armed Forces in South and Central America, the Congo and Liberia; surface mail to Armed Forces in Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain; international surface parcels to South and Central America, and Europe.

South and Central America, the Congo and Liberia; international surface greeting cards to South and Central America, and Europe.

Nov. 20 - Space Available Mail (SAM) to Armed Forces in Antarctica, Australia, Burma, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Okinawa, Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam, Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain.

Nov. 25 - Surface mail and Space Available Mail (SAM) to Armed Forces in Canada, Greenland, Labrador, Newfoundland and the Azores.

Nov. 27 - Parcel Airlift (PAL) to Armed Forces in Belgium, Denmark, England, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Norway, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain; Parcel Air Lift (PAL) mail to Armed Forces in Antarctica, Australia, Burma, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Okinawa, Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand and Vietnam.

Nov. 30 - Parcel Air Lift (PAL) mail to Armed Forces in Canada, Greenland, Labrador, Newfoundland and the Azores; all surface parcels to Alaska and Hawaii.

DEC. 2 - Airmail greetings and parcels to Armed Forces in South and Central America, Ethiopia, Iran, Israel, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, Antarctica, Australia, Burma, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, New Zealand, Philippines, Taiwan, Thailand, Okinawa and Vietnam; international surface parcels to Canada and Mexico.

Dec. 7 - International surface greeting cards to Canada and Mexico.



## Nazareth FHA sets Saturday banquet

The Nazareth FHA will host its "Best Beau" banquet and dance Saturday.

THE BANQUET will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Nazareth school cafeteria.

A dance will be held in the Nazareth Community Hall from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Music will be provided by the Dale Munsford Trio. Admission will be \$4.50 per couple or \$2.50 per person.

## On the go

Lena Davila is now home from St. Mary's Hospital where she has spent over a month being treated for injuries received in a wreck. She is still in a cast from the waist down and would appreciate calls and visits from friends.



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CLASS OF '54—Almost half of Dimmitt High School's 1954 graduates were present for the class reunion Saturday evening, a highlight event of the 1974 DHS Homecoming. In front row, from left, are Dalvia Howard Koester of Monterey Park, Calif., Pat DeLozier Crooks of Childress, Carolyn Bagwell Sides of Dimmitt, Carolyn Campbell Wiseman of Dimmitt, Christine Young Bridges of Hereford and Eileen Ballard Berryman of Hereford. In second row, from left, are Mary Nelson Burnham of Albuquerque, N.M., class sponsor S. T. Newman of Tucumcari, N.M., Joe Paul Weatherford of Dimmitt, Edwin

Cartwright of Dimmitt, Rosie Young Hall of Pecos and Raneal Ivey Perry of Norman, Okla. Standing, from left, are Bob Anthony of Dimmitt, Rex Easterwood of Hereford, Gale Sadler of Dimmitt, Melvin Witt of Littleton, Colo., DeWayne Brown of Hart, Clark Dobbs of Dimmitt and Don Johnston of Killeen. Johnston coordinated the reunion and emceed the program in Lamar Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church and Mrs. Sides headed the dinner committee. One of the features of the reunion was taped messages from class members who could not attend.

## Home and hobby

# Here are recipes using green tomatoes

By IRENE KEATING

Many of you have been calling about ways to use those green tomatoes that won't ripen before frost. Here are several recipes that you may enjoy. Remember, if you need recipes or other help with your canning and freezing call me.

## GREEN TOMATO DILL PICKLES

Green tomatoes, if freshly picked, can be used for making dill tomato pickles. Select uniform size tomatoes in excellent condition. The amount of brine planned for 20 pounds of dill cucumbers will be sufficient for the same amount of dill tomatoes. Follow your dill pickle recipe.

## CRYSTAL TOMATO PICKLES

7 pounds green tomatoes  
1 quart slaked lime  
2 gallons water  
9 cups sugar  
2 quarts vinegar  
2 tablespoons salt  
6 strips cinnamon bark, 1 1/2" long  
1 teaspoon grated nutmeg  
1 teaspoon ground ginger

Slice green tomatoes 1/4" thick; place in glass or porcelain-lined container. Cover with 2 gallons water in which the quart of lime has been dissolved. Let stand 24 hours. Remove, rinse well through several cold water baths to remove all lime sediment. Dissolve sugar in vinegar; add cinnamon stick and cloth bag containing nutmeg and ginger. Heat the vinegar and spices to boiling and allow to stand for 1 hour.

Add slices of green tomato, and cook rapidly until slices are glazed and syrup clings to the spoon. Fill hot jars with the slices, arranging cinnamon sticks attractively with the slices in the jar. Discard the spice bag. Heat spiced vinegar to boiling; pour over tomatoes. Close. Process in boiling water bath for 5 minutes. Start to count processing time as soon as water returns to boiling.

**CHOW-CHOW RELISH**  
1 peck or 12 1/2 lbs. green tomatoes  
8 large onions  
10 sweet green peppers  
3 tbsps. salt

## Hart schools set carnival

Hart schools will hold their annual Halloween Carnival Oct. 31 from 7-10 p.m. in the elementary gym.

ADMISSION will be 15 cents and admission proceeds will go to the student council.

Game booths and a cake walk will be featured at the carnival.

6 small hot peppers, chopped  
4 cups vinegar  
1 1/4 cups sugar  
3 tbsps. salt  
4 tbsps. dry mustard  
3 tbsps. celery seed  
2 tsp. tumeric  
2 tbsps. mustard seed

## Here are week's best food buys

Pork supplies are doing a seasonal climb — with prices down a bit, one authority reported this week.

CURRENT features are loin chops, quarter-loins cut into chops and Boston butt roasts, according to Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Heavy-beef prices remain about the same, and many markets offer two or more grades of beef — as more grass-fed beef is available," she said.

Most economical beef choices are chuck roasts and steaks, round and rib steaks, liver and ground beef.

"Sugar prices likely will keep rising, so consumers should consider substituting honey or syrup in some situations," Mrs. Clyatt said.

"Rice harvests are expected to set a new record this year, which means large supplies and reasonable prices."

VEGETABLE economy this week centers on cabbage, broccoli and hard shell squash — along with carrots, dry yellow onions, potatoes, cooking greens, pumpkin, turnips and rutabagas.

Fruit choices in line with budgets include pears and apples.

"Bartlett pears are in good supply, so look forward to plentiful winter varieties — D'anjou and Comice."

New crop tangerines and cranberries, on the other hand, reflect first-of-the-season prices, the specialist reported.

CONSUMER WATCH-WORDS: Sharp-shopping starts with knowing which foods are in good supply, because they have the most attractive prices.

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[Compiled from the County Home Demonstration Council's Community Birthday Calendar.]

OCT. 18 - Edd and Jackie McLeroy.  
OCT. 20 - Carl and Audrey Nelson, Bobby and Wanda Murdock.  
OCT. 21 - Charles and Pat King.  
OCT. 24 - Bay and Bobbie Baldrige.

## Domestic Engineers host county agent

Members of the Domestic Engineers Home Demonstration Club heard a program on "Hang It Up Anywhere" at their regular meeting last Tuesday.

COUNTY Agent Irene Keating presented the program to Jana Nava, Wanda Riley, Juanita Welch, Dee Smith and Melissa Goolsby.

The club's next meeting will be held Tuesday. A program on creative needlework will be presented.



[Compiled from the County Home Demonstration Council's Community Birthday Calendar.]

OCT. 19 - Thompson Mayberry, Benny Barrera, Gene Ivey, Shirley Thompson, Pedro Rico.  
OCT. 20 - J. J. Patton.  
OCT. 21 - Judy Moore, Goldman Dyer, Vern Lust.  
OCT. 22 - Diane Hodnett, Connie Nelson.  
OCT. 23 - Millie Lust, Kent Shane White, Bill Henderson.  
OCT. 24 - Paula Birdwell Bradford, David Mohon, Edith L. Wilson, Rodney Patton.

## HD club hears cancer program

Members of the Town and Country Home Demonstration Club heard a program on breast cancer presented by Mrs. Marguerite McLain and Mrs. Claude Forson at their regular meeting last Tuesday.

Guests included Mrs. Handley, Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Howe and Irene Keating.

EARLY varieties of pecans are being harvested in Central and South Central Texas.

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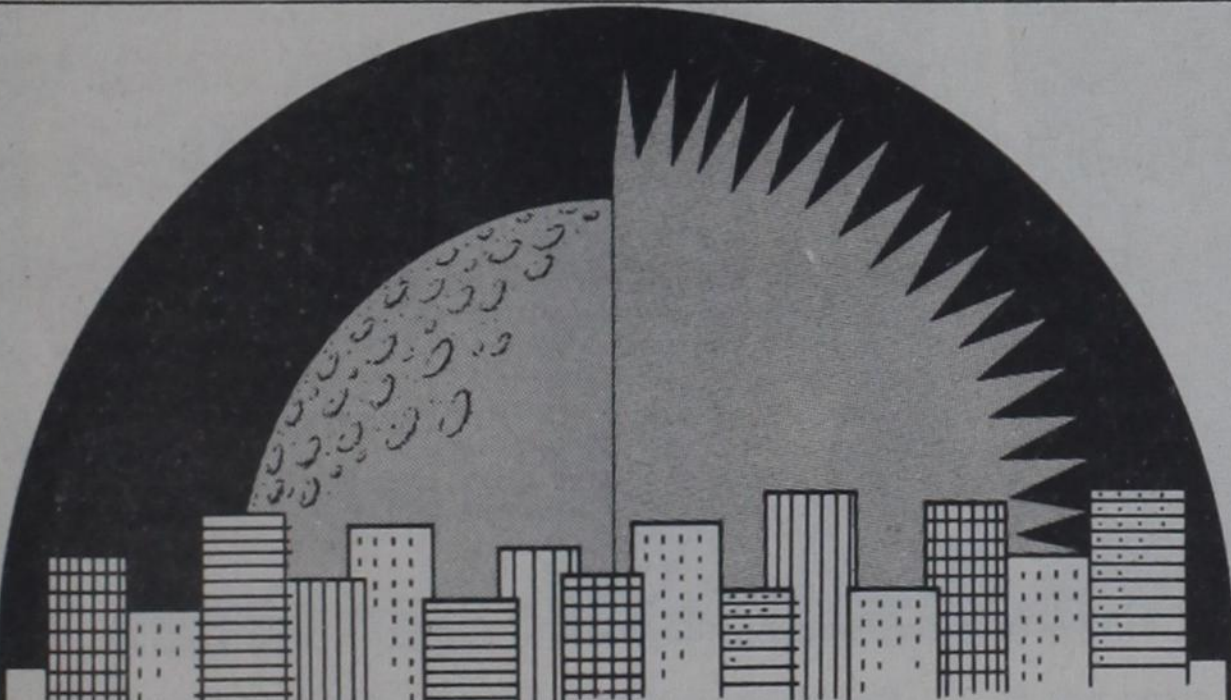
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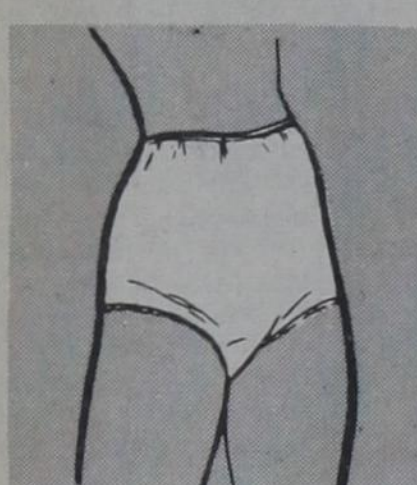


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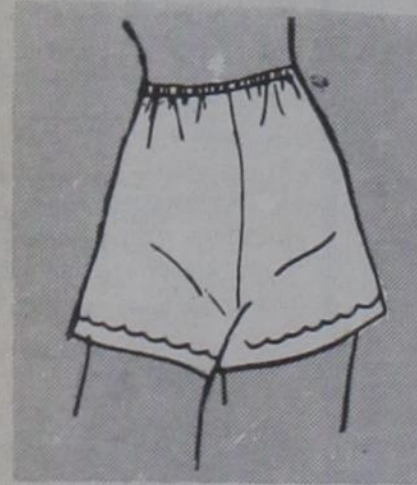
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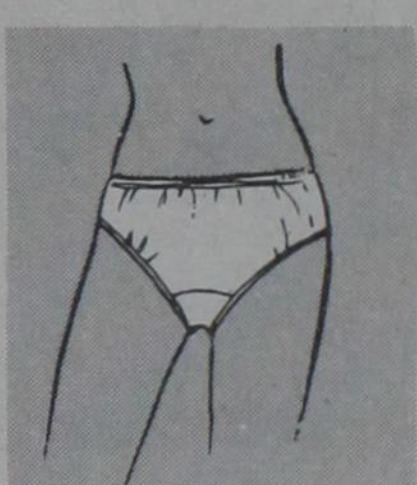
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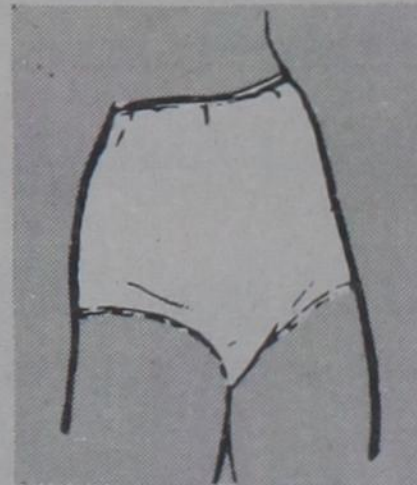
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HARVESTING of the Rio Grande Valley's second sugar cane crop in many years will soon be getting underway.

## Agricultural credit still good in Texas

Texas country banks may be out-of-step with the rest of the country—they appear to be in good shape to serve farmers and ranchers, says an economist in agribusiness for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

DR. WAYNE Hayenga recently surveyed the state's agricultural lending institutions to determine the agricultural credit climate. There were 98 respondents among banks, production credit associations, Federal Land Banks, Farmers Home Administration and other credit agencies.

Sixty-one percent of Texas banks reported they were actively seeking new farm and ranch accounts as compared to only 19 percent that reported cutting back on loans because of a fund shortage. Also, last year they had to refer fewer customers to non-bank credit agencies or to correspondent banks. Loan-deposit ratios were reported normal in 55 percent of the banks; 33 percent reported a drop in loan-deposit ratios.

"Thirty-one percent of Texas agricultural lenders reported more farmers and ranchers were borrowing this year than last," points out Hayenga. "This compares to 10 percent that reported a decrease in customer numbers and 59 percent that had no change."

Seventy-three percent reported average loan increases as compared to only eight percent that saw loan size go down. Greatest increases reported were for machinery and operating loans while demand for feeder cattle loans decreased.

INTEREST rate charged by the responding lenders as of June 1 averaged 9.49 percent for cattle loans, 9.03 percent for farm and ranch operating loans and 8.51 percent for real estate loans.

The average margin requirement reported for cattle loans was 37 percent. Only 15 percent reported margin requirements of less than 20 percent, but 45 and 40 percent reported margin requirements in the 20-30 percent and 30-40 percent range, respectively.

"Collateral requirements were reported to be higher than last year by 20 percent of the respondents, while 78 percent reported requirements were the same," notes the specialist. "Only two percent reported collateral requirements were lower."

Lenders reported loan repayments were up compared to last year except for cattle loans. The predominant cash crop areas reported the highest rate of loan repayment. Of the total responses, 39 percent reported repayments up, 37 percent were about the same and 24 percent were lower than last year.

SEVENTY-seven percent of the respondents expected farm income for the next six months to be lower than the past year while only 12 percent thought farm and ranch earnings would be higher.

The greatest agreement was that farmers and ranchers are spending more money on purchased inputs. Ninety-one percent reported higher farm expenses.

Thirty-three percent of the lenders answering the survey reported current demand for refinancing debt was up from last year, but 48 percent indicated they expected higher demand for refinancing in the next six months.

Short-term loan demand is expected to increase by 70 percent, according to the responding institutions. Forty-seven percent expect interest rates to remain about the same while 29 percent expect a decrease.

NEARLY half of the lenders reported that both current and expected demand for real estate loans would remain at current levels. Sixty-three percent indicated that long term interest rates would remain about the same, with 19 percent expecting rates to go down.



Mrs. Mildred Washington

### Mrs. Washington to head committee

Mrs. Mildred Washington of Dimmitt was elected president of the Region XVI Head Start Policy Advisory Committee in a Head Start meeting in Amarillo last week.

THE committee serves as a link between public and private organizations and its community. It presents an opportunity to initiate suggestions for program improvements, to aid in recruiting volunteers, and to encourage parents to participate in the Head Start program.

Other schools represented at the meet included Amarillo, Borger, Farwell, Hereford, Memphis, Pampa, Tulia and Valley. Mrs. Mary Rivera and Evie Froehner of Dimmitt also attended the meeting.

### SS reports due by October 31

Quarterly wage reports and social security contributions for household workers are due by Oct. 31, according to Travis C. Briggs, manager in Amarillo.

IF YOU pay a household worker \$50 or more in cash wages in any three-month calendar quarter for work around your house, you must send a report of the wages and the social security contribution to the Internal Revenue Service within one month after the end of the quarter.

Quarters are January-February-March, April-May-June, July-August-September, and October-November-December. Wage reports and social security contributions for the third quarter of 1974 are due by Oct. 31.

The reports may be filed on a form available at any Internal Revenue Service office—"Employer's Quarterly Tax Return for Household Employees (for Social Security)."

Under the current social security contribution rate, the employer and the employee each pay 5.85 percent of covered wages. "Or the employer can pay the full 11.7 percent contribution," he said.

Social Security contributions help build retirement, disability, survivor's and Medicare protection for 1½ million household workers, including maids, cooks, cleaning women, gardeners, handymen and babysitters.

People who employ household workers can get a free copy of the leaflet, "Social Security and Your Household Employee," at any social security office. For more information, contact Amarillo Social Security Office, 317 E. Third St., call 806-376-2241.

THE NEW Southern United States Trade Association is planning to open an office in the International Trade Mart in New Orleans to promote export of Southern agricultural products. Texas Department of Agriculture Commissioner John C. White is vice president of SUSTA.

**On Wall Street**  
By Bob Hill  
**Lentz, Newton & Co.**

The digital watch, operating on the principle of the quartz crystal, has revolutionized the watch-making industry in the past two years. Thus far, digital watches have been an expensive luxury with demand far outstripping supply. But get ready for bargain prices in the digital watch field.

JUST TWO years ago, producers of integrated circuits began making electronic calculators and marketing them through high-volume retail outlets. The result has been a complete dominance of the electronic calculator market by such companies as Rockwell International Texas Instruments and National Semiconductor and a drop in prices of 66% from the earlier models. Now these integrated circuit giants are moving into the \$5-

### Halloween Carnival on tap for Oct. 31

The Dimmitt Lions Club will host its annual Halloween Carnival Thursday, Oct. 31 at the Panhandle Compress & Warehouse.

SCHEDULED to begin at 7 p.m., the carnival will run 4½ hours, and will feature numerous game and food booths and a costume contest.

Any organization desiring to operate a booth at the carnival should contact Dimmitt High School Principal D. W. Harkins or City Manager Garnett Holland, or someone in their offices.

Those operating booths will be responsible for their own set-ups and take-downs.

The Lions Club will assign space and provide electrical leads and general clean-up before and after the carnival.

TODAY about 80 percent of the nation's wealth is spent for consumer goods and service. Heavy demands help drive up prices, Lynn Borland, family resource management specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, reports.

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### Doll show set for Amarillo

The Amarillo Doll Association will hold a show and sale at the Amarillo Civic Center Oct. 18-20.

PROCEEDS from the show will be used to aid mentally retarded children in the area.

Show hours Oct. 18 and 19 will be from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. and hours Oct. 20 will be from 1-6 p.m.

Admission is \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children.

Free workshops on wig making, corn husk dolls and draped dolls will be held during the show.

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## 3-AA teams to begin district competition

By BILL ELLIS

District 3-AA teams, with the exception of Friona, get down to the business of family warfare this week, and from all appearances, it will be an interesting race.

THE DISTRICT has amassed an impressive record against

non-league foes, standing 20 wins, eight losses and a tie, a winning percentage of .707. Friona will be out to boost that percentage a few points Friday when the Chiefs visit Abilene in the last non-league outing for 3-AA.

Otherwise, Dimmitt and the Mayberry Express will visit three-time champion Littlefield Friday, while Olton hosts Morton in the first district encounters of the season.

In the Dimmitt-Littlefield clash, two of the district's top rushers will meet head-on, in the persons of Dimmitt's Robert Mayberry and Littlefield's Bill Turner.

For non-district play, Turner was the loop's leading rusher for total yardage, 751, with Mayberry third with 735 yards. Olton's Glenn Johnson managed to wedge between the two with 745 yards.

HOWEVER, where Turner and Johnson have each been the workhorse for their respective teams, Mayberry has carried the ball just 57 times on the balanced Dimmitt team, and has a remarkable 12.9 yards per carry average.

Mayberry had one of those nights that leave opposing coaches shaking their heads in Dimmitt's 40-15 win over Lockney last Friday. The Bobcat speedster scored five touchdowns, and averaged over 20 yards per carry, getting 123 yards in only six attempts.

In addition to scoring three times on runs from scrimmage, Mayberry also scored on a 78-yard pass play, and returned a punt for another marker.

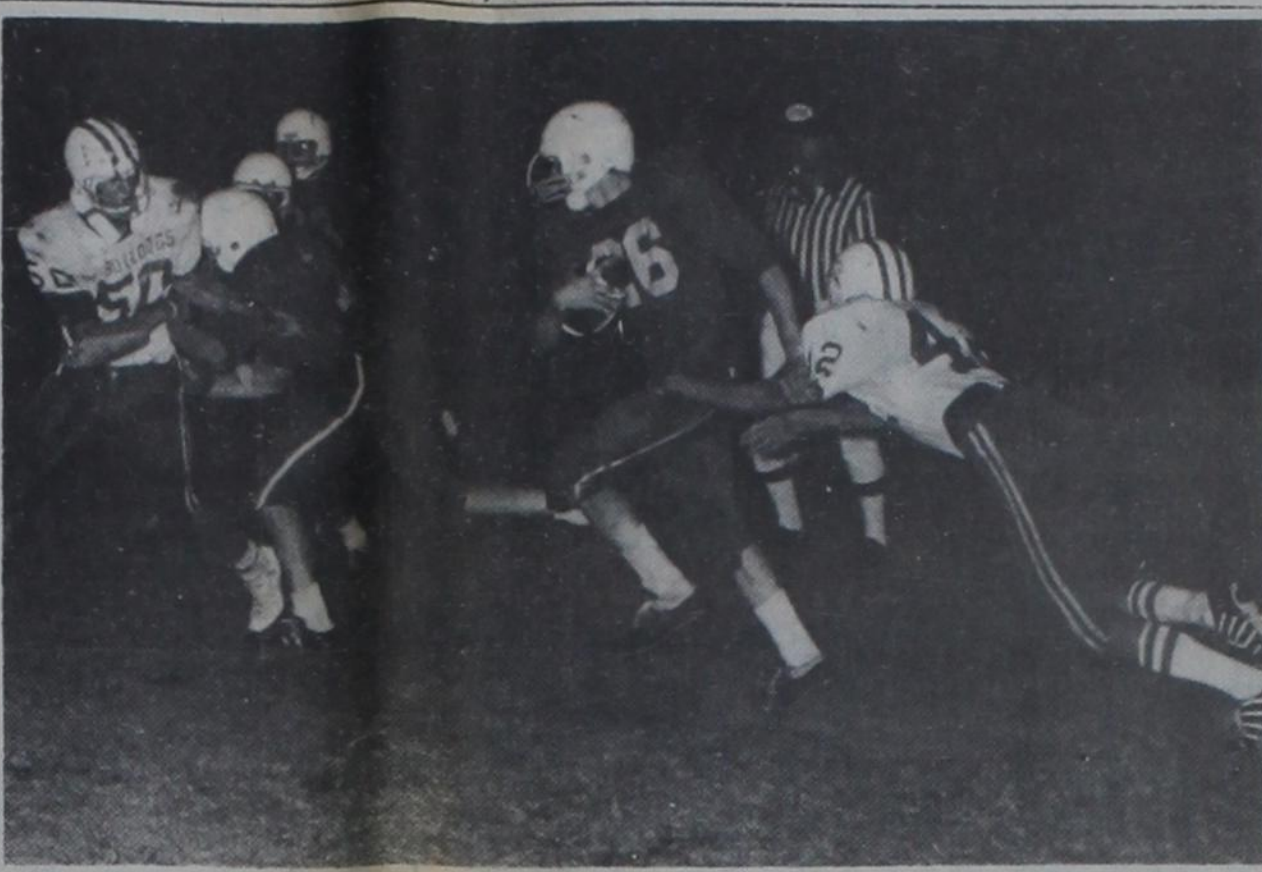
Coach Deane Wright pointed out that Lockney actually controlled the ball more, having it for 86 plays to 38 for the Bobcats, and led in first downs and total yards. Unfortunately for the Longhorns, they just didn't keep the ball long enough.

IN OTHER league games, Friona remained unbeaten by thumping Dalhart, 19-2, and Olton powered past winless Idalou, 34-7. Littlefield ran into a potent Roosevelt team and lost, 30-0, and Morton fell victim to Muleshoe's first win of the season, 16-6.

Morton, still hurting by the loss of fullback Tony Soliz, had its punting game go sour. Muleshoe blocked one punt and recovered it in the end zone for a TD, and took advantage of another punt that went straight up for a field goal that shot the Mules into a 10-0 lead.

Friona continued its good defensive record, but missed out on a fourth shutout win of the season when Dalhart scored a second-period safety.

RAINS have made pastures better all across Texas, and most livestock will go into winter in good condition.



DARRELL HUSEMAN (26) eludes an Amherst tackler and follows his blockers for more yardage during Nazareth's Homecoming grid battle with the Bulldogs Friday night. The

Swifts moved well down the middle against the Bulldogs and had equal success outside, but three good drives stalled out short of the goal line. The contest ended in a 0-0 tie.

## Swifts, Bulldogs battle to scoreless deadlock

By JIM STEIERT  
News Editor

The Nazareth Swifts and the Amherst Bulldogs battled to a 0-0 deadlock in Nazareth's Homecoming tilt Friday night at Nazareth.

THE TEAMS were even in penetrations with two apiece, but the Swifts tallied 11 first downs to Amherst's seven.

Nazareth's defensive front wall proved virtually impregnable as the Big Blue constantly stopped Bulldog runners at the line of scrimmage with punishing tackles. It was not until late in the second half that the Bulldogs began to move effectively against the Swifts with screen and turn-in passes.

The Swifts moved the ball well against the Bulldogs, but could not punch it across for a score. Nazareth was driving goalward in the waning seconds of the fourth period but time ran out on the Swifts.

Junior Joiner took the opening kickoff for Nazareth but lost the handle and the Bulldogs recovered at the Swift 19 to give Amherst a quick penetration.

STUNG BY the turnover, the Big Blue defense swarmed in on Bulldog ball carriers, holding the Bulldogs short of a first down and forcing them to turn the ball over on fourth down.

Charles Heck, Joiner and Darrell Huseman shared ball carrying duties and helped tote the ball to the Nazareth 44 before an incomplete pass on third down forced the Swifts to punt.

Both defenses stiffened as the teams then exchanged a series of punts.

The Bulldogs eventually mounted a drive to the Nazareth 39 behind the running of Curtis Ivey, Gary McDaniel and Richard Holley, but Joiner stopped Stanley Miller short of the needed yardage on fourth down and the ball went over.

HUSEMAN and Joiner gained 10 yards on two quick pops over the middle to put the Swifts on their own 49 as the first period ended.

Heck, Joiner and Huseman then teamed up to share ball carrying duties and move the Swifts to the Amherst 34 before the drive was halted by the Bulldogs.

The Swifts quickly shut down the Amherst offense to get the ball back on their own 42 following a punt.

Heck then spearheaded a Swift drive with slashing runs off tackle and around the ends. In seven plays the Swifts moved to the Amherst 24, then Heck bulled his way to the Bulldog 19 for Nazareth's first penetration of the night. Huseman moved the ball to the Bulldog 15, but was stopped short of the needed yardage for first down and the ball went over.

The half ended with the Swifts attempting to put a quick score on the board.

AMHERST took the opening kickoff of the second half at its own 28, but the Bulldogs were caught clipping and the ball was moved back to the 13. The Bulldogs could manage only four yards against the Big Blue defense and were forced to punt.

Nazareth took the ball on its own 44, following a fine punt, and the Swifts mounted their longest drive of the night. Huseman, Heck and Joiner moved the ball to the Amherst 31 where the Bulldogs were called for face-masking. The penalty gave the Swifts the ball at the Bulldog 15. The Swifts fought their way to the Amherst 9, but could not punch the ball across as a fourth down pass from quarterback Doyle

Kleman to Ted Huseman fell incomplete.

The defenses then took control as the teams exchanged a series of punts.

The Bulldogs took the ball at their own 30 midway in the fourth period and mounted their best drive of the night displaying a potent pass attack. In 11 plays the Bulldogs march-

### Here's how the opponents fared

**DIMMITT OPPONENTS**  
Muleshoe (1-5) 16, Morton (2-4) 6  
Slaton (1-5) 3, Post 10  
Springlake-Earth (2-3) Open  
Tahoka (1-4) 7, Frenship 16  
Tulia (2-4) 29, Panhandle 0  
Lockney (2-4) 15, DIMMITT (6-0) 40  
Littlefield (2-3-1) 0, Roosevelt 32  
Morton (2-4) 6, Muleshoe (1-5) 16  
Friona (5-0) 19, Dalhart 2  
Olton (5-1) 34, Idalou 7

**HART OPPONENTS**  
Anton (2-2-2) 18, Whiteface 18 (tie)  
Shallowater (1-4) Open  
Crosbyton (1-5) 0, Lorenzo 31  
Petersburg (5-1) 10, Hale Center 0  
Friona (5-0) 19, Dalhart 2  
Kress (2-3) Open  
Vega (2-2-1) Open  
Springlake-Earth (2-3) Open  
Farwell (1-3-1) 13, Plains 21  
Bovina (4-1) 27, O'Donnell 0

**NAZARETH OPPONENTS**  
Texline (1-4-1) 28, Keyes, Okla. 14  
Whiteface (2-2-1) 18, Anton 18 (tie)  
Ropesville (2-4) 15, New Home 6  
Lazbuddie (0-6) 6, Matador (5-1) 55  
Meadow (4-1-1) 27, Wilson 16  
Amherst (2-3-1) 0, NAZARETH (3-2-1) 0 (tie)  
Matador (5-1) 55, Lazbuddie (0-6) 6  
Sudan (4-2) 42, Happy (0-6) 6  
Valley (2-3-1) 20, Childress "B" 6  
Happy (0-6) 6, Sudan (4-2) 42

ed to the Swift 17. The Swift defense rose to the occasion however, as Joiner broke up a Richard Holley pass on second down and the front four dropped Holley for a 12 yard loss on third down. Holley completed a pass to Stanley Miller for seven yards on fourth down but Darrell Huseman stopped Miller short of the first down and the ball went over.

Following an exchange of punts the Swifts took the ball on their 44 with under a minute remaining in the game.

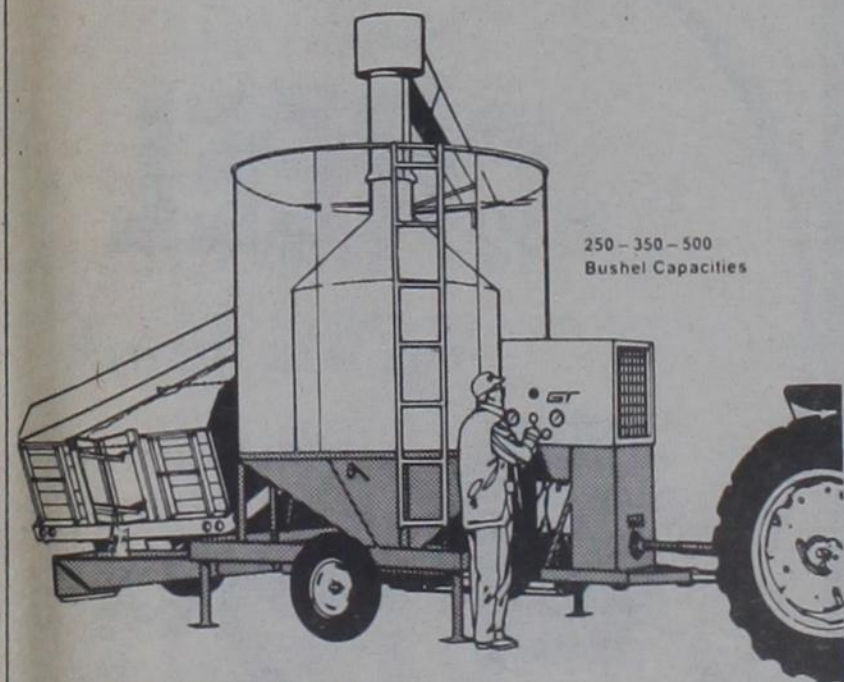
Darrell Huseman rambled for 11 yards on the first play from scrimmage and Joiner added 6 more on the next play to give the Swifts the ball on the Bulldog 39. With 25 seconds remaining Joiner carried to the 35. Quarterback Doyle Kleman went back to pass on the next play but was dropped for a two yard loss. Bernie Huseman broke through the Bulldog line and was open momentarily before the Bulldog secondary halted him after a six-yard gain as the clock ran out.

TOMORROW (Friday) the Swifts will take on the Matador Matadors in a road game set for 7:30 p.m.

### This week's grid schedule

**DIMMITT HIGH SCHOOL**  
Varsity at Littlefield 7:30 p.m. Oct. 18  
Jr. Varsity at Lockney 6:30 p.m. Oct. 17  
Freshmen at Lockney 5 p.m. Oct. 17  
**DIMMITT JUNIOR HIGH**  
Dimmitt hosts Lockney 5 p.m. Oct. 17  
**HART HIGH SCHOOL**  
Varsity at Kress 8 p.m. Oct. 18  
Jr. Varsity hosts Kress 7:30 p.m. Oct. 17  
**HART JUNIOR HIGH**  
7th grade hosts Kress 5 p.m. Oct. 17  
8th grade hosts Kress 6 p.m. Oct. 17  
**NAZARETH HIGH SCHOOL**  
Varsity at Matador 7:30 p.m. Oct. 18

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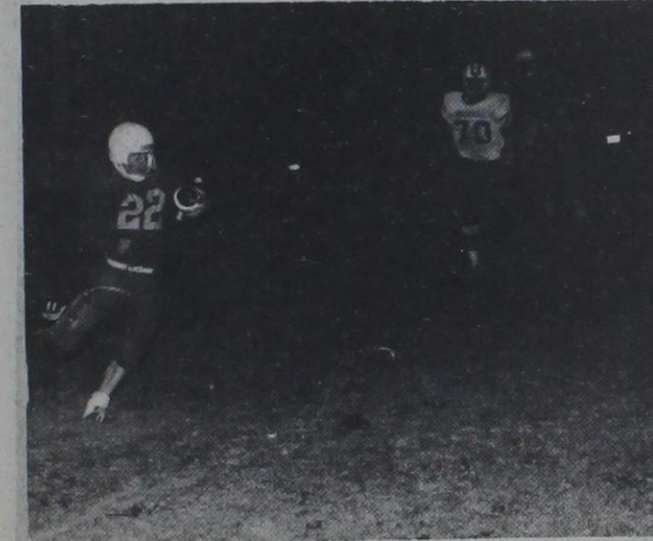
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**SUPER SPIRIT**—Nazareth coach Bruce Bush gets a pie in the face during Nazareth High School's Homecoming pep rally held last Thursday at Swift Stadium. A member of the NHS student body moved up the ladder according to the volume of yells from rally attenders. When yells reached the "super" crescendo, Bush was "creamed".



**ROUND THE CORNER**—Nazareth halfback Charles Heck turns the corner and looks for daylight upfield in Nazareth's homecoming tilt with Amherst Friday. Heck spearheaded two good drives against the Bulldogs, but the Swifts weren't able to punch the football across for a touchdown in the contest and the opponents battled to a scoreless tie. The teams were even in penetrations at two—but Nazareth held the edge in first downs 11-7.

**ASCS news**

**Growers must file for '74 incentive payment**

By CHARLEY E. HILL  
County Executive Director

**1974 WOOL PROGRAM**

If you have marketed wool, unshorn lambs or mohair, you must file for your Incentive Payment during the 1974 Marketing Year, which ends Dec. 31, to be eligible for payment.

If you are a member of a partnership and the partnership has not filed for a prior year Wool, Unshorn Lamb or Mohair Incentive Payment, then you will need to obtain an identifying number for the partnership and report it to the ASCS Office before the partnership can file for an Incentive Payment for the 1974 Marketing Year.

**1974 FEED GRAIN AND COTTON PROGRAM**

If you have corn, grain sorghum or cotton acreage that will not be harvested for grain or lint, please contact this office before making any use or disposition of the acreage. These acreages must be inspected by an appraiser prior to making any other use of the land or crop. You are urged to keep your production separate for each farm in which you have an interest.

**PROVEN WHEAT YIELDS**

The base period for proving your 1975 wheat yield is 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972 and 1973. To prove your yield, you must have produced wheat on the farm in each of these five years and be able to provide reliable proof of production. If you intend to prove your yield in subsequent years, current year production evidence must be submitted along with evidence for the most recent year of the base period.

Any producers desiring to prove their 1975 wheat yield this year will have fifteen days from last Thursday to bring in their production for the five base years.

**PRICE SUPPORT LOANS**

All commodity loans (grain sorghum, corn, soybeans, wheat and cotton) may be obtained at the county ASCS Office. Effective Oct. 1 all loans shall bear interest at the rate of 9.375 percent per annum from the date of disbursement to the date of any subsequent change in the interest rate.

**HOLIDAY:** The Castro County ASCS Office will be closed Oct. 28 in observance of Veterans' Day.

**THOUGHT:** The flowers of all the tomorrows are in the seeds of today.

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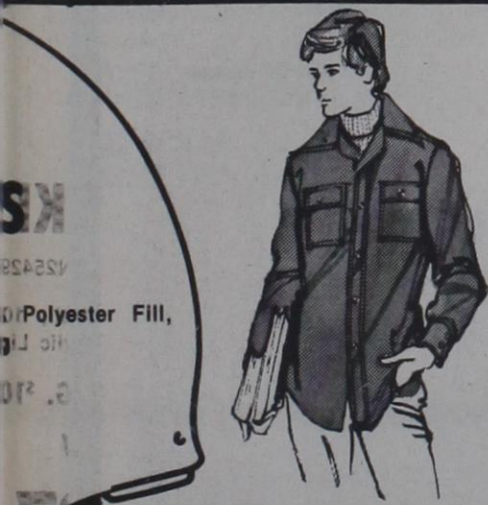
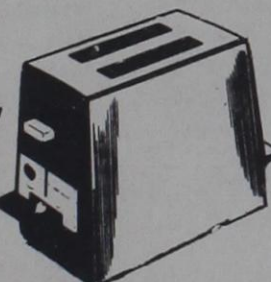


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**BONFIRE ROYALTY**—Evelyn Martin and Gene Veals, seniors at Dimmitt High School, were named Flame Queen and Flame King at the big bonfire and pep rally held east of DHS last Thursday. Miss Martin is one of two American Field Service students attending classes at DHS this year and Veals is a halfback on the Bobcat football squad. Other king and queen candidates included Billy Roland and Amy Merritt, freshmen; Louis Vasquez and Kay Phillips, sophomores; and Steve Stanton and Melissa Moore, juniors.



**LORETTA YOUNG**, Dimmitt High School junior, was crowned Dimmitt's 1974 Homecoming Queen during the big Homecoming pep rally held in the DHS gym Friday afternoon. Miss Young, a DHS cheerleader, received a bouquet of roses and a special Homecoming mum.

**Estate management program is slated**

A program on estate management will be conducted Monday at 2 p.m. in the assembly room of the Castro County Courthouse.

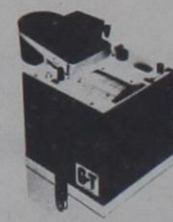
THE PROGRAM will be conducted by Eugene McElyea, an attorney for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and James Horton, trust officer and executive vice-president of the First State Bank of Dimmitt. Topics to be discussed will include "The Importance of a Will in a Texas Estate", "Texas Laws on Descent and Distribution", "Community and Separate Property", "Costs of an Estate in Probate", "Gifts, Federal and State Inheritance Taxes". A question and answer session will conclude the program at 4 p.m. The local agents

invite anyone interested in estate management to attend the program.

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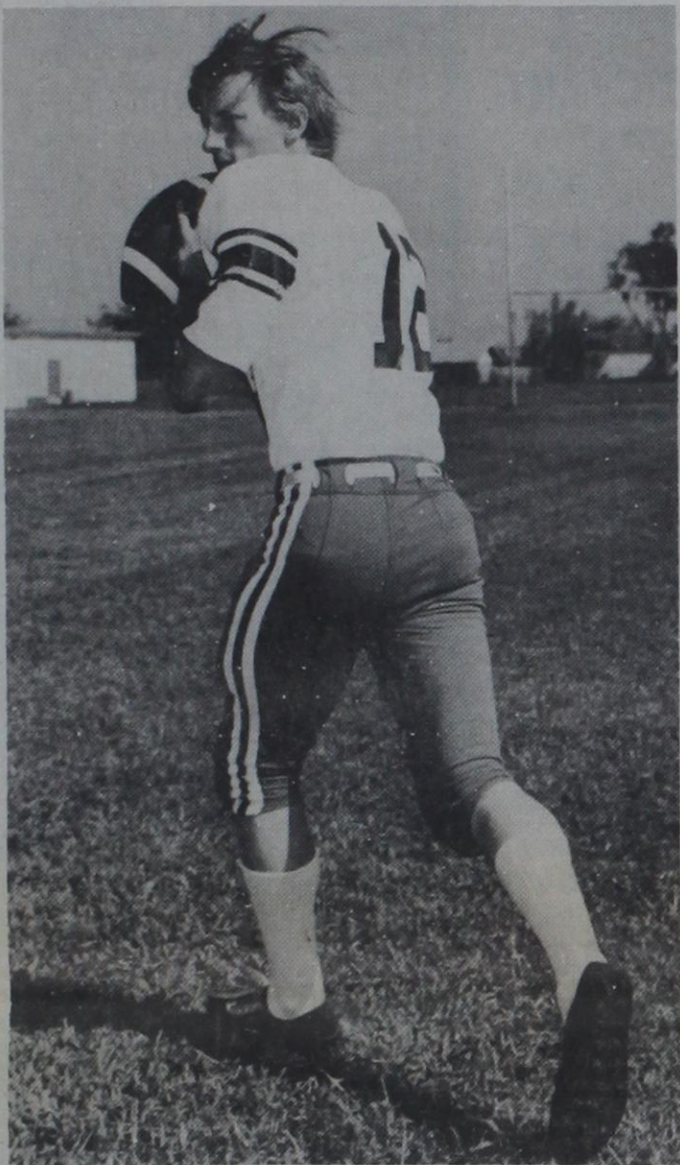


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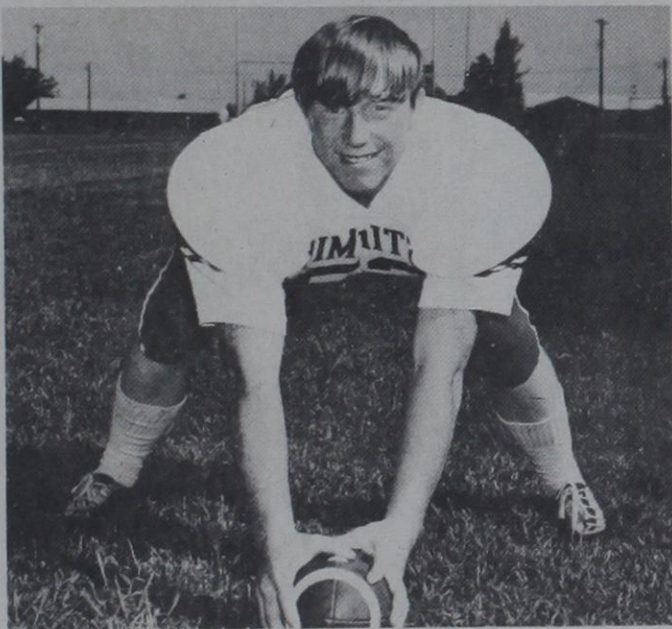
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### BOOSTER CLUB FOOTBALL CONTEST

#### CONTEST RULES:

1. Contestant must be at least 18, and must be a member of the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club. If you are not a Booster Club member, you may send in your dues with your entry. Dues are \$5 per couple, \$3 per person.
2. Circle your choice of winning team in each game on this week's list. Be sure your name and address are on your entry.
3. Your entry must be turned in before 5 p.m. Friday at the Castro County News office, 108 W. Bedford St. Entry also may be mailed to "Football Contest," Castro County News, PO Box 67, Dimmitt, 79027, and must be postmarked before 5 p.m. Friday.
4. A committee of Booster Club members appointed by the club's officers will compile the weekly contest list and score the entries.
5. The tie-breaker score will not be used except in case of a tie on the number of correct choices. On the tie-breaker, circle your choice of winner and pick the TOTAL POINTS you think will be scored in the game.
6. Contest winners will be announced at the next meeting of the Booster Club at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Dimmitt High School Cafeteria. Any questions concerning the contest or individual scores should be brought up at that time.
7. Contest winners' names will be posted in next week's issue of the Castro County News.

#### PRIZES:

WEEKLY prizes of \$5 cash for first place and \$3 cash for second place will be awarded by the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club. SEASON prizes will also be awarded.

The Booster Club scoring committee will compile weekly totals of contestants' correct predictions to determine the season prize winners.

#### PRIZES

#### THIS WEEK'S GAMES

##### PRO GAMES

NEW ENGLAND at BUFFALO  
PHILADELPHIA at DALLAS  
CINCINNATI at OAKLAND

##### COLLEGE GAMES

ARKANSAS at TEXAS  
ARIZONA at TEXAS TECH  
WEST TEXAS at TULSA  
MISSOURI at OKLAHOMA STATE  
FLORIDA at FLORIDA STATE  
NEBRASKA at KANSAS

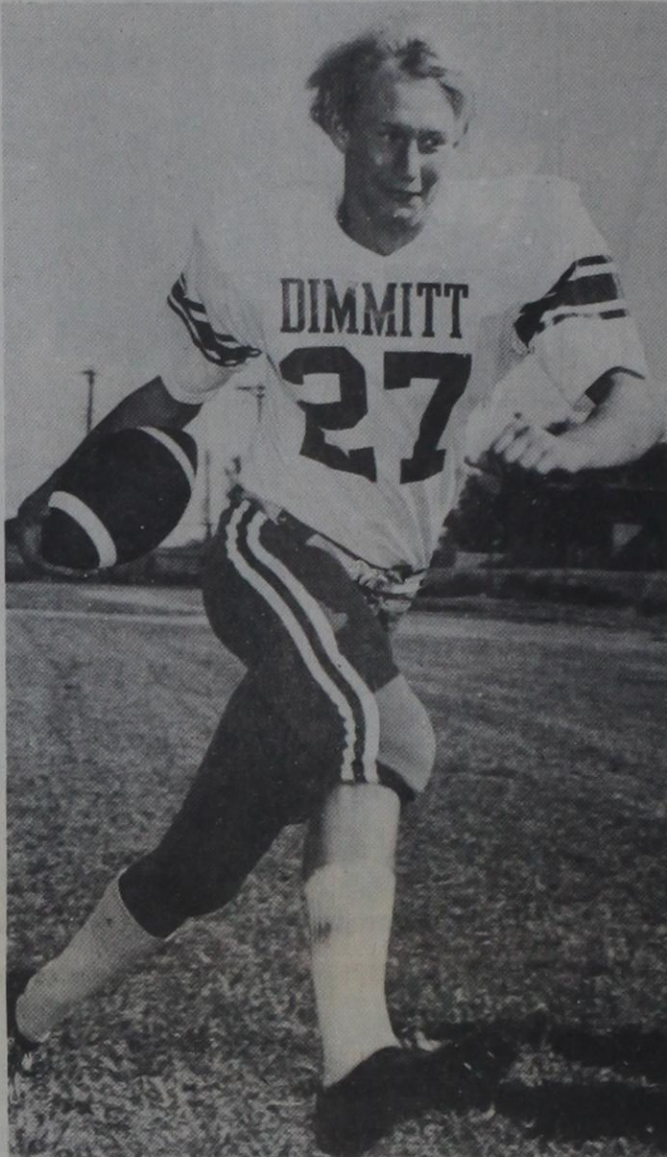
##### HIGH SCHOOL GAMES

FLOYDADA at LOCKNEY  
CAPROCK at PAMPA  
PLAINVIEW at LUBBOCK MONTEREY  
CANYON at DUMAS  
DALHART at SPEARMAN  
HART at KRESS

##### TIE BREAKER:

(Circle winner and guess total points)

LORENZO at PETERSBURG



Cliff Parker  
Sr. Back



### DIMMITT HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE — 1974

| Date         | Opponent                 | Where | Time |
|--------------|--------------------------|-------|------|
| September 6  | Dimmitt 14, Muleshoe 0   | Here  | 8:00 |
| September 13 | Dimmitt 43, Slaton 3     | There | 8:00 |
| September 20 | Dimmitt 33, Springlake 6 | Here  | 8:00 |
| September 27 | Dimmitt 41, Tahoka 6     | There | 8:00 |
| October 4    | Dimmitt 20, Tulia 0      | There | 8:00 |
| October 11   | Dimmitt 40, Lockney 15   | Here  | 8:00 |
| October 18   | LITTLEFIELD*             | There | 7:30 |
| October 25   | OPEN                     |       |      |
| November 1   | MORTON*                  | Here  | 7:30 |
| November 8   | FRIONA*                  | There | 7:30 |
| November 15  | OLTON*                   | Here  | 7:30 |

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# Mayberry's running show sparks Cats past Lockney

By JIMMIE CHAPMAN

Halfback Robert Mayberry staged a fantastic running show Friday night as Dimmitt's Bobcats treated a good Homecoming crowd to a 40-15 victory over the Lockney Longhorns.

THE GAME saw the visitors outgain the Bobcats in every statistic except passing. The Longhorns earned 28 first downs with 377 yards rushing and 412 yards total offense against the Bobcats.

But the game's big difference was Mayberry, who scored five of Dimmitt's six touchdowns—although he carried the ball from scrimmage only six times.

The flashy senior halfback made three scoring runs from scrimmage, caught a pass and ran it in for another, and returned a Lockney punt for still another.

AGAINST a Lockney line that averaged 186 pounds per man and keyed against Dimmitt's deadly outside sweeps, here's how Mayberry's six runs from scrimmage went:

He lost five yards on his first carry and gained only a yard on his second as Lockney effectively stifled the Wishbone sweep. But his third carry was a five-yard touchdown run, and on his fourth he raced 83 yards for Dimmitt's second score. His fifth carry lost two yards, and on his final tote he went 35 yards for a touchdown.

Add to these runs a pass reception that was good for a 78-yard touchdown and you have a total of 202 yards on seven trips with the ball. But that's not all. He returned a punt 60 yards for a TD, recovered a Lockney fumble, intercepted one pass and made numerous tackles in the secondary on defense.

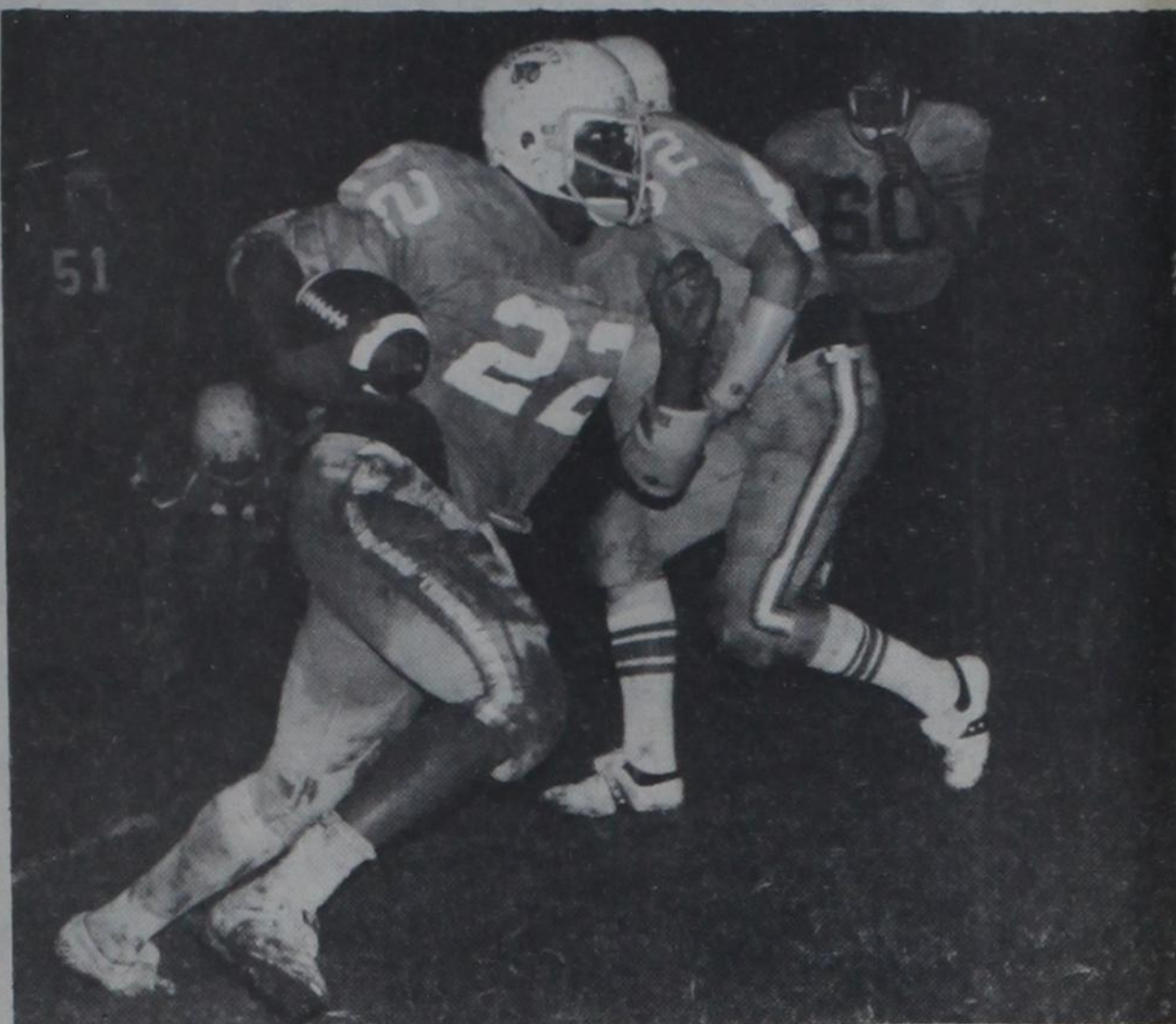
MAYBERRY'S five touchdowns in handling the ball only eight times will go down in Bobcat history as one of the great accomplishments by any individual player.

Lockney dominated the ground action, gaining 377 yards against the usually stout defensive line of the Bobcats. The Longhorns also made 28 first downs to nine for the locals, but had nine costly turnovers—five fumbles and four pass interceptions—which choked off Lockney threats. Dimmitt got to run only 29 ground plays and 10 passes, and Robert Calhoun had to punt four times while the Longhorns punted only twice.

For the first time this year, Dimmitt had to come from behind. Lockney got on the scoreboard first late in the first quarter with a 38-yard field goal by Willie Mathis after the Bobcats stopped the Longhorns at the 21. This came with only 1:22 left in the first period.

Dimmitt came right back, and on the third play after the kickoff, Ronnie Lawson hit Mayberry with a knee-high pass at midfield, and the fleet-footed halfback went the distance for the Bobcat's first score. The exciting TD play covered 78 yards. Ricky Wright kicked the extra point and with only one second left in the first period, Dimmitt had a thankful 7-3 lead. The Bobcats still had run only six plays in the first period, and had credit for only one first down.

ONE THE first play of the second quarter, Lockney quarterback Zack Cummings fumbled the ball and Mayberry recovered at the Lockney 33. After Lawson threw incomplete and Brad Sanders gained four yards, Lawson hit Travis Hampton for 24 yards on a third-down pass play that put



**NIGHTCAP RUN**—Dimmitt's Robert Mayberry puts the nightcap on his tremendous individual performance Friday night by racing 35 yards down the sideline for Dimmitt's final touchdown. Ricky Wright added the extra point to give the Bobcats a 40-9 lead with 3:40 remaining in the fourth quarter. The visiting Lockney Longhorns scored later to make the

final tally 40-15. Mayberry scored five of Dimmitt's six touchdowns on runs of 5, 83 and 35 yards, a 60-yard punt return and a 78-yard pass play. He also recovered a fumble, intercepted a pass, broke up two Lockney pass plays and finished the game with an average of 20 yards per carry.

the ball on the Longhorn 5. Mayberry went up the middle for the score, and after the try for the extra point was bobbled, Dimmitt had a 13-3 lead with 10:47 left in the second quarter.

The Bobcats got another opportunity to score moments later when Harold Love recovered a fumble by Cummings on the Lockney 22. After two incomplete passes and a no-gainer by fullback Robert Horton, Wright tried a 39-yard field goal that was wide to the left, and Lockney took over at the 20-yard line.

Lockney gained only seven yards in three attempts at the line, and was forced to punt. Mayberry fielded the punt in a crowd at the Dimmitt 40, faked it to Veals and raced down the right sidelines 60 yards behind good blocking to score his third TD of the night. The Bobcats tried to run for two extra points, but Horton was stopped at the line of scrimmage and with 6:40 left in the first half Dimmitt was leading 19-3 and still had made only two first downs.

Wright booted the kickoff into the end zone and Lockney took over on the 20. Danny Foster, Mark Sherman and Charles Sterling put together a series of good short gainers, then pass interference was called on Veals at the Dimmitt 31. It took the Longhorns another six plays to move the ball to the 1-yard line, the longest gainer being a 12-yard run by quarterback Cummings. Cummings kept on a quarterback sneak

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| GAME AT A GLANCE        |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Dimmitt                 | Lockney  |
| 9 First Downs           | 28       |
| 230 Yds. Gained Rushing | 377      |
| 31 Yds. Lost Rushing    | 16       |
| 10 Passes Attempted     | 9        |
| 4 Passes Completed      | 3        |
| 123 Yards Passing       | 51       |
| 322 Total Offense       | 412      |
| 4 Passes Intercepted By | 0        |
| 4 for 152 Punts         | 2 for 30 |
| 5 Fumbles Recovered By  | 1        |
| 4 for 50 Penalties      | 2 for 30 |

Score by Quarters:

|         |   |    |    |   |    |
|---------|---|----|----|---|----|
| Lockney | 3 | 6  | 0  | 6 | 15 |
| Dimmitt | 7 | 12 | 14 | 7 | 40 |

into the end zone to score with only a minute and 10 seconds left in the first half. Veals and Keith Goldsmith stopped Charles Sterling cold when he tried to get the two extras, and Dimmitt's lead was cut to 19-9.

SANDERS returned the kickoff back to the 34 and the Bobcats were on offense again for one of the few times in the first half. After Lawson threw three incomplete passes, Calhoun punted to the Lockney 34, and the Longhorns again set their ground game into motion. Sherman ripped off 12 yards and Dimmitt got a 15-yard penalty for a late hit that put the ball at the Dimmitt 43. With time running out in the first half, Lockney deserted its ground game, and Mayberry intercepted a pass from Sterling at the Dimmitt 19. Horton was stopped for no gain and the Cats let the clock run out, content with a 19-9 halftime lead.

Lockney gained 181 yards in the first half while the Cats gained only 13 and lost six on the ground, while chalking up 102 yards in the air. The long pass from Lawson to Mayberry, and Mayberry's punt return, accounted for the difference on the scoreboard.

The Lockney side of the field was still buzzing over the way the Longhorns had held the Cats on the ground in the first half when, on the second play in the third period, Mayberry burst through the middle and outran Lockney's secondary for an 83 yard touchdown strike. Wright kicked the extra point and with only 45 seconds gone in the second half, Dimmitt had stretched its lead to 26-9.

Trailing by 17 points, the Longhorns still tried to go with their ground game. After they consumed over six minutes of the clock in their drive following the kickoff, Randy Porter recovered a fumble by quarterback Cummings on the Dimmitt 36-yard line on a fourth-and-one situation.

Veals and Lawson gained only seven yards in three carries, and Calhoun punted the ball to the Lockney 7—a beautiful 50-yard boot.

LANCE Louder broke through and nabbed Charles Sterling for a five-yard loss as he was attempting a third-down pass, and the Longhorns were forced to punt. It was their second and last punt of the game. Dimmitt got possession at its own 36.

Horton gained five yards and Veals got nine more around end to put the ball at midfield. Then Veals blasted over right tackle and sprinted 50 yards for the fifth Bobcat TD. Wright booted the extra point and Dimmitt led 33-9 with 55 seconds left in the third quarter.

In fourth-quarter action it was still Lockney controlling

the end zone. It was not his longest run of the night, but was the most impressive. Wright booted the extra point and the score was 40-9 with 3:40 left in the game.

LOCKNEY could get back only to the 18-yard line on Wright's booming kickoff, and started another long march. Hard-running Mark Sherman, a 150-lb. junior halfback, carried the ball on three of the next four plays for the Longhorns and gained all but three of Lockney's yards to put the ball at the Dimmitt 45. Sherman then blasted around end and raced 44 yards to the Dimmitt 1-yard line before Ronnie Lawson chased him down.

Cummings kept on a quarterback sneak and scored his second touchdown of the night, and after Sterling failed to run in the extras, the score was 40-15 with 1:58 left on the clock. Sherman, Lockney's hard-running halfback, had gained all but four of the 82 yards in the Longhorn's TD drive, making him the leading ground gainer of the night for the visitors, along with Danny Foster.

Everybody knew it was coming; Lockney tried the inside kick on the kickoff and recovered the ball on the midfield stripe when scrappy end Lonny Hooten got the ball away from three Bobcats. But Lockney could not stand prosperity and fumbled on the next play. Harold Love fell on it for the Bobcats.

Dimmitt's defensive fireworks were mainly in the secondary as the Lockney backs broke through the line for short gainers all night. Sanders, Goldsmith, Truelock, Horton, Leon Sandoval, Louder, Love, Cliff Parker, Veals, Hampton and Mayberry were stopping backs who had already got up

their speed through the line. Sanders also intercepted two passes and Love recovered three fumbles and played heads-up ball all night.

LOCKNEY'S two touchdowns came on drives of 80 and 82 yards, accounting for the big difference in first downs. The Bobcats journey to Lit-

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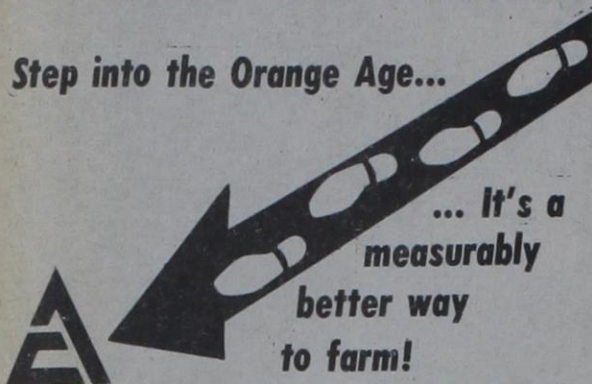
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TEXAS ENERGY CO.'S staff here includes (from left) Jim Roe, division transport driver who works out of Dimmitt; Jim Layman, manager of the Dimmitt district office; Wannie Stevens, bookkeeper; Everett Lumpkin,

shop foreman and carburetion man; and Jim McKay, Dimmitt district deliveryman. Also based in Dimmitt is T. D. Claborn, former manager of the local office, who is now the division manager for Texas Energy Co.

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Most people in the area—especially farm operators with field storage tanks—have become accustomed to seeing Texas Energy's blue "TEXEN" symbol on the company's white delivery trucks, or on the new sign at the district office on East Highway 86. The Dimmitt office delivers fuel throughout the district.

Texas Energy Co. is the propane subsidiary of Paso del Norte Oil Co., headquartered in El Paso. The company purchased the Northern Propane Gas Co. plants in Dimmitt, Plainview, Lockney, Spur and Munday.

In addition to selling and delivering fuels and automotive products, the Dimmitt district office provides minor tune-ups and converts carbure-

tors for propane use, installing Century and Imco carburetors. "And we're planning to stock our office with more carburetion equipment and propane products," Layman said.

When Texas Energy Co. purchased the five Northern Propane outlets in the Panhandle-Plains area, T. D. Claborn of the Dimmitt office was promoted to division manager, and Layman was named manager of the Dimmitt district.

The local staff also includes Wannie Stevens, bookkeeper, who has been with the office here nine years; Everett Lumpkin, carburetion man and shop foreman; and Jim McKay, deliveryman. Also, Texas Energy transport driver Jim Roe now lives in Dimmitt and travels throughout the area to keep the region's five outlets supplied. So the Dimmitt office is home base for two division-level men as well as the Dimmitt district staff.

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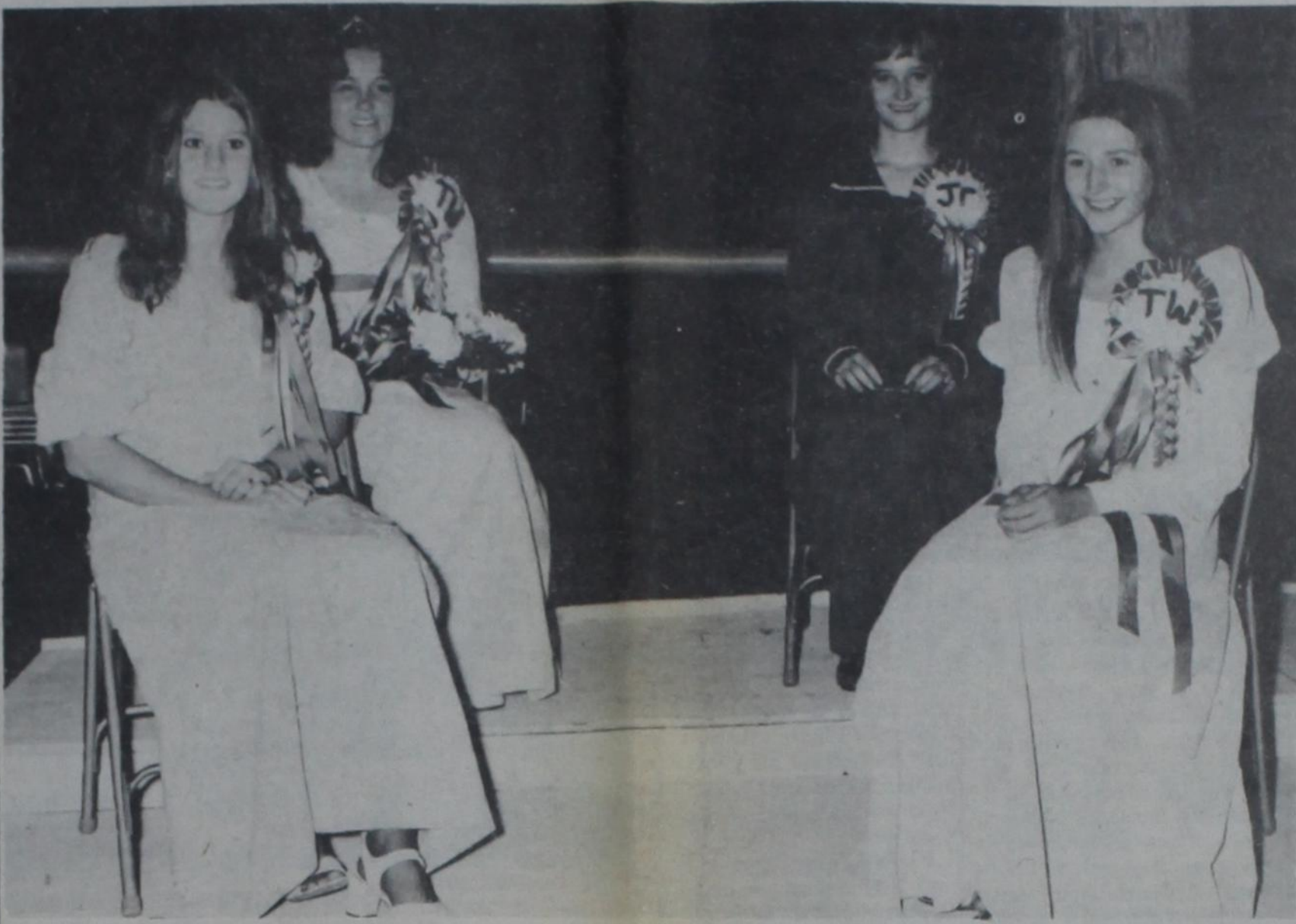
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QUEEN AND COURT—Nazareth's Homecoming Queen was crowned prior to the Nazareth-Amherst game at Nazareth Friday night. Pictured from left are Gail Kleman, sophomore

attendant, Mary Beth Ramaekers, senior Homecoming Queen, Vera Birkenfeld, junior attendant, and Karen Schulte, freshman attendant.

## Nazareth

### Class of 1964 holds reunion Saturday

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

The Senior Class of 1964 had a ten year class reunion Saturday evening with fifteen out of twenty-one seniors present. Those coming for the reunion were Jerry and Wynette Leinen of Amarillo, Mike and Arlene (Pohlmeier) Williams of Ama-

rillo, Charlie and Beverly (Gerber) Hill from Dimmitt, Fred and Molly (Lupton) Maddox of Amarillo, Lester and Beth Schulte of Dimmitt, Dennis and Dolores Gerber from Farwell, Gene and Alverna (Birkenfeld) Schacher of Muleshoe, Joe and Imogene (Huseman) Drerup,

Edwin and Irene (Venhaus) Huseman, Joe and Jeanette (Huseman) Johnson, Joe Dee and Janice (Dobmeier) Johnson, Kenny and Cince Schulte, Tommy and Teresa Wethington, Darryl and Rose Ball and Julius Birkenfeld, all of Nazareth. They enjoyed a barbecued chicken supper and discussed and spoke about their class memories.

May Hubbard of Fort Worth, Ester (Ball) Braddock of Van Alstyn, Marvin and Ruth (Wilhelm) Kuehler of Amarillo, Jimmy and Evelyn Ball of Friona, Gene and Alverna (Birkenfeld) Schacher of Muleshoe, Cyril and Mitzie Brockman, Alphonse and Viola Kleman, Albert and Rita Hartman, Dennis and Catherine Huseman, all of Nazareth.

JUANITA AND Charles Barker spent Sunday with the James Wilhelms.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Maurer spent a couple of days last week in Houston attending a commissioners' convention.

The Clyde Venhaus family of San Angelo and Herbie Wethington visited the Albert Venhauses over the weekend.

THE SENIOR Class of 1964 held a class reunion Saturday evening at Norma's Kitchen. They all enjoyed supper and visited several hours there, then went out to the Cyril Brockman's later on for coffee. Those attending were Ruby

MRS. ODELIA Schulte spent a couple of days at the Phil Brockman home in Muleshoe. They are the proud parents of a baby boy, born last Tuesday. The little one was named Leland Jay. He has a sister and a brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brockman and baby visited Agnes Brockman Saturday evening.

## Mrs. Cleveland is top grid contest prophet

Libby Cleveland took first place honors in the sixth week of competition in the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club's football contest.

MRS. CLEVELAND had 11 correct picks and also picked the winner of the Texas A&M-Texas Tech game.

Rickie Mixson took second place in a close decision over Judy Nichols. Both picked 11 games correctly but both also picked Tech as the winner of the tiebreaker game. Mixson was only two points off the

score, however, while Judy Nichols was nine points off.

There were 41 entries in last week's contest, with seven people picking 10 correct games and 19 picking nine correct games.

LEADERS in the race for the grand prize of two tickets to the Cotton Bowl and \$50 expense money are: 1st, Jeanette Hampton, 62; 2nd, Edna Pollis and Suzan Sanders, 61; 3rd, Bill Sanders, 59; 4th, Mike Bryant, 58; and 5th, Bullet Adams, 57.

## County 4-H Horse Club holds equine studies

By HEIDI BRUEGEL

The Castro County 4-H Horse Club works mainly on horse judging. There are 47 members in the club and adult leaders are Jerry and Carol Cluck.

OFFICERS include Matt

## Producers oppose export restriction

In the aftermath of the government's halt of a proposed 125 million bushel grain sale to Russia, Grain Sorghum Producers Association has spoken out against what it calls "inconsistent and unfair" government policies toward US grain producers.

ELBERT HARP, executive director of the Lubbock-based national organization, expressed the GSPA position by telegram to President Ford, Treasury Secretary William Simon and Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz.

"We consider export restrictions of grain without similar restrictions on fertilizer, machinery and other essential farming ingredients to be an inconsistent and unfair policy," Harp said, urging that further restrictions of grain exports be halted "unless you impose similar restrictions on other essential farming inputs."

The GSPA executive director added that farming costs are rising as much as 300 percent this year and "restrictions on US sales of grain will break the market and bankrupt producers."

President Ford stopped the proposed grain sale to Russia, saying he feared it would raise domestic prices and add to a continuing inflationary spiral.

## On the go

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joiner returned recently from a week's trip to Denver, where they celebrated their 18th wedding anniversary. They visited a practice session of the Denver Broncos at Mile High Stadium and toured the Denver Mint and the Colorado State Capitol.

Howell, president; Carol Bagwell, vice president; Jan Weatherford, secretary-treasurer; and Heidi Bruegel, reporter.

Club members began this year's activities in March. Meetings were held every two weeks until school ended. Meetings were held weekly beginning in June.

Topics covered included judging, horse health and grooming and performance horses.

Mona and Ginger Henderson of Lockney gave a demonstration on health and showmanship and conducted halter and showmanship classes.

MEMBERS entered 20 horses in the county show and those who qualified there proceeded to district competition.

Matt Howell displayed the Grand Champion gelding at the District 4-H Horse Show while Renee Cluck had the Grand Champion mare. Other club members who did well at the district show included Scott Bagley, Debbie Dennis, Gay Brnes, Carol Bagwell, Kyle Bagwell and Greg Cluck.

In July the club held its swimming party at the Ruskin Circle Swim Club.

August saw Matt Howell and Renee Cluck travel to the State 4-H Horse Show in Dallas. Miss Cluck placed fourth in the halter class and Howell placed 7th in Western Pleasure.

The 4-H Horse Club does not meet during the winter months, but will begin meeting again in March of 1975.

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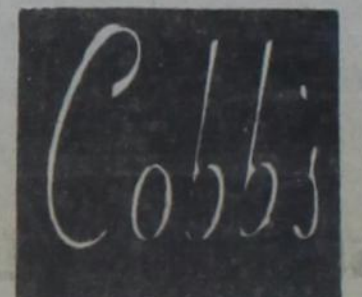
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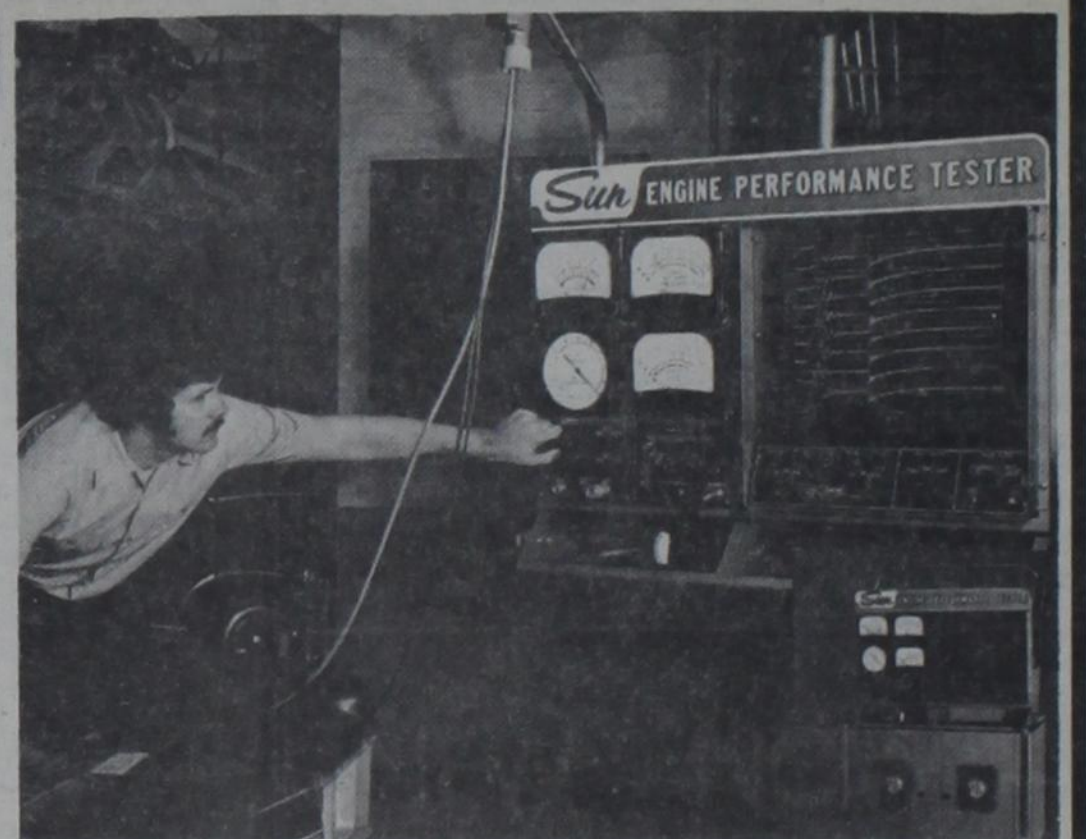
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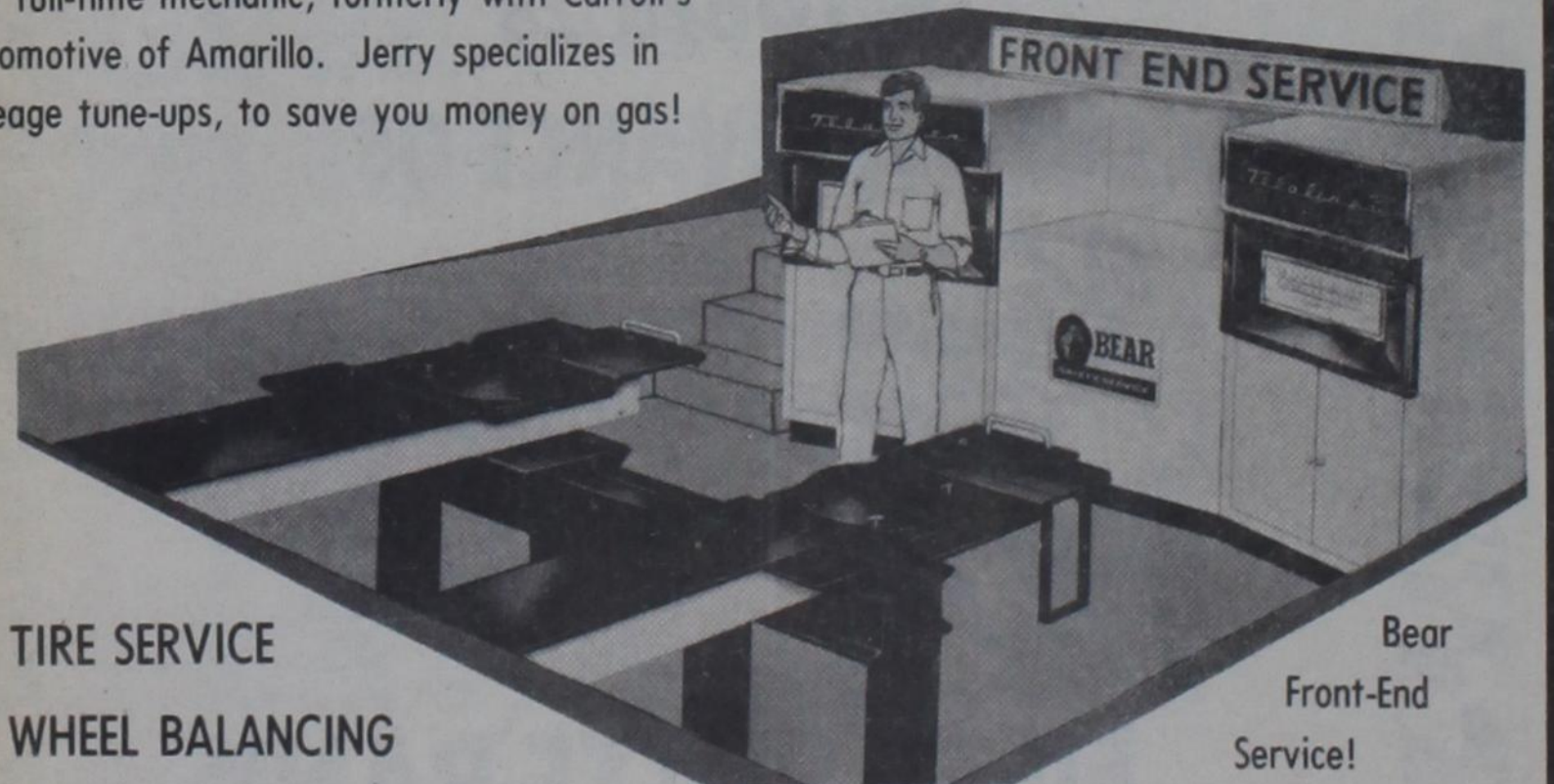
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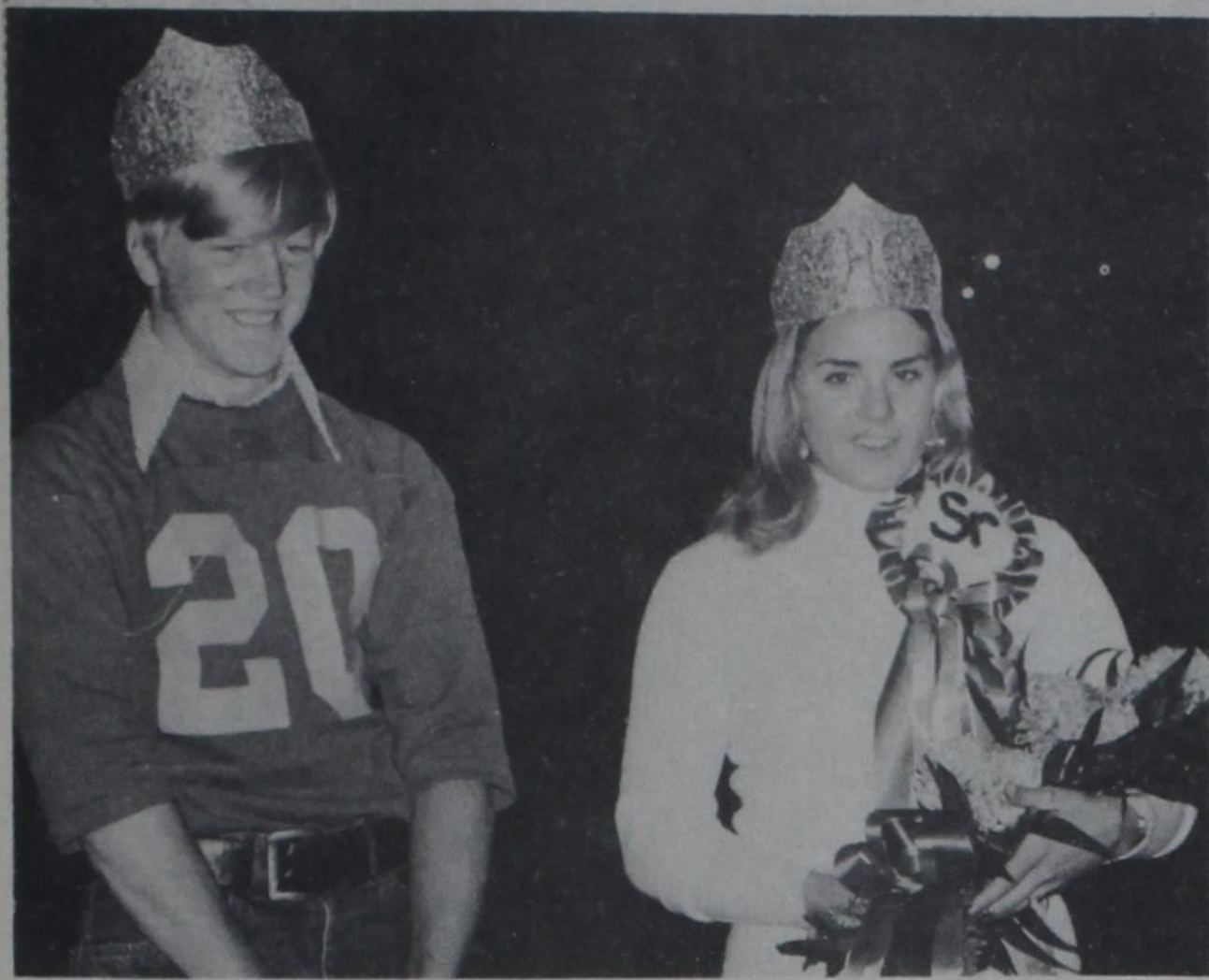
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**SPIRIT KING AND QUEEN**—Nazareth seniors Ted Huseman and Jolene Pohlmeier were named Spirit King and Spirit Queen at a Homecoming pep rally held at Swift Stadium in Nazareth Thursday. Other candidates for

the honor included freshmen Wayne Heiman and LaDonna Brockman, sophomores Larry Ramaekers and Rosemary Schulte, and juniors Joel Gerber and Wanda Schacher.

### Braddock get honors in Swiss show

The Vincent Braddock family of Nazareth captured numerous honors in the Brown Swiss division of the Pan-American Livestock Exposition in the State Fair of Texas in Dallas recently.

VINCENT Braddock was named the premier breeder in the show, while Cecil Braddock displayed the highest producing three year old cow.

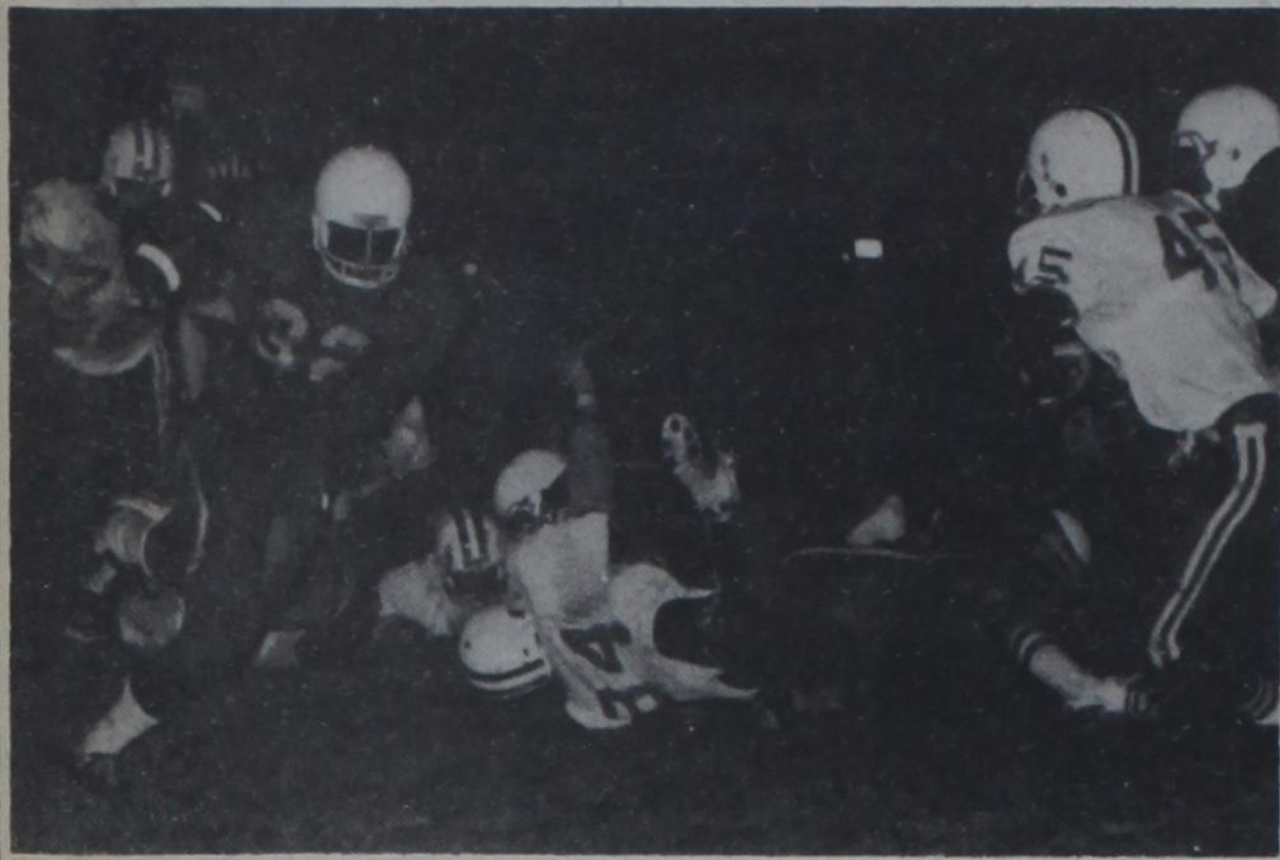
Other honors won by Vincent Braddock included:

First place bull calf, sixth yearling bull, second two-year-old bull, 7th and 8th heifer calves, 9th junior yearling heifer, and 5th and 9th senior yearling heifers.

He also exhibited the first place junior get of sire, 3rd and 9th aged cows, 3rd and 4th year old cows, best three females, and first and second place get of sire.

CECIL Braddock had the fourth place three year old cow and Gerald Braddock displayed the 4th junior yearling heifer and 4th two-year-old cow.

Raymond Braddock had the 10th two-year-old cow.



**GOING OUTSIDE**—Nazareth halfback Junior "J.J." Joiner breaks through the front wall of the Amherst defense behind good blocking from his teammates and turns outside in an attempt to elude the Bulldog secondary during Nazareth's Homecoming game Friday night. Although the opening was there for an

instant, Amherst's David Rosemond [45] closed the gap quickly to halt Joiner after a short gain. Nazareth's Swifts were knocking on the door in the final minute of the game but the clock ran out on the drive and the game ended in a scoreless deadlock.

## TSTA to work for pay raise, school finance reform in '75

With the start of the 1975 Texas Legislative session just three months away, Texas teachers are getting ready to ask for a full-scale revision of the state school system, better pay for teachers, and a number of other changes in school laws.

THE legislative committee of the Texas State Teachers Association will hold an open hearing on the association's tentative 1975 legislative program at 1 p.m. Oct. 27 in Austin.

At an Austin meeting the committee was told by visitors from across the state that the No. 1 sore spot among Texas teachers is low pay.

Despite TSTA efforts in 1969 which helped secure passage of a law raising the starting annual pay for a bachelor's degree teacher this year to \$6,600 with 5 percent annual raises, Texas still ranks 37th among the 50 states in average teacher pay.

Many young people are saying it's not worth it to go to college four years and then start work at \$6,600 per year,

TSTA leaders report.

BECAUSE of "enrichment funds" supplied by some local school boards, some districts are able to pay their teachers above the state minimum scale, but not much.

The Houston school district, for instance, starts a bachelor's degree teacher with no experience at \$7,900, or \$1,300 above the state minimum scale.

But the city of Houston pays first-year patrolmen \$10,512; first-year firefighters \$10,067; and refuse collectors at an annual rate of \$7,313 to start and \$8,088 after 18 months on the job, the Houston Post reported on Sept. 27.

The TSTA 1975 legislative program will give top priority to passage of a new state law to overhaul the "minimum foundation school program" which has been in use—with minor changes—since 1949.

PART of the proposed law—now in tentative draft form—will be a new salary schedule aimed at moving Texas to a position above the US average

teacher pay of \$10,673, with a built-in cost-of-living factor to keep pace with inflation.

Other proposals TSTA will make to the 1975 legislature include:

—A teacher contract law, to provide in all school districts, except those now operating under a permissive contract law, probationary or professional contracts for teachers.

—A professional consultation law that would require local boards of education—upon request from a majority of the school district faculty or their local teacher association—to enter into a consultation agree-

ment with that group on various working conditions for teachers.

—A dismissal law that would establish fair dismissal procedures for Texas school employees.

—A sick leave law that would extend the present allowance for teacher sick leave to all school personnel under the minimum program.

—An assault law to provide for suspension of up to two years of any student convicted of a felony or misdemeanor in the assault and battery of school personnel.

—Improved teacher retirement benefits for teachers already retired and other retirement benefits if actuarially sound.



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**LONG WAY BACK HOME**—Mary Evelyn Behrends White of Houston was the "travel winner" at the Dimmitt Ex-Students Coffee Friday afternoon in DHS cafeteria. Mrs. White, who made a special trip to attend this year's Homecoming, talks here with Bob Anthony, president of the Ex-Students' As-

sociation. A 1943 graduate of DHS, Mrs. White is the daughter of George Behrends. Her step-mother, Mrs. Myrtle Behrends, was honored during the Homecoming Pep Rally as a graduate of the "golden anniversary" class of 1924.

## Goose season opens Saturday

An unbroken 93-day goose season will get underway Saturday and continue through

Jan. 19, 1975 in that part of Texas to the west of US Highway 81. The area includes Castro County.

DAILY BAG limit is two birds, with a possession limit of four geese to include not more than one Ross' goose.

Sandhill crane season remains much the same as last year for the two parts of north-west Texas in which they can be hunted.

An Oct. 26, 1974-Jan. 26, 1975 season has been set for that part of the state lying west of a line running from the International Toll Bridge at Del Rio, northward along US 277 to its junction with US Highway 87 at San Angelo, northwesterly along US Highway 87, including all of Howard and Lynn Counties, to its junction with US 287 at Dumas; northwesterly following US 287 to the point of intersection with the Texas-Oklahoma line in Dallam County. Castro County is included in this area.

Sandhill bag and possession limits are three and six respectively.

A 65-day split duck season has been set for the High Plains Mallard Management Unit of Texas for Nov. 4-24 and Dec. 7, 1974-Jan. 19, 1975.

The 100-plus point system will be used again this season, but the system has been modified somewhat.

POINT values of various ducks this season are:

—100 point ducks - Canvasbacks and redheaded ducks

—70 point ducks - Mallard hens, wood ducks and hooded mergansers

—15 point ducks - Bluewing and cinnamon teal, pintails, widgeons, gadwalls, scaup, shovelers and mergansers except hooded. —35 point ducks - All other species and sexes (to include mallard drakes, green-winged teal and mottled ducks).

The season is closed on New Mexican ducks, black-bellied and fulvous tree ducks.

Primary ducks which local

hunters will be concerned with identifying include Canvasbacks and redheads, Mallard drakes and hens, bluewing and greenwinged teal, pintails, widgeons, gadwalls, scaup and shovelers.

Hunters over 16 years of age are reminded that they must have a Duck Stamp to hunt waterfowl. Stamps are available at local post offices at a cost of \$5.

While hunting migratory wildfowl, hunters must also have their guns plugged to a three-shell capacity.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

**PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL**

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## Increased demand key to high sugar price

"Why the big increase in sugar prices?" is a frequently asked question these days.

ALTHOUGH there is no one answer, one consumer marketing information specialist suggests that the biggest reason for the jump in the cost of sugar is the same reason that has upped many other food prices—demand has increased.

"As people around the world are becoming more prosperous, they are buying and using more sugar," Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service pointed out this week.

Supplies are not keeping up with the demand. The sugar industry has not been an expanding business. Historically, sugar has always had a small profit margin, and investors are not anxious to put their money into sugar mills and refineries when other investments promise greater financial returns, she explained.

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gest any immediate increase in the building of sugar mills and refinery facilities.

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Sugarcane production has decreased about 10 percent in the last decade. Expansion of sugarcane production is not a speedy process as it takes nearly two years for sugarcane to get into commercial production.

But what can consumers do?

"Sugar can be decreased or omitted altogether in canning and freezing. Ripe fruits may be canned in water, fruit juice, or a light syrup instead of a medium or heavy syrup," Mrs. Clyatt suggested.

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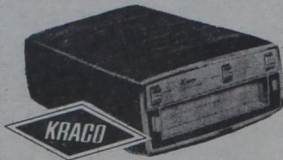
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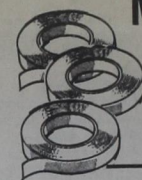


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