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'School jam' solution eyed



74 KILOGRAMS OF TRASH, or 164 pounds, were gathered up by Byron Roberts' fourth grade class during four half-hour trips to the city park. The students then voted on how well they thought the people were taking care of their park.

Fourth graders irked at trashy park

Byron Roberts' fourth grade class picked up 164 pounds of trash from the city park in two hours' time.

22 named to regional band

Dimmitt High School's Bobcat Band placed 22 members on the All-Region High School Band, three of them in first chairs, when regional tryouts were held at Floydada Saturday.

THREE MORE of Director Ralph Smith's bandsmen were given top places as alternates. Cara Miller was chosen for first chair in the oboe section, Becky Hand first and Vicki Cleveland second chair for bassoons and Nita Parker first chair clarinet.

Also picked for the clarinet section were Sharla Burrous, Laura Lapins, Teresa Lantz, Cindy Dobbs, Cindy Wakefield and Donna Schilling. Mary Jones and Tami McMasters were named in the flute section, Jeanette Annen, alto sax, and Lelon Ginn, first alternate in tenor sax.

Janet Mooney placed among bass clarinets, with Jo Beth Bates as first alternate and Bonnie Higgins second alternate. Darla Hicks, Melynn Moore and Laine Snider, contra-bass clarinets; Julie Hrabal, French horn.

Donny Davis and Kyle Wise were chosen as trombonists, Kimberly Peggram and David Gregory in the percussion section.

THE GROUP went to the park on four Mondays in a row, spending a half hour each time. They collected 23 kilograms (51 lbs.) of paper, 23.5 kilograms (52 lbs.) of glass, 18.5 kilograms (41 lbs.) of cans, and 9 kilograms (20 lbs.) of other items.

The class then took a vote on how well the people of Dimmitt are taking care of the park. None of the class rated it as excellent, 8% rated it as very good, 4% as good, 36% thought the care was fair, no one settled for a poor rating, but 52% thought it was terrible.

Of the essays the students wrote, expressing what they learned from this experience, the top two were written by Michael Love and Monty Patterson.

DIMMITT'S DIRTY PARK

By Michael Love

Dimmitt's city park is very dirty according to our class vote. I think that our town's citizens are abusing their park.

Dry and windy

[Readings recorded at 7 a.m. daily for the preceding 24 hours.]

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	38	17	
Friday	46	14	
Saturday	49	15	
Sunday	54	5	Tr.
Monday	35	8	
Tuesday	54	16	
Wednesday	53	15	
January Moisture			.03

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer

The park is as bad as the highway if not worse. I learned that Texans seem to be litter bugs and there should be something done about it. We should start taking care of our highways and parks.

Our class went out to clean up the park, every Monday for four Mondays in a row. Most of the trash was paper and cans. If we don't stop abusing our park the only thing left will be a block of grimy, filthy land.

It's better to have a clean park than a dirty one, isn't it? It's not too late to start taking care of our park!

KEEPING THE PARK CLEAN

By Monty Patterson

Each Monday for four weeks Mr. Roberts took the class to the city park, and we'd all pitch in, and clean up the trash and broken glass. The park is really a nice place to play if people would only take an interest in helping to keep it clean. All they would have to do is to pick things up instead of leaving them lying on the ground.

It gave me a great feeling to know that we all did our part in helping to make the park a cleaner and better place for us all to play.

Convention award due Young Farmer

Johnny Davis of Dimmitt will be one of the honorees at the state convention of Young Farmers of Texas in San Antonio this weekend to receive an award as the Area I Outstanding Young Agribusinessman.

THE ANNUAL awards banquet will be held Friday evening in the San Antonio Convention Center with more than 600 persons expected to attend.

Seven couples from the local chapter will be in San Antonio for the convention. In addition to the Davises they include the Don Moores, Howard Smithsons, Danny Brutons, Teddy Smithsons, Richard Connells and Dana Walls.

Davis is the owner of Davis Welding, which does repair and structural welding on farm equipment and metal structures.

THE AREA winners are chosen on the basis of the agribusinessman's knowledge of his occupation, business practices, Young Farmer activities and community service.

Howard Smithson, a former state president, will complete his term on the state executive committee at this convention. Moore will give reports as Area I president. A luncheon, programs, business meetings and exhibits of the latest in farm equipment and supplies will be included on the convention program.

This year for the first time the YFT convention will be separate from the state meeting of the Young Homemakers of Texas. In past years joint conventions were held, but it was decided that both organizations have grown to the point that each must have its own meeting.

The Dimmitt City Commission agreed Monday night to call in the police chief, the Texas Highway Patrol and the city's consulting engineer to try to solve the twice-a-day traffic jams at Richardson Elementary School.

SIX HOMEOWNERS along West Stinson Street, joined by Supt. Robert Ryan, asked the commission to either restrict parking along the street or make it one-way. The homeowners also asked the city to help solve a garage-flooding problem caused by across-the-street runoff from the school grounds.

The commissioners were reluctant to commit the city to solve the runoff problem, but said they'd ask City Engineer Bill McMorries to propose a solution.

Also, the commission indicated it didn't want to restrict Stinson Street to one-way traffic unless no other solution could be found.

ALL PARTIES agreed on the first step toward a solution—removal of a "bus curb" that forms a blockade between the street and the south end of the school building.

After the commission adopted a motion by Chet Braafladt to work with the Dimmitt Independent School District to devise solutions to both the traffic and drainage problems, Mayor Elmer Youts told the homeowners, "We'll do our best to get you some relief on the traffic problem, but I don't know about the water problem—that may be a school district matter."

IN OTHER action, the city commission:

—Approved and signed a proposed agreement that would allow the city to lodge all prisoners in the County Jail in return for paying for their meals and paying the salary of the county's night radio dispatcher;

—Agreed to ask the Texas Dept. of Highways and Transportation to consider upgrading State 86 (Bedford) and US 385 (Broadway) inside the city limits, and to conduct a traffic-flow survey of the two streets;

—Authorized City Manager Garnett Holland to purchase three late-model cars (two for the Police Dept. and one for the city inspector); and

—VOTED to support a resolution by the Austin City Council to block the Legislative Budget Board from merging the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education with the Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies.

Dimmitt man loses \$2800 to phony 'bank official'

A retired Dimmitt man was apparently swindled out of \$2,800 Friday between 2 and 2:30 p.m. by a man posing as a bank officer.

"A MAN called me on the phone, saying he was a bank officer," the victim said. "He told me that they suspected some of the tellers might be taking money for their own use and they wanted to trap them."

According to the victim, the swindler—who identified himself on the phone as one of the bank's executives—also told him that the bank's computers were on the blink, and that the bank examiners were not supposed to be there for several days.

"He said he needed to know how much I had in my bank account in order to check the computer," the victim said. "Then he wanted to know if I would withdraw my money to try to help trap the dishonest tellers when they would try to cover up any deficiencies."

THE SWINDLER then told the Dimmitt man to go to the bank, withdraw his money and bring it to the parking lot in front of Gibson's Discount Center, where he would be met by another representative of the bank, who would return his money to the bank.

The victim said he withdrew \$2,800 in \$100 bills at the drive-up window, then drove to Gibson's parking lot, where a man approached him from the direction of the bank.

"He flashed some kind of credential at me, then asked for the money," the victim recounted. "I asked for a receipt, so he wrote one, then I watched him walk back into the bank by the east door on the south side."

THE "BANK representative" told the Dimmitt man to wait half an hour before contacting the bank. After failing to reach the real bank officer by phone, the victim went to the bank in person to ask the officer how things turned out.

The surprised bank officer said he had no knowledge of any such "trap" and that the bank computers were working just fine. He and the victim immediately advised the sheriff's department of what had happened.

The victim described the man he met in the parking lot as a white male, 40 to 50 years old, around six feet tall and weighing about 165 pounds, with greyish dark hair combed back on the sides. He was wearing a blue tweed hat with a narrow brim, and a light-colored overcoat or trench coat. He was slow walking and spoke in a slow soft manner. The signature on the "receipt" was illegible.

BY THE victim's description, the bank officer realized he had seen the suspect in the bank earlier. He had only glanced at him, his attention drawn by the fact that the man's overcoat was buttoned all the way up.

An employee of Gibson's also recalled seeing a man fitting the description in the store that day.

County Attorney Robert Buntin urges anyone who may have received a similar call, or who knows or may have seen



HAVE YOU SEEN THIS MAN? These composite drawings were made by Linda Maxwell of the News staff from the description by the victim and other witnesses of a swindler involving \$2,800. Those who saw the suspect say the profile [right] bears the closest resemblance to him. If you have seen this man, contact the county attorney or sheriff's office.

anything concerning this case, or may have seen a man answering the description of the suspect or resembling the composite drawings, to contact him or the sheriff's office.

A SPOKESMAN for the bank said, "We're very sorry that such a thing happened, but there's nothing we can do

about it. We caution people to call Robert or Bob McLean and check out any persons representing themselves as bank officials.

"If such a situation as described by the swindler ever did arise, we would not handle it in such a way at all," the spokesman added.

Sales tax rebate checks are received

The City of Dimmitt is receiving a check for \$14,681.12 as its city sales tax rebate for the past month; a check for \$656.38 goes to Hart and one for \$854.07 to Nazareth.

STATE Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that his office has mailed checks totaling \$23.2 million to 620 cities and towns in Texas, raising to \$152.8 million the amount for the current fiscal year which began last Sept. 1.

Bullock also sent a reminder to quarterly sales tax filers of the Jan. 31 deadline for their returns. Businesses which collect less than \$750 a month in sales taxes file their returns and collections on a quarterly rather than monthly basis.

THE TAX rebates, which indicate the volume of retail sales in a city, are again higher for the Castro County towns than for other towns of comparable size in this area.

By comparison, Canyon's check was for \$10,636, Earth's for \$546, Friona's for \$2,230, Hereford's for \$24,157, Littlefield's for \$6,957 and Tulia's for \$7,188.

The rebate checks, which are mailed monthly to the cities, are for the one-cent city sales tax collected within their boundaries. Some retail sales, such as food items, farm implements and some others, are exempt from the tax.

Band concert on tap Sunday

Dimmitt school bands will present their winter concert at 2 p.m. Sunday in the high school auditorium, with the high school, middle school and sixth grade bands performing.

ADMISSION charge will be \$1 for individuals and \$2 for a family.

Ralph Smith will direct the DHS Band in "First Swedish Rhapsody," "Slavonic Folk Suite," "Deep Purple" and "The Morning After."

Sixth grade and junior high bands are directed by Fred Allen. Selections by the sixth graders will be "Mexican Clapping Song," "Jupiter" and "Grandfather's Clock."

The junior high bandsmen will play "La Banda Nascen-ta," "The Music Man," "Trumpet Jets," "American Sea Rhapsody" and "Love Will Keep Us Together."

AFS seeking host family

Any Dimmitt family interested in hosting an overseas student under the American Field Service program for the 1977-78 school year should contact AFS Chapter President Don Nelson this month.

WHILE MANY AFS host families have children of their own who are high-school age, this is not a requirement, Nelson said.

Aside from food costs and some incidental expenses, the host family incurs no debt in hosting a student, and may take a monthly tax deduction in accordance with IRS provisions.

The student is given a monthly allowance from AFS for personal expenses. Also as a matter of policy, AFS extends medical coverage to all students.

Nelson may be contacted at the Castro County News office.

Zone meet cancelled

The American Legion Zone meeting and supper scheduled at Hart this week (announced elsewhere in this issue) has been cancelled because of burst pipes in the legion hall there.

Rodriguez rites held

Funeral mass for Federico Rodriguez, 43, of Dimmitt was held Friday at 3 p.m. in the St. Benedict Catholic Church of San Benito. Burial followed in the city cemetery under the direction of Thoma and Garza Funeral Directors.

MR. RODRIGUEZ was born in San Benito March 2, 1933. He had lived in Dimmitt 16 years, working for the City of Dimmitt Sanitation Dept. since 1971.

Mr. Rodriguez suffered an apparent heart attack Jan. 8. His frozen body was discovered on the courthouse lawn the morning of Jan. 10.

Survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Dulia Arranda of Dimmitt, Mrs. Emma Vela of Owatta, Minn., and Mrs. Rosa Rodriguez and Mrs. Mary E. Garza, both of San Benito; and three brothers, Alfredo Juan-talvo of San Benito, Jose of Highland, Calif., and Juan of Oceanside, Calif.

Austin Mobley funeral rites held Wednesday

Austin Mobley, 55, a lifelong resident of Castro County, died of an apparent heart attack Sunday night at his home eight miles north of Dimmitt.

HE WAS found dead in bed Monday morning and Justice of the Peace Marshall Young pronounced the death due to natural causes.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Hereford by Rev. Johnny Tims, pastor of the Frio Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. M. A. Pennington of Dimmitt, a Baptist minister.

Burial was in the West Park Cemetery at Hereford, under the direction of the Dennis Funeral Home.

Born in Floyd County, Mr. Mobley was brought to this county as an infant. He operated the family farm north of Dimmitt.

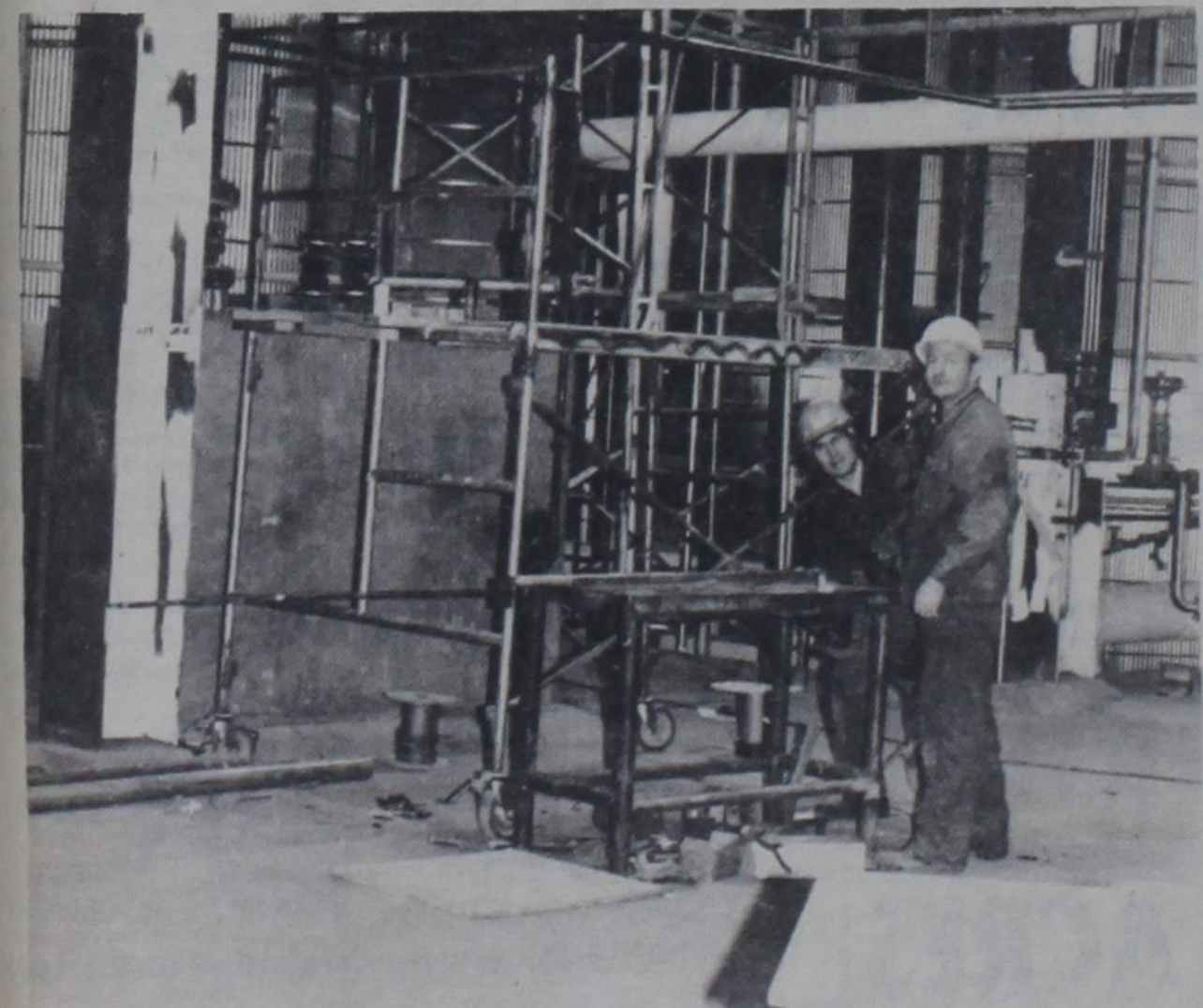
He is survived by his mother, Mrs. H. M. Mobley of Dimmitt; three sisters, Mrs. Floyd Cole and Nell Miller of Hereford and Mrs. Earl Reno of Midland; and two brothers, Don and Raymond, both of Farmington, N.M.

New refinery gets 'finishing touches'



THE CENTRAL CONTROL ROOM in the new refinery at the Dimmitt Amstar Plant will electronically monitor every phase of the refining process. A six-week test of electrical

instrumentation and process control systems started Wednesday, and will be followed by "water-through" testing before the new refinery goes into operation in mid-March.



AMID A MAZE of stainless-steel pipes, workers add finishing touches to a section of the Dimmitt Amstar Plant's new refinery. The \$14 million refinery is part of a \$27 million

expansion project that will increase the plant's daily grind to 30,000 bushels. Other phases of the expansion project include a new boiler and expansion of the millhouse.

Sheffy's chatter

Large party from area takes winter trip to Spain

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Sunny Spain was the place for the winter trippers last week. I talked with Bessie Elder, She and George went. She says what a good time they had doing all the tourist things, good food crossing the bay to Africa and trying to ride the camels. This trip was partly a grain growing party, partly for fun. Others going were Oscar and Doris Wylie, A'llan and Ray Bradley, Gene and Shari Bradley, David and Oneta Cole, Charles and Joyce Rickard and Betty and Donnit McCall of Olton, and more and more folks went. Jerry and Carolyn Watts, Larry and Jean Morris, Anita Morris, Allie Mae Willis, Jimmy and Gwen Buckley, Cowboy and Jeanie Johnson, Lonnie and Renee Wilson of Sunnyside, J. Paul and Gertie Waggoner, Tom and Audrey Miller, Betty West and her sister from Guymon, Charles and Lois Wales and Donald and Katy Wright, who made a side trip to Germany where Don was in the service.

SUSIE ELLIS and little Julie of Dodge City, Kan. came down for a weekend visit with mama Aural Davis. Susie says it got so cold up there last week they slept on pallets on the floor in front of the fireplace. Seems the gas people cut the fuel down too much. Aural keeps Julie while Susie and Roy go to the horse show in Denver.

Helen Richardson is home from one of her hop here and there trips. She went first to Galveston and Freeport. She taught school down there while Red was in the service, then on by Cameron, up to Rosebud, her mother Lena Greer Estes' birthplace, and Brenham, her dad's place. She stopped off at Powers Chapel. A small cemetery is there where the kin were buried. On to Dallas where she met brother Bob and Ginnie Estes of Hugo, Okla. for a visit. Home again, then she and the Elmer Berryhills went to Ruidoso to fix cabinets in her house there. It snowed 23 inches in the mountains so it was a little hard to get out of those hills. Oh yes, Helen visited Red's folks at Irving while in that Dallas area.

CARL KING is going to
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Sunday & Monday

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Washington for the President's inauguration. Virginia Crum was asked but couldn't go. Carl will fly up with the Texas delegation from Austin, Gov. Briscoe and others.

Troop 107, the Forget Me Not Girl Scouts, had their business meeting Jan. 11 in the courthouse assembly room. Leaders are Rhenea Webb and Shari Matthews. They elected officers, president, Deann Hansen, vice president Beth Mo-wah, secretary treasurer Sharon Washington, reporter Krystal Scott. The girls worked on badges, then learned to do a



[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars of the County Home Demonstration Council and the Nazareth American Legion Auxiliary.]

JAN. 20 — Oleta Gollehon, Jackie Crozier, Johnny Hucks, Kevin Hucks, Doyle Underwood, Jarrett Maples, Kirsten Birkenfeld, Douglas Ball, Rodney Ball.

JAN. 21 — Sherri Wright, Kristin Cather, Bill Behrends, Danny Gerber, Gerald Brad-dock, Paul Huseman.

JAN. 22 — Deanne Clark, Heidi Bruegel, Jane Behrends, Melvin Summers, Stephan Handley, Ruth Ann Franklin, Beverly McDaniel.

JAN. 23 — Clara Patton, Bill Yokum, Greg Odom, Lonnie Keel, Marie Venhaus, James Wilhelm, Jerry Wilhelm.

JAN. 24 — Harold Stephens, George Bagwell, Neal Wilhelm, Greg Venhaus, Mrs. George W. Book.

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Rotary invites ladies Jan. 28

Jan. 28 will be Ladies' Day for the Dimmitt Rotary Club at its regular noon meeting. The wives of all the members are invited.

DOUG HENRY of the high school and middle school choir department will speak briefly about the department's program. Then Randy Gordon, who made the all-state choir, will sing for the group.

The thirteen members present at the meeting Friday heard Dwight Joiner and 25 of his fourth grade students give a program depicting the new methods of music study that are being used in the department.

new folk dance. That was fun. I did those square dances or ring games when a very young lady.

Frances King and daughter Carla are home from a visiting trip to Temple City and Covina, Calif. where they visited Frances's mother Virgie Bates. That is near Los Angeles. All went down to Palm Springs where a cousin owns a condominium. They saw people swimming but didn't care to for themselves. "Not in January."

MAURINE Henderson and daughter Lorraine Smith of Burlington, Iowa have been to Bryan to visit daughter and sister Edna Smith. Edna's husband is Alvin and he is a brother of the great artist Carl Smith. Some of his paintings hang in the lobby of the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

Steve and Tamera Adams of Hale Center stayed here several days with grandparents Brad and Juanita Fulfer while their parents Doug and Wynema went to Spain with a group from Hale Center.

Dale and Phyllis Allen of Brownwood were weekend guests of her cousin David and Jane Behrends. Phyllis is the daughter of the late George Behrends.

Charlotte Newton and children have moved back to Dimmitt and are living for the present with her mother Mrs. Wanda Youts. Charlotte is working as cashier and book-keeper at K-Bob's Steak House.

Dub and Jerry Wozencraft of Lubbock were in town on business Wednesday and Stephan Handley, Ruth Ann Franklin, Beverly McDaniel.

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IGLESIA DE CRISTO

E. Lee and S.E. Third
Evangelists — Miguel Zuniga
Sunday—
Bible Study..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Classes for all..... 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA
BAUTISTA MEXICANA
300 N.E. 7th
Pastor Van E. Hughes
Secretaria Sara Salinas
Tesorero Gabriel Montiel
Domingo:
Estudios Biblicos..... 10:00 a.m.
El Sermon..... 11:00 a.m.
Miercoles:
Instruccion Biblica..... 8:00 p.m.
BIENVENIDOS A TODOS!

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 UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH
Marvin Roark, Pastor
Jim Massey, Music & Education
110 S.W. Third
Phone 647-4106 or 647-4107
Sunday—
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 10:45 a.m.
MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi. 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday—
General Meeting,
WSCS..... 9:30 a.m.
Choir..... 7:30 p.m.

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.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
[Northside]
Third and Halsell Streets
Leonard Tittle, Minister
Phone 647-5284
Sunday—
Bible Study..... 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Ladies Class..... 2:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service..... 8:00 p.m.

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
Viggo Ulrich, 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
Rev. James Alexander, Pastor
Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship..... 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services..... 7:30 p.m.

at the steak house. The Wozencrafts lived in Dimmitt for a while and will be moving soon to Grand Prairie. They are in the Indian jewelry business and they do much traveling. Beral says that Jeannine Wimberly and Alice Ivey and Nelda Thomas also visited a while with them at the cafe.

TOM AND ARGEN Draper received an invitation to President Carter's inauguration ceremonies. The Drapers live 14 miles north and west of Dimmitt and Argen says they will tell us all about it if they get to go.

Bobbie Damron was hostess at the Friday bridge at the Country Club. She served fruit dips and coffee with Mrs. Glenn's hamburgers to Bernice Hill, Bessie Elder, Mary Di-Cuffa, Dorothy Elder, Jan Quenze, Aural Davis, Myrtle Sheffy, who won a very high score with the help of good partners. Bobbie came in second, Aural third.

TOMMY AND Donna Stafford and girls of Lawton, Okla. were weekend visitors of his parents Shotgun and Florene Stafford and Donna's mama Mrs. Rex Sheffy and the family. Rex has been in the hospital for a few days recuperating from a flare up of the heart. Don and Karen Sheffy of Canyon, Bob and Mildred of Tulsa, Tommie and Richard Bills of Earth and the Dimmitt family were at my house for Sunday p.m. coffee.

Well, well! I saw Dee Yates at the hospital. She slipped on the ice and hurt her back but

her sons are so good to wait on her. She will soon be out doing her chores again.

Virginia Sheffy had a few friends in at her parents Ted and Dorothy's house Sunday afternoon for a stork shower for Mrs. Rick Wilcox, the former Vada Kirby. Helping Virginia were Donna Newton, Shari Matthews, Mrs. Dudley Wooten, Sondra Hastings, Suzan Sanders and Cindy Ellis. The girls served cookies and punch from a pretty table. Decoration was a "potty chair" filled with flowers. That was given the mom-to-be with other gifts.

HAWAII was the meeting place for a big Farm Bureau meeting. Joe Fields has been reporting on radio the business talks. Going from here were Joe Lust and his parents Houston and Doris Lust. Others going were Castro County President of Farm Bureau Gale and Verna Sadler of Sunnyside and Larry and Betty Hausmann. Of course they got to tour the islands. Maybe Joe will tell us all about the trip.

We are sad to tell you that Mr. Rogers of Lubbock died last week Tuesday. He was the husband of Grace Winkle Rogers. Aural Davis and other friends attended the service.

Krystal Scott was the eleven-year-old birthday girl last Friday so her mother Mrs. Ben Scott took Krystal and 26 of her friends out to Ruskin Circle swimming pool for the water sport, then all had ice cream cones, cokes and cup cakes. Krystal says thanks for the gifts and good wishes.

Donnie Shive had a fun trip

to Las Vegas a while back. He is with Goodpasture and a son of Eldon and Ruth Shive.

MARY FLYNT and Betty Wilhelm of Nazareth are home from New Orleans. They went by car picking up ladies at Plainview and Beaumont. This was a meeting of the American Legion and auxiliary. The program on children and youth. This was a good and worthwhile get together. Mary says it was rainy but warm and coming back to the cold weather makes for head colds.

Saturday evening there was a bridge party at the Kenneth Jacksons with Herb and Dorothy Mayfield as co-hosts. Pick up foods were served to Betty and Earl Parish, Jim and Ellen Hrabal, Ramona and Fred An-nen, Johnny and Ed Wilson, Cecil and Virginia Crum, Jo-annis and Ray Robertson, Betty and Bob Huckabay, Polly and

Garnett Holland, Brenda Andrews, Faun Welker, Martha Jo Hyman and Nancy Greer.

A group of nurses gave a birthday party for Rosa Lee Neal and Sid and Wylie Bullock at Lazbuddie Friday night. Both are nurses at Plains Memorial Hospital. Guests were Rae Catoe, Charles and Betty Vaughn, N. B. and Oma Stokes, C. J. and Omega Johnson, Mitzie and Cyril Brockman of Nazareth, Wayne and Louise Williams of Muleshoe, Sue Burt of Plainview, Helen Burt of Nazareth and the guest of honor Rosa Lee Neal.

RAE CATOE was honored with a visit from her children Alex, Linda and children from Turkey, Marty and Shelly from Nazareth, Paul and Kay and

family and Richard, all of Dimmitt.

Rae Catoe went to Cincinnati, Ohio to see her daughter and family Ron and Patty Lohr and girls. The city was beautiful with 12 inches of snow and 9 below zero. Had dinner atop the Riverview Room which revolved, showing the whole city.

DR. JAMES E.
WOHLGEMUTH
OPTOMETRIST
300 West Bedford
Ph. 647-4464 Dimmitt, TX.

A REASON FOR EVERYTHING

The giraffe was given a very long neck and legs so that he could feed on the leafy part of trees. The giraffe is the only animal that can not make a sound. We do not know the reason for this. God has revealed many things to us, but not all things. Men delve deeply into theology and find many things that cannot be answered, but God has given us the answer to all things pertinent to our salvation.

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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.

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Mass..... 7:00 a.m.
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Friday..... 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.
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Sunday—
Bible Study..... 9:30 a.m.
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Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.
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Sunday School..... 10:00 a.m.
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Sunday—
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
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Monday W.M.U..... 4:30 p.m.
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Prayer Meeting..... 7:30 p.m.
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Community Room
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Sunday—
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Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
Children's Church..... 5:30 p.m.
Evangelist Service..... 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship..... 11:00 a.m.
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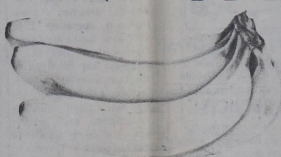
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HELP WANTED: Route salesman in Dimmitt for Cloverlake Dairy Foods, Inc. Call Jerry Ward, 647-2676 or 293-1367, Plainview. 9-13-tfc

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13—LOST & FOUND

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14—CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to everyone for their prayers, calls, food, flowers, memorials, and other kindnesses shown to us following the loss of our loved one. May God bless you for these expressions of love.
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14-16-1tp

15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF LOCAL LAW
Pursuant to Article 3, Section 57, Constitution of Texas, notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Texas Legislature at its current regular session for the passage of local law to create the office of Criminal District Attorney for Castro County, Texas. 15-16-4tc

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LEGAL NOTICES

TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDINANCE

ORDINANCE NO. 342

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE UNIFORM REGULATION OF THE USE OF MOTOR VEHICLES UPON THE STREETS, ALLEYS, RIGHT-OF-WAYS, SIDEWALKS, AND PARKING AREAS OF THE CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE TEXAS UNIFORM TRAFFIC ACT AS CODIFIED IN VERNON'S ANNOTATED CIVIL STATUTES, ARTICLE 6701D AS AMENDED AS OF JANUARY 1, 1977; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ANY AND ALL CITY ORDINANCES, RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH MAY BE CONTRARY TO SAID ACT; DIRECTING PUBLICATION OF THE DESCRIPTIVE CAPTION OF THIS ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Dimmitt believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Dimmitt in providing effective traffic control enforcement; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Dimmitt believes that such effective enforcement can only be accomplished through impartial and uniform enforcement of a uniform law; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Dimmitt believes that the Texas Uniform Traffic Act as codified in its present form would provide a uniform law from which uniform regulation may be based;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNSEL OF THE CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS:

I. That the Texas Uniform Traffic Act know as Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes, Article 6701d as amended as of January 1, 1977, is specifically adopted as the traffic regulation code of the City of Dimmitt.

II. That any and all city ordinances, rules and regulations which may be in conflict with Article 6701d, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes, are hereby expressly repealed, declared void, and shall hereafter be of no further force and effect.

III. If any provisions of this ordinance, or of the Article 6701d, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes, hereby adopted, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder thereof and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

IV. This ordinance is to take full force and effect on February 1, 1977, provided all prerequisites of law have been complied with and met by that date.

V. The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to cause the publication of the descriptive caption of this ordinance as is provided for by State law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of January, 1977.

THE CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS

By E. H. Youts
E. H. Youts, Mayor

ATTESTED:
-s- Garnett F. Holland
Garnett Holland, City Secretary
15-14-3tc



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Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of William M. Pope, Resident Engineer, Lubbock, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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15-15-2tc

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WEDDINGS AND ALL OCCASIONS

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STEAL AND DRIVE—With teammate Brad Glenn [22] running interference and a Littlefield player trying to block the shot, Dimmitt's Rocky Rawls sinks a layup after a steal and drive in the second quarter of Friday

night's District 3-AA opener here. Rawls' basket gave the Bobcats a 26-16 lead, and they went on to post a lopsided 70-43 victory over the visiting Wildcats.

Freshman Tourney begins here

Dimmitt will host a Freshman Basketball Tournament Thursday through Saturday, with both girls and boys of Dimmitt High meeting Kress teams in first-round play to-night (Thursday).

THE GIRLS game is scheduled at 6:30 p.m. and the boys will begin action at 8 p.m., both in the Middle School gym. Eight schools will send teams to the tourney.

The tournament will begin at 11:30 a.m. today when Bushland and Muleshoe boys will tangle in the high school gym while Levelland and Friona girls meet at the Middle School.

At 1 p.m. Farwell and Tulia

boys will play on the high school court, Littlefield and Friona at the Middle School.

Winners of the Dimmitt-Kress and Farwell-Tulia games are bracketed for second-round action at 1 p.m. Friday at DHS after the losers play at 10 a.m.

Winners of the other two games clash at 11:30 a.m. Friday and the losers at 10 a.m. on the Middle School court.

THE THIRD-place playoff is set for 5:30 p.m. Saturday at the Middle School and the championship game at 8:30 p.m. Consolation finals will be played at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the Middle School.

Tulia and Farwell girls are to play at 5 p.m. today at the Middle School and the winner will face the Dimmitt-Kress winner at 11:30 a.m. Friday at the high school.

Longhorns hit S-E 74 to 59

The Hart Longhorns brought their district record to 2-2 Friday with a 74-59 defeat of Springlake-Earth at Hart.

ELIAZAR Castillo led Coach Larry Cole's boys in scoring with 23 points. Also hitting in double figures for the Longhorns were Donald Robinson with 17 and Luther Isaguirre with 11 points.

In the girls game, Springlake-Earth overcame the Hart girls 57-52. LaDonna Hart paced the home team scoring as she posted 26 points and Melanie Upshaw added 14 for Hart.

Nazareth-Sudan split games

Nazareth's varsity girls ran over Sudan in a Friday night game and finished ahead by 59-24.

CHERYL Hartman scored 26 points to lead Coach Cathy Wilson's girls. Rachelle Pohlmeier also had a good night with 15 points.

The Nazareth Swifts were bested 53-48 by Sudan's boys. With 20 points, Royce Huseman led the scoring for Nazareth.

Littlefield and Muleshoe girls meet at 5 p.m. today in the high school, with the winner taking on the Friona-Levelland victor at 1 p.m. Friday in the Middle School. Losers are to play at 10 a.m. Friday, those from the top bracket in the

Middle School and the other two in DHS gym.

Third place will be decided in a 4 p.m. contest at the Middle School, following 1 p.m. consolation finals. Championship play is set for 7 p.m. Saturday in the Middle School gym.

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Nazareth JV teams take titles at Springlake-Earth

Nazareth junior varsity teams took first places for both girls and boys in the Springlake-Earth JV Tourney last weekend, each downing Bovina, Sudan and then Springlake-Earth teams in three-day action.

WITH BILL Cowan shooting

Here's Hart's school menu

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Hart Schools for Jan. 24-28.

MONDAY — Burritos, crackers, tossed salad, buttered corn, peanut butter cake, milk, butter.

TUESDAY — Barbecued beef, pinto beans, cornbread, cabbage salad, peaches, milk, butter.

WEDNESDAY — Steak, hot rolls, green peas, whipped potatoes, apple cobbler, milk, butter.

THURSDAY — Fried fish, tartar sauce, northern beans, cornbread, cabbage slaw, peanut butter brownies, milk, butter.

FRIDAY — Sloppy Joes on homemade buns, vegetable salad, baked beans, fruit cocktail, milk.

16 points, the Nazareth boys disposed of Bovina 40-30 in their first encounter. Sudan fell 57-32 and in the final game Nazareth repeated the 57 points to 38 for the hosts.

Kenneth Gerber was high point man against Sudan and again against Springlake-Earth, each time with 15. Cowan scored 13 and Neal Wilhelm 12 against Sudan. In the final contest Cowan's 14 was followed by Wilhelm's 11 to help pile up the winning score.

IN THE girls first game, Michelle Acker tallied 35 points, enough to defeat Bovina since the final score was Nazareth 49, Bovina 34.

Acker had 17 points in a tight victory over Sudan, with Nazareth squeezing in a 43-42 win. Marlene Huseman was close behind with 16 points.

They led the final attack for a 53-33 victory by Coach Beverly McDaniel's squad over the Springlake-Earth girls. Acker managed 28 points and Huseman 19.

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On Wall Street By Bob Hill

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Again the misinformed are heard around the land. The latest is from Sen. Henry M. (Scoop) Jackson, who has hysterically claimed that deregulating gasoline will result in an immediate 8 cents a gallon increase in price. Nothing could be further from the truth.

WHEN President Ford dropped his bombshell last week the reaction to his plan to deregulate gasoline was quick and vocal. The usual charges were that gasoline prices at the pump would immediately rise. But, this is wrong. As usual, Congress and the public are "misinformed".

The truth of the matter is that gasoline prices would not rise, at least not significantly. Controls on petroleum products were designed to make sure the oil companies did not take unfair advantage of any oil shortages, especially those created politically.

It prevented the oil companies from jacking gasoline prices higher than increased oil costs justified. In other words, price controls on petroleum products were intended to keep profit margins from rising, not retail gasoline prices from going up.

US GASOLINE prices are not lower because of price controls. That's a myth. Aside from taxes and other retail charges, wholesale gasoline prices are almost the same all around the world. Last week the cost of regular gasoline, in bulk, was 37 cents in Rotterdam. At the same time the cost of regular gasoline in New York City, in bulk, was also about 35 cents.

The government has already

decontrolled every other major oil product. It's just that gasoline is purchased often and in large amounts. Even heating oil, demand for which has skyrocketed, is selling currently less than a penny above the price it would have sold for under the price control structure.

On the other hand, decontrol of gasoline would not save consumers any money either. Perhaps Mr. Carter should be the one to make the decision on the decontrol of gasoline. Nevertheless, the decision should be made, and it should be for decontrol.

Huseman hogs will be shown

Dennis Huseman of Nazareth has entered Poland China hogs in the breeding stock classes of the Southwest Poland Conference's show to be held Friday and Saturday at the Logan County Fairgrounds in Guthrie, Okla.

"ENTRIES FOR the 1977 show reflect progress and movement of Poland breeding in recent months," said Bill Zobel, executive secretary of the Poland China Record Association which has headquarters in Galesburg, Ill.

Jim Rucker, prominent Duroc breeder from Moore, Okla., will judge the breeding stock classes Friday. An auction sale of the prize stock will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday.



Refugia Nino, LVN

17-year employee gets monthly hospital honor

Refugia Nino, LVN, was elected as the January Employee of the Month at Plains Memorial Hospital by popular vote of the other employees. She also received a \$25 US Savings Bond.

MRS. NINO began working for the hospital in 1959 as a nurses' aide. She was a member of the first graduating class of the Plains Memorial Hospital

LVN School in 1966.

"I love working here," Mrs. Nino said. "Everyone is so nice."

Three of Mrs. Nino's daughters have also completed their training at the LVN school, and another one is presently a student there.

Mrs. Nino works most of the time in the obstetrics ward.

School on ag loans slated for bankers

Texas bankers involved in making agricultural loans need firsthand knowledge about what's down the road for various agricultural commodities.

THAT'S WHAT they're going to get at the 25th Texas Farm and Ranch Credit School for Commercial Bankers, Feb. 7-9, at Texas A&M University.

A special session will provide "outlook" information on livestock, grain, cotton and the money market. Speakers for the session include Michael Jeane, vice president and economist, First City National Bank, Houston; Calvin Brints, president, Cotton Marketing Corporation, Lubbock; and Dr. Ernest Davis, Dr. Randall Stelly, Roland Smith and Dr. Ed Uvacek, all Extension economists.

Other features of the school will include sessions on loans for field crops, cow-calf operations, feedlots, grain storage and warehousing, dairying and rice production.

ATTENDING bankers will also learn about dealer methods of financing farm equipment.

What's cooking at the schools

HERE ARE the school lunch menus for Dimmitt Schools for Jan. 24-28.

MONDAY — Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken a la king, mixed greens, blackeyed peas, pudding, rolls, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hot dogs, tossed salad, French fries, peanut butter cake, milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, corn, cabbage salad, gelatin, milk.

FRIDAY — Tuna salad, peas and carrots, little new potatoes, wacky cake, bread, milk.

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FFA members' yields high

Mike K. Odom and Coby Gilbreath, members of the Dimmitt High School FFA Chapter, have reported corn yields in 1976 that places them in com-

petition in the Funk Seeds national corn growing program for the FFA.

GILBREATH's corn yielded 234.6 bushels per acre from 7.1 acres and Odom's yield was 203.6 bushels per acre from 4.9 acres. The seed firm's contest is a challenge to meet a 304-bushel per acre record set by an FFA member in 1955.

Both the Dimmitt students planted Funk's G-4507 in their test plots and used weed control chemicals. Gilbreath used 212 pounds of nitrogen and 81 pounds of phosphorus for fertilizer.

Planted April 26 in 40-inch rows at 25,300 seeds per acre, his corn was harvested Oct. 3 at 25.8 percent moisture.

Odom planted corn April 7 in 30-inch rows at 26,140 seeds per acre and harvested it Oct. 14 at 18.6 percent moisture.

Young parents invited to talk on wills

Information about wills, pertinent to young couples, will be given on the program of the Dimmitt Young Homemakers at their meeting today (Thursday) in the high school homemaking department.

JIMMY ROSS, local attorney, will be the speaker and guests are invited to meet with the club members at 7:30 p.m., according to Susan Hanners, president.

"Looking to Your Child's Future" is the program subject. Ross will discuss points to be considered in making wills to assure the desired care of young children in the event of parents' death.

Hostesses will be Janet Justice and Shari Lamberth, who will serve refreshments.

Zone 2 Legion meeting slated

An American Legion Zone 2 meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. today (Thursday) in the American Legion Hall at Hart.

All legion members in the area are invited to the meeting.

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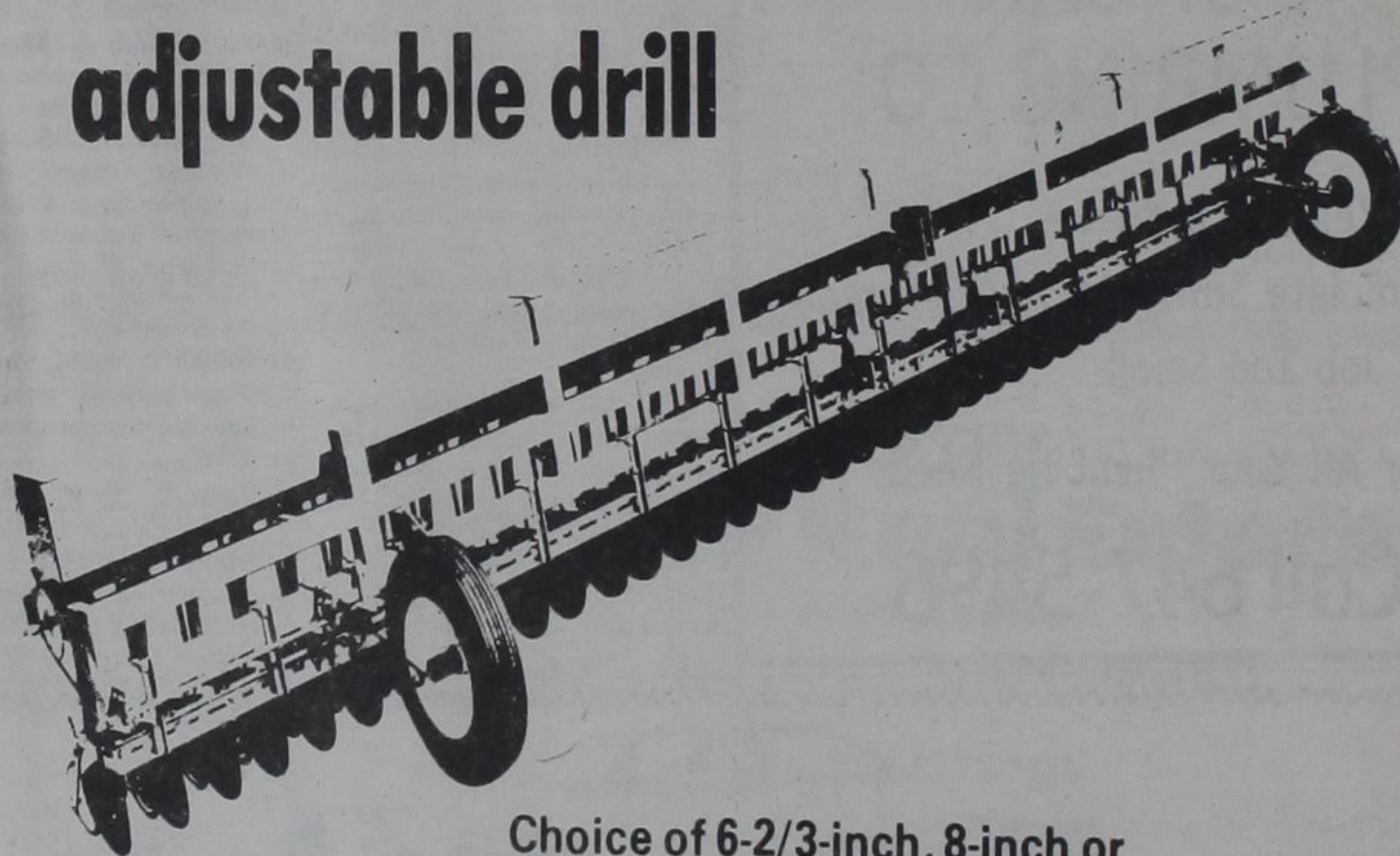
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David Sadler left last Sunday afternoon from Sudan with a bus load of Llanos Altos Baptist Men to do some missionary work at Roma and Forest Heights on the Rio Grande. Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon, who had gone down to Falcon earlier, joined them, and Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and Hershel Wilson went down Monday. They stayed at Forest Heights where Rev. W. A. Parks is pastor, and they did a little repair work there on that church building, but spent most of their time at Roma, where they worked on the parsonage. They re-roofed the building, changing a gable, and turned a garage into a bedroom. They also attended the revival at the school house in Roma Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights and did some visiting for the revival. David and Hershel came back on the bus Friday. Rev. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Haydon came back to Fort Worth to visit Mrs. Jones' mother over the weekend and attend the Evangelism Conference in Fort Worth Monday through Wednesday.

MR. AND MRS. Gale Sadler flew to Hawaii last Thursday with a group of Farm Bureau officials to attend the convention there this week and to vacation for a few days. They returned home Monday after ten days on the Islands. Cindy and Susan stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wilson returned home Wednesday night from a tour of Spain sponsored by Horizon Seed Co. There were about 240 in the group which spent a week on the tour. They found the people friendly and the country pretty, but the food not so good. They saw no signs of poverty in the country which has very small citrus farms and other farm products.

Ty Jones of Hereford filled the pulpit Sunday in the absence of the pastor. He and his wife and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Leffevre for dinner and the Hershel Wilsons for supper.

MR. AND MRS. Charles Axtell returned home last Sunday night from a three day incentive program of Farmland In-

dustries in Acapulco, Mexico with a group of people from Dimmitt. Paul and Holly stayed with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell in Earth.

Carl Shultz, father of Mrs. Howard Cummings, was admitted to the Amherst Hospital Monday with double pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited with him Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler visited with him Friday night. Mrs. Ezell Sadler sat up at the hospital Sunday night with Mrs. Cummings.

Mrs. Ruby Wolf of Belen and Mrs. Golda Mae Wolf of Albuquerque visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Embree Roy Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fowlkes of Rockport and Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes, who came up from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hodges and Mrs. LaVonda Norman and Tim, all of Midland, and Mrs. Glen Williamson of Anton, Mrs. Mike Temple of Lubbock, and Mrs. C. J. Fowlkes of Rockport visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eulless Waggoner and Eddie Monday afternoon.

Ezell Sadler was a pallbearer for the funeral services of M. H. Fowlkes Monday afternoon. Eulless Waggoner, Hershel Wilson and L. B. Bowden were honorary pallbearers. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elkins and Hershel Wilson helped out in the choir.

L. E. WILSON of Ropesville, father of Hershel Wilson, underwent cataract surgery in Lubbock Wednesday morning. Mrs. Hershel Wilson went down to be with them. He was dismissed Friday and Hershel visited with them Saturday.

Noah Spencer was in Lubbock for his medical checkup Monday. Ruth accompanied him.

John and Coby Gilbreath left Friday to attend the Stock Show in Denver over the weekend. Coby will show a pig.

Gay Waggoner was honored by her parents with a birthday party at the swim club in Dimmitt Friday afternoon. Those attending were Cinnamon Cox, Melody Sadler, Sharon Bradley, Carrie, Stacy and Laura Sadler from the community and Paula Sue Ivey, Venessa Scott, Jackie Jackson, Carrie Collins, Stephanie Killingsworth, Jamie Reeve of Dimmitt, as well as Mrs. Eulless Waggoner, Mrs. Floyd Ivey and Quint and Holly Waggoner.

MR. AND MRS. Grady Herrington of Farwell had supper Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner and children to help Gay celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. John Gilbreath attended the board and general meeting of Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary at the hospital Wednesday morning.

Karla Sadler and Jack Bradley were among the children starting to kindergarten in Dimmitt Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer visited with Mrs. V. E. Berarden of Hart Thursday and took her to Plainview on business.

DANEEN Wilson participated with other Springlake-Earth students in the All Regional band contest in Floydada Saturday. She won a second alternate.

Lynn Brown and the Springlake-Earth junior varsity boys team lost both their games in the tournament at Springlake-Earth over the weekend.

Kim Haydon and the Spring-

lake-Earth junior varsity girls team won second place in the tournament, losing only to Nazareth in their games.

Sharon Jones and another of the junior varsity girls team won their first game and lost their second game in the Springlake-Earth tournament.

KEVIN RILEY showed the Champion Fine Wool Lamb in the Lamb County Livestock show in Littlefield Friday and a 4th place Duroc pig in the show

Saturday. Jodie Riley showed the first place Suffolk lamb Friday.

Mrs. Lillie King went to Amarillo with her son Francis Sunday to visit a few days with them and her mother Mrs. F. M. Sweeney and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown and Lynn had dinner in Lubbock Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Hylton Brown and family of Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Woodward and Mrs. Nan-

cy Copeland and Jennifer also had supper with them.

Lee Brown started to Court Reporting school in Plainview last Friday instead of going back to Tech for the second semester.

MR. AND MRS. Anthony Stanford, Brad and Jolie of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scott of Hereford had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Jodie. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis

visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens of Petersburg and went on to Slaton and visited the rest of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer McMillen of Denver visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner. Rev. Murle Rogers of Ropesville visited with them in the afternoon.

The Lions Club is sponsoring a pancake supper at the com-

munity building Saturday night from 6 to 9 p.m., with proceeds going for the building payment.

There will be no charge for the supper, but a donation will be appreciated.

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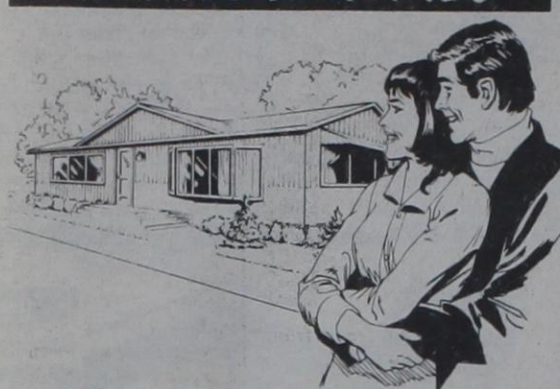
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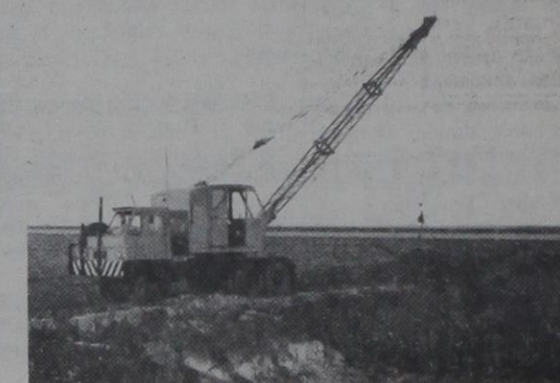
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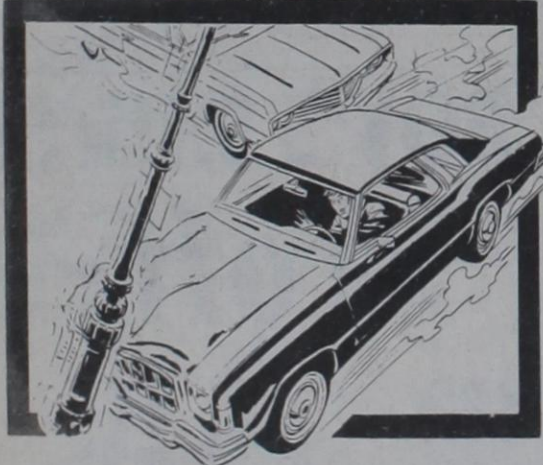
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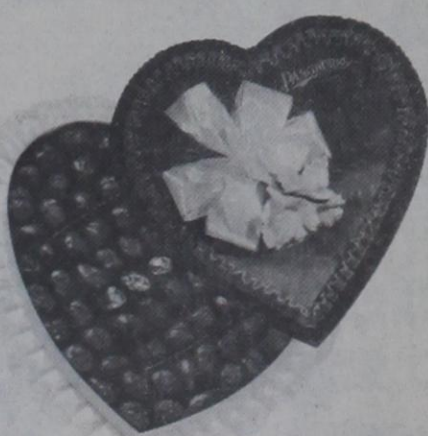


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THE RIDER FAMILY IN CONCERT will be at the First Christian Church Jan. 26 at 7:30 p.m. Family members are (front, from left) Jeanelle, son Daniel, and Richard; (rear, from left) daughters, Dale and Darleen.

Gospel concert set Jan. 26

The Rider Family will present a concert of gospel music Jan. 26 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church of Dimmitt.

RICHARD RIDER and his wife, Jeanelle, travel across the country in their bus with their two daughters, Darleen and

Dale, and their one-year-old son, Daniel, singing, witnessing, and preaching the Gospel.

Rider attended Minnesota Bible College and has been in the full-time ministry for 15 years. The girls have been doing all their schooling through correspondence, enabling them to travel with the family.

The Rider Family has produced two albums, including many songs Rider has written himself.

These songs, as well as many old-time favorites, will be in-

cluded in the concert. The public is invited, and a time of fellowship and refreshments will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Espinoza given army promotion

Ruben G. Espinoza, son of Mrs. Paula G. Espinoza, 205 NW 11th St., Dimmitt, recently was promoted to Army private first class while serving with the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood, Tx.

PFC. ESPINOZA, a recovery specialist in Service Battery, First Battalion of the division's 92nd Field Artillery, entered the Army in January 1976.

He is a 1976 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

PREVENTION OF ABORTIONS—Prenatal diagnosis of birth defects is saving lives, says the March of Dimes. Nearly 97 per cent of pregnant women who underwent amniocentesis were assured that their unborn babies were free of the disorder for which they were tested. The technique prevents many abortions which might have been performed on the basis of statistical odds alone.



By BRICK AUTRY
Librarian

Several years ago there was a tremendous upsurge of interest in the arts of astrology and other occult subjects.

SINCE THAT time I imagine that there have been thousands of publications about astrology. They range from scientific papers to nickel and dime magazines. The library even has some astrology books on the shelves. Aside from pornography, there is no more controversial issue than whether astrology is a science or not. Astrology has been much maligned.

The scientists insist that it is superstitious and the churches concede that it is the work of the devil. Popular opinions range from enthusiastic support to fanatic opposition, with most people somewhere in between. But whatever the prevailing beliefs about astrology, there has been a mammoth surge of amateur activity in the practice of it, and it will be around for years to come.

For this reason, I offer my experience and opinions about astrology and its publications in hopes of illuminating the subject.

1. Astrology IS a science. Its practice demands great precision and years of experience. It is not as subjective as many magazines with their little amusing paragraphs seem to indicate. Yet, astrology is not a science of this world. It doesn't follow the rules and laws of this world which is why it is subject to so much derision. The ways of the stars are in a world adjacent to ours. It is called the astral world. The astral world is where all the psychic junk occurs, like flying saucers and ghosts and things. Nevertheless, being a precise, science, the amateur books on astrology and the simplified methods don't do it justice. Don't waste your time with them.

2. Astrology uses the medium of symbols. The ancients used symbols to translate the predictions gathered from their client's horoscopes. Everyone

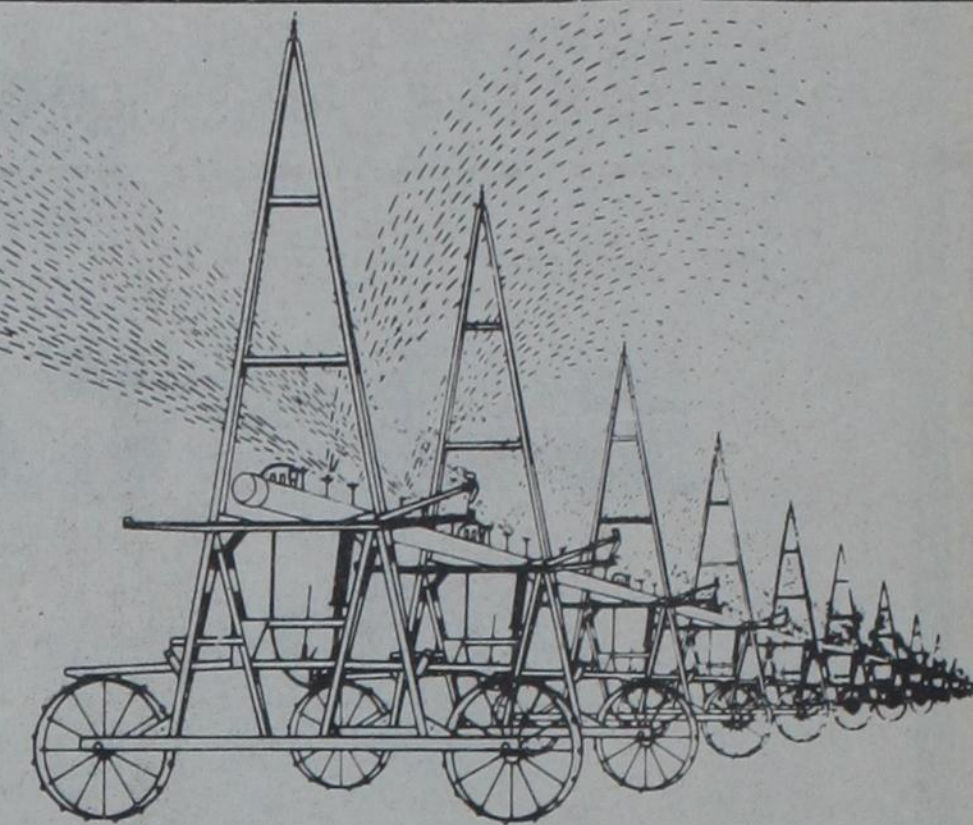
was familiar with the symbols. They came from their religious training. We call it mythology today. We no longer use these symbols in everyday life. The astrologers continue to use them, however, and often forget that we, the laymen, can no longer interpret Leo or Aries or Cancer. No wonder astrology seems like a lot of bunk!

3. TODAY astrologers still continue to use the age old methods passed down from practitioner to practitioner since the days of ancient Greece. That was a millennium ago. Since then, the earth has moved. We no longer see the same view of the universe as our forefathers did. Yet, astrologers use the same methods of calculations, which are wrong now. No wonder their predictions are only 70 percent correct. If they used the proper methods, astrology could be 100 percent effective. Therefore, you can see that simplified methods which are taught in these coffee table books of astrology can be totally misleading. If you wish to be an astrologer, you must be an excellent mathematician, and be spiritually aware of other worlds. Such qualifications come only through years of practice.

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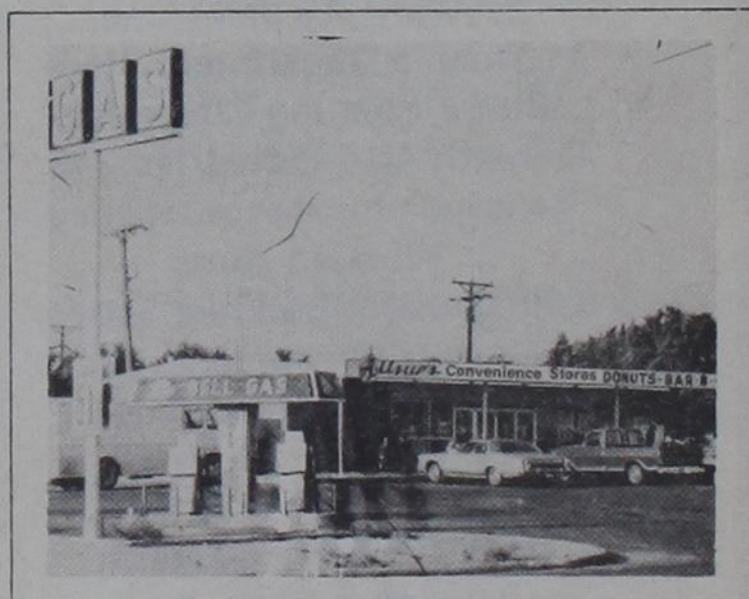
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Season Results

Bobcats

90, Lockney 35
45, Canyon 55
69, Tulia 38
Plainview Tournament:
51, Post 36
75, Floydada 43
64, Clovis (White) 51
[Championship]
61, Post 35
Tulia Tournament:
65, Spur 49
65, Vega 38
86, Tulia 49
[Championship]
59, Tulia 42
66, Hale Center 56
45, Lubbock High 42
75, Floydada 40
Caprock Tournament:
89, Ralls 29
58, Lubbock Christian HS 48
64, Tahoka 40
[Championship]
90, Lockney 50
60, Perryton 57
71, Floydada 36
70, Littlefield 43
73, Muleshoe 39
RECORD TO DATE: 21-1



DIMMITT BOBBIES

From left: Beth Cleveland, Joyce Wooten, Linda Wise, Mel Nelson, Brenda Underwood, Sandra Tischler, Nita Parker, Louise Fagan, Ola Fay McGlaughlin, Amy Merritt, Kay Phillips, Coach Sam Nichols. Managers: Laura Cantu (left) and Ydolina Sepeda.



Remaining Schedule

January 21 (Friday)..... Friona, Here
January 25 (Tuesday)..... Olton, Here
January 28 (Friday)..... Morton, There
February 1 (Tuesday)..... Littlefield, There
February 4 (Friday)..... Muleshoe, Here
February 8 (Tuesday)..... Friona, There
February 11 (Friday)..... Olton, There
February 15 (Tuesday)..... Morton, Here



Season Results

Bobbies

68, Channing 47.
45, Canyon 64
64, Lockney 56
72, Post 69
52, Nazareth 63
Plainview Tournament:
48, Ralls 56
46, Phillips 62
71, Tulia 60
55, Slaton 57
Tulia Tournament:
86, Spur 28
54, Canyon 78
63, Tulia 53
[Third Place]
66, Tulia 68
69, Hale Center 68
73, Levelland 48
63, Floydada 39
Slaton Tournament:
56, Rankin 35
59, Abernathy 38
45, Slaton 63
44, Nazareth 41
[Third Place]
42, Lockney 39
41, Olton 23
78, Morton 41
60, Littlefield 44
63, Muleshoe 51
RECORD TO DATE: 18-7

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Six injured in accidents on highways

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated seven accidents on rural highways in Castro County during the month of December, according to Sgt. J. R. Smith, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

THESE CRASHES resulted in six persons injured but no fatalities. The rural traffic accident summary for Castro County during the first 12 months of 1976 shows a total of 104 ac-

cidents resulting in three persons killed and 45 persons injured. The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Dept. of Public Safety Region for December, 1976, shows a total of 514 accidents resulting in 10 persons killed and 255 injured, as compared to December, 1975, with 534 accidents resulting in 22 persons killed and 325 persons injured. This was 20 less accidents, 12 less killed, and 70 less injured in 1976 at the same period of time.



SQUARE DANCE TIPS

By LINDA RICHARDSON

The Dimmitt Promenaders met Jan. 12 at the County Exposition Building. Johnny Gillenwater had several new songs and we enjoyed them very much.

THE COMMITTEES reported on the progress of the Heart Fund Dance scheduled for Feb. 5 at the County Expo Building. This will be a donation dance with all proceeds going to the American Heart Association to be kept in this county for equipment needed to aid heart patients.

Spectators are very welcome to attend this dance. There will be door prizes and refreshments throughout the evening.

The Promenaders voted to change meeting places and times for our club: new meeting place will be the American Legion building in Nazareth on the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month. Dancing will begin at 8 p.m.

Next meeting Tuesday, Jan. 25.

Nursing aide course slated

Amarillo College School of Continuing Education will offer a short-term health course in nursing assistant and orderly training beginning Jan. 24.

ANNE FREEMAN, registered nurse, will instruct the four-week course which will meet Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 6 to 10 p.m. at a cost of \$25.

Registered students should meet at the Polk Street entrance area in St. Anthony's



JOHNNY STANFORD won this silver tankard for placing first among 35 competitors in the B class, singles competition Jan. 2 at a meet registered by the Amateur Trapshooting Association and sponsored by the Amarillo Gun Club. His score was 96 out of a possible 100.

Science, math students will compete Saturday

Eighteen students from Dimmitt High School will enter the annual Monterey High School Math and Science contests at Lubbock Saturday, to compete with students from over the Panhandle-Plains region.

SLIDE RULE contestants from DHS will be Steve Anthony, Scott Bagley, Jim Wright, Tobin Touchstone and Cindy Wakefield.

Wakefield, Wright and Touchstone will also enter the number sense contests; Dorothy Rivers, Leland Ginn and Anthony Bagley the junior mathematics events, Kevin Ginn and David Nelson freshman math.

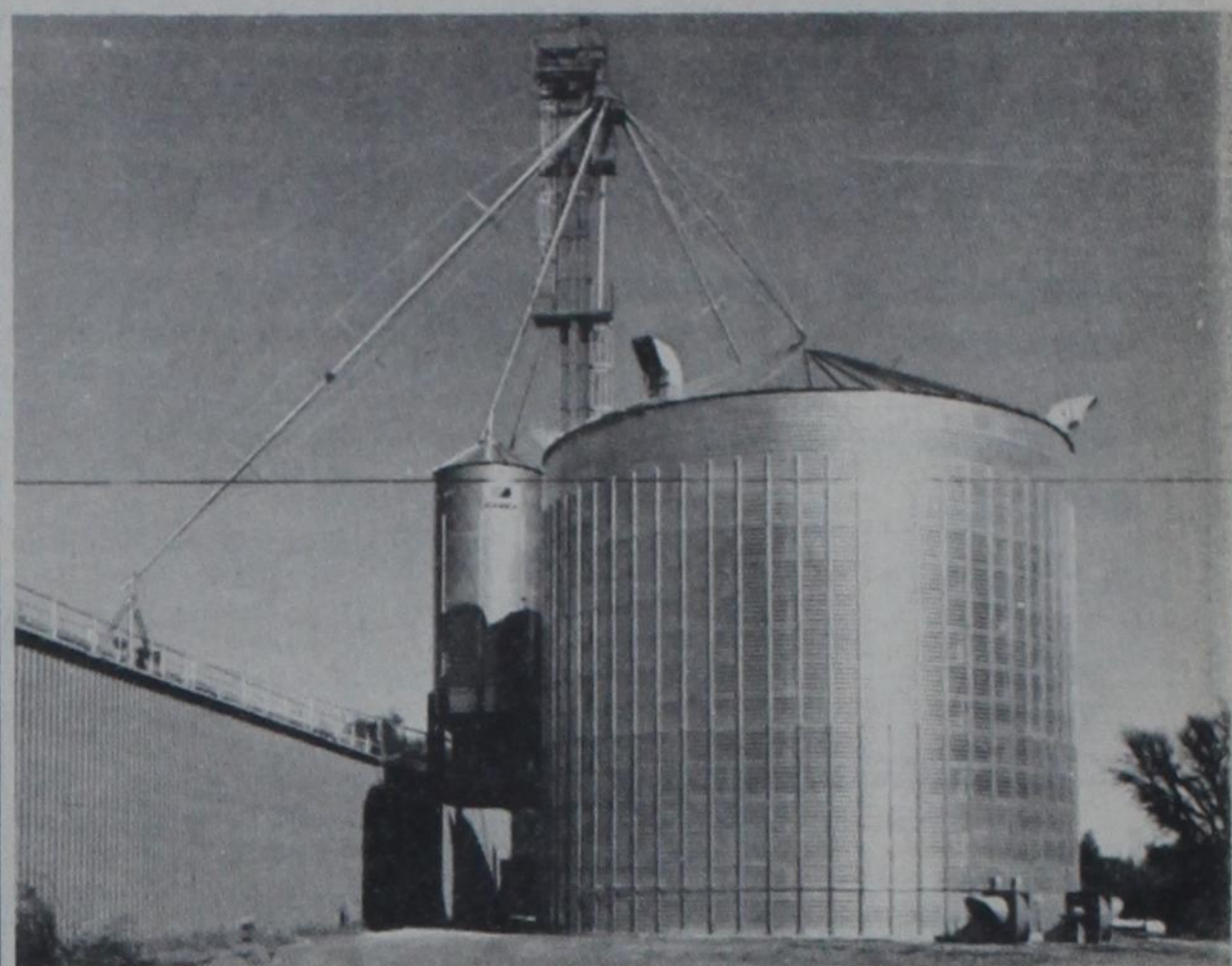
In science competition, Jim Cleavinger, Scott Bagwell and L. Ginn will enter the veterans division, Randy Gordon the novice division, Mark Odom the tenth grade beginners and K. Ginn the ninth grade beginners.

Hospital at 6 p.m. Jan. 24 where they will meet the instructor.

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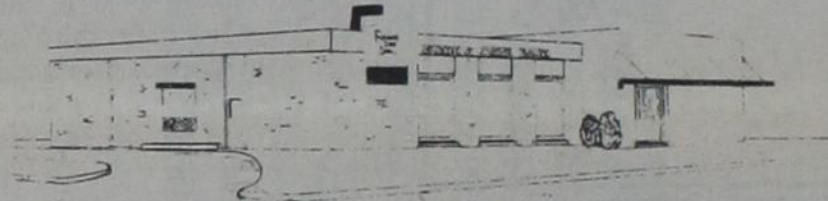
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Funds Sold	3,600,000.00	4,100,000.00	5,100,000.00
Bonds and Securities	699,658.90	987,410.67	1,561,091.72
Banking House	67,981.63	65,941.63	63,541.63
Furniture and Fixtures	22,056.97	60,572.62	85,351.33
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Undivided Profits and Reserves	320,992.12	200,629.55	331,066.82
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Other Liabilities	12,811.37	32,783.50	41,718.84
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Locals win 5 of 6 Tuesday

Dimmitt's Bobbies and Bobcats remained unbeaten in district play with Tuesday night victories at Muleshoe.

HART VARSITY teams both won at Kress, and the Nazareth girls downed Silverton while the Swifts lost a double-overtime heartbreaker at home.

FOUR Bobcats scored in double figures—Keith Crum 18, Jerry Schaeffer, 14, Brad Glenn 12 and Rocky Rawls 10—as the Cats drubbed the Mules, 73-39.

The Bobbies ran their season record to 18-7 by defeating Muleshoe, 63-51. Beth Cleveland sank baskets from all angles for 42 points. Joyce Wooten scored 17.

The Bobbies won it at the charity line, swishing 31 of 41 free throws.

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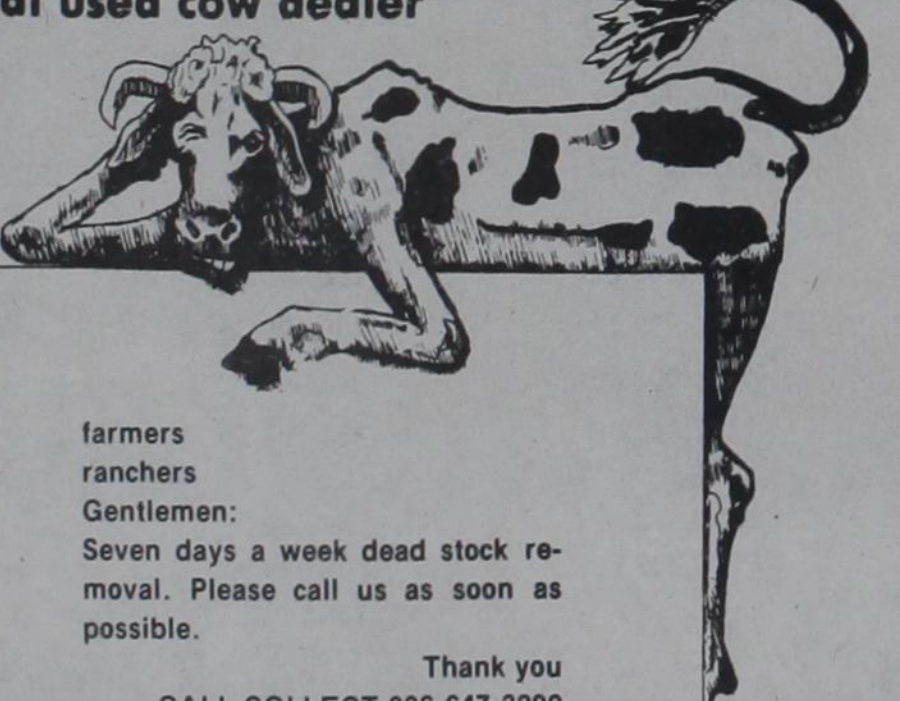
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Frosh boys 7th graders are champs barely lose, of Olton tournament girls win

Just one point gave Littlefield a victory over the Dimmitt High Freshman boys at Littlefield Monday night, leaving the DHS Frosh with a 10-6 record for the season.

DIMMITT's girls decisively defeated Littlefield, 52-34, on the same trip. Vicki Cleveland tossed in the ball for 27 points and Lori Dyer for 14 more.

David Nelson was tops in scoring for the boys with 15 in the 36-35 loss, and Matt Gilbreath scored 9.

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DMS teams split with Littlefield

Middle School girls from Dimmitt defeated Littlefield teams here Monday night, but seventh and eighth grade boys both dropped their games. Dimmitt's eighth grade girls maintained their perfect record for the season, which now stands at 11-0.

"OUR SEVENTH grade boys looked a little flat after the Olton tournament and made mental mistakes, but still did a good job although they took a one-point loss," Coach David Dunavant said. "It was their first loss to Littlefield in three games this season."

The final score was 23-22, but Dimmitt's seventh grade girls reversed the edge by beating the Littlefield girls 24-23. In a previous game Littlefield outscored Dimmitt girls 10 points.

Mario Moreno and Rafael Enrique shared scoring honors with 8 each for the boys, while Pam Nelson got 12 to lead the girls. Guards Patty Montes, Jackie Rivers and Rita Ramos were mentioned for good games.

The eighth grade girls' shooting was off, Coach Shott Miller said, but they bested Littlefield 26-17 with Christina Salinas hitting for 13 points. Era Rivers got 7 rebounds and three steals; Deanne Merritt and Kim Watts also showed up well at guard.

Eighth grade boys lost to Littlefield 32-30, for a season record of 4-8. Bobby Crozier was cited by Coach Jerry Durham for the best game at forward for Dimmitt.

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Approximately \$1,000 has come in from the sale of Auxiliary cookbooks which is still underway, the financial report showed, to bring the savings account total to \$2,155.12 and the checking account to \$3,400.

ALL Auxiliary members are involved in sale of the cookbooks, which are priced at \$5 each.

Jerrold Wellborn was the speaker at the meeting, giving information about the American Heart Association and its Castro County chapter. He discussed the function of the Association and gave a percentage report on how donated funds are spent.

Only five percent goes to management, he said, since most professional services are from volunteers. A large percent goes to research and another large amount comes back to the county.

Wellborn volunteered to teach a course in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation for Auxiliary members if enough are interested.

Nazareth Art Club will meet Monday

The Nazareth Art Club will hold its January meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the church basement at Nazareth.

JEAN LYLES of Hereford, a painter and teacher, will present a demonstration on oil pastels. Everyone interested in the subject is invited.

Iota Zeta has lesson in music

New approaches to teaching music in the Dimmitt Public Schools were explained and then demonstrated to the Iota Zeta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma at its meeting last week, when Dwight Joiner of the school's music department was the speaker.

MEMBERS participated in a short musical exercise led by Joiner, helping them appreciate what the local school system offers to pupils in music instruction.

The meeting was in the Middle School library. Joan Moore, president, conducted the business session when committee reports were heard.

Hostesses, Loranell Hamilton, Frances Duke, Cleo Forson and Grace Strother, served refreshments to 30 members.

Honor roll listing earned

Thelma Joan Martin of Dimmitt, a student at Angelo State University in San Angelo, is listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at the university.

Ms. Martin, a nursing major at ASU, is listed on the 3.5 to 4.0 honor roll.

THE manner of giving shows the character of the giver more than the gift itself.

Slides illustrate Book Club review

"Hope for the Flowers," by Trina Paulus was reviewed by Mrs. James Welch last Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Dimmitt Book Club in the Rhoads Memorial Library.

Mrs. Welch used slides to help present the unusual story.

"THIS IS a tale partly about life, lots about revolutions and lots about hope," she said.

"Paulus used caterpillars as the people, or like people, in her story. Now, how does one become a butterfly?"

"You must want to fly so much that you are willing to give up being a caterpillar! Life

is changed, not taken away. Isn't that different from those who die without ever becoming a butterfly?"

Nancy Ross and Shirley Stephens served chocolate petit fours and coffee from a pretty table with fall flowers arranged in an antique tea kettle at the social hour.

Maxine Tidwell presided at a short business meeting. It was reported that Mrs. Perry, who made generous contributions to help build the library here, has suffered light strokes but her condition was improved.

Town-Country Club's new year is launched

First meeting of the new year was held by the Town and Country Home Demonstration Club last Thursday in the court-

house assembly room, featured by a financial report and completion of 1977 yearbooks.

REBA FLEMING was elected delegate to the County HD Council to complete the club's list of new officers.

The next meeting was set for 9:30 a.m. Jan. 27 at the courthouse, and anyone wishing to become a member of the club is invited.

Shirley Schacher and Kathy Goolsby served refreshments to two guests and 13 members.

The club's Christmas party was held Dec. 9 in the home of Irene Keating, County HD Agent. Santa Claus was a guest as secret pals of 1976 were revealed in a gift exchange, games and turkey dinner.

At a late November meeting, Glenna Polson gave a program on ceramics and plans were made for the Christmas party and for serving dinner at the state convention of the Corn Growers Association. Hostesses were Bea Acker and Drilma Handley and there were 15 members present.



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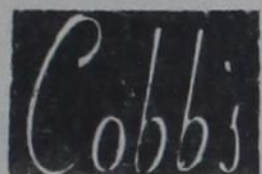
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GENERAL REVENUE SHARING

ACTUAL USE REPORT

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ACTUAL EXPENDITURES (Include Obligations)			THE GOVERNMENT OF CASTRO COUNTY	
(A) CATEGORIES	(B) CAPITAL	(C) OPERATING / MAINTENANCE	has received General Revenue Sharing payments totaling \$	58,932
1. PUBLIC SAFETY	\$ 4270	\$ 34281	during the period from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	
2. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$ 12200	\$	ACCOUNT NO. 44 1 035 035	
3. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$	CASTRO COUNTY JUDGE	79027
4. HEALTH	\$	\$ 843	DIMMITT, TEXAS	
5. RECREATION	\$	\$		
6. LIBRARIES	\$	\$ 5400		
7. SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$ 3115		
8. FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$ 260		
9. MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$			
10. EDUCATION	\$			
11. SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$			
12. HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$ 10,000			
13. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$			
14. OTHER (Specify)	\$			
15. TOTALS	\$ 26470	\$ 43899		
NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET				
(E) CERTIFICATION: I certify that I am the Chief Executive Officer and, with respect to the entitlement funds reported herein, I certify that they have not been used in violation of either the priority expenditure requirement (Section 183) or the matching funds prohibition (Section 104) of the Act.				
Weldon Bradley			1-18-77	
Signature of Chief Executive			Date	
Weldon Bradley, County Judge				
Name and Title				
(F) THE NEWS MEDIA HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT A COMPLETE COPY OF THIS REPORT HAS BEEN PUBLISHED IN A LOCAL NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION. I HAVE A COPY OF THIS REPORT AND RECORDS DOCUMENTING THE CONTENTS. THEY ARE OPEN FOR PUBLIC SCRUTINY AT MY OFFICE IN THE CASTRO COUNTY COURTHOUSE.				

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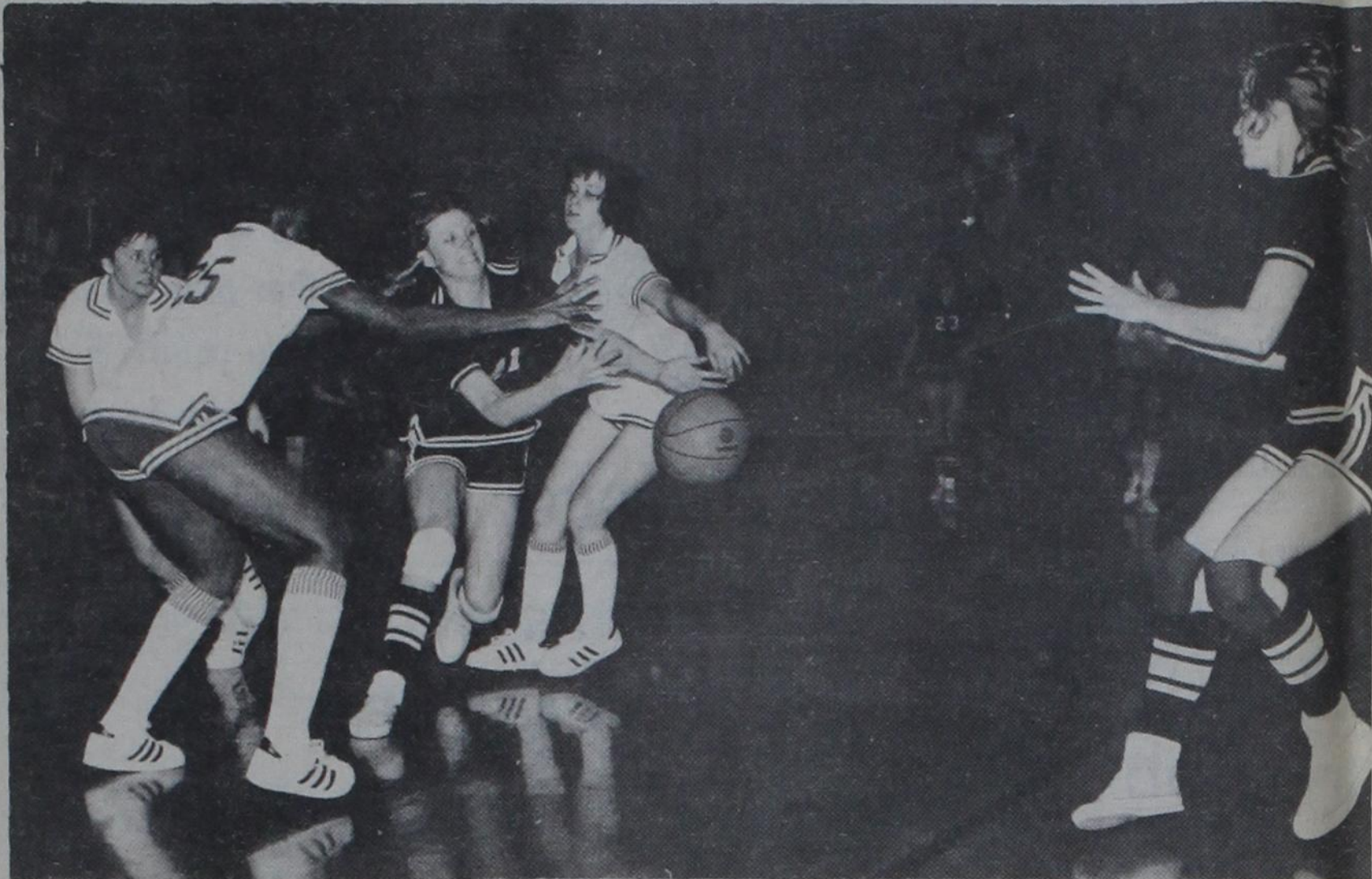
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HELP!—Littlefield forward Penny Sexton (41) shovels a desperation pass to teammate Monica Phillips to escape a blockade set up by Dimmitt guards Louise Fagan (25), Nita Parker (left) and Mel Nelson in the third quarter of Friday night's district game here. The Bobbies won a convincing 60-44 victory to take the lead in the District 3-AA title race.

Nazareth

Mrs. Wilhelm attends conference

By MRS. AGNES BROCKMAN

Mrs. Betty Wilhelm is home after a weeks trip to New Orleans. She and four other women from the area American Legion Auxiliary made the trip to attend an area conference on Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation. Twelve states were represented at the meeting.

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Leinen spent last weekend in Tulsa visiting Viola and Virgil Pohlmeier and also Mr. and Mrs. Art Kleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Venhaus and Helen Backus spent the weekend in Dumas visiting their children.

Mrs. Rita Kern went to Dallas Sunday to take her daughter Teresa back to college.

Several students from the Nazareth Swift Band went to Floydada Saturday to try out for All Region Band. Tony Brockman placed first and Cyrrilla Brockman was first alternate.

RUTH AND Harvey Payne spent last week in Nazareth visiting the Florence Schachers and other relatives here.

Our weather here is still plenty cold and no moisture to speak of as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Schacher and Jerry Wilhelm went to Pine Bluff, Wyo. over the weekend to attend the funeral of Dennis Schacher who was killed in a car wreck. He was the grandson of Joe Schacher.

Practically all the college students left recently for school to assume their studies again.

DEE YATES of Dimmitt and Regina Steffens flew to Dallas over the weekend. Dee plans to move down there in the near

future.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Hoelting visited the Wert Albrachts in their new home in Hereford, where they moved Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray O'Halon and daughter Rebecca visited her folks the Vincent Pohlmeiers over the weekend.

Mrs. Sylvia Hoelting has been in Plainview the last several days taking care of her uncle Harry Dirks, who had major surgery at the Plainview Hospital.

SISTER NORBERT Hoelting was elected Mother of the Benedictine Convent in Fort Smith, Ark. at the chapter meeting Jan. 28. She will assume her duties in June and will have this office for four years. She will succeed Mother Columbia, who will have had

Kiwanians to participate
in 'Service Club Olympics'

Ten members of the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club will participate in the basketball division of the Service Club Olympics sponsored by the Hereford YMCA next week.

THE VARIOUS events will take place each evening Jan. 24-28 and all day Jan. 29 at Stanton Junior High in Hereford. Fifteen clubs will be participating in the different com-

petitions, with an overall registration fee of \$20 per club.

Robert Benton, Mark Cleavinger, Gene King, Dan Knox, Doug Lapins, Joe Mike Meyers, Bob Murdock, Ted Robb and Richard Stahl will make up the Kiwanis basketball team, with Jack Patton acting as coach and manager.

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The group also discussed a bowling tournament which will be in Amarillo Feb. 8, and the Governor's meeting which will be March 22 in Tulsa.

Eighteen members, the club sweetheart and four visitors were present.

ENJOYING a dinner Sunday with Cornelia Annen were the August Husemans, Ray Annens and Claude, also Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Guggemos and Lucy Leinen.

Helen and Sue Burt visited with the Burt relatives in Amarillo one day last week.

Mrs. Agnes Brockman spent Thursday afternoon and night with the Phil Brockmans in Muleshoe.

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

NO. 1451
ESTATE OF LINNIE LOU CAULDWELL, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF LINNIE LOU CAULDWELL, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Linnie Lou Cauldwell were issued on January 10, 1977, in Cause No. 1451, pending in the County Court of Castro County, Texas, to A. E. WALDROP, JR., Independent Executor.

The residence of such Executor is in Huntsville, Walker County, Texas, and his Post Office address is % Moran & Miller, P.O. Box 942, Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, 79027.

All persons having claims against this estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

-s- A. E. WALDROP, JR., Independent Executor of the Estate of Linnie Lou Cauldwell, Deceased
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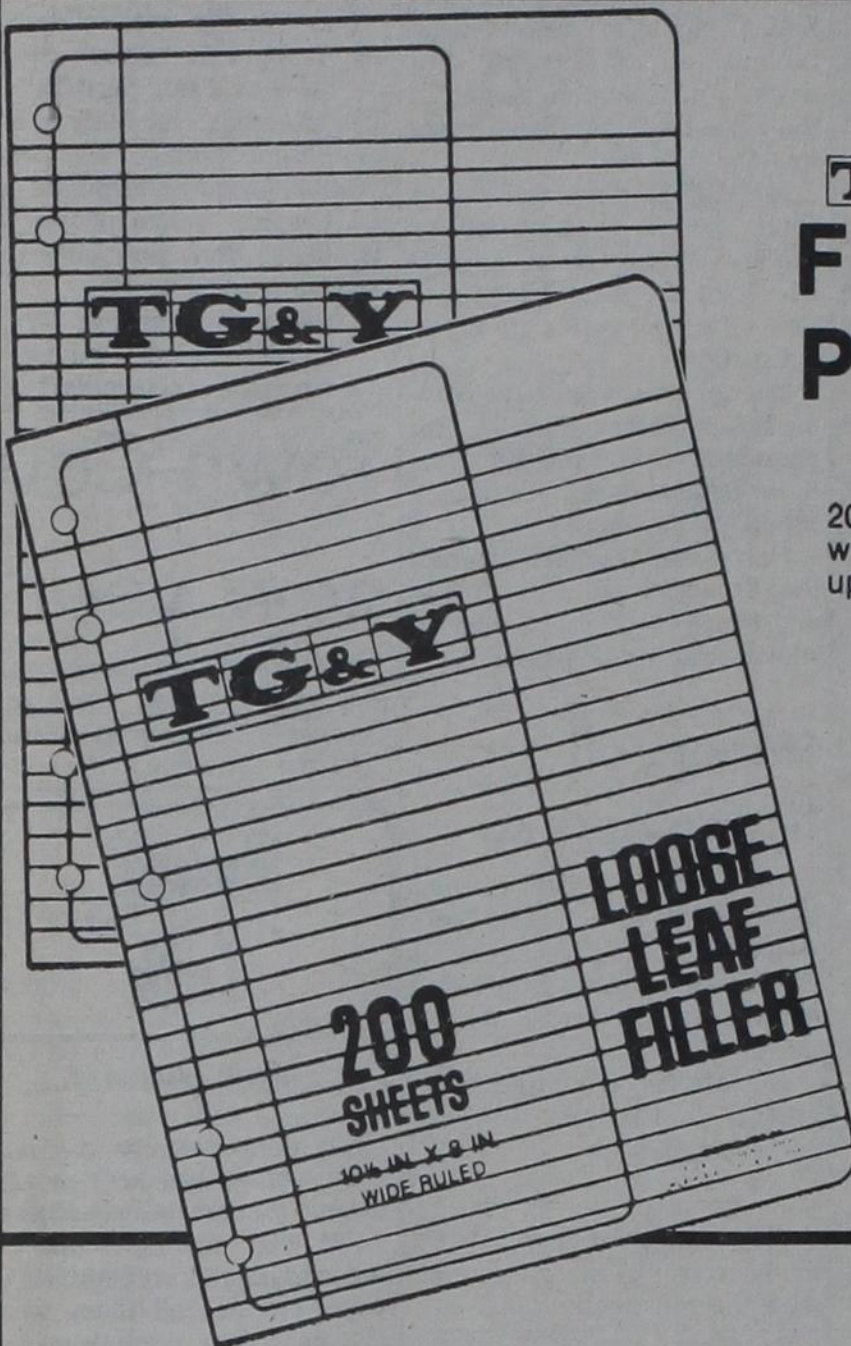
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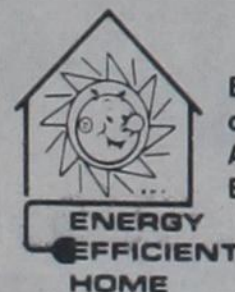
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