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Warmish

Readings taken every day at 7 a.m. at KDHN, official National Weather Service recording station for Dimmitt.

Thursday	90	65
Friday	85	64
Saturday	92	62
Sunday	96	62
Monday	96	60
Tuesday	87	60
Wednesday	98	66
July moisture		2.06
1995 moisture		16.02

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By Don Nelson

Aloha is the most beautiful word in any language.

It can mean "hello." Or "welcome." Or "I'm glad to see you." Or "fare well."

It's always spoken with a smile.

Aloha is more than a word, really. It embodies the spirit of a beautiful people who inhabit the beautiful, tropical islands that make up our 50th state.

Verbie had always wanted to see Hawaii more than any other place in the world. We spent the previous two weeks there, celebrating her retirement from teaching.

I figured I was sort of along to tote the luggage and drive. But I think I may have enjoyed it even more than she did.

We visited four islands—Oahu, which includes the capital city of Honolulu; Kauai, "the Garden Island"; Maui, "the Valley Isle"; and Hawaii, "the Big Island," which has the world's most active volcano.

All the islands have much in common, but each also has its own distinctive features, mainly because of the age differences. All the islands are believed to have formed from a volcanic chain that started millions of years ago, 28,000 feet beneath the ocean's surface. It's believed that all the islands were born at Hawaii, the southernmost and largest of the chain, and rifted away to the northeast as the earth's subterranean plates shifted through the ages.

We spent more time on Kauai than any other island. We had heard, rightly, that it's more lush, less developed, less crowded and not so rushed. Our home away from home was the Coconut Beach Resort; we had a ground-level room with an ocean view, just 30 yards from the beach. Not your basic little grass shack. . . .

We spent almost as much time on Maui, where we stayed in a condo at the Aston Kaanapali Villas on Kaanapali Beach, from where you could see the smaller islands of Molokai and Lanai.

On the Big Island, we stayed at Kona on the black, rocky west coast—a 90-mile, 2-1/2 hour drive from Kilauea, the lava-spouting volcano that you see in all the Hawaii travelogues.

And on Oahu, we basically flew in and flew out, and never got out of Honolulu. We had only one full day and a couple of half-days, during which we visited Pearl Harbor, the USS Arizona Memorial, Waikiki Beach, the Royal Hawaiian Hotel (the "Pink Castle" that's one of the most famous hotels in the world), the University of Hawaii campus and the Bishop Museum.

We used rental cars everywhere except Honolulu, so we were free to do our own thing. We took a bus trip to the top of Mount Haleakala

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Clarification

In a story in last week's *News*, it was reported that a Dimmitt pharmacy is delivering prescriptions to persons who use Hawkins Memorial Clinic.

The *News* has since learned that deliveries in the Hart area are being made by Bob Mooney, who is employed by the Castro County Hospital District. Deliveries are made from both Coleman Pharmacy and Lockhart Pharmacy at no additional charge.

County seeks opinion on inquest pay

Castro County commissioners will seek at attorney general's opinion before agreeing to pay for death inquests.

County officials balked Monday, during the commissioners' court meeting, at paying Nazareth City Judge Carroll Gerber. Gerber performed an inquest in the July 15 death of Boyd Moore near Sunny-side.

Gerber was called because Justice of the Peace Marshall Young and County Judge Irene Miller were out of pocket. When someone dies in an accident, an inquest must be conducted. Usually, it is performed by Young, the only JP in the county.

When Young is not available, Miller is the next person on the list. If Miller is not available, an inquest could be performed by Gerber or Hart City Judge Jerry Miller.

In case neither of the judges are available, an inquest could be conducted by Hart Mayor Tony Leibel or Nazareth Mayor Ralph Brockman. Dimmitt's mayor, Wayne Collins, is excluded because Dimmitt is a "home rule" city. Hart and Nazareth are general law cities.

Currently, the county pays Young only if he uses his personal vehicle. County officials paid a \$15 charge to Young this month for an inquest performed in late June. Usually,

Young is taken to an accident scene by Sheriff CD Fitzgerald or another law enforcement officer. When he is taken to the scene, it is considered part of his duties and he receives no extra stipend.

Gerber told the county he has done four inquests since he was appointed Nazareth city judge in 1988. He had submitted a bill once before, for \$25, but commissioners voted not to pay it and Gerber said he didn't pursue it further.

Gerber said he didn't mind being called occasionally, but said it took away from his business and personal time.

"For the time it takes to do it, I feel I should be compensated," Gerber told the court. "It took two hours for the Boyd Moore inquest, plus there was 51 miles worth of travel."

Gerber requested he be paid the same \$17.50 per hour rate he receives from the City of Nazareth, plus mileage.

County officials, though, said they didn't feel they should be obligated to pay for the work, but agreed to seek an official opinion on the matter. The opinion would have basically the same force as law.

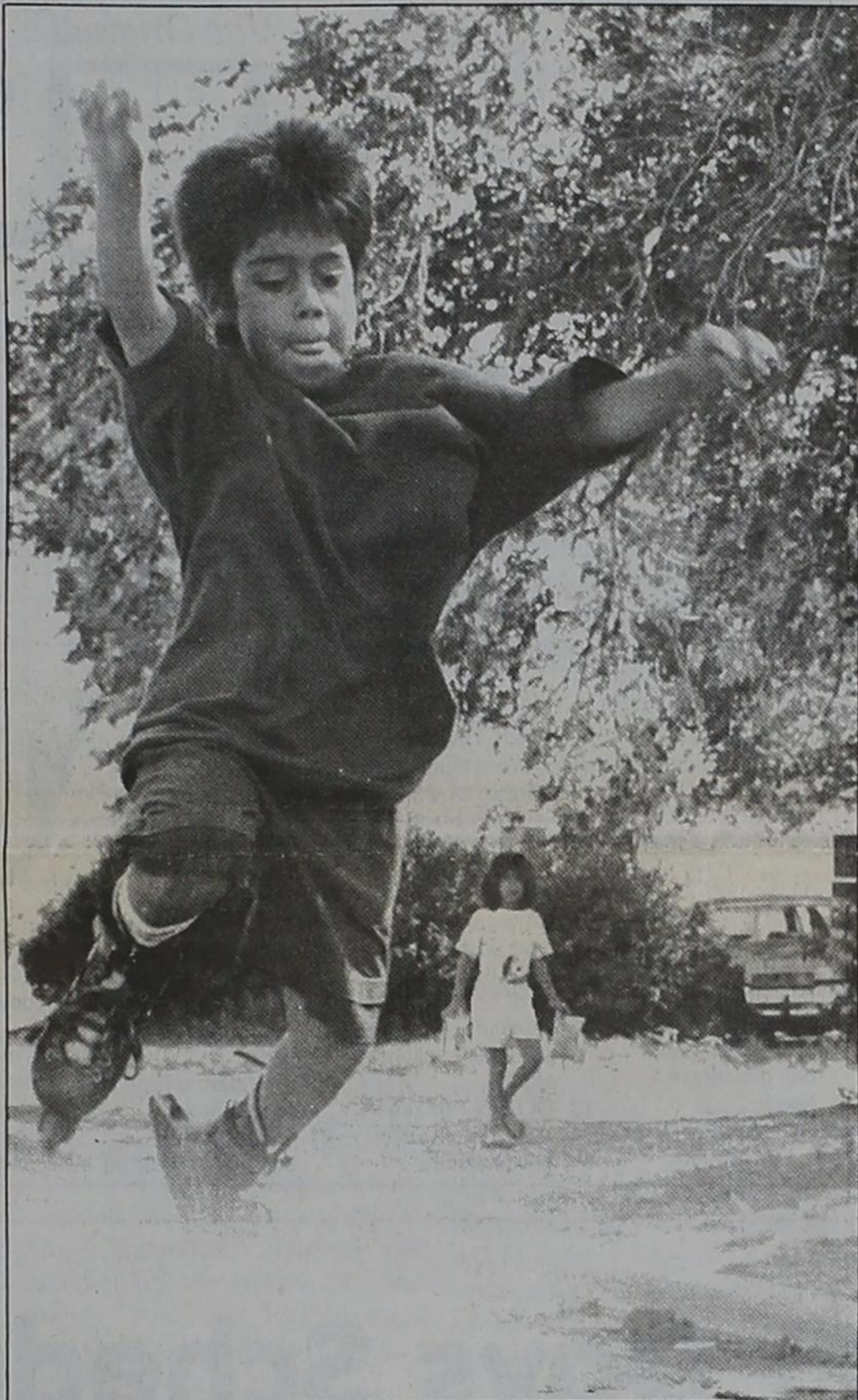
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Former Pct. 1 Commissioner Harold Smith reprised his old saw about all-weather roads in the county, but commissioners said there was no way the roads could be funded.

Smith chastised the court for not using an all-weather surface on roads in the county. He said the roads should be constructed in the most heavily-traveled areas first, then go out to less-traveled spots.

He contended the roads would save money in the long run, and that many landowners would donate materials for better roads.

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CONCENTRATION—Carlos Lopez, 8, puts all his effort into a skating jump off of a make-shift ramp in the 200 block of Northwest Sixth in Dimmitt recently.

Photo by Linda Maxwell

Hart Days celebration underway

A carnival was scheduled to open Wednesday night to kick off the annual Hart Days celebration.

Activities are planned each day through Saturday, with the annual parade kicking off a full day of festivities.

Carnival tickets are available at The Company Store, City Hall and from Aurelia Perez at Hart Bank. Coupons are \$1 each.

A popular event, the Mz. Hart contest, will be held today (Thursday) at 7 p.m. at the Hart Elementary School gymnasium. The pageant will feature several Hart men posing as beauty queens. The event is sponsored by the WITH Association, and tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

Friday will kick off with a Bike Fun Ride sponsored by the Hart Lions Club. Registration will be \$5 per person.

Friday night, a dinner theater and awards will be presented at the Hart Golden Group building. Sponsored by HGG, tickets are \$8.50 for persons 12 and older, \$5 for persons 6-12, and free for persons under 6 years of age. The event begins at 7 p.m.

Bill Sava, Dimmitt postmaster, will present an entertaining program. The Man of the Year, Woman of the Year and Teacher of the Year will also be honored by HGG, who is sponsoring the event.

A pet parade will be held at 5 p.m. on Friday. Kids are invited to bring

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HART DAYS THURSDAY

- Carnival, southwest of fire station
- Mz. Hart contest, sponsored by WITH Association, 7 p.m., elementary gym.

FRIDAY

- Carnival, southwest of fire station
- Hart Lions Club Fun Bike Ride. Registration Thursday night, 7-8 p.m., in front of First Baptist Church. 10-mile ride starts at 8:30 a.m.
- Pet Parade, 5 p.m., Hart Car Wash
- Hart Golden Group awards and dinner theater, 7 p.m., HGG Building. Tickets are \$8.50 for persons 12 and over, \$5 for persons 6-12.
- Bingo, food booths around fire station Friday night.

SATURDAY

- Carnival, southwest of fire station.
- Free community breakfast, 7 a.m., sponsored by Lowe's Pay & Save, in store parking lot.
- Parade, 10 a.m., on Broadway.
- Bingo, food booths around fire station.
- Homemade ice cream, Zealot Club, in front of Ed Harris Lumber Co., on Broadway.
- Hospitality room, bake sale at City Hall, sponsored by Good Neighbors Club.
- Homemade pie, iced tea, fire station, sponsored by Methodist Women.
- Cake walk, fire station, noon, sponsored by spouses of Hart Volunteer Fire Dept., proceeds for rescue truck.
- Sand dig, Hart Bank, southwest of fire station.
- WITH Association duck race, near fire station.
- Lions Club horseshoe tournament, near fire station.
- Pedal tractor pull, east bank parking lot, 1 p.m.
- HHS Class of 1985 10-year reunion, 8 p.m., school cafeteria.
- Variety show and dance, 8 p.m., east bank parking lot.

Here's the schedule for the Hart Days celebration.



YES, WE HAVE A NEW LAKE, BUT ISN'T THIS A LITTLE MUCH?—This 50-foot Grand Banks trawler came through Dimmitt on Monday while it was being transported from San Diego, Calif., to Sturgeon Bay,

Wis. The boat and trailer combination was 18 feet tall, 14 feet wide and 85 feet long. The driver of the truck hauling the trawler said another, larger, boat would be passing through this week.

Photo by Scott Brockman

Area crops featured on tour

Castro County's biggest agricultural event of the year, according to Extension Agent J.D. Ragland, will be held Friday.

Buses will haul farmers around to area farms as part of the 1995 Llano Estacado Area Farm Tour sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Castro, Lamb, Bailey and Parmer Counties agricultural communities.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. at Lazbuddie School Cafeteria

in Lazbuddie. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided.

This is the second year that the Lamb, Bailey and Parmer Counties joined Castro in the tour.

Two tour stops are scheduled for the morning. At 9:30 a.m. the cluster cotton variety trial in Parmer County will be toured followed by a tour of Buctril resistant cotton and quick maturing cotton varieties in Castro County.

A lunch and awards program will

then take place at Springlake Community Center. This event is open to the public at no charge. Meal tickets will be presented at registration.

Following lunch, a tour of a 15" cotton plot in Castro and of I.R. Corn in Lamb County will conclude the day.

Tour participants will be eligible for door prizes and private, commercial and non-commercial applicators will have an opportunity to receive four CEU's.

Cleanup collection Monday

Area farmers and others will have an opportunity to dispose of unwanted items at a Texas County Cleanup in Dimmitt on Monday.

The special collection will be held Monday from 8 a.m. to noon in the parking lot at the Expo Building in Dimmitt.

Items to be disposed of include empty pesticide containers, used motor oil and oil filters, used tires and lead acid batteries. Persons from the Texas Natural Resources

Conservation Commission will be on hand with crushing equipment.

Empty pesticide containers may be metal or plastic. They must be high pressure triple rinsed. Used tires must have a rim diameter of 25 inches or less.

The cleanup is held periodically at many towns throughout the state to help dispose of items which may damage the environment. There is no charge for disposal of the items.

City begins annexation

Dimmitt's city council took action Monday to annex all of the area inside the ring of Western Circle Drive and SH 86 in west Dimmitt.

The city has scheduled annexation hearings for Aug. 7 and Aug. 21, as part of regular city council meetings. The council is expected to bring in both parcels of land not already in the city limits.

Much of the area to the north and west of Western Circle south of SH 86 has been outside the city limits. A few months ago the city brought in part of the area on the west side of Western Circle.

The city plans to annex the property that runs along the north side of Western Circle across the street from First Baptist Church and extending west toward Stafford Apartments. The land was owned by the late Posey Cunningham and is now owned by the estate of his late daughter, Laura Hertel.

The other parcels, including the large playa lake bottom area, is owned by the Thelma Brown estate.

Mayor Wayne Collins said annexing the land would give the city more say over use of the property.

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The city tabled the second reading of a proposed franchise agreement with GTE for telephone service.

Collins said there was a discrepancy over the amount that should be paid in franchise fees. Collins said the company is paying the city for a lesser number of lines now than when the company assumed Contel of Texas.

Collins said the number of lines should have increased over the past four years, but the lines used for determining the fee has dropped according to GTE's records.

The city will not take action until the discrepancy is corrected.



IN APPRECIATION — Dimmitt's Director of Public Works James Killough (left) receives a plaque in honor of his 13 years of work with the City of Dimmitt. He resigned effective Friday to take a similar position in Edna. Presenting the plaque is City Council member Don Sheffy.

Photo by Linda Maxwell

Nazareth

WITH
VIRGIE GERBER.
945-2869

Relatives from Texas and Arkansas gathered at the home of Gerald and Sheila Brockman in Midland to help them celebrate their 25th anniversary. A great backyard party with volleyball, softball, horseshoes, lots of visiting and good food highlighted the event.

* Most of the Albert Gerber family gathered at beautiful Lake Kemp for our annual get-together on Friday for a weekend of swimming, boating, tubing, skiing, fishing and sight-seeing along with lots of good food, visiting, card playing and dominoes. Some of us were taken by boat to Egret Island which was beautiful with thousands of big and little snow white birds.

Saturday night proved to be very exciting when, after hours of lightning, everyone sleeping in seven beds on the screened-in porch had to scramble for plastic to cover the beds and move inside wherever they could find space on the floor or the foot of someone's bed to catch a few more hours of sleep.

* Family traveled from Odessa, Dallas, Wichita Falls, Amarillo, Plainview and Nazareth. A great weekend was had, and everyone will look forward to another one next summer.

* Ray and Mattie Swirczynski have returned home after a two-week vacation. After spending several days in Muenster with relatives, they

drove to Jonesboro, Ark., for the Diamond Jubilee celebration of Ray's sister, Sister Helen. They drove back to Muenster where they attended a mass and celebration dinner in honor of Sister Helen. She accompanied Ray and Mattie back home to Nazareth to spend a week with them.

* Cecil and Norita Hoelting enjoyed a few days in Dallas recently. They attended the Kern-Clark wedding, visited with Mark and Vera Hoelting and children, Marcy, Erin, Tanner and Heather. They enjoyed watching an All-Star game that Heather and Tanner played in. They also visited their son, Kevin, and the Dale Hoelting family who have a new baby.

* Many relatives and friends attended the marriage of Matthew Hatla and Bernie Hochstein Saturday in Holy Family Church with Father Neal Dee officiating.

* The Morris and Chelle Wilcox family and Teresa Birkenfeld and her children enjoyed the weekend at Lake Kemp.

Chamber cautions about advertising

The Chamber of Commerce has received complaints recently about companies selling advertising for printed publications over the phone—primarily to help promote or advertise football or basketball schedules.

The Chamber recommends that anyone considering sending money for advertising to a phone solicitor calling from outside the area to call the Chamber office first at 647-2524.

"When this type of advertising

benefits local students or programs, it will be local people selling the ads," Delores Heller, the executive director of the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce said. "Money spent for ads solicited from out of town goes out of town."

Ad sales also have started for maps produced by outside firms, Heller said.

She said the Chamber is currently compiling a 911 map with the numbers of all county roads, plus maps of all three cities and information on all three cities, and it will be printed locally and will be available in about a month.

Nominations received for parade marshal

Eight nominations have been received for parade marshal for the 1995 Harvest Days Parade, according to Delores Heller, executive director of the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce.

"The response has been terrific," she said. "We even received a nomination from a former Dimmitt resident in New Mexico."

Heller is asking all businesses to clean up, fix up and pride up their property for Harvest Days.

Last Puzzle Solution

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Together We Can News Quiz

This newspaper quiz for prizes is open to all students in the county. All the answers are in this issue. After completing the test, deliver it or mail it to the Castro County News, 108 W. Bedford St., P.O. Box 67, Dimmitt 79027. Tests will be graded at 4 p.m. Monday. All test sheets with perfect scores will go into a drawing Tuesday for a free 2-liter soft drink, and the winner will be notified. Each week's winning test will go into a drawing for a \$200 Grand Prize to be held in November.

LAST WINNER: HOLLY GILLIAM

1. How many years did James Killough work for the City of Dimmitt?

2. When will voters vote on Proposition 3?

3. What year did Theresa Mullen graduate from Nazareth High School?

4. Who can you call for more information about the Class of 1945 reunion?

5. Who was maid of honor for Peggy Huseman?

6. Don Newman met with other members of what party last week?

7. An inquest must be conducted when?

8. How many times must empty pesticide containers be rinsed for the Country Cleanup?

9. Castro County is cooperating with what other counties for the Llano Estacado Area Farm Tour?

10. When will the Hart Days Pet Parade be?

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone _____

7/27/95

ACROSS

1 TXism: "___ cut the mustard" (unable)

5 reed instrument

6 TXism: "___ shuck" (quickly)

7 TX actor Jack

8 ex-Cowboy Renfro

9 Rangers ace south-paw Rogers (init.)

12 ___ Marx visited the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells

17 TXism: "got trigger finger" (nervous)

19 Sydney has an buffalo statue

21 TXism: "___ party" (lynching)

22 TX Sissy Spacek was a ___ board operator in "Raggedy Man"

23 non-TX unit of measurement

28 Edinburg FM station

29 TXism: "changes his mind as often ___ does socks"

30 TX Gilley's mechanical bull

31 John Wayne film: "___ Texan" ("34")

35 TX Willie Nelson tune: "What Was ___ Wanted"

36 Stephen F.'s father

42 how often the TAAS test is given

44 TX Nokona baseball gloves are hand-___

46 Nocona Boot slogan: "___ Rodeo!"

DOWN

1 between Runnels & Brown Counties

2 home of Dyess AFB

3 TXism for "none"

4 Rockets or Rangers

9 Gonzales AM radio

10 TX Miss America from Denton ('74)

11 Tex Ritter's 1st record: "___ Whiskey"

12 TXism: "___ a grip like a snappin' turtle"

13 TX Lefty Frizzell's "___ With Your Kisses"

14 Astro hitters stats

15 sun helmet

16 TXism: "went to the well ___ too often"

18 a victory by TX George Foreman

20 TX Holly's "___, Boy"

23 TXism: "it belongs to ___ and the bank"

24 TX hero Whitney or actor Wallach

25 TX singer Tyler (init.)

26 legendary UT coach Darrell

27 TXism: "we ___ out our differences"

32 TX Tom Kite won '92 ___ Open

33 governor (1894-98): ___ Culberson

34 Texans helped liberate ___ wait in '91

36 Gov. ___ Ferguson

37 San Antonio suburb: ___ Park

38 rides at Arlington's Wet 'n Wild

39 Tex-Mex entrees

40 TXism: "so broke ___ pay attention"

41 this Beatty starred with TX Dean in "Big Bad John" ('90)

43 TXism: "___ less as earrings on a sow"

45 ___ Soto, TX

48 "___ & Old Lace"

49 TXism: "I've had my ___ of it!"

56 cowboy bootmaker: Tony ___

TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

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Hart Days Schedule

Wednesday through Saturday

Nightly--Hart Days Carnival, southwest of Fire Station

Thursday, July 27

Evening--Food Booths around Fire Station.

7 p.m.--Mz. Hart Contest, Elementary School Gym, sponsored by WITH Association. Tickets \$2 for adults, \$1 for children.

7-8 p.m.--Registration for Lions Club Fun Bike Ride in front of First Baptist Church. Entry fee \$5.

Friday, July 28

8:30 a.m.--Fun Bike Ride (10 miles) sponsored by Lions Club.

5 p.m.--Pet Parade, Hart Car Wash.

Evening--Lionburgers, Mexican Food and Soft Drinks at food booths around Fire Station; bingo by Hart VFD.

7 p.m.--Dinner theatre and announcement of Man, Woman and Teacher of the Year, sponsored by Hart Golden Group, HGG Center, Admission \$8.50 for adults, \$5 for children 6-12, under age 6 free.

Saturday, July 29

7-9 a.m.--Free Breakfast, hosted by Pay-n-Save Grocery on store's parking lot.

9 a.m.--Parade line-up and judging of entries.

10 a.m.--Hart Days Parade, with theme "Hart--Past, Present and Future," and with L. C. and Marguerite McLain as Honored Pioneers. Narrated by Jerry Kittrell.

All Morning--Good Neighbor Club Hospitality Room and Bake Sale at City Hall; Zealot Club Homemade Ice Cream in front of Ed Harris Lumber Co.; Sidewalk Sales by local businesses.

After Parade--Homemade Pie and Ice Tea by Methodist Women at Fire Station; \$500 Duck Race at Fire Station, sponsored by WITH Association (tickets \$10 per duck); Lions Club Horseshoe Tournament near Fire Station; Sand Dig sponsored by Hart Banking Center southwest of Fire Station, with toys donated by the bank.

12 noon--Cake Walk sponsored by spouses of Hart VFD.

12 noon--Lionburgers, Fire Station.

12 noon--Mexican Food, St. John's Catholic Church, at Fire Station.

12 noon--Mexican Food, Pentecostal Church, at Fire Station.

1 p.m.--Pedal Tractor Pull, bank's east parking lot.

8 p.m.--HHS Class of 1985 Reunion, school cafeteria.

8 p.m.--Variety Show, followed by dance, bank's east parking lot.

Cargill Grain Division

Ed Harris Lumber Co.

Hart Auto & Farm Supply & Jim Black Oil Co.

Hart Banking Center

Hale County State Bank--Member F.D.I.C.

On the Go

With
Mary Edna Hendrix
647-3343

Larry and Mary Harris and their two children, Christiana, 10, and Danny, 7, were overnight guests in the home of Ed and Betty Freeman on Thursday night.

The Harrises are Wycliffe Bible translators stationed in Santiago, Nuyoo, Mexico. They attended the Pro-Family Forum picnic Thursday evening with the Freemans at the James Wilhelm farm north of Nazareth.

The Harrises were on their way from Mexico to Ohio.

Visting with Irene Carpenter, Jim and Floyce George, and Danny and Shelly Rice and family during the first weekend in July were Joyce and James Autry of Rocky Ford, Colo., and their three children and families: Kelly and Debbie Autry, Trent, Kembra and Whitney of Olney Springs, Colo.; Steve and Lynette Soden and Stefanie of McCook, Neb.; and Greg and Luanne Galages, Allen, Kristi and Dana, of Denver, Colo.

Irene's nephew and wife, David and Edie Parker, of Dallas, were also here. They attended the wedding of Tisha Rice and Brandon Tate. They all met at Jim and Floyce's on July 2 for a family reunion. Inez Wright of Wheeler came down to be with the family, and coming with her were her granddaughter-in-law, Marcie Wright, and her daughter, Taylor. Bryce and Darlene Dowell also came for lunch and visiting with the family.

Other special out-of-town guests for the wedding were Loren and Maxine Saber of Crowley, Colo. They were neighbors and good friends of Jim, Floyce and Shelly when they lived in Colorado in the 1960s.

Irene went with James and Joyce for a two-week visit.



Theresa Mullen
Nazareth native is
member of 'TEXAS' staff

A talented individual who calls Nazareth her hometown is spending her summer with the best-attended outdoor drama in the nation.

"TEXAS" the musical drama is celebrating its 30th season this summer in the Palo Duro Canyon State Park near Amarillo and Canyon.

Theresa (Wilhelm) Mullen is happy to be joining the "TEXAS" staff again after a few years away from it. She just finished her fourth year of teaching music and band in Lazbuddie, and she is looking forward to staying home with her baby who will be born in September.

Mullen is a 1986 graduate of Nazareth High School.

Cleo and Brenda Seely have recently returned from Branson, Mo.

The highlight of the trip was a wedding reception at Big Cedar Lodge in honor of Kevin and Jenny Gerard. The reception was hosted by the groom's parents, Doug and Sherry Gerard.

Jenny is the granddaughter of Cleo and Gene Seely. Out-of-town guests also included Noble, Debbie and Jeremy Seely of Garland, Jim and Jeanie Seely of Athens, Ken and Sandra Cooper of Garland, Alicia Josey of Garland, and Debi and Blake Jenkins of Plano.

Other activities enjoyed by this large group were dinner at the Lone Star Saloon and Restaurant on a Friday evening. On Saturday, the younger ones went boating, skiing and cliff jumping, while the others enjoyed a tour and shopping in Branson. Saturday evening, the group boarded the *Showboat Branson Belle* and enjoyed dinner and a river cruise.

On Sunday morning everyone attended Branson Christian Church. On Sunday afternoon the wedding reception was held at Big Cedar Lodge, overlooking Table Rock Lake. Various pickup foods and wedding cake were served to the approximate 150 well-wishers.

Monday evening, all attended the Shoji Tabuchi Show, where he electrified the audience with country, Cajun, western swing, bluegrass and even a bit of Mozart. This was a wonderful trip where a little bit of history was given around every corner by Doug and Sherry.

Tennis friends of Janet Hand and Debbie Fewell feted them with a

birthday observance at the home of Kay Kellar. Stuffed potatoes, salad and cake were served and birthday cards were shared. The honorees played tennis along with Kellar, Paralyn Moore, Deanne Clark, Linda Langford and Janice Richards.

James and Irene Wilhelm hosted the Pro-Family Forum for its annual summer picnic at their home in Arney. Covered dishes with favorite recipes were served to 21 persons. The Harris family, which stayed with the Freemans, shared their experiences in Mexico. The group voted to once again send Christmas gifts to residents of a unit at the Texas State School in Lubbock.

Myrtle Lois Moran had Scott and granddaughter Angela visiting with her in church Sunday at First United Methodist Church. Other guests included Alma Kenmore's grandson; the Bill Clarks hosted Ian, Kay and Zak Harris of Duncanville; and the Jack Pattons had their grandson, Rye, from Houston.

Deidre Henderson and children, Kirsten and Eric, from Seguin are spending two weeks with her mother, Genell Craig, and other relatives and friends. She visited with her aunt, Louise Mears, and her friend, Teresa Hopping and children from Scottsbluff, Neb.

One day they drove to Borger to visit her father-in-law, Frank Henderson. Genell took them to see *Texas* in Palo Duro Canyon and to Amarillo to do some fun things for the children.

Genell spent a weekend in Lubbock with her friend, Betty

Sunnyside WITH TEENY BOWDEN

Jodie and Kyla Riley of Earth became new parents July 12 when a 7-lb., 9 oz. boy was born to them in Lubbock. He was named Evan Taylor Riley. They are home and doing well.

Cassidy Jo Riley celebrated her second birthday Friday afternoon with swimming, supper and a birthday cake. Her guests included her grandmothers, Jo Eddy Riley and Jackie Denham of Earth, Lenzie Loudder and her mother, Rosie; Amber and Ashley Sisemore and their mother, Lori; Melissa, Will and Brandi Green, and their mother, Dara; and Whitney and Brett Neinsat and their mother of Earth.

Bob and Cindy Clatt of Richardson and their children, Tyler, Chase and Rachel, spent the weekend with Willie Mae and Embree Roy Sadler and attended the Sunday morning worship services with them. Jasmyne is still in Tanzania with her grandparents, Gale and Verna Sadler.

Gwyn and Keith Randolph of Port Jefferson, Long Island, N.Y. flew in Monday for a visit with her parents, Glenn and LaWanda Wilson, and a reunion with her sisters, Glenda Turnello and children, Jazz and Alex

of El Paso came Friday for a few days, and Melinda and Brian Thomas of Plainview are coming over almost every day to be with them. Gwyn and Keith will leave Tuesday. They and Glenda and children attended the Sunday morning worship services with LaWanda Wilson.

Lonnie and Renee Wilson, their children, Samantha, Jessica and Andrea, and Flossie Jones returned home from LBJ Lake Saturday after a few days of fishing. Samantha caught a big 8 lb. speckled trout that several men said they had been trying to catch for a long time. It was her first time to catch anything.

Hershel and Retha Wilson were also at LBJ Lake in Hill Country at the same time having a reunion with Retha's sisters and brothers. They came home Monday.

Verba and Ezell Sadler left for Hubbard Creek Lake Wednesday to prepare for the McWilliams reunion over the weekend. Larry and Sharon went down Thursday evening. Patricia Powell of Canadian was planning to come.

Gay Sadler got all her stitches out this week and won't have to go back for two months.



TRIO PERLAS DEL ALVA OF MEXICO
... Entertaining recently at El Sombrero in Dimmitt.

Courtesy Photo

Hoover Reeves. They enjoyed eating out, visiting and attending a show.

Clotee Minchew and a friend were in Amarillo one day last week and had planned to go into Wal-Mart when someone came out and reported the Code Blue was in effect. She thought that meant it was a bomb scare.

Irene Blanton has been visiting her brother, Clarence Smith, of Tucumcari, N.M., who is in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Her sister, Geraldine Shaw, of Tucumcari, had surgery on Saturday morning at the same hospital.

Heather and Tyler Hucks of Pampa have been visiting their grandparents, Bay and Bobbie Baldrige of Dimmitt.

Loranell Hamilton was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for a fun day of bridge and lunch. She served snacks during the day and a delicious Italian Cream Cake for dessert.

Susie Reeves won high score and Louise Mears won second high. Others playing were Ferne Dickey, Johnnie Vannoy, Rosalie Hawkins, Cleo Forson, Mildred Bradford, Virginia Crider, Bill Thornton, Neva Hickey, Mary Small, Opha Burks,

serenading. When they were at our table, Louise Moffitt joined in singing one familiar song with them.

The Community Praise Service at First United Methodist Church on Sunday evening was well attended by Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians, Catholics, and other persons who loved music. Bill Newland, president of the Castro County Ministerial Alliance, organized the event.

Charles Axtell led the congregational singing and he sang *He Touched Me*. Don Sheffy sang *On The Wings Of A Dove*, accompanied by Terri Loudder on the guitar. Don Nelson sang *The Plowman*, accompanied by Deanne Clark on the organ and Marie Winders on the piano. Bill Sava sang *He Is Alive*; Ed Freeman sang *The Longer I Serve Him, the Sweeter He Grows*; and Newland played *Victory In Jesus* on his cornet.

Walter Maynard and Ronda Wise played a duet on the piano, *The Power March and Onward Christian Soldiers*. Tami Griffitt sang *Foxes Have Holes, but the Son of Man Does Not Have a Place to Lay His Head*. Dale Winders was at the controls.

Sava and Griffitt sang *I'll Fly Away*, and Sue Atchley sang *I want to Walk With My Lord*. Debra Ball sang *There's Going to Be A Revival*, and the audience sang *Amazing Grace*, after which the Rev. Johnny Robertson told the story of the song.

A fellowship followed, where there was plenty of all kinds of snack foods.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Felder of Hart were celebrating their 66th wedding anniversary on Sunday, so Bobby and Wanda Murdock went over and took them to the Church of Christ services and then cooked lunch for them. Happy Anniversary to Mr. and Mrs. Felder!

The Murdocks called their son, Staff Sgt. Brad Murdock, Sunday evening at Osan, South Korea, where he is stationed in the US Air Force. Since it was Monday morning there, Brad answered the phone since he was already at work.

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People



Tisha Rice, Brandon Tate are wed July 1 in Dimmitt

Tisha Rene Rice of Dimmitt became the bride of Brandon Michael Tate in a July 1 ceremony at First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt.

Rev. Johnny Robertson conducted the formal, double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Danny and Shelly Rice of Dimmitt. The groom is the son of Bob and Janet Tate of Walsh, Colo.

Brandi Rice of Dimmitt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Kendra Tate, of Walsh, Colo., the groom's sister, was bridesmaid.

Channing Tate of Canyon, son of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Brad Tate of Walsh, brother of the groom, and Curtis Davison of Canyon, friend of the groom.

Candlelighter was Ramey Rice of Dimmitt, the bride's brother. Ring bearer was Bray Goodheart of Amarillo, friend of the couple. Flower girl was Kenzee Goodheart of Amarillo, friend of the couple. Ushers were Brian Tate of Walsh, brother of the groom, and Ramey Rice.

Church pews were marked by white and silver tulle and new violet bows with cascading greenery and white flowers. The parents' pews were marked with white roses, gyp, and springeri.

The altar was draped with greenery and tulle with alternating accents of fresh greenery, white agapanthus and purple statis, and highlighted with votive candles. Two spiral candelabras were accented with fresh greenery, tulle and fresh white mixed flowers.

The altar table was adorned with an arrangement of fresh bouvardia and greenery with the unity candle completing the setting. Each window in the sanctuary was decorated with a white pillar candle arrangement with fresh greenery, gyp and purple statis. Arrangements of crystal vases with white roses, enchantment lilies and greenery with silver candlesticks graced the piano and organ.

Guests were registered by Tiffany Wilcox of Dimmitt. The registry table featured a crystal vase, silver candlesticks, and an arrangement of fresh greenery at the base of the table. An ivory Bible from the Holy Land, belonging to the bride's great-grandmother, completed the registry table.

Pianist Deanne Clark accompanied Susan Coleman, who sang *My Father's Eyes*, *Parent's Prayer* and *Cross My Heart*. Clark was accompanied by Katy Wright and Nancy Fuller, who played bells during the wedding procession.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride's white satin gown was embellished in chantilly lace, roses, seed pearls and sequins. The fitted bodice featured a sweetheart neckline with long, tapered lace sleeves. The full skirt was also enhanced by roses and motifs of chantilly lace. The waistline was topped by a Dior bow and an edging of scalloped lace around the hem.

The veil was a two-tiered illusion with a headpiece of pearls and silk flowers. Her bouquet consisted of white roses, agapanthus, gyp and greenery in a cascade style.

Something old was her great-grandmother's pearl earring. Something borrowed was her gown belonging to her sister-in-law. Something new was her wedding ring, and something blue was the traditional garter. She wore pennies in her shoes.

Each attendant wore a princess-style new violet above-the-knee satin dress. The dresses featured puffed, layered sleeves and a sweetheart neckline with a pearl necklace. They carried arm bouquets of enchantment lilies, white roses, gyp and fresh greenery.

The flower girl wore a white dress with clusters of green and new violet flowers with a matching bow. Her basket was adorned with tulle and flowers.

A reception immediately followed the ceremony in the church fellowship hall. The bride's table had silver appointments. The cake featured a fountain with fresh flowers, with an arrangement of white roses and fresh greenery on each layer.

Kandee and Kimberlea Grossman, of Hart, cousins of the bride, served at the bride's table.



MRS. BRANDON MICHAEL TATE
... She's the former Tisha Rene Rice.

The groom's table consisted of German chocolate cakes and pickup foods of tortilla and cheese rolls and watermelon balls. Serving was Camilla Goodheart, friend of the couple.

Each window in the fellowship hall was decorated with greenery, white and new violet bows and bouquets of white pearl balloons.

The receiving line formed in the sunroom with baskets of fresh

flowers and balloon bouquets scattered throughout each area.

Following a wedding trip to Ruidoso, the couple is at home in Canyon.

The bride is a 1993 graduate of Dimmitt High School and is a student at Exposito School of Hair Design.

The groom is a 1991 graduate of Walsh High School and is employed by A-1 Mobile Communications.

Who's New

Rudy and Linda Bonilla announce the birth of their daughter, Elida Celeste. She was born on June 27 at Plains Memorial Hospital and weighed 6 lbs., 12 oz. She measured 18" long.

She has a sister, Haley, and two sets of grandparents, Victor and Imelda Saenz of Dimmitt and Felix and Maria Bonilla of Lazbuddie.

Out of town

It's a girl for Kyle and Ann Williams of Canyon. Julie Ann Williams was born July 8 at 2:50 p.m. at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. The 7lbs. ½ oz. baby is 20 1/4" long.

Her grandparents are Larry and Jean Morris of Dimmitt and Harve and Betty Williams of Clarendon. Arloween Williams of Turkey is her great-grandmother.

Crozier honored at bridal shower

Sue Crozier, bride-elect of Gary Fields, was honored with a bridal shower July 15 in the home of Syd Lynn in Dimmitt.

The serving table was covered with a cut lace tablecloth with copper and brass appointments. Guests were served miniature quiche, assorted sweet breads and fresh fruit. Punch and coffee were also served.

The bride-to-be was presented with a kitchen center by 24 hostesses.

Out-of-town guests included Juanda Fields, mother of the groom; Deb and Alyson Bingham, sister and niece of the groom, of Lubbock; LaRhonda Fields, niece of the groom, of Sudan; Shelly Ivy of Lazbuddie and Leandra Lynn of Amarillo, friends of the couple; and Leanne and Carissa Holloway of Memphis, sister and niece of the bride.



David Edwards and Jeana Lively

Lively, Edwards to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lively of Lubbock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jeana, to David Justin Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards of Dimmitt.

The couple plans to exchange vows Oct. 21 at the Oakwood Methodist Church in Lubbock.

The bride-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Monterey High School. She is a senior at West Texas A&M University, majoring in education.

The prospective groom graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1990. He is also a senior at WT. He is majoring in computer information systems and currently is employed at Sam's Wholesale Warehouse.

The couple plans to reside in Canyon after the wedding.

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Ramaekers at home in Nazareth

Peggy Huseman of Nazareth became the bride of Brian Ramaekers of Nazareth in a ceremony July 1 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

Father Neal Dee officiated. The bride is the daughter of Denis and Katherine Huseman. The groom is the son of Edward and Leola Ramaekers of Nazareth.

Lisa Ball of Canyon, friend of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Karen Mardones of Lewisville and Janet Wilhelm of Dumas, sisters of the bride; Marla Gales of Littlefield, sister of the groom; and Jennifer Betzen of Hereford and Jenny Schulte of Nazareth, friends of the bride.

Lonny Huseman, cousin of the bride, was best man. Groomsmen were Frank Huseman of Amarillo and Wendal Huseman of Canyon, brothers of the bride; John Kleman of Albuquerque, N.M., and Chris Kleman and Dale Albracht, both of Lubbock, friends of the groom.

Candlelighters were Jennifer Bullard of Lubbock and Tracy Ramsey of Canyon, friends of the bride. Ring bearers were Ryan Wilhelm of Dumas, nephew of the bride, and Troy Ramaekers of Nazareth, nephew of the groom. Ushers were Scott Huseman of Nazareth, brother of the bride; Craig Wilhelm of Houston, friend of the groom; and Bruce Huseman of Nazareth, cousin of the bride.

The altar was decorated with red and white floral arrangements. There were heart-shaped candelabras decorated with green ivy and white bows on each side of the altar. A fan-shaped candelabra was behind the unity candle.

The pews were accented with arrangements of white bows, lilies, wedding bells and greenery.

Organist Noreen Carson accompanied Nicole Kleman and Dwayne Kleman. Selections included *There Is Love* during the lighting of the candles; *Parent's Prayer* during the seating of the parents; the processional included *Pachabel's Canon* and *Trumpet Voluntary*; *I Will Be Here* for the lighting of the unity candle; and *Theme from St. Elmo's Fire* for the recessional.

The groom's parents were escorted to their seats by the groom before Mass began.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a long-sleeved dress made of white all-over lace, decorated with hand-beaded pearls and sequins. The dress had a chapel-length detachable train made of satin with lace trim, attached underneath a satin bustle.

The bouquet was a cascade arrangement of red roses and white lilies. It was accented with a white lace bow and lace ribbon.

The bridesmaids wore straight evening gowns of red brocade trimmed in white.

A dinner and dance were held after the wedding at the Nazareth Community Hall. Dinner tables were decorated with ivy bowls filled with floating candles and heart-shaped straw wreaths decorated with red roses and white lilies.

For the wedding trip to Orlando, Fla., the bride wore a white tea-length dress accented with gold trim.

The couple is now at home in Nazareth.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Nazareth High School and is a senior nursing student at West Texas A&M University.

The groom is a 1986 graduate of Nazareth High School. He is self-employed in the trucking business.



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Mr. and Mrs. Shultz at home in Kingsville

Shanna Beth Daniel became the bride of Justin Wynn Shultz on July 1 at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church in Amarillo.

Dr. Dana Moore officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Gary and Cheryl Daniel of Amarillo. The groom is the son of Joe and Jerre Shultz of Arlington, former Dimmitt residents, and the grandson of J.B. and Bea Noland of Summerfield.

Maid of honor were Whitney Daniel and Jennifer Daniel, both of Amarillo, sisters of the bride. Bridal attendants were Kristin Ciborowski of Willis, Mindy Magee of McLean and Lachelle Rollins and Becky Friesland of Amarillo.

Best man was Joe Shultz, the groom's father. Groomsmen were Joe Ky Shultz of Sudan and John Shultz of Denver, brothers of the groom; Brook Kneuper of Ingleside; Spencer Gant of Philadelphia, Pa.; and Mat Bradley of Dimmitt.

Ushers were George Rasor, Alan Steinle and Cory Lynch, all of Dimmitt, and Jason Buie and Wes Edwards, both of Amarillo.

Flower girls were Casey Land of Amarillo and Kylee Jo Shultz of Sudan. Ring bearers were Brett Land of Amarillo and Houston Sutton of Dimmitt.

Escorted by her father, the bride's white satin gown was adorned with a double back bow. It was bustled with streamers into an extra-long chapel-length train which had embroidered cut-out lace and was covered with clusters of seed pearls and jewels. Her shoulder-length illusion veil was held in place by a head piece of white satin roses and adorned with seed pearls and jewels.

Following a wedding reception at Tascosa Country Club, the couple left on a honeymoon trip to Santa Fe, N.M. They are making their home in Kingsville.

The bride is a junior education/kinesiology major on a basketball scholarship to Texas A&M University-Kingsville.

The groom graduated cum laude with a bachelor of science degree in education/kinesiology from TAMU-Kingsville. He works for Corpus Christi King High School as the assistant girls basketball coach and teaches math.

Prenuptial courtesies included a lingerie shower in Amarillo and bridal showers in Dimmitt, at Pleasant Valley Baptist Church and in the home of Mrs. Sandy Duck in Amarillo.

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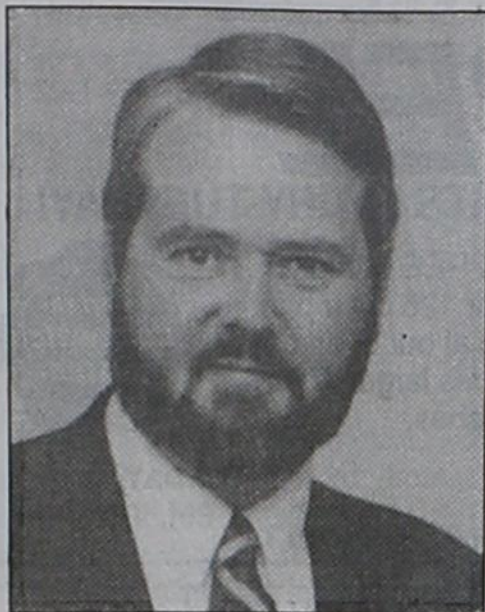


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Success is a result

I've never met a person who had absolutely no desire to succeed. However, I've met an awful lot of folks who have not yet achieved any great measure of success. The actual reasons for this are as varied as the many definitions of success itself.

Some folks define success as raising a family and securing their children's education. Some measure success by the size of their home, car or bank account. Others define it as "being out of debt." Still others consider their life a successful venture if they have helped others. While I will not attempt to define success for you, I would like to help you get started in the pursuit of it.

In observing the lives of those I consider successful, I've found some common factors. When these factors are in evidence, success is the result.

Study the lives of those you feel have achieved a measure of success. Compare their efforts to the six prerequisite factors

of success listed below. I believe you'll agree there is a distinctive correlation. Our actions always bring results. Whether the results are what we want is up to us.

Reaping results

- **Success is the result of thinking.** Careful consideration of conditions, facts and opinions is the root source of success. Thinking opens the door of discovery to let in the light of reason. You can solve problems, discover opportunities and chart a course toward your goals with clear thinking. You can add power to your thinking by focusing on the positive. Zero in on what you can do, rather than dwelling on what you cannot.

- **Success is the result of planning.** Planning is the process of determining where we are now, deciding where we want to go and then filling in the steps to get from here to there. Proverbs 21:5 says, "The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance."

Planning sets your thoughts in concrete. Your plan then becomes the

foundation you build upon.

- **Success is the result of beginning.** Thinking and planning are factors in your success, but only when you begin. To begin any journey, you must take the first step. You can only draw nearer your goals by starting toward them.

Success is achieved by those who begin. Beginning allows you to implement your plans. Many fail at this stage because they think, dream and create a plan, but never begin.

- **Success is the result of perseverance.** Many folks think and plan. A smaller group of people actually begin. Fewer still persevere to the end.

Success is the result of trying, trying and trying again. Many are content to stop short of their best effort. Their results may be acceptable, but never successful.

- **Success is the result of managing time and priorities.** This success step is where you reap the seeds of good planning. Careful planning establishes an order of importance for all we do. Managing time requires that we do the

most important work first.

Since priorities change daily, planning must go on continually. Every day our first task should be to determine the highest priorities. Then we can focus our time on getting the most important work done.

- **Success is the result of productivity, not activity.** We do not achieve success by being busy. We achieve it by accomplishing meaningful results. Webster's dictionary defines result as "the consequences or outcome of action."

When we direct our efforts with good planning, prioritize our tasks in order of importance and persevere until we achieve the desired outcome, we have achieved success. Success is not the end of the journey, but rather the marking of the mileposts as we travel toward our long-term goals.

Don Taylor is the co-author of *Up Against the Wal-Mart's*. You may write to Don Taylor in care of *Minding Your Own Business*, PO Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105.



READY FOR FARM TOUR—County Extension Agent J.D. Ragland looks over cotton in a demonstration plot in preparation for the annual Llano Estacado Farm Tour. The tour begins Friday with registration at

8:30 a.m. at the Lazbuddie school cafeteria. The tour will include farms in Castro, Parmer and Lamb counties and conclude with lunch at the Springlake Community Center.

Photo by Scott Brockman

Irrigation featured at farm tour stop

The Agricultural Conservation Unit staff of the Texas Water Development Board will be setting up,

running and calculating an actual center pivot irrigation evaluation as part of the Llano Estacado Farm

Tour.

The irrigation evaluation will be conducted at the second stop, on the Bob Phipps' farm.

The Texas Water Development Board staff will be present to answer any questions about the evaluation as well as review the current evaluation that they have completed that day.

Information that will be reviewed on this evaluation will be: the gross application (the amount of water that is being pumped into the system); the pattern efficiency (the value of the uniformity of the application); the application efficiency (compares the amount of water pumped to the amount caught in the can catch, the difference is a loss that is due to evaporation, drift or leaks); the system efficiency; a chart showing the Pattern Distribution (the variation of the can catches, the gross application, the average can catch, the low 25% average can catch and the location of the towers).

There will also be a chart showing the control box setting, hours/revolution, inches of water applied per setting, and net inches of water applied for this pivot using the determined application efficiency and the gross application.

This is just some of the information that will be reviewed and discussed by the staff from the Texas Water Development Board.

Anyone interested in viewing and/or discussing center pivot evaluation should plan on attending the Farm Tour.

For more information on center pivot evaluation, contact the local Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly the Soil Conservation Service) at 647-4324 or come by the USDA office at 114 West Belsher, Suite B in Dimmitt.

The Texas Water Development Board staff will be in Castro County running evaluations on Aug. 29-31.

Newman attends Demo sessions

Don Newman, Castro County Democratic chairman, attended meetings of Texas Democrats in Austin Saturday.

The State Democratic Executive Committee met to develop plans for the 1996 primary election, adopt rule changes for delegate selection, and other party business.

Newman also attended the meeting of the Democratic caucus for non-urban affairs. Caucus membership has increased by more than 100% during the past year, Newman said. A new committee was formed to monitor legislation in Austin and Washington that might impact non-urban Texans.

County chairpersons met Saturday afternoon and discussed plans to expand regional meetings of county party officials. These meetings would be directed toward training party leaders in organization, fund-raising and publicity directed at a better-informed electorate.

Class of 1945 plans reunion

Dimmitt High School's Class of 1945 will hold its 50th class reunion on Aug. 11-12 during Castro County Harvest Days.

The class will eat together on Aug. 11 at 7 p.m. at K-Bob's Steak House in Dimmitt. On Aug. 12, the class will ride in the parade at 10 a.m., then eat at the Castro County Senior Citizens Center at noon.

During the weekend, everyone is invited to join the class for visiting. More information is available from June Brock at 647-5626.

Church Happenings

First Christian Church

At the Sunday worship service at 10:45 a.m., minister Jim L. Hardwick will continue his series of messages from Ephesians.

After the morning services, Bro. Hardwick will take a load of workers and campers to El Porvenir Christian Camp.

Dr. B.D. Murphy will lead in the evening service Sunday at 7 with a Singspiration. Following the service there will be a Pie Supper, organized by Jim Long. Everyone is encouraged to bring their favorite kind of pie and share in this time of fellowship. Contact Jim for more details.

There are still opportunities available to host a Backyard Fellowship on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. Be sure to sign up.

Annual Hereford run planned Aug. 12

Hereford's annual Greg Black Memorial 10-K run, 2-mile fun run and 2-mile walk will be held Aug. 12.

The run is sponsored by the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA and Hereford Cablevision.

Entry fee is \$8 in advance or \$10 on race day. Entries may be submitted to the Hereford YMCA, 500 E. 15th, Hereford, TX 79045.

Duffel bags and medals will be presented to the winners in each division in the runs. Ribbons will go to all finishers in the walk. All entrants registered and paid by Aug. 6 will receive a free running cap.

Ag sustainability tour to be held

Grazing and farming practices that build healthy resource conditions while increasing profit will be the focus of the 3rd Annual Ag Sustainability Study Tour Saturday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at KBG Farms, 13 miles west of Tulia or six miles east of Nazareth on State Highway 86.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. at the KBG office. Cost is \$5 per person or \$8 per couple and includes a noon meal.

The morning session will study grazing methods as tools for increasing sustainability on farms and ranches.

During a walking tour of an 80-acre grass pasture, participants will discuss how planned grazing, paddock divisions, and timed exposure can greatly increase livestock profit as well as pasture production and health.

The tour will explore how the same grazing techniques used on croplands can allow livestock to convert residues into nutrients that can be better utilized for soil regeneration.

After the walking tour, attendees can choose between four special interest demonstrations: commercial composting at a nearby feedyard, grazing methods for playa lake basins, backyard composting or small farm composting.

During the lunch break, a representative from the office of US Rep-

resentative Larry Combest will give an update on the 1995 Farm Bill proceedings and listen to audience comments and suggestions.

The afternoon segment will observe farming practices that strive toward sustainability through soil building and substituting purchased inputs with on-farm resources. Participants will visit cotton, corn, forage silage and summer fallow plots.

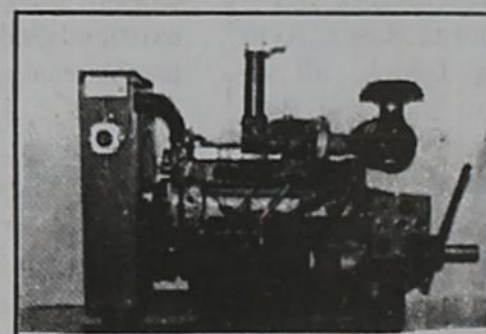
Presenters at the different sites will address the following issues: the Boll Weevil Eradication Program, dryland corn and milo varieties, possibilities for minimum tillage and cover crops and resolving fertility problems.

The Promised Land Network, a local organization promoting sustainable agriculture on the Southern Plains through sound land stewardship and Christian ethical principles, is the main sponsor of the study tour. Co-sponsors include First State Bank of Happy-Canyon, Great Plains Composters Association, Arrowhead Mills, Inc., Holistic Resource Management of Texas, Inc., and Bob's 57 Meats.

Dr. Bob Stewart and Dr. Clay Robinson of the Dryland Institute at West Texas A&M University will assist sponsors in guiding the tour.

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SBA loans available due to 1994 drought

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These loans are available to help businesses meet normal operating expenses that cannot be met due to the effects of a disaster.

Drought which occurred during the year of 1994 and continuing caused many farmers and ranchers to experience reduced incomes which may have had an adverse economic effect on businesses depending upon these producers.

Farmers and ranchers are not eligible for this loan program but may be eligible for disaster assistance through other Federal agencies. However, nurseries that are victims of drought disasters can apply.

To obtain an application or receive additional information, interested business owners may call the SBA toll-free at 1-800-366-6303 or TDD 817-267-4688 for the hearing impaired. The deadline for filing applications is Jan. 19, 1996.

Naz students attend band camp

Several Nazareth students attended the Southwestern Oklahoma State University Band Camp held July 9-14 on the Weatherford campus.

Nearly 500 high school students from six states attended the camp, which is in its 40th year.

Among those attending were Jason Birkenfeld, Susan Lange, Brooke Moyers, Dawn Ramaekers, Lindsey Gerber, Angela Fortenberry, Marcus Sanders, Sarah Olvera and Stephanie Gerber.

Their band director, Roger Myers, and his daughter, Holly, also attended.

Tulia to host first city-wide garage sale

The Tulia Chamber of Commerce is hosting Tulia's first City-Wide Garage Sale Saturday, Aug. 12.

Vendor spaces are available for anyone wishing to sell some goods.

Contact Randy Whiteman at the Tulia Chamber of Commerce (806) 995-2296 for more information.

Museum group meets tonight

The Castro County Museum Association will hold its regular monthly meeting today (Thursday) at 5 p.m. at the Castro County Museum on West Halsell in Dimmitt.

The meeting is open to all interested persons.

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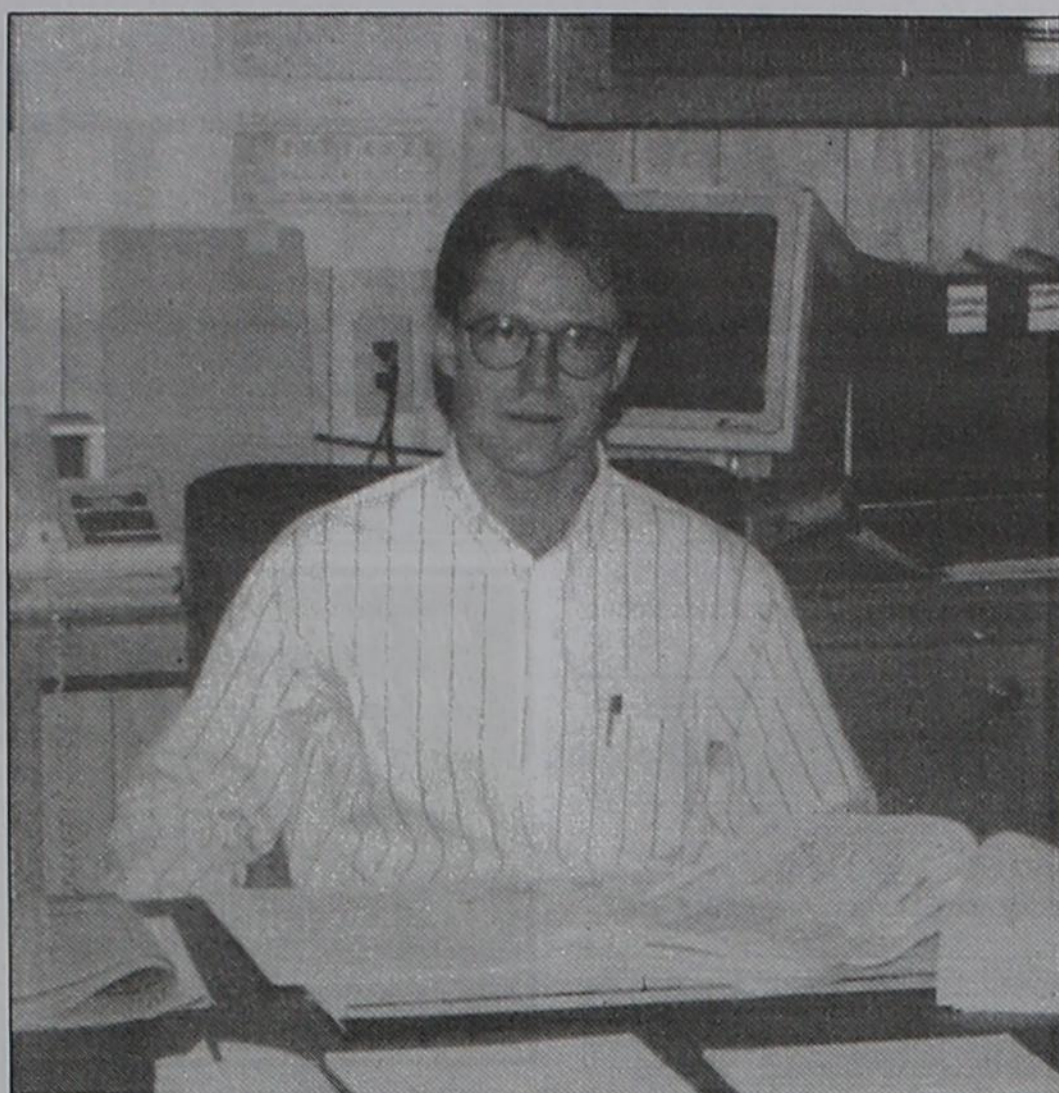
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Abbott moves on to Washington D.C.

The Dimmitt CFSA office is searching for a new County Executive Director.

Scotty Abbott, who held the post for seven and a half years, is quitting to become the program specialist in the cotton, grain and rice division of the Consolidated Farm Services Agency (CFSA) in Washington D.C.

Prop 3 to create new jobs if passed

Voters will have a chance Nov. 7 to create jobs through Proposition 3, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry said.

The proposition will help build the state's agribusiness manufacturing base by providing financing to help companies, such as food processors and apparel manufacturers, start-up or expand.

"Being number three on the ballot is appropriate because about three additional jobs are created for each new ag processing job," Perry said. "For instance, a food processor may employ five people, but approximately 15 additional people will be employed through trucking, shipping, restaurant and supermarket positions.

"This figure may even be higher for other agribusinesses because the job creation impact varies depending on the product, according to state economic models."

The Proposition 3 position was granted at a July 12 drawing for ballot placement in the Nov. 7 election, during which 14 constitutional amendments will be decided.

Proposition 3 asks voters to approve transferring \$200 million in existing bonding authority from the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority's Farm and Ranch Finance Program to TFAFA's Loan Guaranty Program, increasing its funding from \$25 million to \$225 million.

"It's important to note that this ballot initiative asks only to transfer existing bonding authority from one program to another," Perry said. "It is not asking voters to approve new debt or new taxes."

If approved by voters, the transfer will still leave \$300 million in funding for the Farm and Ranch Finance

He will be working with the national options program, which allows producers to buy option contracts. Abbott titled the program as a "marketing tool."

The ASCS office started taking applications Monday. A local county committee will find his replacement, Abbott said.

Program, which helps farmers and ranchers buy land, Perry said.

Transferring bonding authority will help create additional jobs and economic development statewide by strengthening the TFAFA Loan Guaranty Program.

Through loan guaranties to 49 companies, TFAFA so far has directly created or retained more than 1,400 jobs; indirectly created or retained more than 4,700 jobs and contributed more than \$400 million to the gross state product, Perry said.

The Texas Legislature created the program in 1987, and in 1989 Texas voters approved funding the program with \$25 million in bonding authority.

The Legislature formed TFAFA to help businesses that cannot receive conventional bank loans because they are start-up operations or because the company's income or collateral does not fit a bank's underwriting criteria, Perry said.

"Four years ago, only 8% of Texas' raw agricultural goods remained in state to be processed into value-added products such as convenience foods and clothing," Perry said. "That figure is now up to 10% thanks in part to the assistance TFAFA has provided.

"However, we still have 90% of our goods shipped out of the state or out of the country along with the jobs and industry created by processing a product."

Adding just 1% to the state's processing rate would contribute \$2.2 billion in economic activity to Texas each year. Bringing the state's processing average up to the national average of 20% would add \$22 billion to the state's economy, Perry said.

Happenings in agriculture

COTTON

Area cotton is progressing well. We are finally receiving the heat units we have been needing.

Cotton fleahopper numbers are still relatively light. Fleahopper nymphs have become more abundant this past week with counts ranging from 5 to 25 per 100 terminals.

Overall square retention has been very good. Because of the late cotton, scouting for this pest is still very important, because economic damaging levels can still take place up to three weeks after squaring.

Once the cotton begins to bloom completely, fleahoppers are no longer considered a pest. If you must treat for this pest, be careful to determine if the cotton aphid populations are present. The low rates of insecticides that we use for fleahopper control are very effective in eliminating beneficials and also have an impact on aphid populations.

Other pests out in the cotton include false chinch bugs, but their numbers remain below economic thresholds. In some areas, they have reported seeing up to 50 false chinch bugs per plant with no square loss.

SORGHUM

Greenbug numbers remain low, but continue to check for this pest and use proper guidelines to determine the need for an insecticide application.

A minimum of 40 randomly selected plants should be examined each week. Greenbug colonies generally originate in the underside of lower leaves and move up the plant. Only the undersides of lower leaves need to be examined.

CORN

Spider mite infestations have increased in some fields in response to the windy, warm weather. Although fields contain a majority of Banks grass mites, there are two spotted spider mites present in some fields. Mite populations have begun to build and are already moving up corn plants.

Southwestern corn borer numbers vary throughout the area. There were several fields with larvae numbers as high as 30% infested.

The lower two feet of the corn plant should be inspected to determine infestation levels. Pull back leaf collars to look for signs of feeding damage and holes in the

stalk. If infestation levels exceed 1 to 25, then there is a potential for an economic infestation in the next generation.

The pheromone trap collections have remained low over the past week. We have been finding pupae within stalks.

The Southwestern corn borer model has been run to make predictions for emergence. We are estimating 25% emergence this week and 50% emergence around Aug. 7. Generally significant egg lays will occur during the 50% to 75% emergence period. This will depend on what first generation infestations were in the field. What this can mean is that a field may reach economic infestations by the 25% emergence date, if a field had a heavy first generation infestation.

We are still finding huge numbers of Western corn rootworm beetles in corn fields where no insecticides

were applied at planting. Generally it takes up to 15 beetles per plant to cause significant silk pruning.

TEXAS COUNTRY CLEANUP

Texas Country Cleanup will be held Monday from 8 a.m. to noon in the parking lot at the Expo Building in Dimmitt.

Items to be disposed of include empty pesticide containers, used motor oil and oil filters, used tires and lead acid batteries. Persons from the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission will be on hand with crushing equipment.

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19-9-tfx

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GOING ON VACATION? Call Carrie Sheffy at 647-4682. I will take care of pets and water house plants.
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20-Help Wanted

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THE CITY OF DIMMITT Police Department is now accepting applications for full-time, TCLOSE certified police officer. Applications may be picked up between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. at the police department. Applications will be taken until August 7, 1995.
20-15-2tc

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22-Notices

WEIGHT WATCHERS is now meeting every Monday in Dimmitt. For more information please call 1-800-359-3131.
22-40-tfc

24-Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Joe Langford wishes to thank all the good friends in Dimmitt for their visits, words of love, flowers, food and the many other things said and done to help make Joe's passing more endurable. Also, thanks to all of Joe's good friends and relatives who traveled all the way to Dimmitt for his funeral. We love you all. Dimmitt is a wonderful, loving place to live. Thank you all.
MR. & MRS. TROY LANGFORD
MRS. MYRNA LANGFORD,
AMY & ROBERT
MR. & MRS. JOE BOB MURRY
24-16-1TC

25-Legal Notices

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Central Plains Center for Mental Health/Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse will be accepting proposals until Aug. 10, 1995, for audit work to be performed for our Fiscal Year 1995 operating year. The audit shall be performed by a certified or public accountant licensed by the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy. Audit guidelines and specific information regarding the Center's operations are available upon written request from Cheryl Coe, Director of Fiscal Services at 2700 Yonkers, Plainview 79072.
25-15-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ANNEXATION HEARINGS

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS:
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the City Council of the City of Dimmitt, Texas, shall, at 6:30 o'clock p.m., on August 7, 1995, and at 6:30 o'clock p.m. on August 21, 1995, hold hearings pertaining to the annexation of the following described property, to-wit:

All of Acreage Tracts Sixty-one (61), Sixty-two (62), Sixty-three (63), Sixty-four (64), Sixty-five (65), Sixty-six (66), Seventy-six (76), and Seventy-seven (77), Western Heights Subdivision out of Section Twenty-six (26), Block M-10-A, Castro County, Texas.

Any citizens who are in support or opposition to the annexation of the above described property are invited to be at the annexation hearings. The plan for providing and maintaining city services to the property shall be discussed at these hearings.

REEFORD BURROUS
City Secretary
25-16-3tc

25-Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 15.782 miles of gr. saly, flex base, 2 cst on SH 194 from 1.0 Mi West of Hart to Castro County line covered by CSR 439-2-15 in Castro County, from Castro County Line to Swisher County Line covered by CSR 439-3-11 in Swisher County and from Swisher County Line to Edmonson covered by CSR 439-4-15 in Hale County, will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., August 9, 1995, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Merlin O. Bennett, Area Engineer, Plainview, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award.

Usual rights reserved.

25-16-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 2190

THE ESTATE OF
MARY ANN McCUE ETHINGTON,
DECEASED

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MARY ANN McCUE ETHINGTON, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MARY ANN McCUE ETHINGTON were issued on July 18, 1995, in Cause No. 2190 pending in the County Court of Castro County, Texas to DONALD ETHINGTON, whose address is as follows: DONALD ETHINGTON, Box 60, Dimmitt, TX 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 to DONALD ETHINGTON at the above address.

DATED this 18th day of July, 1995,
DONALD ETHINGTON
Independent Executor
of the Estate of
MARY ANN McCUE ETHINGTON,
Deceased
25-16-1tc



FORMER TEXAS TECH ALL-AMERICAN TRACY SAUL was a guest speaker last week at the first Dimmitt Bobcat Football Camp. Saul, from Idalou and a member of the McDermitt clan from Dimmitt, is searching for a coaching job since graduating from Tech. West Texas A&M quarterback Grady Benton, backup quarter back Michael Schmucker of Nazareth and linebacker Tait Crow of Dimmitt also spoke at the camp.

Photo by Scott Brockman

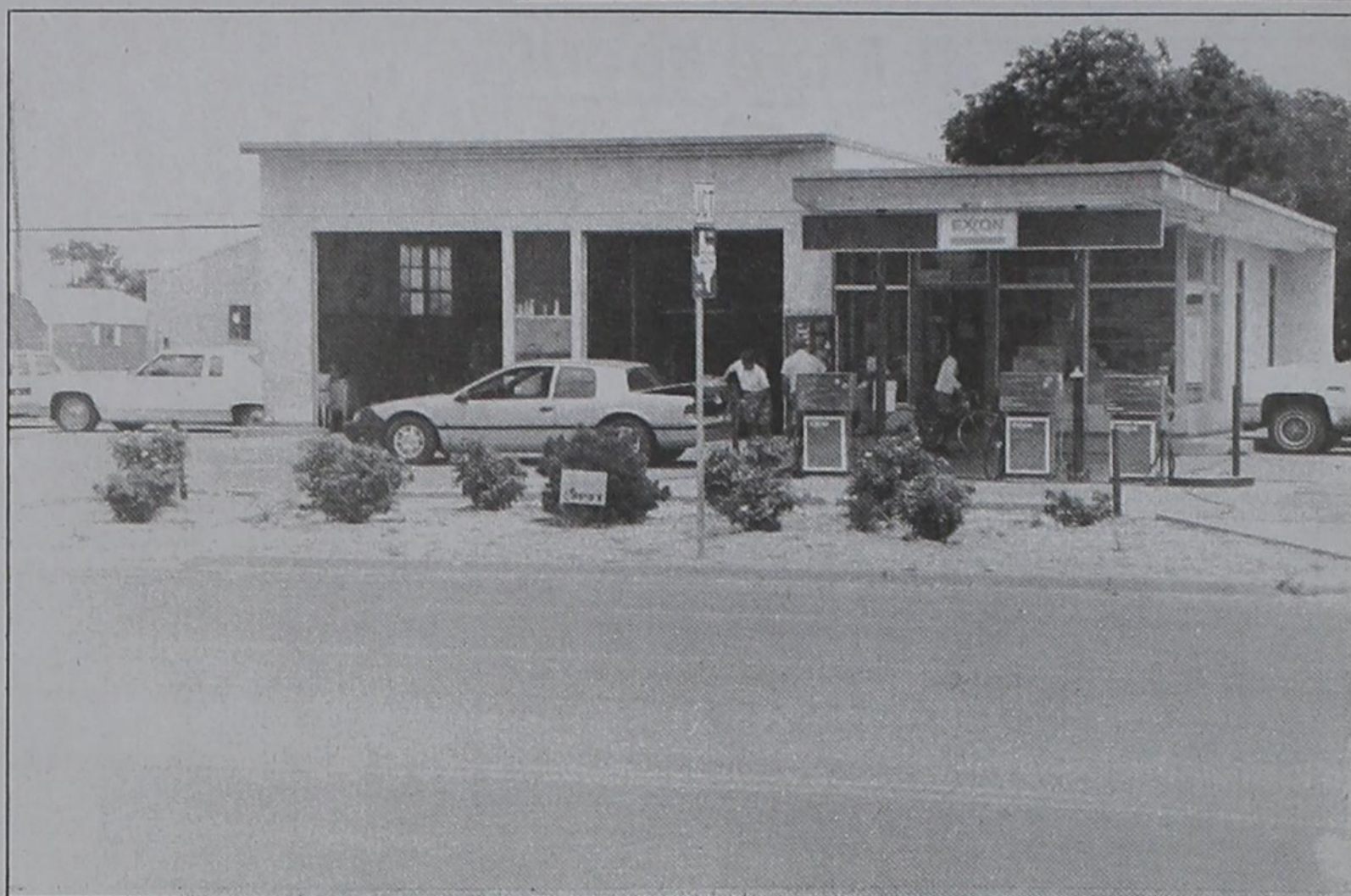
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BUSINESS BEAUTY SPOT—George's Exxon, at 402 N. Broadway in Dimmitt, was named the Commercial Beauty Spot for July by the Beautification Committee

of the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce. The business was cited for the attractive plants along its frontage on US Highway 385.

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Police Calls

A 31-year-old woman was arrested July 19 on four warrants from the San Angelo area, including interference in a child custody dispute.

Police and sheriff's deputies were able to return the woman's three-year-old son to the boy's father, who has legal custody of the boy.

Officers here learned the woman, who lived in the 600 block of NW Sixth, had four warrants pending against her in Tom Green County, including two theft charges, interference with child custody and failure to appear before a grand jury. When police went to arrest the woman, she was gone but officers learned her three-year-old youngster was being babysat by a woman at the home of Animal Control Officer Hector Ledesma.

The child was handed over to officers, who kept the child in protective custody until the boy's father could travel from San Angelo to retrieve his child. The mother, who had gone to Hereford on an errand, was arrested without incident and booked into Castro County Jail. She has since been returned to Tom Green County authorities.

A 32-year-old man was arrested July 19 on a theft of livestock warrant from Rankin. He was arrested at Colonial Inn Motel and booked into Castro County Jail, then picked up by Upton County officials.

Authorities are still investigating an attempted shooting on Saturday night just east of the Dimmitt city limits.

An 18-year-old Dimmitt man told officers he had been making the drag in Dimmitt when a man in a red car pulled alongside and persons in the car began making threats and gestures towards the 18-year-old.

The youth said he then began driving east on SH 86, and the red car followed him, then sped ahead. The teenager said the red car then parked just east of the city limits and a youth got out of the back seat, fired a shot in the air and pointed the gun toward the other car.

Other arrests included a 20-year-old man on July 19 on two warrants; a 29-year-old Dimmitt man for burglary of a habitation; and a 35-year-old Hereford woman on six theft by check warrants while she was in county court on a theft by check charge here.

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on Maui, a boat ride up the Wailua River to the Fern Grotto on Kauai, and helicopter tours of both Kauai and Maui (despite the reports), but otherwise we did our own navigating.

While planning our trip, we sought the advice of people who have been to Hawaii. We learned that many people here have enjoyed the islands—as many as eight times, and for as long as six weeks.

If you've been there, you have your own memories of beautiful places. If you haven't been, I hope you get to go someday.

Let me share some of my memories with you while they're still fresh on my mind:

—Flowers of every rich color and every magical design blossoming from plants, shrubs and trees everywhere. Driving down a narrow but super-smooth highway through a rain forest, between walls of multi-colored flowering trees.

—Every island defined by its own set of clouds hovering low overhead, in an otherwise cloudless sky.

—Mountains rising to 10,000 feet and descending steeply to the sea, on an island no larger than a few Panhandle counties.

—The unique style and restfulness of Hawaiian ballads, played on PA systems in public places everywhere.

—The beauty and fluidity of motion by the authentic hula dancers in their sarongs or banana-leaf (not grass) skirts.

—Learning the hard way, at Coconut Beach on Kauai, not to turn my back on the ocean while walking out of it.

More about County . . .

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"We hear what you are saying, but it would be very expensive to do," said Pct. 2 Commissioner Larry Gonzales. "When we look at how much money we have, we don't have anything extra. We could do what some others have done and raise taxes 300%, then we would have the dollars."

—Awaking at 3 a.m. at Coconut Beach, stepping out onto the lanai (porch), looking up and seeing the full moon through the fronds of the nearby palm trees.

—Floating on my back in the gentle surf at Kaanapali Beach, Maui, and watching a magnificent sunset of pinks, blues and grays beyond the nearby island of Molokai while the tide carried me slowly toward shore.

—Watching a sunrise from atop the 9,747-ft. Mount Haleakala ("House of the Sun") on Maui, and later seeing the early-morning sunlight glisten on the yucca-type leaves of the silversword plants, which grow nowhere else in the world.

—Trying in vain for days to get a clear picture of Mount Waialeale on Kauai, the wettest spot on earth, which was shrouded by clouds and rain our entire time there, and being told by an islander who lived nearby that on a clear day he could see seven waterfalls up there from his deck.

—Seeing the waterfalls, mountains and beaches on Kauai where *South Pacific*, *Jurassic Park*, *Fantasy Island* and other movies and TV series were made.

—Tradewinds off the ocean every day, with temperatures in the 80s.

—Looking out over the beautiful Kalihiwai River Valley on Kauai, flanked by sugarcane and pineapple fields, and watching kayakers paddling both directions on the gentle river below a waterfall.

—Stopping for a cup of Kona coffee and a great piece of homemade kalua pie at Charo's, a restaurant, bar and gift shop owned by the famous Latin singer-dancer, on the seacoast at Hanalei Colony Resort on north Kauai.

—Watching a cloud of steam roll up from the sea where Kilauea was releasing red-hot lava from an underwater fissure on the southeast coast of the Big Island.

—The exotic tastes of fresh pineapple, guava nectar, passion orange juice and fresh papaya fruit every day.

—The unforgettable aloha spirit of the islanders toward visitors from all over the world, and the feeling that this aloha spirit was inherent there long before tourism became the islands' main industry.

More about Hart...

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their pets to the event, which will be held at Hart Car Wash.

Hart's volunteer firemen will sponsor bingo Friday and Saturday at the fire station, and the Hart Lions Club will sell Lion Burgers and soft drinks both days. St. John's Catholic Church and El Sendero de la Cruz Church will also be manning food booths both days. All of the booths will be around the fire station.

Saturday begins with a free community breakfast starting at 7 a.m. at Lowe's Pay and Save. The breakfast will be served in the store's parking lot.

The annual parade, sponsored by the Hart Lions Club, will begin on N. Broadway at 10 a.m. and head south from there. Kelly Jones and Dennis Hill of the Hart Lions are parade chairmen, and L.C. and Marguerite McLain are Honored Pioneers for this year's event.

Parade line-up begins at 9 a.m. The theme is "Hart—Past, Present and Future."

Before, during and after the parade, the Zealot Club will be selling homemade ice cream on Broadway, in front of Ed Harris Lumber Co. The Good Neighbors Club will host a hospitality room and bake sale at City Hall on Saturday morning.

A duck race will be held again this year after the parade. Sponsored by WITH, ducks are \$10 apiece. A \$500 travel gift certificate will be given to the winner.

Also planned after the parade are a cake walk at Hart Car Wash, with proceeds going toward supplies for the new rescue truck; the Lions Club horseshoe tournament, near the fire station; and the pedal tractor pull, on the east bank parking lot, starting at 1 p.m.

A sand dig will be held southwest of the fire station, sponsored by Hart Bank. The bank will donate toys to be buried in the sand.

The HHS Class of 1985 will hold a reunion at the school cafeteria on July 28 at 8 p.m.

Also planned during the evening are a variety show, chaired by Marguerite McLain, followed by a free dance on the east bank parking lot, sponsored by Lowe's Pay and Save. Those events start at 8 p.m.

Together We Can

Obituaries

Joe W. Langford

Joe W. Langford, 42, of Dimmitt, died July 18 in Temple.

Services were Friday in Ivey Chapel at Foskey Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Sanders, pastor of Westway Baptist Church, west of Hereford, officiating. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Langford was born May 20, 1953, in Dimmitt. He was a lifetime resident of Dimmitt. He attended Dimmitt schools and was a truck driver for Nelson Trucking of Dimmitt. He married Myrna Elliott on Oct. 14, 1972, in Dimmitt.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Robert Langford of Bastrop; two daughters, Sheila Murray of Hereford and Amy Langford of Dimmitt; a brother, Fred Lee Langford of Denton; his parents, Troy and Claudine Langford of Dimmitt; and his grandmother, Alice Boggs of Marlow, Okla.

Pallbearers were Bill Henderson, George Nelson, Jimmy Lumpkin, Larry Moore, Tony Fisher and Malcolm Reynolds.

The family suggests memorials be to a favorite charity.

Kayla Nelson

Graveside services were held Tuesday for Kayla Lynn Nelson, the newly born daughter of Justin and Tami Nelson of Dimmitt.

Mr. Ronnie Parker officiated. The infant died Sunday morning in Lubbock.

Her grandparents include Donny and Wanda Nelson of Dimmitt, Janice Fleet of Huntington Beach, Calif. and Michael Fleet of Westminster, Calif.

Other survivors include her great-grandparents, Alma Nelson of Dimmitt, Johnny and Nell Hrabal of Clarksville, Virginia Hoover of Elmonte, Calif. and Donald Goodwin of Huntington Beach.

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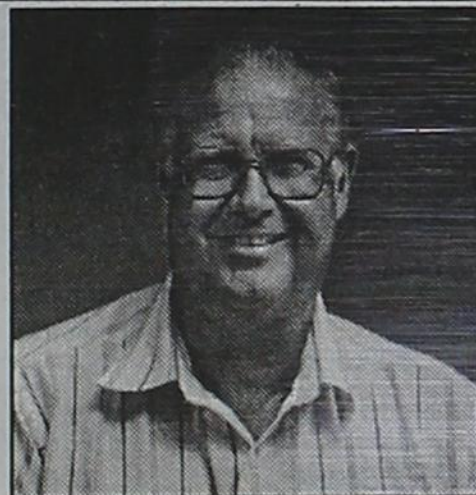
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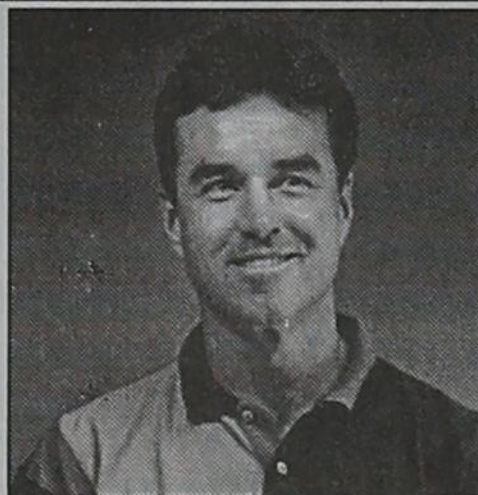
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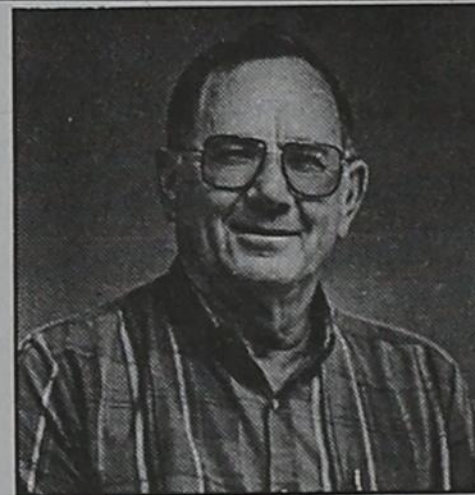
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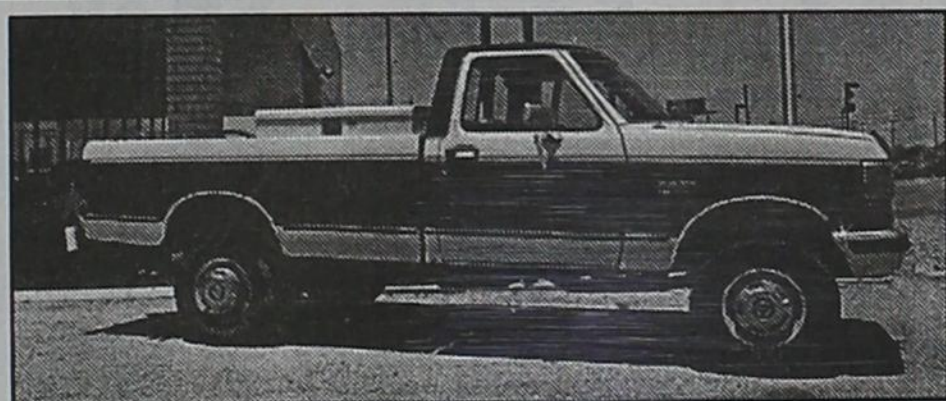
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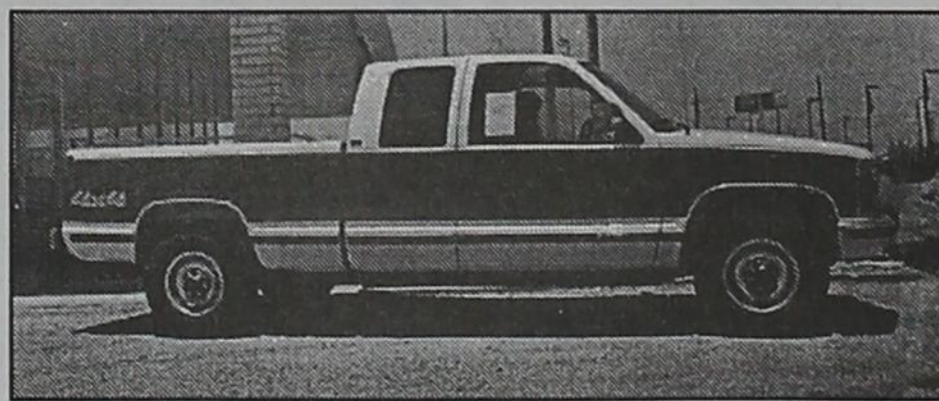
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