

Dust storm causes pile-up



WRECKED VEHICLES that were damaged in a chain-reaction series of accidents in blinding dust on US 385 last Thursday morning are pulled out of the dust area and "into the clear" by tow trucks so highway patrolmen can assess the damage. Lined up along the highway, from front to rear, are a 1973 Oldsmobile in which two persons were injured; a 1969 International diesel flatbed truck from Odes-

sa that was in one head-on and two rear-end crashes in a matter of moments; a 1962 International service truck owned by Dickey Dozer Service of Dimmitt (beside Highway Patrol car); and a 1966 Mack diesel truck out of Hereford. Also damaged in the pile-up (not pictured) was a Shell Oil Co. tank truck.

Loose topsoil driven by winds up to 80 mph flumed across US 385 north of Dimmitt last Thursday, cutting visibility to zero and causing a chain-reaction series of crashes that damaged four trucks and a car.

THE SPECTACULAR pile-up highlighted a wild week of weather that chased people indoors first by choking dust, then by drenching rains.

Saturday and Easter Sunday, however, turned out to be sunny and relatively calm, as if signaling the official start of the greening spring here.

Last Thursday's hurricane-force winds ripped the freeze-pulverized topsoil from many fields and caused spot-hazards on all highways in the area. The relentless west wind also overturned trucks and mobile homes, blew down fences, damaged roofs — and even blew windows out of many cars.

The four-vehicle pile-up started about 9 a.m. when two trucks collided almost head-on as their drivers were blinded by dust along US 385 three miles north of Dimmitt. The wall of dust was approximately half a mile across.

THE TWO trucks were a southbound 1966 Mack livestock truck owned by Burke Inman of Hereford and driven by John Kesner Fore, 67, of Hereford, and a northbound 1962 International owned by Dickey's Dozer Service of Dimmitt and driven by John Henry Reed, 50, of 207 NW Second St.

Highway Patrolman Dyrle Maples said the livestock truck — which was carrying a load of hogs — ended up stopped in the southbound lane after the crash, while the Dickey's Dozer truck came to rest angled across the northbound lane with its cab toward the ditch and part of its bed across the center stripe. Both trucks received moderate to heavy front-end damage.

All other vehicles in the pile-up were southbound toward Dimmitt, Maples said.

THE THIRD vehicle involved was a 1969 International diesel flatbed truck owned by Roy Atkinson Pipe and Supply of Odessa, which collided with the rear end of the livestock truck. The truck's driver, Danny Lee Flanary, 20, received minor cuts and bruises, and his driving partner, Odis Westbrook, received a gash in his hand that required stitches.

"This flatbed truck was actually in three separate accidents — one head-on and two rear-ends — in just a matter of two or three minutes," Maples said.

Fourth vehicle involved was a Shell Oil Co. tank truck driven by Alvin Wayne Jones, 29, of Hereford. Maples said Jones swerved to the right to miss the back of the flatbed truck but his left rear hose-box at the base of the gas tank grazed the rear of the other truck, causing minor damage. The tank truck came to a stop off the west shoulder of the highway.

THE FINAL vehicle was a 1973 Oldsmobile 98 owned by (See **DUST STORM**, Page 13)

Nazareth to vote on incorporation

The City of Nazareth. **WILL THAT** title become a fact?

Residents of the community will decide June 2 whether to incorporate Nazareth into a city for municipal purposes, under the mayor-commission form of government.

In response to a petition signed by 24 Nazareth residents — four more than law requires — the County Commissioners' Court authorized the incorporation election at its Monday meeting. A legal notice making the election order official appears in this issue of the News.

In the same election in the community hall, voters will decide by write-in who the first mayor and two commissioners will be if the incorporation is adopted.

NO CANDIDATES can file for the city posts in advance, Judge Raymond Wilson explained, because there's no legal way to file for offices in a city that doesn't yet exist.

"This way, if the people vote to incorporate the city, they'll have their mayor and commission without the expense of a second election," Wilson said.

Boundaries of the proposed city area — as requested in the original petition — are described in the election order on Page 4 of this issue. Only registered voters who live within the proposed boundaries may cast ballots in the June 2 election.

The commissioners appointed Greg Hoelting to be the election judge. He is to name an assistant judge and two clerks to help hold the election.

ABSENTEE BALLOTING will begin May 14 and end May 29 in the county clerk's office. Absentee ballots will be mailed upon request, Wilson said.

Set clocks up Saturday night

Are you ready to lose an hour Saturday night?

DAYLIGHT SAVING Time will start its six-month "summer" stint at 2 a.m. Sunday. So unless you want to be late to church or to your family outing Sunday, set your clocks and watches FORWARD one hour before you go to bed Saturday night.

Under attack

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	80	42	
Friday	63	33	
Saturday	76	38	
Sunday	76	41	
Monday	82	40	
Tuesday	79	40	.50
Wednesday	70	42	.35
April Moisture			1.38
1973 Moisture			5.80

CHARLES WILKERSON
US Weather Observer

County accepts furnishing bids for new library

The County Commissioners' Court accepted bids from two firms Monday for furnishings and equipment for the new Rhoads Memorial Library. The winning bids totaled \$24,543.25.

FURNITURE AND equipment firms submitted bids in three categories — furniture, shelving and equipment. Each bid accepted by the county was the low bid in its category.

Successful bidders were Ted Roos & Associates of Fort Worth, \$9,931.25 for specified furniture, and the Library Bureau of the Sperry-Rand Corp., \$10,848 for shelving and \$3,764 for equipment.

Other bidders were the Joe Tombs Co., Hamman Associates of Lubbock, and Elliott Office Supply.

County Judge Raymond Wilson said delivery of the furniture and equipment is expected by Aug. 1.

NHS Band to give concert Friday

The Nazareth Swift Band will give its annual spring concert Friday night at 8:30 in the school cafeteria.

ADMISSION WILL be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students. Proceeds will be used for band equipment and music.

Music to be played will include pop and patriotic numbers.



HOW BRAVE CAN YOU BE? Lily Trigo isn't too sure she won't cry, but she's trying. A State Health Dept. physician from Austin administers the vaccine while immunization aide Mary E. Correa reassures Lily. In left background is Mrs. D. H. Strick-

land, school employee. Supt. Charlie White said 1,160 children and adults were immunized during the two-day public clinic. The State Health Dept. will sponsor a follow-up immunization clinic here May 17-18.

Basketball marathon aims for 100 hours

Ten Dimmitt High School boys are attempting to set a new basketball marathon record of 100 hours and in the process raise money for the Rhoads Memorial Library building fund.

BY NOON Tuesday, 30 business firms had made per-hour pledges that will total \$600 if the game continues 100 hours.

The "Dimmitt Dudes" were leading the "Funky Five" 35 games to 12 at press time Wednesday.

The game began Sunday at 1 p.m. and is expected to reach the 100-hour mark at 5 tonight (Thursday).

MEMBERS OF the Dimmitt Dudes team are Kenny Ringo, Brent Sanders, Norman Hays, Paul Langford and Robert Calhoun.

David Schaeffer, Lonnie Strickland, Florence Acevedo, Ronnie Lawson and Edward Nino are members of the Funky Five.

The two teams are playing eight-minute quarters, with five-minute period breaks and 30 minutes between games. All the sleep that the 10 players are getting has to be sandwiched into the half-hour breaks between games.

IN 1970 the first Dimmitt marathon set an 80-hour basketball playing record. In that marathon, the Lemon Meringue defeated the Cherry a la Mode 37 games to 12. Lemon Meringue scored 3,089 total points while holding Cherry a la Mode to 2,664.

Members of the Lemon Meringue team were Mark Cleabinger, Kent Bradford, Larry Langford, Andy Mays and Jerry Cartwright.

Bill Sanders, Gary Langford, Larry LaBadie, Loy Wylie and Noble Seely were on the Cherry a la Mode team.

SINCE THAT 1970 marathon, a Lubbock church group reportedly has set a new playing record of more than 90 hours. Players in the current marathon are trying to bring the record back to Dimmitt.

Donations and pledges to the library fund are being accepted by Ann Touchstone at 647-4494 or at the DHS gymnasium.

The list of marathon donors will appear in next week's issue of the Castro County News.



JANET SMITHSON
Valedictorian

KAREN SIMS
Salutatorian

10 DHS seniors average 93-plus

Dimmitt High School's top 10 students in the 1973 graduating class were separated by only 2.74 points, Principal Robert Ryan announced.

JANET SMITHSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rayphard Smithson, is the valedictorian of the '73 class with a grade point average of 95.76.

Salutatorian honors go to Karen Sims with a grade average of 95.6. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sims.

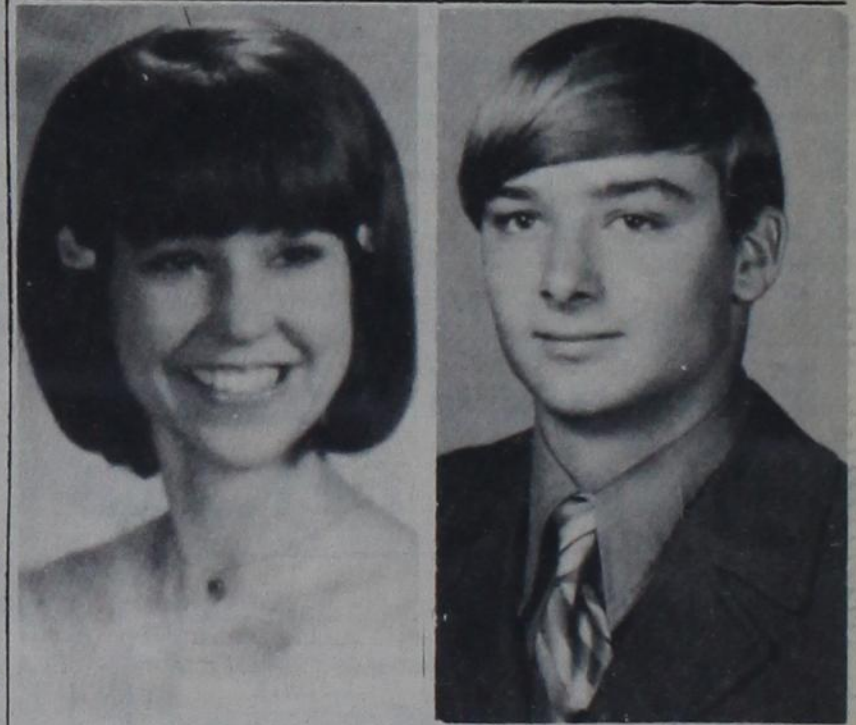
Other top senior scholars are Dawn Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Parker; Debbie Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hansen; Arthur Woolever, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Woolever; Ronald Hall, son of Nadine Warrick; Peggy Ewing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Ewing; David Schaeffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schaeffer; Lisa Huck-

abay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Huckabay; and John Furr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Furr. All had grade averages above 93.02.

BY COMPARISON, the 1971 valedictorian and salutatorian had the two highest grade averages of any in the last 10 years, but only six had averages above 90. Kent Bradford was the valedictorian of the '71 class with an average of 98.52, and Pam Barker captured salutatorian honors with a 98.46 average.

In 1972 DHS seniors had grade averages above 90. Larry Langford was the top-ranking student with an average of 96.17.

The number of students ranking above 90 in the '73 class was unavailable at press time. Complete averaging of all seniors' grades has not yet been completed.



JEAN FOSTER
Valedictorian

DIRK RAMBO
Salutatorian

Foster, Rambo top HHS grads

Jean Foster and Dirk Rambo have been named valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of the 1973 graduating class of Hart High School.

MISS FOSTER is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wamon Foster. She posted a grade average of 94.42. She has attended Hart schools for 12 years and plans to enroll as an art major at WTSU.

Rambo has served as president of the HHS Band, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, senior class and the National Honor Society. Named to Who's Who in Hart High School, he was an honorable mention all-district quarterback, played basketball and competed in track.

He attended Boys State last year.

also reigned as Miss Castro County and Hart Lions Club Sweetheart.

RAMBO, SON of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rambo, earned a grade average of 93.11. He also has attended Hart Schools 12 years and plans to enroll as an art major at WTSU.

Rambo has served as president of the HHS Band, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, senior class and the National Honor Society. Named to Who's Who in Hart High School, he was an honorable mention all-district quarterback, played basketball and competed in track. He attended Boys State last year.

Bales receives teacher's award

ASSISTANT BANDMASTER RICHARD BALES
... "Outstanding Young Educator" of 1972-73

Assistant Band Director Richard Bales received the Dimmitt Jaycees' "Outstanding Young Educator" award for 1972-73 at last Thursday night's Teacher Appreciation Banquet.

PRESENTATION OF the award by Jaycee President Chuck Braafladt was one of the highlights of the banquet, which also featured milestone service awards for teachers and school staffers, presented by Supt. Charlie White.

The banquet was co-sponsored by the Lions, Jaycees, Kiwanis and Rotarians, and drew a crowd of approximately 250 school people, civic club members and their spouses.

The Outstanding Young Educator award is restricted to Jaycee-age teachers, 21 to 36. Braafladt explained that 22 of the 120 teachers in Dimmitt Public Schools fell within the age group. All eligible teachers answered questionnaires.

PURPOSE OF the award, Braafladt said, is to recognize top young teachers and encourage them in their work.

"A well-educated society will continue to set the pace in the free world," he noted. "You need not be an old-timer to accomplish great heights in education."

Bales directs the elementary bands here and assists Director Ralph Smith with the junior high and high school bands. He also is the director of the DHS Stage Band.

BRAAFLADT CITED Bales' answer to the question, "How do you counsel students with their individual problems?"

"I listen to them, and have found that when they have someone to give them an ear while they talk out their problems, they can often arrive at the solution themselves."

Bales received his bachelor's and masters' degrees in music education from West Texas State University, where he was named to Alpha Chi scholastic honorary and to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

AFTER EARNING his MA degree, he taught two years in Tulsa, then received an officer's commission in the U.S. Army as a band director. He attained captain's rank before his separation from active duty.

Bales joined the Dimmitt school system after completing his military service in 1971.

In addition to his musical work in the schools, he is a youth group leader in the First (See **Bales Receives**, Page 13)



THE BIG RACE is on, and their feet can't carry them fast enough as hundreds of youngsters run to find candy eggs during the Dimmitt Jaycees' annual Easter Egg Hunt at city park Saturday afternoon. Hunt Chairman Fred Underwood threw down a stick to start the race at exactly 2 p.m., and

by 2:03 the children had covered the quarter-block hunting area and had found virtually all of the 1,800 eggs. "It was like a giant vacuum cleaner had gone over the park," Underwood commented.

Sheffy's chatter

Large group takes holiday fishing trip to LBJ Lake

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Many people took advantage of the long Easter holiday to go places. For instance, Ralph and Avis Smith, the Bobcat band people, were hosts to a Dutch type trip to LBJ Lake as a treat for the drum majors and twirlers. They are Janet Smithson, Flo Lust, Renea Baker, Sherri Burrows, Becky Carpenter, Ronda Tidwell, Teresa Underwood, Tanya Clark. And many families went also. These I heard of going — the Frank Wises, the George Sides, Lois Wales and kids, (Charles has to plant corn), the Kenneth Cleavelands, the Donald Wrights, the Don Carpenters, the Rayphard Smithsons, the Jack Millers, maybe Richard and Norene Bales and others.

Ralph says they will stay at Bill Brewers holiday house cabins. Bill is a former Dimmitt man. They entertain themselves with games of "42", bridge, boating, swimming and fishing. Ralph asked me to go as "chaperone", but I couldn't make it this time.

Weldon and Ruth Skinner went to Waco to visit son David and Jane. He is with the Veterans Administration. They came back by Arlington to visit Weldon's brother and family, then to Colorado City to see a sister. Their son Skip is in Tech.

MR. AND MRS. Charlie Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Golden, his brother Pete and Nita Golden of Brownfield are home from a trip to Europe. Italy was the main country with Rome as headquarters. They made several side trips. One to Sorrento along the seacoast, over to Florence where the big art galleries are, to Naples and Pompeii. Rose and Herman Acker are there visiting her kin, but they didn't know how to find them. They took a boat, a flying skimmer, to the Island of Capri. They report it a huge rock with fine villas up and down the hills. They were all ready to come home, and now want to go back.

Guests in the Hays home Sunday were their kids John and Carolyn from Hereford, Mary and her friend Rob La Rue, of Lubbock and Graham Sheffy who dropped in for coffee.

John and Fran Mueller and children went to Six Flags last weekend so the kids could take all the rides, then across country to Highland Village near Lewisville to visit Rex and Dorothy Sheffy.

CURTIS AND Nita Beavers have moved to town from Flag. They live at 410 SW Fourth St. You know that Nita makes these good cakes and pies.

Jack and Beth Hodges and son Boyd of Panhandle were Sunday guests of her mother Reral Hance, who is in Plains Memorial Hospital. She hopes to be out soon.

Mrs. Ceal Carlile has been there also for a few days. Horace came home and she went in. These deep-seated colds, seems like.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sniderman from Ames, Iowa, a veterinary student there, were weekend guests of Dr. David and Mary Bechtel and girls.

Jim Laymon is in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo this week. His wife Mrs. Laymon has been there to see him. He will soon be okay we hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover Frazier were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moulton. Bo Owens of Amarillo sent his mother a big bouquet of flowers for Sunday. Oh yes, his mother is Mrs. Frazier.

GLEN AND KOMA Ratcliff

spent the holiday at Corpus Christi visiting son Jim, Gayle and the grand kids. A nice place to go to see the Gulf of Mexico, ships and boats sailing by with Padre Island near.

Dr. Bill and Phyllis Murphy and sons Rod and Cliff, her mother Mrs. C. E. Jones of Littlefield left here last weekend for Orlando, Fla., for a trip to Keystone Heights and the new Disney World. They plan to fish, enjoy the sun and ocean. Will also visit Mrs. Jones' brother John P. Knight. Dr.'s daughter Liz of Abilene has been here for a visit.

Elmer and Helen Berryhill (teachers) spent their holiday visiting friends at Pueblo and Colorado Springs. Elmer says they will if the wind doesn't blow 80 miles per hour.

Willie and Ethel Gison of Bovina were here a few days visiting longtime friends Mrs. Jo Gregory, the Nelsons and other folks.

Jimmy and Sue Slough and girls were weekend guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. James Slough and her parents Bob and Dorothy Ellis. The young Sloughs live at Big Spring.

RAY AND Joannis Robertson, their kids Jeff and friend Tommy Hogue, Nancy and Katy Thomas, Jay and Sandra Stanton and little Timothy, and their daughter Carla and husband Larry Mitchell of San Marcos will meet them at LBJ Lake this weekend. Joannis tried to cook so many good foods to take to feed the bunch. Guess she doesn't trust the fishing.

A. J. and Jeannie Kemp and girls of Fort Worth spent Easter Sunday with her mom, Nettie Graham. The Clark Dobbs family joined the New Mexico Davis family at Melrose for the Easter Pageant. They had dinner in the Davis home later in the day.

Our sympathy to the Buckmaster family on the death of heart attack of Talmadge in Lubbock. Talmadge and Armi-vena and the three children lived in Dimmitt for many years.

Katy Buckmaster tells me she plans to move back to Dimmitt from Texarkana for good this time. Her daughter Gavle and family live there, but she feels better here in beautiful Dimmitt.

MR. AND MRS. Bennie McKay spent the holiday with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Osburn in Estelline. You will see Bennie every day at Walt's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell have had a house full of company lately — Mrs. Edith Allmon and her daughter Wand- Maria Loyd of Wicks, Ark., and their son J. A. Bagwell, and family of Salida, Colo., daughters Christine Bell of Perryton, Grace Maria and her daughter Donna Kay of Midland, Jim's sister Mr. and Mrs. Elza Gullion of Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Bagwell's brother Elmer Williams of Floydada. And last Sunday the former residents of Frio and Easter took dinner to the Hereford REA building to visit with the Allmons. Jim and Ruth Hays from here helped with that affair. 57 people were there.

Charlie and Mary Hestand went to Maryland, near Washington, D.C. to visit their daughter Charlotte and family.

MRS. J. L. WEBB and grand daughters Ann and Beth Welch spent Sunday in Clarendon visiting the girls' brother James

Welch who works there. The J. L. Webbs have bought and moved into the old Singer house on Front Street.

Brent Truelock and Tal Tate of Amarillo came to Hereford on the bus Saturday for a visit with grandparents Curtis and Marie Tate. Then Sunday, Pat and Ken Truelock, Jim and Judith Tate and Zonell Maples of here were Sunday dinner guests of the Tates.

"Mollie" or D. H. and Diana Malone and girls Debbie, Dana and Dayla went to Oklahoma to visit their kin during the Easter holiday.

I am just now hearing about the new addition of a boy baby to the home of Chuck and Pat Braafladt. His name is Charles Christian. He is now seven weeks old. The grandparents here are Helen and Chet Braafladt.

Sunday guests of the Chet Braaflads were her mother Mrs. Charles Galloup and an aunt Vesta from Amarillo.

P. O. AND Frances Goodwin had their children home for the weekend. They are Kay Sharon and her sons Brent and Robert of El Couth, Tex. I never heard of that town. The other daughter Rickey and Larry Pullig, Kent, Kirk and Karla from La Villa, these towns are in the valley. Beelee and Debi of S&K Manor. He is out of the service and works at Western Ammonia. Son Mike is a Baptist preacher at Festus, Mo. They could not come home this time.

Mrs. Lynn King's daughter and son Bill, grandchildren Heather Barkley, Brian and Clint Barkley of Amarillo were Sunday guests. Mrs. King is with our library.

Mrs. Ted Sheffy and daugh-

ter Virginia, mother Rachel Graham went to Marlowe, Okla. Sunday to take aunt Henry McMurry to her home. She visited in Dimmitt a few days.

Our son, Don and Karen Sheffy, girls Kristi and Karla of Canyon were down for Sunday dinner and a visit. They attended early morning Church services in the Palo Duro Canyon. The service was in the amphitheatre.

NOLAN FROEHNER spent his holiday in Kerrville visiting his parents Rev. and Mrs. Froehner. The Hill Country is pretty now with bluebonnets, the little pink flowers and the big live oaks.

James and Sheryn Roberts, children of Jim and Linda went with their grandparents Dr. and Mrs. Abner Roberts to San Antonio for the flower fiesta. You know where the boats full of pretty girls and flowers make a parade down the river through the city. Have you ever thought how much Texas has to offer scenic wise?

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hanson, daughters De Ann, Shirley and Jeana of Bedford visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Holden Bedford. Bedford is near Fort Worth.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Maurine Henderson were her daughter Edna Earl and Frank Smith, Lisa, Frank, and Alvin Earl of Hereford. Carl Simmons of California has been here for a year to live with sisters Maurine and Mildred Kyle.

MR. AND MRS. Bill R. Fritz came up from Odessa to visit their daughter Jan and Fred Allen of Dimmitt Motel. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buchanan and daughter Mrs. and Mr.

Mike Bailey and family went to San Angelo to visit son and brother Mr. and Mrs. Lee Buchanan and family.

Mrs. Don Ethington who lives at 901 West Bedford says she would like to teach a class of adults in conversational Spanish. She uses the Cortina Method in teaching. Ann says there will be no charge.

Dee Williams drove down to Abilene Sunday to attend the funeral service for Mr. C. A. Aldredge, the father of her longtime friend Paulene Aldredge. One son is a minister and two other girls in that family.

Ronnie Parker, Don Gregory and Lonnie Bell are home from a Church of Christ evangelistic workshop at Richland in North Dallas. Ronnie is the minister of the Bedford Street Church of Christ. They heard several lectures on effective ministry.

LEE COLE was one of the guest speakers at a Church of Christ Youth Rally last week in Maple Wood, La. Good speakers and a Sing-spiration and a side trip to the Gulf was done by Lee Cole, Kelly Moore, Milissa Moore, Liz Murphy of Abilene, Kyle Touchstone, Kim Miller, and Dawn Parker. Maple Wood is across the line from Orange, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sandoval and family left here this week for Donna, Texas in the valley to visit relatives, then across the Rio Grande to Monterrey to visit other kin. I hear that is a beautiful city, flowers, oranges and other pretties.

John and Barbara Quinby and children went to Plainview Sunday to visit his folks Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Quinby, then on to Chillicothe to visit her peo-

ple. Vicki and Joe Bennett and little Amy of Hurst were home the Easter weekend to visit her parents Merton and Marzelle and the other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Nellie Gray and Sheila Gray of Channing were holiday guests of daughter and sister Sandra and Jackie Clark.

Vera Louise Cagle and Richard Berryman were married Thursday evening in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Jones on West Bedford, with Rev. Charles Harris of Lee Street Baptist Church officiating. Attendants were Billie Sandlin and Betty Gunn. Brother Cecil Jones was best man. A reception was at the home with mother Mrs. Jones and sister Lilly Vaughn serving the cake and punch. Vera's colors were white and blue. The couple had a wedding trip to El Paso and Juarez, and will make their home on the Berryman farm west of Hereford. Mrs. Berryman will continue with her job at the telephone company here for a while. Several close friends were there. Heywood Smith, nieces, and Jake and Mona Armstrong of Hereford.

MRS. CEAL Carlile was hostess Thursday with lunch at Colonial Inn Restaurant and bridge at home. Her guests were Helen McLean, Maxine Tidwell, Jeannie Miller, both ladies came in with high score, Virginia Gilbreath, Katy Burkett, Reba Touchstone, Edna Wilson. The other member, Margaret Wilson is in Phoenix. That was the day of 80 mile an hour winds. And a group of ladies went

out to Sunnyside for a bridge party in the home of Mrs. Ray Joe Riley. Going were Stephanie Love, Dorothy Gilbreath, Mona Merritt, Ruth Jackson, Ina Cleavinger, Gail Bruegel, Courtenay Armstrong, Betty Boothe, Katy Graham, Shirley Wise, Carolyn Jones and Pat of Earth.

Mrs. Edgar Dennis was hostess to her bridge playing friends Thursday. She served cherry pie and coffee to Gail Proffitt, Sara Hill, Sherri Bradley, Sandra Clark, Fran Gabel,

Pearlie Hunter, Maxie Horton, and Carlee Warren.

Wheat continues to make excellent growth on the High and Low Plains, Edwards Plateau, East Texas and Central Texas. Oats are also providing good grazing in most areas.

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La Predicacion 11:00 a.m.
Estudios Biblicos 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday—
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Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Bible Study 8:30 p.m.

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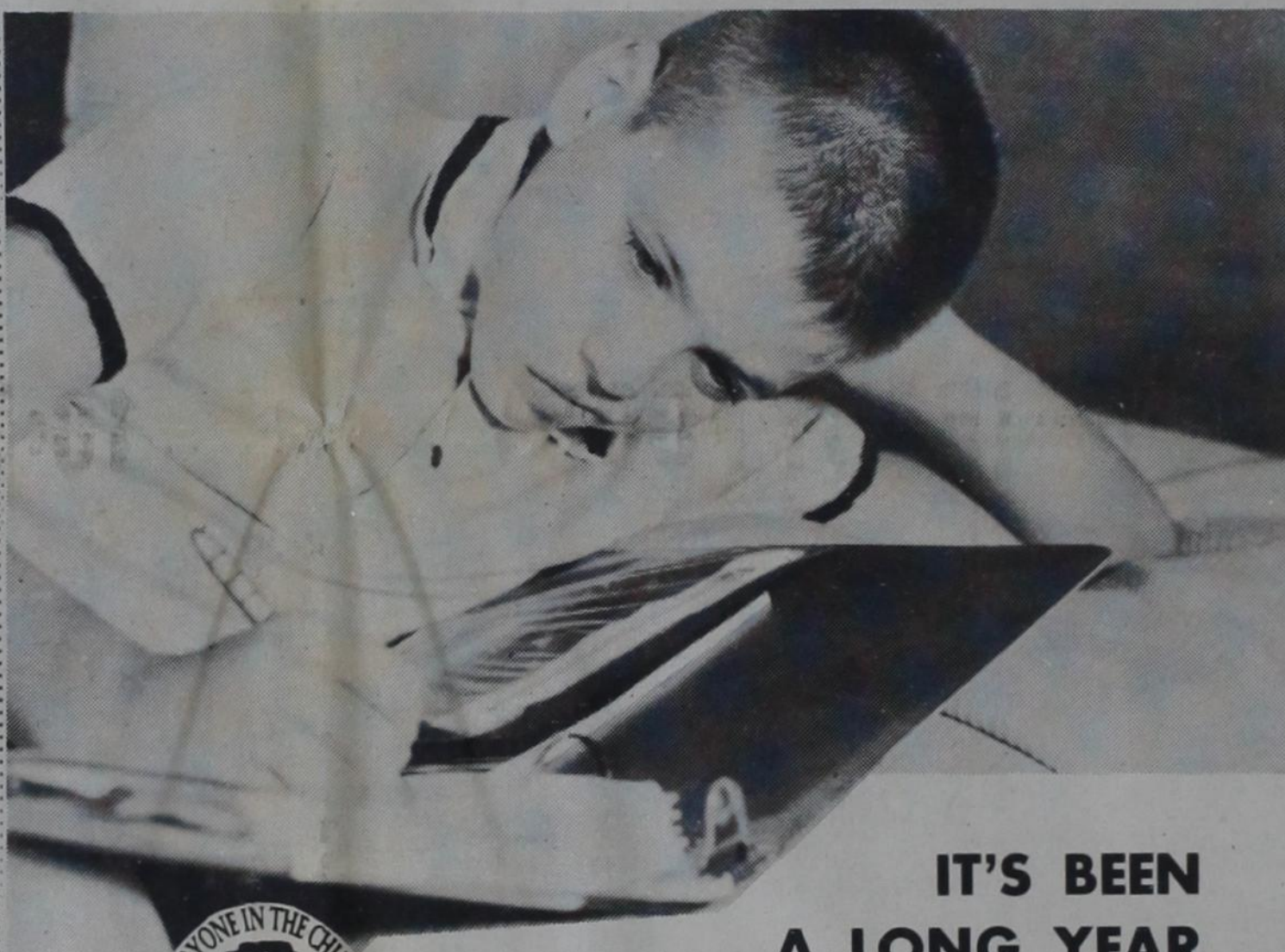
Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night—
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. M. A. Pennington, Pastor
N.W. 5th at Halsell

Sunday—
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

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



IT'S BEEN A LONG YEAR

Just a little longer... and homework, and exams will be over and then VACATION TIME. It is so good to have something to look forward to... swimming, fishing, ball, all of those wonderful activities.

Yes, it is good to have something to look forward to. I look forward each week to an opportunity to worship with others in the House of the Lord. I look forward to the hymns of praise, to the time of Bible study, and to the message brought by God's servant. Why don't you join me this week at church and participate in these joyful moments.

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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Sunday—
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday—
Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday—
Classes 7:00 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
Charles Harris, Pastor
Phone 647-5355

Sunday—
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—
Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
William E. Summers, Pastor
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Sunday—
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday—
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Rev. James Robert Alexander
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TERESA UNDERWOOD receives her bouquet of red roses from football captain Brent Sanders after being announced as the 1972-73 Football Queen at Dimmitt High School's annual athletic banquet last week.

Kidney foundation benefit meet scheduled in Plainview tonight

The Plainview Firemen's Auxiliary will sponsor a benefit

program for the South Plains Kidney Foundation of Lubbock tonight (Thursday) in the Plainview Chamber of Commerce, 710 West Fifth, at 8 o'clock.

A MEMBER of the foundation's board of directors will accept donations, but there will be no admission charge.

Dr. Alan R. Hull of Dallas will be guest speaker. He is head of the Woodlawn Dialysis Center and the Renal Clinic at Parklawn Hospital.

A panel of kidney patients will discuss kidney disease with Dr. Hull. Included in the discussion will be availability of treatment in this area.

EIGHT MILLION people in the US have kidney disease. The entire West Texas area has no facilities for the treatment of kidney disease. Patients undergoing dialysis or transplant treatment are required to seek medical help at centers located in Dallas, Houston and Galveston.

The foundation is attempting to raise \$100,000 to develop an artificial kidney center for West Texas and to attract nephrologists and transplant surgeons.

Information on the program or foundation is available from Mrs. Phillip Borron, 293-4524, or Mrs. Ronald Farmer, 293-2788.

New patrolman joins city force

Frank Owsley has joined the Dimmitt Police Dept., Police Chief W. W. Jones announced.

THE NEW patrolman is married and lives at S&K Manor. Owsley is a native of Magdalena and has served in the armed forces.

Jones said Owsley will be a night patrolman.

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FOR SALE: Lot 3, Block 63, O.T.D.: Lot 3, Block 49, O.T.D. Submit bids to Charlie White, Superintendent, 1505 Western Dr. Dimmitt, Texas, no later than Friday, May 11, 1973. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids. 1-28-tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE: two bedroom, and rent house with it. Come by 211 NW Second. 1-29-2tp

COUNTRY HOME for sale by owner: 3 bedroom, brick, 3 baths, big den and kitchen combination, double garage, electric doors, big basement, wool carpeting throughout, fireplace. Six miles north of Dimmitt on the Easter Road on paving. Phone 647-4694. 1-29-tfc

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COUNTRY ARMS APARTMENTS: One, two and three bedroom apartments, built-in stove and refrigerator. Call 647-3318. 2-44-tfc

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FOR RENT: Office building, partly furnished, central heat and air, reasonable price with utilities paid, location south of courthouse. Come by 720 W. Lee. 2-19-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished, one, two and three bedroom apartments, S&K Manor, Phone 647-5520 or 647-3141. 2-3-tfc

APARTMENT FOR rent — Call 647-2375. 2-26-tfc

STORAGE: Dimmitt Rental and Storage. West of pickle plant. Contact Elmer Youts. 647-3447. 2-26-tfc

DIMMITT HOUSE for lease soon to permanent small family with references. Write Box 403 Canyon. 2-27-tfc

FOR RENT: 2 bedrooms, private bath and kitchen privileges. 508 W. Belsher, Phone 647-4694. 2-29-tfc

3—FOR SALE, MISC.

WE NOW have a supply of INK-NIX, a ballpoint pen ink remover. Only 98 cents. Castro County News. 3-28-tfc

WELDING SUPPLIES—Oxygen acetylene welding rod—goggles Dimmitt Consumers. 3-28-tfc

ANTIQUES — Duncan-Phyfe dining suites, bedroom suites, etc. Shown by appointment. Bert Andrews, 647-2478. 3-22-tfc

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3—FOR SALE, MISC.

ANTIQUES, miscellaneous junk and goodies. Buy, sell, trade at Sunnyside Community Garage Sale Flea Market, Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21 from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m. at Sunnyside Community Building. For additional information, and/or space contact Cliff Brown. Phone 846-2341, Sunnyside. 3-27-2tc

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FOR SALE — Cold-set refrigerator window unit, 14,000 BTU used one month. Call after 5 p.m. 647-3435. 4-28-tfc

5—FARM EQUIPMENT

FOR SALE: Miller Offset Discs. For free demonstration contact Farmer's Supply Co. 647-3350. 5-41-tfc

6—AUTOMOTIVE

INSPECTED USED TIRES: Guaranteed 12 months, \$5 up Firestone, Hereford. 6-14-tfc

WINDSHIELDS: We've got L-O-F, Carlite, Pittsburgh. Installed right and weather-tight. And for safety's sake, get the new UNIROVAL steel belted radial tires. See Gene at Dimmitt Upholstery & Garage, 214 N. Broadway, 647-2534. 6-51-tfc

1969 PONTIAC station wagon for sale. Six passenger, air conditioned, power steering and brakes tape player. Good condition. Kenneth Cleveland, 647-4450. 6-22-tfc

FOR SALE: 1967 Delta 38 Olds. Call 647-3408 after 5 p.m. 6-25-tfc

7—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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9—HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Farm Store manager. Call Bill Clark, 647-2141, Dimmitt Agri Industries. 9-26-tfc

LARGE NATIONAL company needs lady to sell their product 2 evenings per week from 5:30 to 8:30. Products carry a 50 year written guarantee. Must have nice personality, car and be able to start within 10 days. Write Box 751, Plainview, Texas. 9-29-tfc

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HELP WANTED: LVNs and experienced, dependable nurse aides or will train for 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. charge aide. Apply in person at South Hill's Manor. 9-29-tfc

10—WANTED, MISC.

WANTED: Good used furniture. Pat's Electric 647-4421, 214 E. Bedford. 10-43-tfc

WANTED TO BUY: playground equipment. Call 647-2375. 10-26-tfc

11—LIVESTOCK, PETS

TOP CHAROLAIS BULLS for crossing at economical prices. Ray Joe Riley, Sunnyside, 846-2435. 11-52-tfc

Now open for business—Chantel's Poodle Grooming Salon, Frankie and Betty Barrett, call Hereford 364-2048, 210 West 5th. 11-36-tfc

FOR SALE — 60 white face calves, good age, 33 baby calves on ground, and others are close. Call Richard Franks 638-2191 or 938-2486. 11-29-2tc

14 CARD OF THANKS

Friends are so necessary, especially at a time of sorrow. We appreciate your many expressions of love.

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14-29-tfc

On the Go

Millie Davis and Sarah Northern of Amarillo made a tour in South Texas to see the bluebonnets in bloom. They visited Adileta Castanuela in Coleman, then on to Johnson State Park. Bluebonnets were in full bloom and beautiful between Mason and Fredricksburg. Then back to London to visit Mack and Sue McCollum and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Jetton. Mack and Sue were Dimmitt residents years back. From the McCollums they went to the Big Bend Park and Davis Mountains. They spent the night visiting old friends, the Malones, at Odessa. Mrs. Fannie Malone came home with them for a visit with Millie Davis and old friends here.

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

ELECTION ORDER
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

WHEREAS, on the 4th day of April, 1973, a petition was presented to me by Urban Ball and more than 20 other persons of the City of Nazareth, Texas, praying that an election be ordered to be held in the territory described in said petition for the purpose of determining whether or not the same shall be incorporated for municipal purposes as a City, under the Commission form of government, and also that an election be ordered to be held at the same time designated for holding the election above mentioned and petitioned for, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for said City; and

IT APPEARING that the said petition bears the requisite number of qualified voters who are residents of said City, and is in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that the area comprised within the boundaries defined in said petition does not exceed two (2) square miles, and that all other facts set up in said petition are found to be true;

THEREFORE, I, Raymond E. Wilson in my official capacity as County Judge of Castro County, Texas, do hereby grant said petition and do hereby order that an election be held at Community Hall in the said City of Nazareth, Texas, on the 2nd day of June, 1973, for the purpose of determining whether or not the same shall be incorporated for municipal purposes as a City, under the Commission form of government, under authority conferred by Article 1155, et seq., of Chapter 12, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and

I HEREBY APPOINT Greg Hoelting as Judge of said election, and the said Greg Hoelting shall appoint an Assistant Judge and two Clerks to assist in holding said election.

EVERY PERSON entitled to vote at any general election under the laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, shall be allowed to vote in said election.

THE BALLOTS to be used in said election shall have written or printed thereon: "FOR COMMISSION" and "AGAINST COMMISSION".

EACH VOTER desiring to vote for the incorporation under the Commission form of government shall mark an "X" in the box opposite the phrase: "FOR COMMISSION".

AND EACH VOTER desiring to vote against the incorporation under the Commission form of government shall mark an "X" in the box opposite the phrase: "AGAINST COMMISSION".

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, except as otherwise provided by the statutes hereinabove referred to.

THE TERRITORY proposed to be incorporated is fully and accurately described in said petition as follows:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the projection of the North Line of Dunn Street in the unincorporated town of

THE NAME by which such City is to be known, if it is incorporated, shall be "CITY OF NAZARETH, TEXAS".

AND I DO FURTHER HEREBY ORDER that at the same time and place designated for holding the above election, in the same form and manner, and by the same election officers, an election shall also be held for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for said City, as provided by Article 1155, et seq., of Chapter 12, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

A COPY of THIS ORDER shall be sufficient notice of said election and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding said election shall be given by posting three (3) written or printed notices of same at each of three (3) public places within said City, and shall also be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the proposed City, once each week for four (4) successive weeks, the date of the first publication to be not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of the election.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this 20th day of April, 1972.

-s- Raymond E. Wilson
Raymond E. Wilson
County Judge, Castro County, Texas
15-29-tfc

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Sunnyside news

Mobile home, hay truck overturns in high winds

By TEENY BOWDEN

The high wind and sand storm Thursday caused a mobile home on US 385 to turn over, landing upside down across the fence in the Eules Waggoner wheat field. A semi-load of hay was also overturned on the lake dump just north of the 145 intersection with 585.

Vickie Head of the El Paso gas camp was named salutatorian of Springlake-Earth High School this week.

A group of friends went together to visit with Mrs. Charles Axtell and new baby Monday afternoon. They took a collective gift to Paul Charles.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler worked with auxiliary duties at Plains Memorial hospital in Dimmitt Monday afternoon.

Nazareth, Texas with the West line of State Highway 168; THENCE South along the West line of State Highway 168 to its intersection with the North line of the Jerry Wilhelm property now occupied by Joe Birkfeld;

THENCE West or Southwest along the North or Northwest part of the Wilhelm property and the Ringwald property to the North line of Highway 86;

THENCE West along the North line of Highway 86 to its intersection with the projection of the West fence line of Dimmitt Agri-Industries property;

THENCE South across Highway 86 and along the West fence line of the Dimmitt Agri-Industries property to the corner of said fence in the South line of said Dimmitt Agri-Industries property;

THENCE East along the South line of said Dimmitt Agri-Industries property and continuing on East to the East line of Highway 168;

THENCE North along the East line of Highway 168 a distance of 380 feet more or less to a corner and a fence corner;

THENCE East along said fence and continuing on a distance of 1820 feet to a corner in the Eugene Hohnstein property;

THENCE North 400 feet crossing Highway 86 and continuing along a fence line running North and South a distance of 234 feet to a corner in the George Schacher property on the North side of a road;

THENCE West along the North line of said road 260 feet to a corner in the George Schacher property;

THENCE North 740 feet to the projected North line of Dunn Street;

THENCE West 260 feet to the East line of First Street;

THENCE North along the East line of First Street a distance of 300 feet to a corner;

THENCE West and parallel with the North line of Dunn Street 500 feet to a corner;

THENCE South and parallel with the West line of First Street a distance of 304 feet to a corner in the North line of Dunn Street;

THENCE West along the North line of Dunn Street and continuing on crossing Highway 168 to the place of beginning.

THE NAME by which such City is to be known, if it is incorporated, shall be "CITY OF NAZARETH, TEXAS".

AND I DO FURTHER HEREBY ORDER that at the same time and place designated for holding the above election, in the same form and manner, and by the same election officers, an election shall also be held for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for said City, as provided by Article 1155, et seq., of Chapter 12, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this 20th day of April, 1972.

-s- Raymond E. Wilson
Raymond E. Wilson
County Judge, Castro County, Texas
15-29-tfc

MRS. CLIFF BROWN and Mrs. L. B. Bowden attended the annual Friends of the Library meeting in Dimmitt in the assembly room of the courthouse Monday night. Mrs. Brown became a new member. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker and children were presented the Family of the Year award.

Junior Sausada was on the relay team that won second place for Springlake-Earth in the regional track meet recently qualifying for state in the 440-yard relay.

Dianne Fuller qualified for the regional track in the one-mile relay for Springlake-Earth. Lynn Brown and the Springlake All-Stars lost their games in the district tournament Thursday night and Friday morning.

Matt Gilbreath and the Dimmitt All-Stars won over Springlake-Earth Friday morning and won over Bovina Friday night. They lost two games in the District tournament at Friona.

KIM HAYDON made four points for the Field team in the Springlake-Earth girls little dribblers last Friday night and 18 points for her team Tuesday night. They won 28-24 last Friday and won 16-20 Tuesday night. Jeanne Haydon was high scorer for the McCarty team Tuesday night with eight points. They won 20-17.

Cecil Curtis received word Monday morning that his brother C. B. Curtis, of Mission had passed away. They didn't go to the funeral. He had been ill for a long time.

Ben Louder of Canyon passed away in his home Saturday morning after a long illness. He was an uncle of Alton and Leslie Louder, Mrs. Ezell Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden visited with the family Saturday night and again Sunday afternoon.

REV. MACK Turner, Mrs. Hershel Wilson, Mrs. Thomas Parson and Mrs. Bill Morgan attended the Vacation Bible School clinic in Muleshoe Monday.

The Baptist Men had their monthly meeting at the church Tuesday night. Thomas Parson is program chairman. The guest speaker was Roy Miller of Fieldton. Earl Phelan, of Fieldton also was a visitor.

Mrs. Cecil Curtis visited in Petersburg with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. E. R. Little went with her other County Library Board members to Plainview Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Ralph Perry.

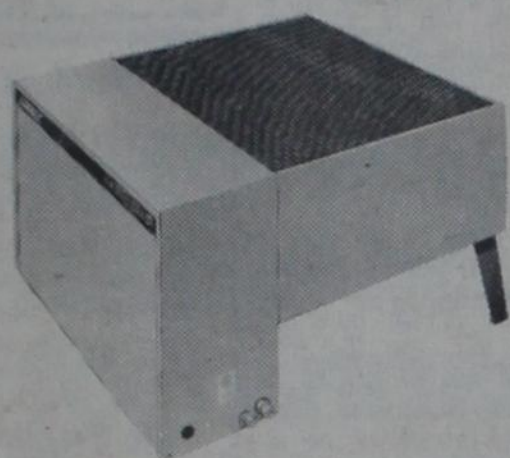
Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Alair and Rev. and Mrs. Glen Smith of Springlake attended the annual teachers' appreciation banquet in Dimmitt Thursday night.

DEBBIE WILSON is one of the contestants in the Springlake and Earth joint Lion's Club Queen Contest.

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PRIZE EGG FINDERS in the annual Jaycee Easter Egg Hunt at city park Saturday afternoon were (from left) Robert Casas, 11, Linda Saenz, 4, and Elsa Martinez, 10.

Notes in their plastic prize eggs told them to go to the TG&Y Store, where Manager Don Shrum presented each one with a large chocolate bunny.



CONSOLATION PRIZE—The Jaycees made sure every child got some eggs during the annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday afternoon. Here, Gary Gerber gives out candy eggs after the hunt to younger children who didn't find any.



CHARLES LEE HECK, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heck Jr., won the 1973 Running Water Soil Conservation District con-

vention essay contest. District Director Paul Venhaus made the presentation last Thursday morning at Nazareth High School.

Jr. Babe Ruth League sign-ups are lagging; meeting set tonight

Adult workers for the Junior Babe Ruth League are hoping to have five teams in Dimmitt again this year. But so far, only two teams are assured.

LEAGUE President Ted Robb has called a final sign-up meeting for tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock in the courthouse community room. The meeting is open to all interested boys and parents.

After two sign-up sessions, Robb reported this week that only 18 of 34 returnees from last year's Junior Babe Ruth League teams have indicated they want to play this year. Also, many Little League graduates who were expected to sign up haven't done so yet, Robb said.

The Junior Babe Ruth League is open to all boys 13 through 15 years of age as of next Aug. 1. The season opener will be played May 7.

LAST YEAR, the local JBR League had five teams from Dimmitt — including a new team, the Rangers — and one from Nazareth to form a six-team loop. Workers are hoping to have the same size league again this year.

Teams in the league last year were Dimmitt's Giants, Rangers, Tigers, Indians and Pirates, and Nazareth's Astros. Coaches already are available for five teams this year, Robb said. They are Larry Birdwell, Bill Goldsmith, Ellis Mayberry, Jack Edwards and Shorty Barlow.

OPENINGS ARE also still available on Dimmitt's Senior Babe Ruth team for boys 16 to 18, Robb said. This team will play in the inter-city Alamo League that also will include Olton, Muleshoe, Littlefield, Morton and perhaps Nazareth.

DEMOCRACY'S REAL test lies in its respect for minority opinion. — Ellery Sedgwick

Former resident dies in Oklahoma

Funeral services were held April 15 in Gage, Okla., for Edith Cartwright Thurmond, 64, sister of Sheriff Jack Cartwright of Dimmitt.

MRS. THURMOND died April 13 in a Shattuck, Okla., hospital. A victim of cancer, she had been seriously ill three or four months before her death.

Last rites were in the First Baptist Church of Gage. Burial was in the Gage Cemetery.

Mrs. Thurmond was born in 1903 in Crosby County, and moved to Castro County with her family in 1917. She attended the Abbott and Cleo elementary schools, went to Dimmitt High School three years, then attended West Texas State Prep School in Canyon her senior year. She also attended West Texas State Teachers' College for two years.

IN 1933, she married Taylor Thurmond in California. The couple had lived in Gage 23 years.

She is survived by her husband, Taylor, and her brother, Jack, of Dimmitt.

A STYLE IS the particular cut, design or type of article. A style always remains consistent — such as the shirtwaist or sheath dress — but fluctuates in and out of current fashion, explains Becky Culp, clothing specialist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

THE DISSENTING opinions of one generation become the prevailing interpretation of the next. — Burton J. Hendrick

Clayton sponsors 'Texas first' resolution on petroleum fuels

Texas is exporting seven of the eight billions gallons of fuel oils she produces, while home owners, industrial and agricultural consumers in Texas are facing immediate and severe shortages, sponsors of a House resolution told members of the Natural Resources Committee in Austin this week.

REP. BILL Clayton of Springlake co-sponsored the resolution, which would ask the Texas Railroad Commission to protect the rights of Texas citizens over the exporters of Texas-produced fuels.

The committee acted immediately by pushing for emergency consideration of the resolution in the House of Representatives.

Forty percent of jobbers who supply gas in Texas are facing severe cutbacks on May 1, while five percent are going out of business for lack of gas and fuel oils to sell, according to Lowry M. Carpenter, vice-president of the Texas LP-Gas Association. Rationing began last December to keep heat in homes, schools, cotton gins, tractors, oil rigs and other users of gas, he said.

ROGER BROWN of Big Spring, representing the jobbers in that area, stated that the

crisis is immediate, adding that clients have been notified they will be cut off on May 1 from gas. He estimated a million people in rural homes would be affected by that cut.

Rep. Clayton's resolution recognizes the critical situation and asks the Railroad Commission to give a high priority to the solution of the problems, using laws already on the books which cover the situation.

WEATHER continues to delay crop production in Texas. Cantaloupes will be a month later than normal in South Texas; the same is true for watermelons. Citrus harvest, which usually is concluded in South Texas in April, is expected to continue into June.

THE four leading states in broiler production are Arkansas, Georgia, Alabama and North Carolina. The production in Arkansas is about three times that of Texas.

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It was a boy, Matthew Glen, for Mr. and Mrs. Monty Glen Upton of Hart. Born April 17, he weighed 8 pounds, 2½ ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Frank Acker of Nazareth have a boy, Glenn Thomas, born April 20. He weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces.

OUT OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hargrove have a daughter, Penni Ka, born April 12 in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces.



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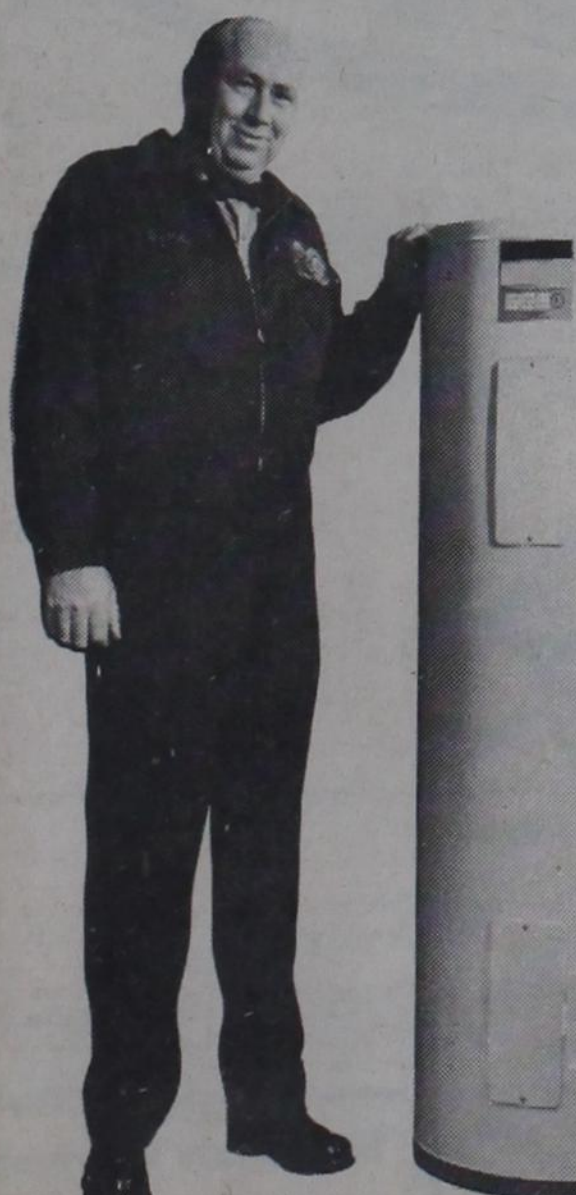
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Amstar's income per share is up despite higher raw-sugar costs

Amstar Corporation's net income for the quarter ended March 31, 1973, the third fiscal quarter, was \$2,954,000, or 62 cents a common share after preferred dividends, compared with \$2,428,000, or 48 cents a common share for the comparable quarter of 1972.

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NET INCOME per share was the highest for any comparable quarter except the March quarter of 1971, and was 29 percent above the March quarter of 1972.

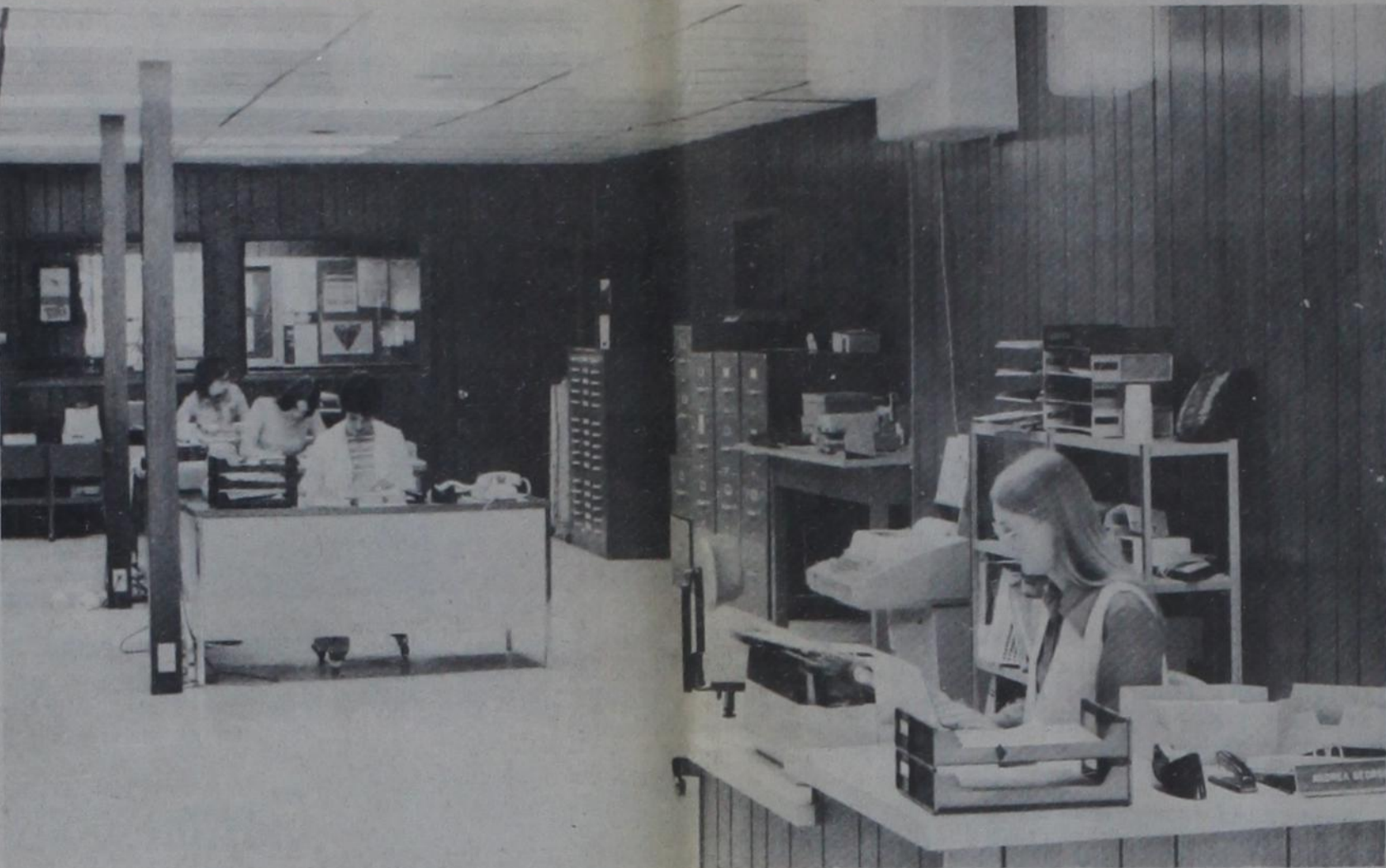
Net income for the first nine months of the current fiscal year was \$9,712,000, or \$2.07 a common share. Comparable income for the nine months ended March 31, 1972, was \$11,767,000, or \$2.62 a common share.

The company said the favorable comparison with fiscal 1972 was in part attributable to the effect of strikes in its northern refineries in January, 1972. It noted, however, that the increase took place despite a sharp rise in raw sugar costs during the most recent period, which narrowed refining margins.

AMSTAR said it had obtained permission from the Cost of Living Council in March to adjust prices for certain cost increases besides those of raw sugar. The company had previously obtained authorization to adjust refined sugar prices to reflect changes in the cost of raw sugar.

In Amstar's beet sugar operations, persistent heavy rains in California from November until well into March delayed harvesting of sugar beets until late in March. As a result, sales of refined beet sugar and the beet pulp by-product had to be curtailed.

Harvesting of sugar beets has been resumed at full scale, and deliveries of both refined beet sugar and beet pulp have been

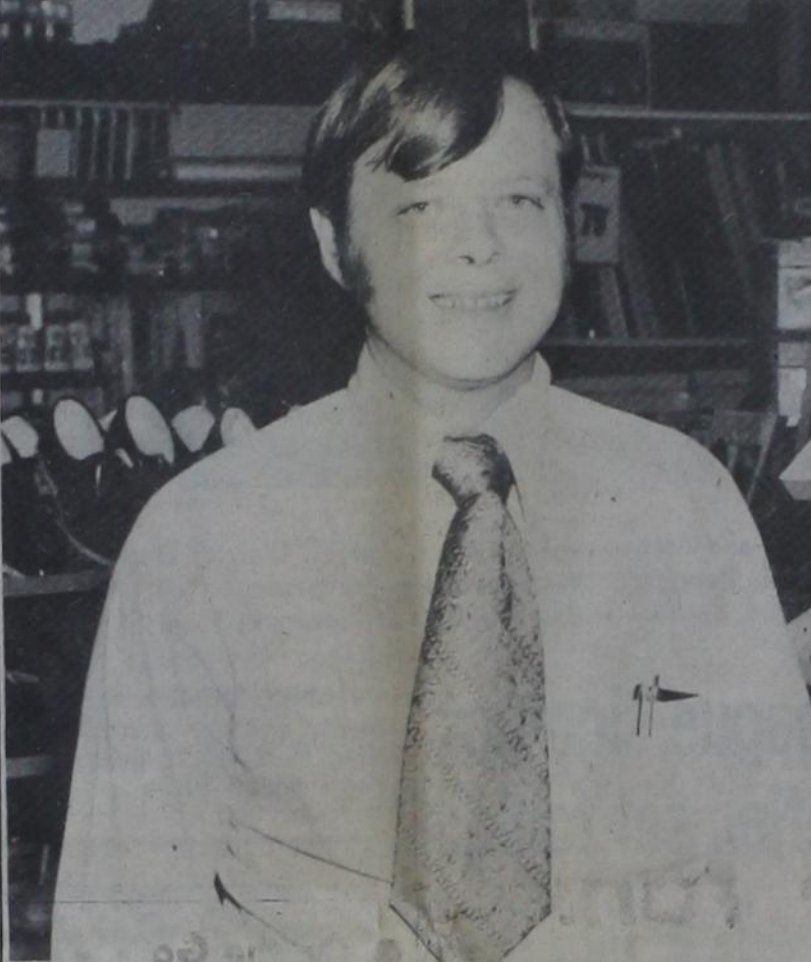


SPRECKELS OFFICES—The Dimmitt Spreckels Division of Amstar Corporation has finished remodeling the former "mill office" south of the corn milling plant into its main office building. This is the central office and reception area. Receptionist Andrea George (right foreground) is stationed at a built-in work center-switchboard, while clerk-typists work at a row of desks in the center of the office. The central office is bordered on the left by six work offices for departmental heads, and on the right by a three-room management suite, Xerox room and storage room. At the west end of the building (background) is a

refreshment room. All offices are paneled, and have tiled floors, acoustical ceiling and recessed lights. Don Hargrove was the contractor for the project. This building, originally the Catholic Community Center, was the site of Teen Club dances before the mill was built. It was later converted to a mill engineering office by Dimmitt Agri Industries, Inc., and was part of the plant property leased by Spreckels-Amstar earlier this year. Until the remodeling was completed, many Spreckels Division workers shared office space with Dimmitt Agri Industries at the cooperative's offices on East Bedford Street.

restored to satisfactory levels. As a result of the delayed harvest, however, production from the present crop will carry over into the next fiscal year. Acreage for 1973 plantings will be smaller than expected because of the excessive and prolonged rainfall.

IT IS EASY to be brave from a safe distance. Aesop



RON LOVELL
... New manager of Perry Brothers store here

Myers transfers to Thailand base

Airman First Class Jeffery L. Myers, son of Martha Smith and Bob Myers of Dimmitt, has arrived for duty at Korat Royal Thai AFB Thailand.

AIRMAN MYERS was one of the last US servicemen to leave Vietnam. A security policeman, he is assigned to a unit of the Pacific Air Forces (PACAF) which provides tactical air power supporting the US and its allies in Southeast Asia and the Far East.

Myers is a 1971 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

WHATEVER THE Easter dinner feature its left-overs can become steaming soups or sandwiches. Add a fruit or vegetable salad for a nutritious snack, suggests Gwendolyn Clay of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

BETTER BEANS and bacon in peace than cakes and ale in fear. Aesop

business and industry

Rush is delegate to diocese meet

George Rush of Dimmitt will be one of three delegates from St. Thomas Church of Hereford to the council meeting of the Episcopal Diocese of Northwest Texas.

THE TWO-DAY meeting will be held in Pampa Friday and Saturday, hosted by St. Matthew's Church.

The Rt. Rev. John E. Hines, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church, will be the honored guest at the council meeting. Bishop Hines will deliver the sermon at the Festival Eucharist Friday night and address the business session Saturday morning.

Among resolutions to be considered by the delegate body is one to change the minimum age for voting at parish meetings from 18 to 16. For the first time, women will be serving as delegates to council. Mrs. George Rush is one of the alternate delegates.

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Perry's has new manager

Ron Lovell has been named manager of the Perry Brothers Store in Dimmitt.

LOVELL HAS been with the Perry chain for a year. Before joining Perry Brothers, he was manager of a discount store in Brownfield.

He and his wife, Neita, will reside at 205 NW Third St. in Dimmitt. They have a daughter, Nikki, and are expecting another child in May. Included in the family picture are two dogs and a bowl full of fish.

"We're real happy to be in Dimmitt and we're looking forward to meeting the people here," Lovell said.

Lovell succeeds James Patton, who has been transferred to another Perry store.

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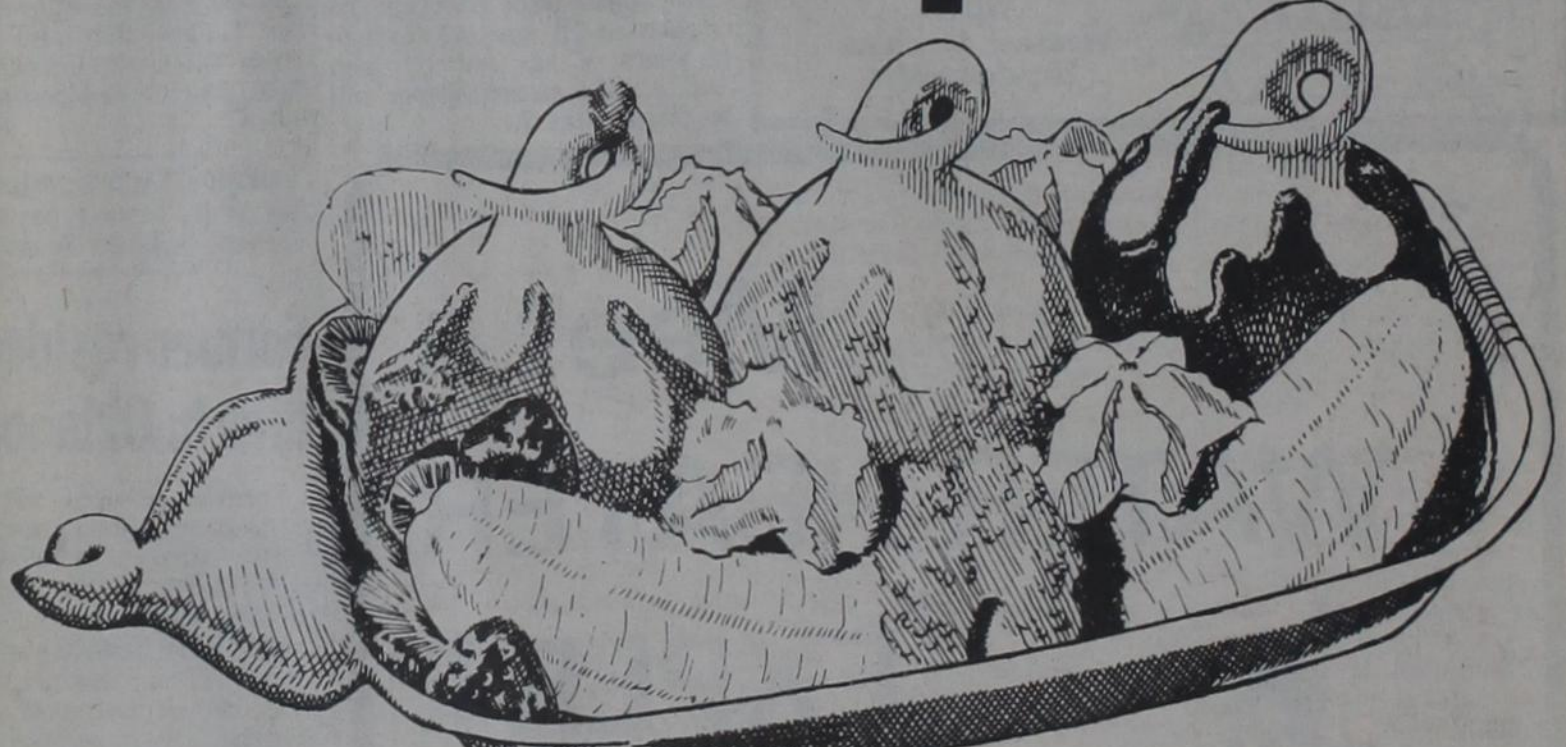
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Youth Club sets picnic Saturday

The Dimmitt Youth Relationship Club will sponsor a sand-hills picnic Saturday afternoon. The interracial group will meet at 3 at the First United Methodist Church and return by 8:30.

Admission charge will be 50 cents. Youths planning to attend the picnic should telephone Larry Altman at 647-5306, Mrs. Barry Love at 647-3404 or Malissa Rogers at 647-5692.

HOME BUILDING COSTS

Home building costs can be cut by careful planning, says an agricultural engineer for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. For a two-bathroom home, install the bathrooms back to back. Locate the kitchen and laundry center near the bathroom to shorten cold and hot water lines. Light-colored roofing will absorb less of the sun's heat and will cut cooling costs in the summers. Adequate insulation is important to reduce both heating and cooling costs.

Hart news

Judging teams going to state FFA contests

By MYRT LOMAN

The livestock and dairy products judging teams will represent Hart and Area 1 in the State FFA judging contest this weekend at Texas A&M University.

The livestock judging team placed first in District, second in Area 1 and fifth at Texas Tech contests held last weekend at Lubbock. Gary Hart tied for third high individual. The team was fourth in judging beef cattle and fifth in hog judging. The team consists of Gary Hart, Stanley Harris and Jim Tucker.

The dairy products team placed second in District, sixth in area and eighth at the Tech contest. The team is made up of Brad Sharp, Terry Hill and Blair Morrison.

The land judging team placed

ed fourth in the Tech contest. They had been first in district and third in Area 1 earlier. Kim Dyer was third high individual in the Tech contest. David Armstrong and Kenneth Davis were also on the team.

The dairy cattle judging results were not complete. Stanley Dyer, Dennis Hill and Don Sharp are on the team.

HERE IS the Hart school lunch menu for the coming week:

Monday — Fried fish, tartar sauce, cole slaw, creamed peas, peach cobbler, cornbread, milk and butter.

Tuesday — Meat loaf, catsup, new potatoes, pork and beans, chocolate cake, milk and butter.

Wednesday — Fried chicken, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, green salad, pumpkin squares, yeast rolls, milk and butter.

Thursday — Sauerbrat and weiners, pinto beans, buttered corn, apricot cobbler, cornbread, milk and butter.

Friday — Hamburgers, mustard, lettuce wedge, onions, pickles, potato chips, ice cream bar, home-made bun and milk.

JAMES NEIL and Iona Clevenger Baldrige will receive their degrees from Lubbock Christian College, May 12.

Iona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deryl Clevenger, will receive her Bachelor of Science degree with double majors in biology and education.

A 1969 graduate of Hart High School, Iona has been on the President's Honor Roll each semester and will be graduated Summa Cum Laude.

Baldrige, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Don Baldrige of Lubbock, will receive his Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry.

A 1969 graduate of Lubbock Christian High School, he has been on the President's Honor Roll each semester and will also be graduated Summa Cum Laude.

They plan to attend the University of Texas in Austin where they will begin graduate work in September.

HART LITTLE Dribblers team entered in the regional tournament at Friona with teams from Dimmitt, Friona, Springlake, Earth, Farwell and Bovina last weekend.

The first round found Hart and Dimmitt meeting. Hart led the scoring all the way. Scores by quarters were Hart 5, Dimmitt 4; Hart 18, Dimmitt 10; Hart 21, Dimmitt 18; Hart 29, Dimmitt 23.

Scoring Hart points were Vic Hart with 16; Ricky Rowland, 8; Mario Hernandez and Luther Isaguirre, two each, and Scott Jones, one.

The second game found Springlake-Earth and Farwell playing with Farwell 33, Springlake-Earth 16.

Final game for the first night found Friona and Bovina playing with Friona 31 to 5 over Bovina.

Friday night Hart lost a heartbreaking game to Friona 26-22. Scores by quarters were Friona 4, Hart 4; Friona 15, Hart 11; Friona 25, Hart 14; Friona 26 and Hart 22.

Scoring for Hart were Vic Hart and Luther Isaguirre, seven each; Ricky Rowland, four, Kelly Jones and Pat Ritter, two each.

Saturday, Hart lost the game eliminating them from the tournament when Farwell defeated them 38 to 26. Scoring for Hart were Vic Hart, 13; Luther Isaguirre, 11 and Kelly Jones, two.

MRS. LAURENCE McLain was transferred last week from Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock for examinations and tests.

Charles Alford spent several days recently in a Plainview hospital.

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Two Boy Scouts earn Life rank

Two Dimmitt Boy Scouts, Tommy Clevinger and George Copeland, received Life Scout badges at a recent Court of

Honor held in the Scout Hut by Troop 266.

THE LIFE SCOUT rank is the second highest award in Scouting, under Eagle rank.

To qualify for his Life Scout badge, each youth earned merit badges for completing projects in 15 fields such as conservation, citizenship to community, first aid, farm mechanics, personal fitness, etc. Seven of these merit badges are required for Eagle rank.

Roger Allison received his First Class and Star Scout ranks at the Court of Honor, and is now working toward his Life Scout rank.

THESE THREE youths are leaders in Dimmitt Boy Scout Troop 266, and work with younger boys in scouting as well as with their personal Scout projects. Clevinger is serving as the troop's senior patrol leader, Allison is the assistant senior patrol leader, and Copeland is a former senior patrol leader.

Jimmy Clevinger and Billy Stephenson received their First Class rank at the Court of Honor. These youths, too, work with younger scouts. Clevinger as a patrol leader and Stephenson as an assistant patrol leader.

Other current patrol leaders are Mike Odom, Boyd Moyer, Anthony McCollum and Chris Frye. Other assistants are Gregg Howell, Steve Maples, Dale Broadstreet and Randy Roberts.

Richard Rickert received his Second Class badge during the ceremony.

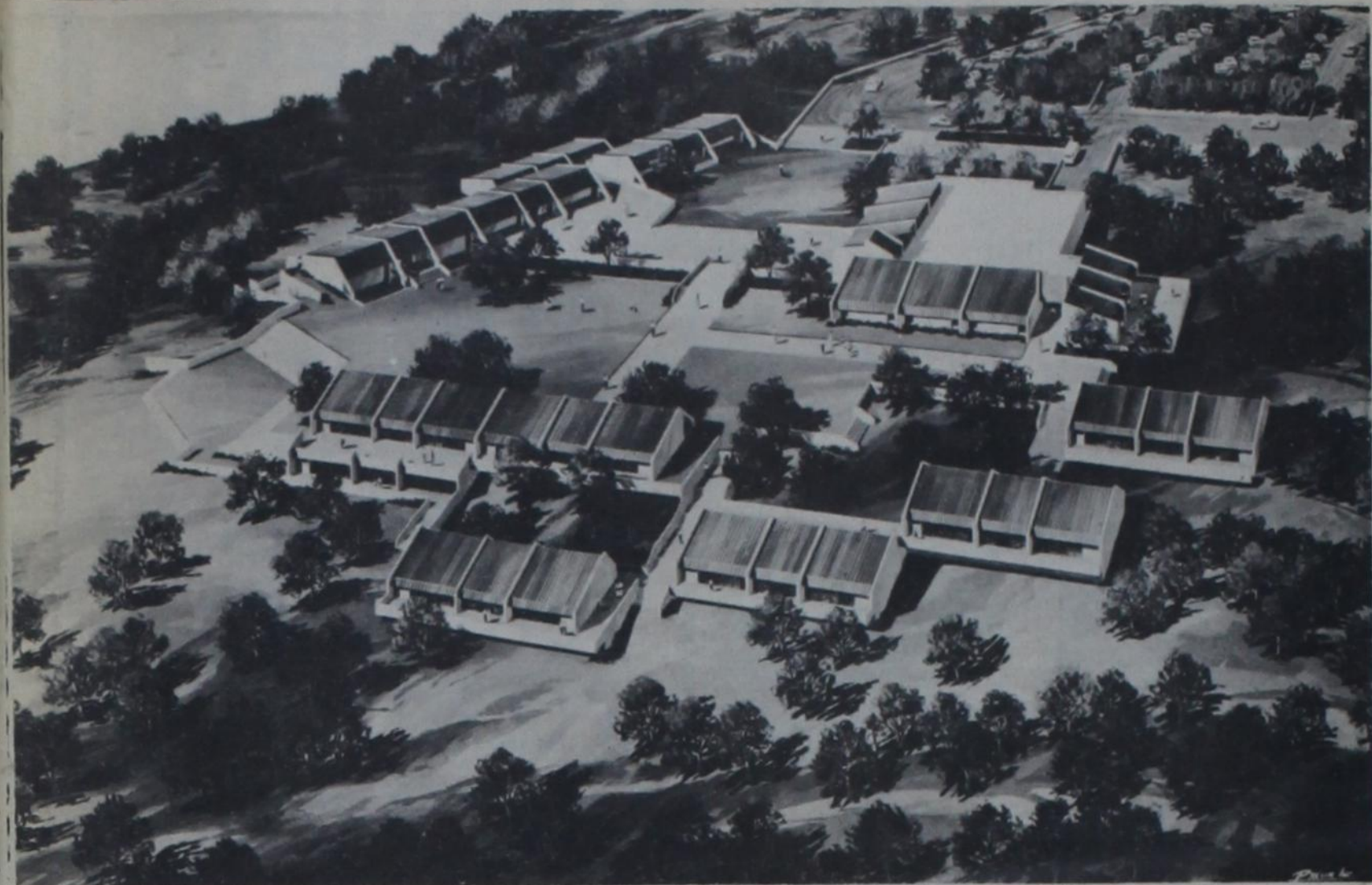
SCOUTS receiving their Tenderfoot badges were David Nelson, Kyle Wise, Randy Roberts, Gregg Howell, Stephen Wheat, Boyd Moyer, Robert Jones, Eddie Rodriguez, Chris Wegs, Eddie Oldfield, Terry Smotherman, David Allison, Lawrence Stephenson, Mike Odom and Richard Rickert.

Steve Maples received an achievement award in citizenship, and Gordon Layman received achievement awards in citizenship and family living.

Bill Stephenson is Scoutmaster of Troop 266. He is aided in his work by Bill Behrends, chairman of the Troop Committee, and Jim Clevinger and Jim Layman, assistant Scoutmasters and troop committeemen. The Dimmitt Rotary Club sponsors the troop.

SCOUTS AND their adult leaders have finished building a new "council ring" behind the Scout Hut. The first campfire in the new ring was dedicated to Jim Clevinger, who has served many years with the troop as a Scoutmaster, assistant Scoutmaster and committeeman.

Troop 266 now has 43 boys registered. The troop meets each Thursday at 7 p.m.



Proposed State 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood

Drive starts for 4-H center

A state 4-H center for Texas!

THIS PROPOSED project is moving from the drawing board to reality, but for this to happen, all interested and concerned citizens of Castro County must assist, according to County Extension Agent Charles Hottel.

"Leadership for the 4-H center is being provided by the Texas 4-H Leadership Development Foundation, but members need the help of local people," he explained.

"Put it all together with a 4-H Center" is the theme selected for the statewide fund campaign. Goal of the Castro County campaign is to raise \$2,400.

THE CENTER will be constructed on a 78-acre site at Lake Brownwood. It will offer many new opportunities and dimensions for programs and activities and will accommodate 200 people, according to Dr. Donald Stormer, state 4-H and youth leader.

"Activities to be included at the residential training facility

are project workshops, county and district activities, leadership labs, 4-H leader workshops, clinics and camps, ecology and other special seminars, citizenship and international activities," Stormer said.

To construct the facility, a total of \$1.5 million is needed. Local 4-H leaders, members and friends of 4-H are now working to raise funds for the center. So far, 4-H members have earned \$134,000 from chocolate sales, and business and industry groups have pledged another \$200,000 for the project.

THE CENTER will be used for training adults and youths for leadership roles in the 4-H program. A local center fund committee has been organized with Bob Anthony, leader of the Flagg 4-H Club, serving as general chairman.

Serving with Anthony is Mrs. Nell Ingram, who is secretary-treasurer for the committee.

Helping with the drive are the 4-H Leaders Association, 4-H Council and 4-H Junior Leaders.

Anthony urged 4-H members

and others interested in 4-H to help support the center. He said the 4-H Center would be a great asset to the 4-H program, and that Castro County 4-H'ers will be able to use the center and should take advantage of it.

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By Ace Reid



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	ACTUAL	AMENDED BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
Fund Balance 10-1-72	\$398,664.73	\$398,664.73	\$
RECEIPTS:			
Taxes - County Roll	\$149,885.84	\$151,202.00	(1,316.16)
- County Road	43,626.18	43,709.98	(83.80)
Motor Vehicle Registration	23,812.80	150,000.00	(126,187.20)
State - Lateral Road		31,985.88	(31,985.88)
- Salary Aid	172.65	520.00	(347.35)
- Voter Registration		1,000.00	(1,000.00)
- Mixed Drinks Tax	410.12	900.00	(489.88)
Beer and Wine	47.50	120.00	(72.50)
Liquor Occupation Tax		1,200.00	(1,200.00)
Interest on Time Deposits		18,800.00	(18,800.00)
Fines and Fees of Office	55,718.45	106,770.00	(51,051.55)
Justice Criminal Tax	2,555.00	6,142.50	(3,587.50)
Revenue Sharing	108,646.00	170,000.00	(61,354.00)
Probation Fines	785.00	1,400.00	(615.00)
Other Receipts	3,406.14	5,556.00	(2,149.86)
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$389,065.66	\$669,306.36	\$(300,240.68)
TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE	\$787,730.41	1,087,971.09	\$(300,240.68)
DISBURSEMENTS:			
Jury Fund	\$ 8,758.15	\$ 16,799.31	\$ 8,041.16
Road and Bridge Funds	171,501.33	312,668.42	141,167.09
General Fund	34,947.98	66,372.25	31,424.27
Courthouse and Jail Fund	16,634.86	32,779.48	16,144.62
Officers' Salary Fund	62,121.73	130,241.16	68,119.43
Criminal Fine Tax Fund	2,735.25	6,042.75	3,307.50
Courthouse Interest & Sinking Fund	26,334.19	32,150.00	5,815.81
Revenue Sharing Fund	3,037.99	36,250.00	33,212.01
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	\$326,071.48	\$633,303.37	\$307,231.89
FUND BALANCE 3-31-73	\$461,658.93	\$454,667.72	\$ 6,991.21

I hereby certify the above report to be a true and correct statement of all receipts, disbursements and balances of all County Funds for 6 months period, October 1, 1972 to March 31, 1973.

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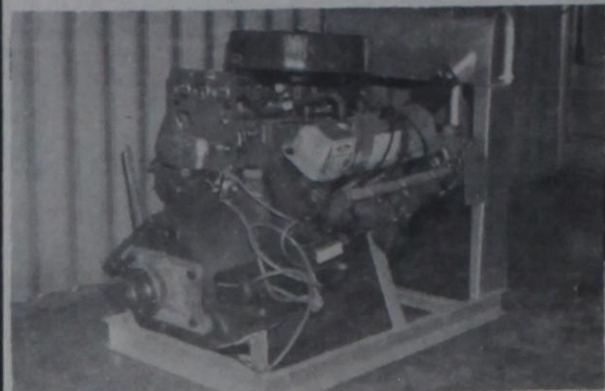
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Bruegels also has a supply of Triple Treat lawn fertilizer, so local gardeners can get their lawns in shape this spring.

The company has just completed an extensive re-modeling project of its main offices. The floor space was doubled expanding office and foyer spaces. The walls were paneled and office floors carpeted.

An increase in the elevator's dryer capacity and

improved aeration is planned in the immediate future. Construction should begin in time for the project to be completed for this year's grain harvest.

The elevator sponsors and helps several community projects each year. It sponsored a women's volleyball team which won second in the Booster Club Volleyball Tournament last month. The team competed in four tournaments this season.

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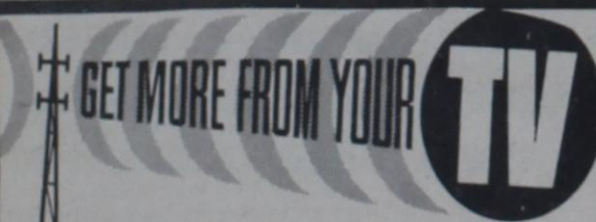
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THE TEACHER APPRECIATION BANQUET at South Elementary School drew more than 250 people last Thursday night, including teachers, service people, members of the sponsoring civic clubs—the Jaycees, Lions, Kiwanis and Rotary—and their spouses. Here, the crowd listens to the Good Time Singers from Lubbock Christian College after



THE GOOD TIME SINGERS, a quintet of Lubbock Christian College musicians, wowed the crowd and drew an encore for their performance at the Teachers Appreciation Banquet last Thursday night in the South Elementary School cafeteria. From left are Richard Baggett, Luther Cannon,

enjoying a steak dinner. The banquet program also included the presentation of service awards to school personnel and the Jaycees' announcement of Richard Bales as the winner of the "Outstanding Young Educator" award for this year.

Millie Pickens, Russ Cole and Phil Payne, who came from four different states to attend LCC. Highlights of their program included "I Believe in Music," "The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face," and a unique arrangement of "Amazing Grace," featuring a vocal imitation of bagpipes.

VETERANS' SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH
County Service Officer

At the Spring Clinic for Veterans Service Officers in Waco last month it was announced that over one million dependent survivors are receiving death pensions. The net worth, as well as the income limitations, are considered. The same is true concerning a veteran. The life expectancy is considered as well as the rate of depletion of an estate.

I HAD misunderstood the limitations of a wife's income in relation to the husband's. The law provides that the "wife's earned income or \$1,200 of her total income, whichever is greater" is excluded in figuring the income base for a veteran's non-service disability pension. This excludes the total earned income of the wife in the accounting. It's her unearned income (say Social Security benefits or other annuity and income received which comes from rentals or interest, etc.) that has a \$1200 exclusion, income which she is not receiving from salary or present employment. Her wages and salary are excluded (or \$1200 of her total income if it does not come from her own labor).

Likewise, a child's income that he earns, is not counted in figuring a death pension and the first \$2000 annual income which he has not earned is excluded in figuring benefits to which he may be entitled as a deceased veterans survivor.

THE VETERANS Administration has stepped up its "outreach" program of informing Vietnam Era veterans and servicemen, including returned prisoners of war, of the availability of government benefits, according to Jack Coker, VA Regional Office Director at Waco.

Coker noted that "outreach" efforts begin while servicemen are on active duty, and continue after discharge.

Thus far, GI Bill details have been provided to two million servicemen in Vietnam. Another 250,000 have been counseled in military hospitals, and three million at separation points.

"Outreach" is continued after discharge, and veterans assistance counselors at 72 Veterans Assistance Centers around the country have interviewed 1.5 million veterans.

TEXAS USVAC's are located in Houston, San Antonio, Waco and Lubbock. The Lubbock VAC is at 1612-20 Nineteenth St. (79401) with phone number 765-8541, Ext. 4840. The United States Veterans Assistance Centers are administered by the VA in co-operation with the Dept. of Labor, Civil Service Commission, Health, Education and Welfare, Housing and Urban Development, Small Business Administration, the OEO, and Dept. of Justice, as well as state and local organizations to help the veteran.

POWs who remain in military service have immediate eligibility for two readjustment benefits.

One is payment of tuition costs of servicemen who go to school under the GI Bill, not to exceed the \$220 monthly rate and single veteran trainees. The other benefit is a VA guarantee of 60 percent of GI home loans lenders make to servicemen and veterans, up to a maximum of \$12,500.

COKER CITED other VA benefits available to Vietnam Era veterans and servicemen:

Specialized adapted housing ("wheelchair" homes) grants of up to \$17,500, and \$150 annual clothing allowances for non-service connected disabled veterans.

Dental and medical treatment, including drug treatment. Compensation for service-connected disabilities: pensions for non-service connected disabilities.

Burial benefits — flags, interment in national cemeteries and reimbursement of burial expenses.

In general, veterans are eligible for VA benefits after receiving an other than dishonorable discharge based on at least 181 days of active duty, any part of it after Jan. 31, 1955. Servicemen become eligible after the same length of service.

Veterans also become eligible if discharged for service-connected disabilities, without regard to length of service.



THE EASTER LIONS Club's new officers for the coming year are (seated, from left) James Dobbs, Boss Lion; Ivan Block, first vice-president; and Clarence Behrends, second vice-president. Second row, from left: David Hutchins, treasurer; Guy Waller, third vice-president; and Wayne Wal-

ser, secretary. Third row, from left: Roy Botkin, director; Fate Shannon, tail twister; and Fred Axe, Lion tamer. Not pictured is the club's other new director, Gene King. The new officers were elected recently at a family night event in the Easter Lions Community Building.

Cagle - Berryman vows are recited

Vera Louise Cagle of Dimmitt and Richard Berryman of Hereford were married Thursday evening in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Jones.

Rev. Charles Harris performed the ceremony. MATRON OF honor was Betty Smith of Dimmitt. Jake Armstrong of Hereford served as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony with Mrs. Woodrow Jones, the bride's mother, and a sister, Lilly Vaughn, serving cake and punch to the close

friends and relatives attending. The bride is employed at West Texas Telephone Co. Berryman is employed at Holly Sugar Co. After a wedding trip to El Paso and Juarez, the couple are at home west of Hereford.

Easter 4-H sees films, gives skit

The Easter Happy Helpers won second with their skit, "Record Round-up," Saturday at the county 4-H skit contest.

THE CAST performed the skit for the Frio 4-H Club April 10.

In its meeting April 13, the club practiced the skit and saw films of Italy made by Sammy Ogan. After a short business session, club members received light bulbs to sell. Proceeds from the project will go to the new 4-H state center at Brownwood.

Special guests included parents, Mrs. Donald Adams and Rev. and Mrs. Sam Ogan.

Two women fined for shoplifting

Two women, one from Earth and one from Hart, paid fines for shoplifting after being found guilty Monday in County Court. Complaints against the two women were filed by Dimmitt store managers.

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Black magic is taboo in new witch's school

By BECKY BERRYHILL
"In it harm none, do what thou wilt" is the first belief of the world's oldest religion — witchcraft.

THE CRAFT'S four additional beliefs are in reincarnation, harmony with the physical and psychic worlds; power through knowledge and the law of attraction.

Black magic and worship of Satan are NOT part of the Celtic witchcraft belief or prac-

tice, the Gavin Frosts, practicing witches, said here last week.

The Frosts of St. Charles, Mo., organized the School of Wicca four years ago to combat the increase in Satanists and "black magic" witches. The school's courses lead to a "Doctor of Celtic Witchcraft" degree and carries with it the right to form a new coven.

"WE BELIEVE in a supreme being, infinite and beyond the grasp of the mind," Yvonne said. "You could think of it like the Indian spirits. We don't ascribe a sex to it."

"We believe we can conceive of part of the whole; it is up to us to get in harmony with it," she continued.

"We worship almost always outdoors," Yvonne explained. "The worship area is a circle defined by scattered pieces or granules of sulfur. The priestess cleans the center, so bare feet aren't hurt in dancing."

"WE TRY to see events before they happen and prevent them," Yvonne said.

"You can prevent hail damage to your own crops by concentration on the cloud," Gavin added. "You can prove it to yourself. Choose a small cloud and you can make it split with concentration. You can definitely draw things to you and prevent them — the law of attraction."

"If you dread the future a lot, your life will be true and miserable. You can be optimistic as easily, and better things will happen to you," Yvonne said.

"WE RECOGNIZE one sin — the sin of omission," she said. "If you think you should do something, do it as long as it doesn't harm anyone."

In their school the Frosts teach old world worship, when

to plant crops, healing, harmony with the physical and psychic worlds, and meditation.

"We teach when to plant crops and the importance of the moon in planting," Yvonne said.

"MOST FARMERS plant by the moon, but don't realize its influence in their lives too," Gavin added. "Most accidents happen at full moon and there is more bleeding in hospitals at that time."

The craft believes plants and animals have souls as people do and that they can be affected and influenced as people can.

"We sent healing to it," was Yvonne's simple statement about a student's horse that was dying from a neck cancer.

THE FROSTS were converted to the craft when Gavin researched a book on pre-Christian tribes in Europe.

"These people knew too much," Yvonne explained. "They knew more than we do today. We looked at all their knowledge and it made so much sense. Their old religion (witchcraft) was the thing that made the difference."

The Gavins said a lot of students drop out of their school when they discover it isn't a lot of "funsies."

"We don't have black magic and don't worship the devil," she emphasized.

THE GAVINS have written a complete how-to book on Celtic witchcraft, entitled "The Witch's Bible. How to Practice the Oldest Religion."

The book is now in its second run, after a sell-out of the first run of 2,500. It goes into the history of the craft and details on worship forms in the craft.

Symbols representing the craft include the Celtic cross — a cross with equal arms representing the unity of man.

"WE THINK our souls go up to a point where they don't need to reincarnate further. Then it goes up to join the Godhead," Gavin said.

"All we do and emphasize is allowed in the Christian Bible — in 1 Corinthians 12," Gavin said.

Loy Stone of Dimmitt participated on a panel discussion of witchcraft with the Frosts April 16 in Amarillo.

THE STONES met Gavin and Yvonne several years ago at an ESP seminar in St. Louis. They arranged the Amarillo visit after learning of the Frosts' planned trip to the area.

The craft is a legally recognized church which teaches the religion of witchcraft.

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The view from your library

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX

I seldom write any personal news in my column, unless it pertains to the library, but this news is special. The Methodist Church in Tulsa honored my parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Kelley, on their 68th wedding anniversary with a reception in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist church. Those attending from out of town were: Mary Lynn and Bill Lankford, Kevin and Lauren, Sue and David Vaughan, Shannon and Brent, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thuet, Kerry and Trevor, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Francis Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver, Hazel and Ivor Bagwell, Geneva and Morgan Dennis, Mearle and Buster Morgan, Connie and Gene Ivey, Maggie Boren, Hazel Merritt, Beral Hance, Faye Kenmore, Mrs. Mary Parks and Marvin Burke.

ON TUESDAY night, April 17, the Friends of the Library held their annual meeting with Reta Welch presiding. Mildred Bradford, Shirley Wise, and Hazel Merritt gave special reports. Jeann DuLaney will be the only new officer for next year and she will replace Mildred Bradford as treasurer.

The new life members are: Mrs. N. F. Cleavinger, Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell, Mrs. Madge Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gilbreath, Hazel Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. John Womack, and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Anthony.

The Library Family of the Year was announced — Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snitker, Jody, Melissa, and Glen, of Hart, Mrs. Elizabeth Crabb, the Extension Coordinator of the Amarillo Public Library was the guest speaker for the evening. Those helping serve refreshments were: Margaret Womack, Sandra Bagwell, Bobbie Hill and Reta Welch. Over 25 attended the meeting.

More donating toward the building fund: Cliff Follis, and

Vows recited in Fort Worth

Miss Hazel Pruitt and Elmer E. Hershey of Fort Worth were united in marriage at 4 p.m. March 31 in the James Avenue Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

Dr. Frankie Rainey officiated.

THE BRIDE is the daughter Kattie M. Pruitt and Miles H. Pruitt, both of Henderson, Ky. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Hershey of Dimmitt.

Given in marriage by her brother, Bill Pruitt of Uniontown, Ky., the bride wore a floor-length gown of crepe with Chantilly lace highlighting the Empire waistline and long bell-shaped sleeves. Matching Chantilly lace enhanced the chapel-length veil. The gown and veil were designed and made by the bride's mother and her sister, Mrs. Charles Griffin. She carried a cascade of orchids and Stephanotis with ivy and white satin streamers tied in lover's knots.

In the bridal tradition, she carried something old, her grandmother's lace handkerchief; something new, her gown and veil; something borrowed, a niece's Bible; and something blue, a garter. For luck, she had a penny in her shoe, a gift from her brother.

THE BRIDE'S sister, Mrs. Griffin, was matron of honor. Mrs. Kenneth Maughon was the bridesmaid and April Griffin was the flower girl. They wore identical floor-length gowns of mint green flocked with cream with green velvet bridal bow headpieces.

Charles Etheridge of Houston was best man and Kenneth Maughon was groomsman.

Albert Ricketts of Hereford sang "The Wedding Prayer." Mrs. Ricketts was accompanist.

A reception was held in fellowship hall of the church. Mrs. Bill Pruitt served punch. Mrs. Bill Whiteaker and Mrs. Dempsey Alexander, the groom's sister, served the cake. Patty Sorgenfrei registered guests.

Following a wedding trip to Austin, the couple will be at home at 5348 Wonder Drive in Fort Worth.

Allen Webb gave a generous donation, also the Dan Heards.

MORE DONATING BOOKS: Cora West, Mrs. Lust, Mrs. John Wood, Norma Conard, Bobbie Ebeling.

Mrs. Beverly Hill and Jacques Sava read Easter stories to 16 children at the Children's Story Hour last Friday. Scott Hill served Easter rabbits (chocolate) and I served cookies and punch. We will not have Story Hour Friday, April 27.



MRS. ELMER E. HERSHEY
... The former Hazel Pruitt

Mrs. Vandiver gives slide-talk on Mississippi

Mrs. Charles Vandiver showed pictures and described her recent trip to Mississippi at the meeting of the Dimmitt Garden Club Wednesday.

SHE RELATED the history of the old southern mansions and recent restorations. The Mississippi Garden Clubs began the restoration of the old homes and it has grown to a city-wide program, she said.

She told local gardeners that the great live oaks in Mississippi are ageless and the thousands of spring flowers made Natchez a place of beauty.

Mrs. George Bradford was hostess with Adeline Rush and Virginia Gilbreath assisting. They served from a table that was covered with an orchid cloth and decorated with an Easter egg tree. Cheese cake and strawberry cakes were served to 14 club members.

THE YARD of Mrs. Frank Mears Sr., 608 West Lee, was chosen best yard for April by the club.

Mrs. Bill Behrends was elected a delegate to the state garden clubs' meeting in Dallas next week.

The Garden Club's May meeting will be at the Charles Vandiver home.

Hersheys will host reception

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hershey will honor their son Elmer, and his bride, Hazel, at an afternoon tea May 5 from 4 to 6 in their home at 306 W. Etter St.

FRIENDS AND relatives are invited to meet the couple.



Miss Hartt

Vows set for July

Mr. and Mrs. Jim C. Hartt of Marshall announce the engagement and wedding plans of their daughter, Susie, to Jack Wayne Bradford, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bradford of Dimmitt.

MISS HARTT, a 1969 graduate of Marshall Senior High School, is a senior at Texas Tech University. She is a May candidate for graduation with a bachelor of fine arts degree in interior design. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta social sorority.

Bradford is a 1968 graduate of Dimmitt High School. He attended Southern Methodist University and is a senior business major at Tech. While at SMU, he was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

A July 14 wedding is planned in the First Christian Church in Lubbock.

PMH Auxiliary urges sign-ups for convention

May 6 is the deadline to register for the Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries 39th annual convention May 20-22.

Mary Emma Matthews and Waldine Webb have further information on the Houston convention. A chartered bus is going from the Panhandle area. Dues for the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary are now being collected. Dorothy Gilbreath of Hart is collecting the dues — \$2 for active membership and \$5 for inactive membership.

The auxiliary will have its next regular meeting May 9 at Plains Memorial Hospital.

Tops Club names state delegates

The SOS Tops Club last week discussed the forthcoming state convention in Fort Worth. Joyce Davis, Oleda Schumacher, Audrey Nelson, Oleta Raper, Emily Clingsmith, Pat Powell, Genell Craig and Donna Smith will represent the club.

Arlene Oldfield was named queen of the week with a weight loss of 3 1/4 pounds. Eighteen members were present.

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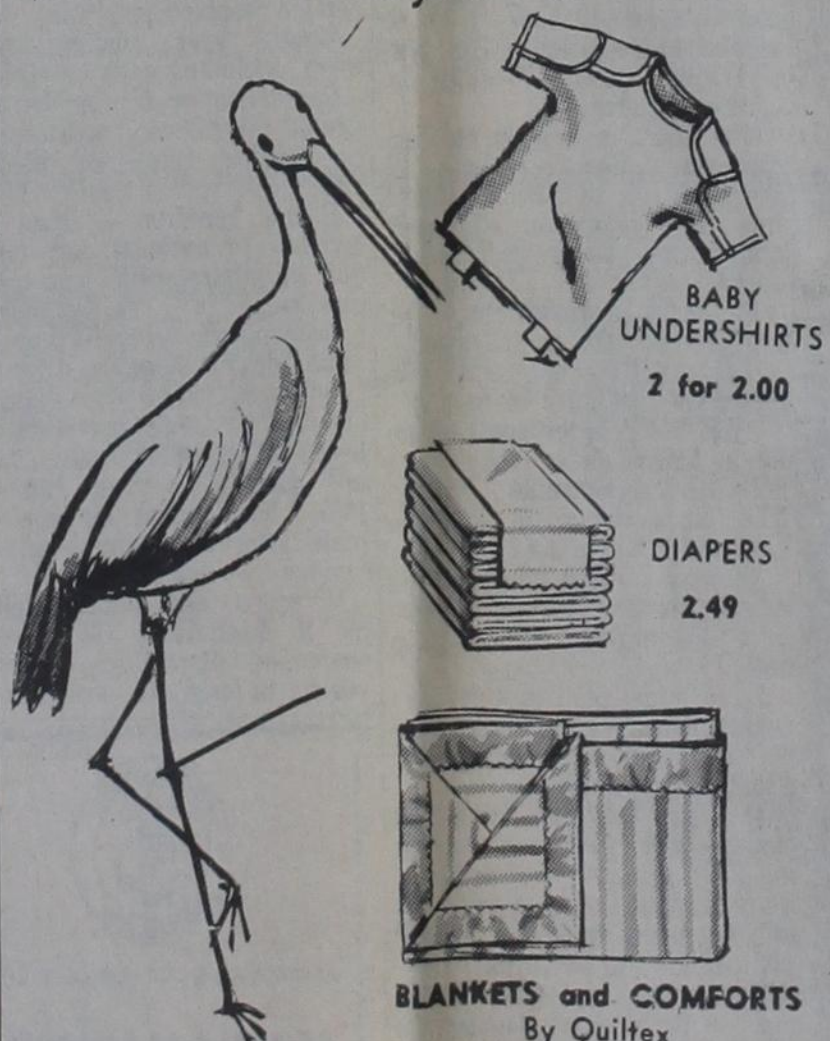
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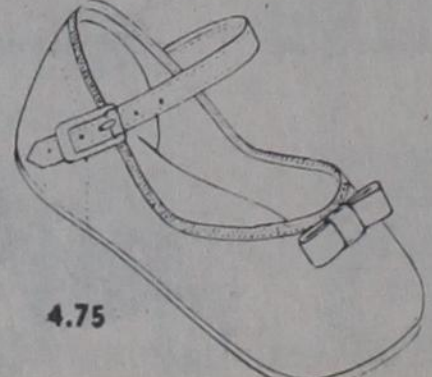
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Bethel news

Ladies tour Levi-Strauss plant

By MRS. BUD McELROY
The Bethel Home Demonstration Club took a tour to Amarillo Wednesday. They toured Levi Strauss and ate lunch at a cafeteria. Those going were Mrs. Charlene Howell, Mrs. Sue Howell, Mrs. Millie Lust, Mrs. Irene Keating, Mrs. Vickie Yokum, Mrs. Sandra Bagwell, Mrs. Sue Hodnett, Mrs. Jean Gilreath, and Mrs. Francis Smith.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet Thursday, May 3 at 11:30 a.m. at the county kitchen to elect clubwoman of the year. The members are to take a salad. The Bethel candidate is Mrs. Frances Smith.

THE VACATION Bible Clinic was held Monday at the First Baptist Church at Muleshoe. The Bethel ladies who went were Mrs. Charlene Howell, Mrs. Sue Howell and Mrs. Francis Smith.

The Prayer group met Tuesday at Mrs. Vickie Yokum's.

home.
The Elbert Smiths and family visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas at Hereford Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Booser of Hereford, Mrs. Oleta Raper and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Booser and Doug of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Monte Booser and family Sunday.

The Lucky U Kindergarten class hunted Easter eggs at the Jimmie Howell farm Friday.

MR. AND MRS. George Bagwell, Mrs. Sue Booser and Mrs. Carolyn Sides attended the funeral of Mrs. Birdie Roberts at Quannah Thursday.

Mrs. Sue Booser attended the Rose Circle at the Methodist Church Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and Jonathan ate Sunday dinner with the A. T. Morgans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Morgan attended the funeral of Talmadge Buckmaster Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Kay and Delese went to Lubbock to visit Wanda's dad, M. E. Harrell of Coleman. He was dismissed from the Methodist Hospital after undergoing surgery.

MR. AND MRS. Lyndon Smith and family of Lubbock spent Friday night and Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell.

Harry Rothwell of Mount Vernon, Mo. and his grandsons Gary and Ronnie Warren of Springfield, Mo. visited Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howell and family of Panhandle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howell, and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Howell and family spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud McElroy and Sharon spent Easter at Levelland with Bud's mother Mrs. Audrey McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McElroy, Kimberly and Kip of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne, Lana and Kevin, Mrs. Dorothy Oden, Ronald, Carl, Brent, and Julie of Slaton, and Mrs. Velma Durcan, Stevie and Terry.

STEVE BAGWELL celebrated his 18th birthday with a few friends Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bagwell and family visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Stone and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Williamson, and Mrs. Leona Stiles visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lust and family of Lazbuddie visited Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust Sunday afternoon.

Deaf Smith REC will meet today

Deaf Smith Electric Co-op, Inc. will hold its annual meeting today (Thursday) in the Bull Barn in Hereford.

REGISTRATION will begin at 11 a.m., with the business meeting set at 1 p.m. Patronage refund checks will be distributed and three directors will be elected.

Barbecue will be served at lunch.

Girls' softball coaches needed

Girls' Softball League workers met last Wednesday to organize and consider a slate of officers.

THE LEAGUE needs at least four more coaches. Anyone wanting to coach or assist with coaching should contact Ramona Annen or Clara Goldsmith.



KOMA RATCLIFF, third grade teacher in South Elementary, receives a pin from Supt. Charlie White for a quarter-century of service to Dimmitt Public Schools, during the Teacher Appreciation Banquet Thursday night. Twelve other professional and para-professional people were awarded pins for milestones of service in the Dimmitt school system. Receiving 10-year awards were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Skinner, Libby Cleveland, M. A. Pennington, Wes Smith, Eunice Thornton, Frances Duke, Morris Gowdy, Mabel Ewing, Ida Hobratsch and Ruth Voyles. Bertha Doran was honored for 20 years' service to the local schools.



By AL FORRESTER
Club Pro

The ladies' golf lessons are doing very well this year. A total of 21 were present at the Tuesday meeting before Easter. THERE IS still time to sign up by calling the pro shop at 647-4502.

The warm weather has a large number of golfers playing.

Our low ball partnership is this weekend. Entries are running good at this time. Randall Burton and Mike Shadix will be back to defend their title.

Richard Walker, Bob Lindsey, Cliff Cook and Bill Glenn are some of our players in contention for the tourney title.

WINNERS IN our Thursday night bridge were: Virginia Crum with 3130, second high score Ramona Annen, 3120. Winners in the Friday bridge were: Dea Williams with a score of 4930, second, Polly Holland 4640.

Oliver Himes visited with us for a few hours on Sunday. He was here to do a little

club trading and as usual he skinned me.

Oliver was kind enough to check on our golf course while he was here. His favorable report was nice to hear. He is the golf course superintendent at Tascosa Country Club in Amarillo.

THE SWIMMING pool fence blew down during our big wind. It has been repaired with extra posts to make it stronger. Plans are in the process for a new diving board, a repaint on the pool and some outside chairs.

Mrs. Bates has the snack bar open on Saturday and Sunday at this time.

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V.F.W. NEWS

By GERALD BROADSTREET

Greetings Comrades,
Our District 13 Convention will be here before you know it. It will be held in Childress the weekend of May 5-6 at their post home. This is the meeting where we will elect our new district officers for the 1973-74 term. Please make plans to attend. You'll really enjoy associating with people from other posts and sharing ideas and viewpoints.

IF YOU would like to make advance reservations I have the names and phone numbers of three motels in Childress and I will be glad to let you borrow the list.

The department representative will be immediate past State Commander Mel Stanley. During Mel's tour of duty the Dept. of Texas attained a record membership of over 71,000.

COMRADES, our plans for Loyalty Day are not complete at press time, however we will announce them on radio station KDHN, so tune in 1470 on your radio dial and you'll know.

Our post custodians, Howard and Beth Cook, report that business has been very good this past week and they want to remind you that the post is open every day Monday through Saturday at 4:30 p.m., so come on out. They will be glad to serve you.

Don't forget, people, we have Game Night every Wednesday night. Starting time is 8:30. We've been having some real rice crowds lately and we'd like to have you be part of it.

Fun Club will meet Tuesday

The Fun After 50 Club will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 in the community room of the Courthouse.

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Deadline nears for FHA loans

Castro County farmers who suffered crop or property losses because of drought or other natural disasters from Jan. 1, 1972 to June 19, 1972 have until May 8 to apply for emergency loans at the Farmers office.

FARMERS WHO have received emergency loans to assist in recovery of disaster-related losses are not eligible.

Applicants who meet the deadline will be considered for emergency loans at one percent interest.

Those who qualify will receive a forgiveness benefit on their loan not exceeding \$5,000 based on losses that are uncompensated by insurance.

NO HUMAN thing is of serious importance. Plato

AUCTION

SPECIAL COW SALE

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1973 - SALE TIME: 1:30 P.M.

LOCATED: From Nazareth, Texas 2 miles West on Highway 86 or From Dimmitt, Texas 10 miles East on Highway 86 (Sale to be held on V. J. Guggemos Farm).

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REGISTERING for kindergarten was a little bit scary for Jacinto Lopez (right). He held tightly to the arm of his mother, Ramona Lopez, while she answered questions for teaching aide Tina Gonzales (left). Supt. Charlie White said 59 five-year-olds registered for kindergarten last Wednesday during the pre-registration clinic.

Nazareth news

Church youths elect officers

By Mrs. Florance Albracht

At the regular CYO meeting last Wednesday new officers were elected. To serve are Rex Ramaekers, president; Keith Birkenfeld, vice-president; Janice Schacher, secretary; and Kimberly Wilhelm, treasurer.

Michele Wilhelm was chosen to crown Mary at the May crowning procession Mother's Day at the Holy Family Church.

A good shower of rain amounting to 1/2-1 inch was received here Monday evening.

Tony Gerber spent several days in Plains Memorial Hospital the past week. He came home Saturday. That evening the families of Francis and Vincent Gerbers visited with them. Also here to see him were the Ronnie Hoeltings of Amarillo, Norbert Gerbers of Ringwood, Okla., Denis Gerbers of Garden City, Kan., and Ed Gerbers of Hobbs, N.M.

EASTER SUNDAY was a beautiful day for the service in Holy Family Church at 11:15 on the vigil with the blessing of new fire and water. Midnight masses and others Sunday added to the feeling. Families had dinners, suppers and get-togethers all day.

Having dinner with the Paul Venhaus' were the Ed Gerber family of Hobbs, N.M., Harold and Peggy Venhaus and family of Amarillo and her mother, Mrs. Blanche Birkenfeld. Spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. Sybil Steffens, and Paul Venhaus are the Greg Venhaus family from Enid, Okla.

MRS. PAULINE Litsch was in Baptist Hospital in Amarillo the past week for tests and medication.

The Tom Ackers are proud parents of a boy born in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Friday. He has three brothers and a sister.

H&S Farm Supply treated their patrons to a fish fry in the Legion Hall last Tuesday evening. A large crowd enjoyed the supper.

Ralph Steffens is in Amarillo for tests and x-rays.

The John Stork family got together in the family home in town for dinner and an Easter egg hunt. 56 enjoyed the day.

MR. AND MRS. Frances Wilhelm, Gaylene, Rocky, Neal, Hugh, Eric and Craig spent Easter in Houston with the Doug Wilhelms and Barbara.

Mrs. Phil Taylor and children, Russell, Stacey and Shawn, of Laramie, Wyo., visited her folks, the Walter Schultes, and family over Easter. On Easter her daughter, Shawn, received her First Holy Communion at the 10 o'clock mass. Afterwards the family had breakfast with the Francis Gerbers, Charles Bowns of Plainview, Walter Schultes, Denis Heimans and visitors.

Crusade chief issues orders from hospital

Marguerite McLain of Hart is having to run the '73 Cancer crusade from her hospital room in Lubbock.

SHE HAD these instructions this week for Crusade workers: "I'd like for all the workers to continue canvassing their areas and turn their money in to Sue DeVaney at the First State Bank in Dimmitt."

"There will be some outlying areas that have not been covered, and we will get them sometime in May."

"I certainly appreciate everything all the workers are doing. We've got 75 to 100 workers making the Crusade a success."

MRS. McLAIN is in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital with a back injury sustained in a fall. She has been hospitalized three weeks in Dimmitt and Lubbock.

The goal for Castro County is 36 cents for every resident, or more than \$3,600 for the county. So far, at least \$2,000 has been turned in, Mrs. McLain reported.

Mrs. McLain's fund drive captains are Mary Flynt, Dimmitt residences; Gene Ivey, Dimmitt businesses; Mrs. Harry Kleman, Nazareth; Mrs. G. R. Bennett, Hart residences; and Richard Frank, Hart businesses.

TOTAL broiler production in Texas during 1972 was 187,441,000. This is seven percent above a year ago, but two percent below the record of 1970. Weekly placements of broilers during 1972 ranged from a high of about 4,000,000 to a low of 2,000,000.

Lubbock approved as delivery point for milo futures

The Chicago Mercantile Exchange has now established a delivery point in Lubbock for producers in the South Plains who use the grain sorghum futures contract in marketing their grain.

CONE ELEVATOR of Lubbock has been designated as the newest delivery point in West Texas, effective May 1. Other futures trading delivery points previously established in the High Plains Area include Amarillo, Hereford and Plainview.

The addition of Lubbock will give the South Plains farmers a point of delivery which should make the futures contract a more useable marketing tool for them.

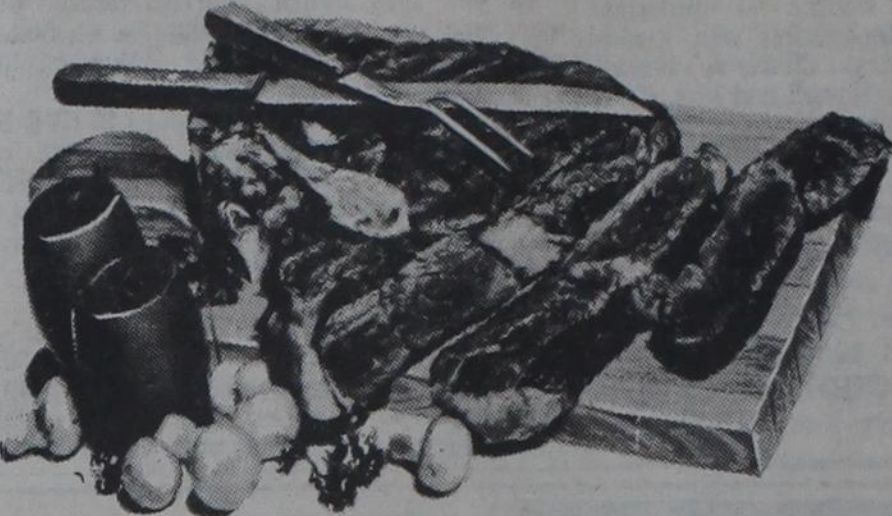
Elbert Harp, executive director of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, pointed out, "Farmers may want to watch the futures trading as a possible way to help secure higher market prices for their products."

Harp stated that farmers who are interested in the grain sorghum futures contracts and the new delivery point should contact their local commodity broker. He can give them more information about how to use the futures contracts and how to make delivery.

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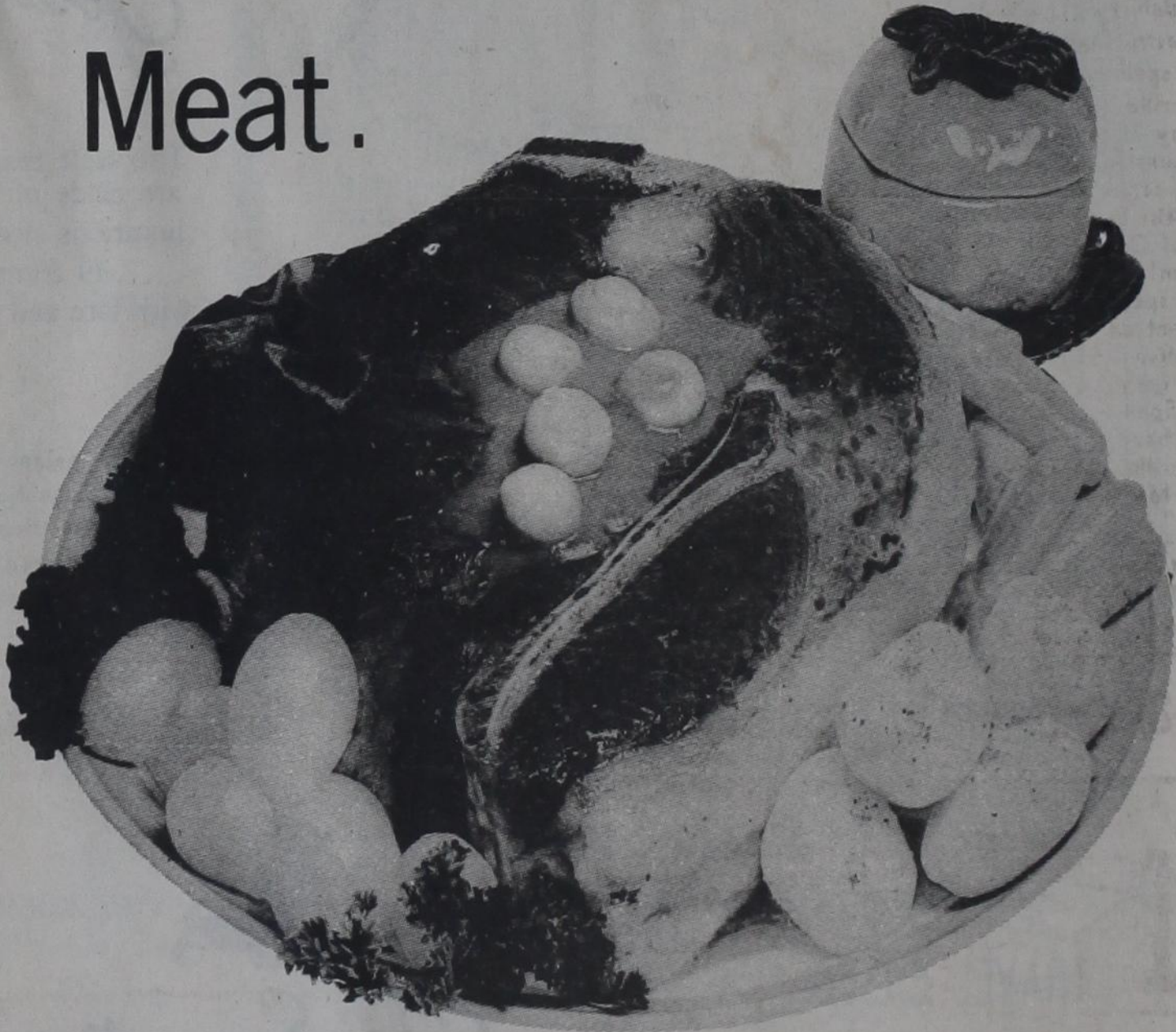
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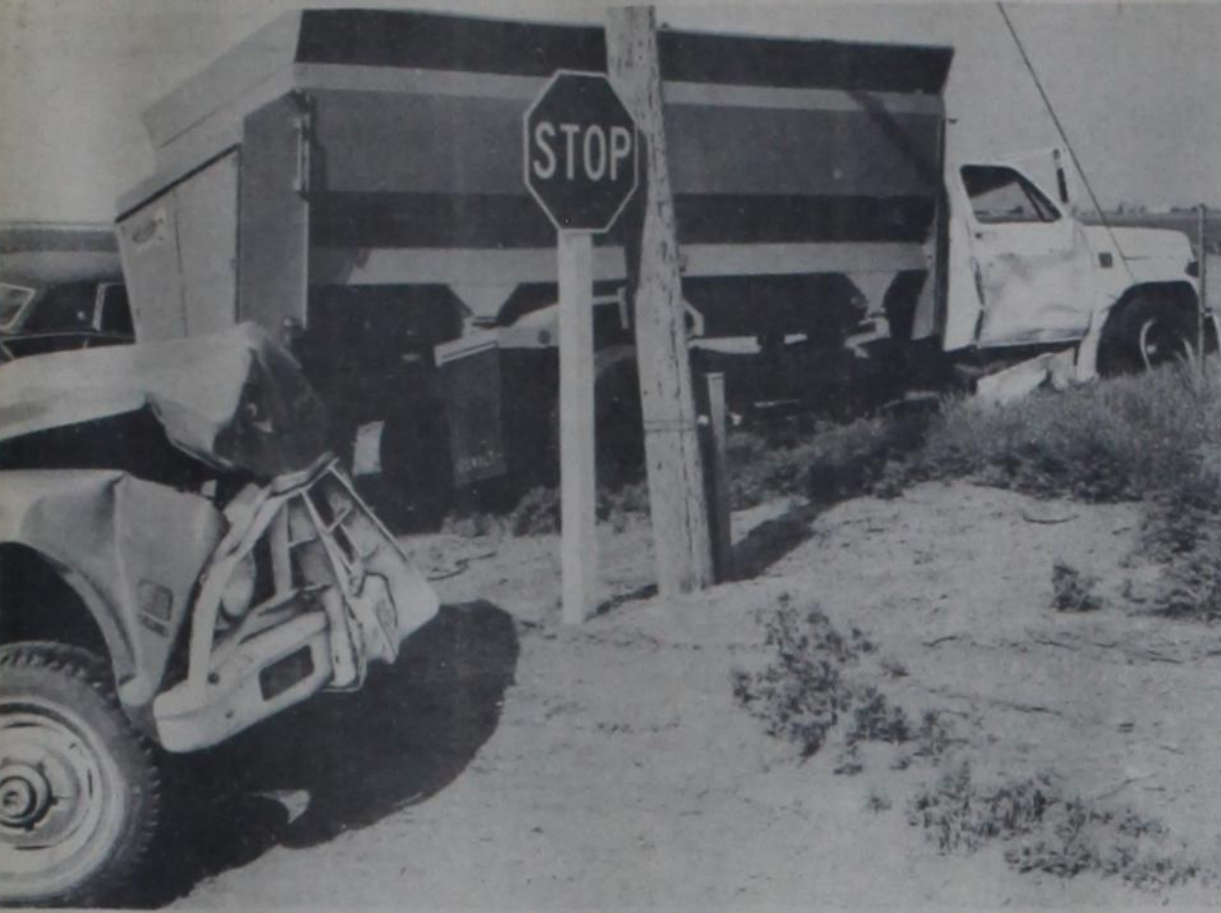


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BROADSIDE ON 86—Two trucks were damaged last Wednesday afternoon about three miles east of Dimmitt on State 86. Highway Patrolman Dyle Maples said the grain truck, driven by Francisco Coronado Domenez, pulled onto the state highway from FM 2567 into the path of a pickup

driven by Donald Ray Clark of Hart. The Chevrolet pickup received heavy front-end damage, and the feed truck received damage to its right front wheel and door. Maples cited Domenez for failure to yield right of way at a stop intersection.

More About

Dust storm

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David Hutchins of Summerfield and occupied by Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. Jackie Cabbiness of Hereford and two children. The Oldsmobile was virtually demolished as it crashed into the rear of the flatbed truck.

Mrs. Cabbiness received facial cuts when her head hit the windshield, Maples said, and Mrs. Hutchins sustained facial cuts and a breastplate bruise.

All the car's occupants were taken to Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford, where Mrs. Hutchins and the children were treated and released. Mrs. Cabbiness was transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo for plastic surgery.

TOW TRUCKS from Dimmitt had to pull the wrecked vehicles out of the wall of blowing dust and line them up beside the highway south of the wreck scene before Maples could assess the damage and piece together the details of the accident. The Sheriff's Dept., meanwhile, halted traffic on both sides of the dust-flume as the State Highway Dept. ordered the highway closed. Operators of the two nearby fields that were blowing were called out to turn the topsoil to cut down the dust — as were the operators of blowing fields near highways throughout the area.

After cutting the relative humidity to two percent and making Thursday the most miserable day of the year for people who like to breathe, the high winds subsided Thursday night. The west winds picked up again Friday, but not in

such driving force.

Saturday and Sunday were clear and relatively calm. Heavy spring thunderclouds rolled over the county Monday but held off their rain until that night, when they dropped an official .50 of an inch on Dimmitt.

THE RAIN halted corn planting and fertilizing in the county. Farmers turned to other work until they could get back into their fields — and none were betting when that would be.

The western Panhandle, including Castro County, was placed under a severe storm warning Tuesday night. The dark, heavy clouds dropped .35 of an inch of rain on Dimmitt and hail in the Nazareth area as thunderstorms threatened to become an everyday occurrence.

TO RANCH OR NOT?

Land values continue to increase and ranch land is no exception. But often net income from ranching is limited, as a study of a ranching operation in the Edwards Plateau indicates. An economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service found the ranch is reaping a mere 1.5 percent return on land, labor and management. Some alternatives might be to sell the land and invest the money elsewhere, use the land for recreational purposes, or buy ranch land with a lower value to increase net income.

WE definitely need a generation gap. Without it, parents would be doing the same foolish things children do, says Dr. Jennie Kitching, of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

LITTLE FRIENDS may prove great friends. Aesop

Notary sign ups to start Tuesday

The sign-up period for Notaries Public to renew their commissions will begin Tuesday.

ALL NOTARIES who desire reappointment for the new term of June 1, 1973 to June 1, 1975, must pay the required fee and file a new oath and bond with the county clerk between May 1 and May 15, according to Secretary of State Mark W. White Jr.

Any person not now a Notary Public who desires appointment for the beginning of the new term should apply to the county clerk before May 14.

County Clerk Zonell Maples' office has the required application forms.

WHITE EMPHASIZED that Notaries Public should not send requests for appointment or for commissions directly to the secretary of state's office, since the law requires that the county clerk approve notary bonds first, then forward copies of the application to the state office.

EGGS — A GOOD BUY

Eggs are a great value any way you figure them, says a poultry marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. At 59 cents a dozen, large eggs cost 39 cents per pound since a dozen large eggs weigh at least 1½ pounds. At this price, a two-egg serving would cost 10 cents — a mighty inexpensive source of protein. Even at 75 cents a dozen, the average factory worker today can buy 5.4 dozen eggs with one hour of labor compared with only 4.1 dozen eggs in 1959.

Issuance of new postage stamps to highlight Postal Week here

Postal workers will be honored in the issuance of a unique set of 10 eight-cent postage stamps Monday to kick off National Postal Week.

ALSO NEW commemorative envelopes will be available at all post offices Monday. Postmaster John Wood said.

Postmaster General E. T. Klassen has designated the week of April 29-May 5 as National Postal Week, with Monday proclaimed "Postal People Day."

One of the main aims of Postal Week, Klassen explained, will be to promote the "informed understanding, cooperation, support and constructive suggestions of every citizen and community" for the benefit of the US Postal Service, as well as call attention to the daily public services performed by postal employees.

LOCAL POST offices will be "dressed up" with posters and reproductions of the new stamps during the week, but no special ceremonies are planned, Wood said.

The new stamps are the first such comprehensive set specifically honoring postal people. They will be on sale Monday. The souvenir envelopes, avail-

PLANTING schedules throughout Texas are behind schedule from as much as two to four weeks in many areas. All of the state — with perhaps exceptions in some sections — have adequate moisture for 1973 spring growing.

able in a limited quantity on a first-come basis, will be imprinted or "cacheted." Also, Wood said a quantity of cacheted envelopes will be prepared in advance bearing all 10 Postal People stamps. These "first day" covers will be postmarked by hand and will be sold for the price of the 10 stamps, Wood said.

More about

Bales receives

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United Methodist Church and directs the church's children's choirs. His wife, Noreen, also an accomplished musician, helps him in his church work and teaches private piano lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bales have two children, and live at 1005 W. Grant St.

Former winners of the Outstanding Young Educator award are G. L. DuBose and Pat Evan.

THIRTEEN TEACHERS and school workers received milestone service pins during the banquet. Pins for 10 years' service to the local school system went to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Skinner, Libby Cleveland, M. A. Pennington, Wes Smith, Eunice Thornton, Frances Duke, Morris Gowdy, Mabel Ewing, Ida Hobratchek and Ruth Boyles. Bertha Doran received a 20-year pin and Koma Ratcliff was honored for 25 years' service to Dimmitt Public Schools.



It was wine, youths claim -- not amphetamines

Two Sunnyside area boys, aged 14 and 16, were arrested by sheriff's officers Sunday and charged with being under the influence of amphetamine pills.

BUT THE two youths claimed their intoxication was caused by wine, and implicated two elderly people whom they said made the liquor available to them.

As a result of the youths' statement, sheriff's officers ar-

rested the two older men and charged them with making liquor available to minors. The two men both pleaded innocent to the charge and are now free under \$500 bond each.

The two youths were both sentenced Monday to a year's probation by Juvenile Court Judge Raymond Wilson. Sheriff's officers said it was the second arrest within a week for both youths on similar charges.



IN SISTER'S FOOTSTEPS

Twila Ball (top) will represent Castro County at the regional spelling bee Saturday in Amarillo. It will be her second try at the regional bee championship. She was the county senior champion last year. Miss Ball is the younger sister of Odetta Ball Robison (bottom), who won the regional spelling bee in 1952 and went on to Washington, D.C. Mrs. Robison went out on the fifth round in the National Spelling Bee. She and her husband, Dutch, now live in Amarillo. Both are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Florence "Sunny" Ball of Nazareth.

A TOBIOGRAPHIES OUGHT to begin with Chapter Two. — Ellery Sedgwick



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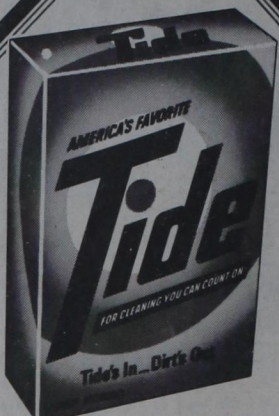


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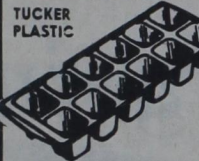
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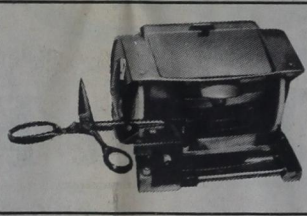
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