

# The Castro County News

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## Second day of Spring

The first day of spring Monday brought a fierce north wind and blowing dust as the temperature fell 20 degrees during the daylight hours. Tuesday morning the early-blossoming jonquils and crocuses

awoke to a one-inch layer of snow. By Tuesday afternoon the temperature climbed into the mid-40s, the snow was just a memory, and it felt like springtime.

## Mammoth's unveiling set

The display of the prehistoric mammoth skull that was excavated near the Frio Draw last May is scheduled to be officially unveiled

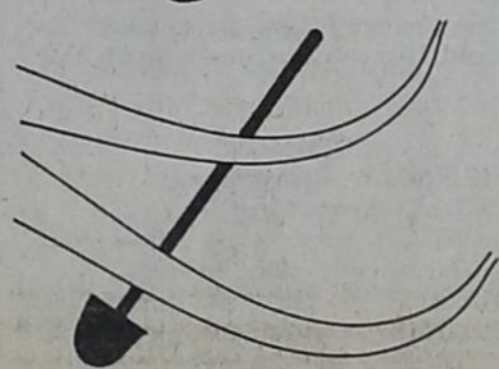
April 14 in the Museum of the Llano Estacado in Plainview.

Museum Director Eddie Guffee said he expects—and hopes for—large crowds of area school students to throng to the museum on the Wayland Baptist University campus to see the exhibit before the school year ends.

"We've picked the 14th of April (a Friday) so the schools can set aside time," he said. "We're planning to have a Castro County Week, and are waiting to hear from the school superintendents as to which week would be better for them."

Many Dimmitt and Hereford students were bused to the "dig" site to see the mammoth skull being excavated last May.

Guffee, who played a key role in



the mammoth's discovery and excavation, said he thinks the display "is going to look pretty nice."

It will be located near the museum's main entrance, in the "limelight" position.

"When you see the skull in the exhibit, you'll think it's setting on the ground," Guffee said. "It's in a sand box that has steel and wood framing, and is setting on the floor

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## Weather

Readings recorded at 7 a.m.

daily for the preceding 24 hours.

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	80	32	
Friday	84	31	
Saturday	61	32	
Sunday	61	32	
Monday	82	32	
Tuesday	46	19	
Wednesday	45	18	

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## Quotas imposed

# SO takes eight to state prison

Sheriff's officers transported eight convicted felons from the county jail to the Texas Dept. of Corrections at Huntsville last Wednesday.

It was the county's first prisoner transfer authorized by the state since last September, Sheriff Lonny Rhynes said.

Most of the prisoners had spent months in the county jail here after being convicted and sentenced, because there was no space for them in the state's overcrowded prison facilities.

The counties have to bear the cost of holding and feeding the convicted felons until the state prison system accepts them.

County Judge Polly Simpson said it has been costing the county about \$3,000 per month—not counting jailers' salaries—to keep these eight prisoners while waiting for the state to take them. The state won't reimburse a county for these post-sentencing costs.

capacity.

—A mushrooming prison population resulting mainly from the drug culture of recent years.

—Demands by the public for more and stiffer sentences.

### Counties file suit

The crowding problem is no less a dilemma for the counties.

The Castro County Jail stays on the brink of its rated capacity almost every day while housing prisoners the state won't take, has had to hire extra jailers, and has been transferring prisoners to the Bailey County Jail in Muleshoe, paying \$2,597 to Bailey County in the last five months to house "overflow" prisoners.

Nueces County has filed a lawsuit challenging TDC's refusal to accept prisoners from counties because of overcrowding, and trying to force TDC legally to take them. Many other counties—especially urban counties, where jail crowding is an even greater problem—have joined the Nueces County lawsuit.

Meanwhile, a state district judge in Austin ruled Tuesday that the TDC has "a mandatory, non-discretionary legal duty" to take state prisoners housed in county jails. However, Judge Joe Hart said that the issue of whether the TDC is able to fulfill that obligation will have to be answered in the trial on the Nueces County lawsuit.

### Parole from jail?

One of the local prisoners, Charles Parker, 24, who was sentenced to 10 years last November on a number of burglary convictions, had served 17 months in county jails before being transferred last week, and had applied

for parole directly out of the Castro County Jail under the state's "parole in absentia" law.

Parker, who earned his GED certificate and lined up a job while in jail, applied for parole two months ago, after serving 15 months in jails without any state prison time.

He applied on the grounds that 13 months of "good time" (credit for time served before prison) made him eligible for parole. However, the state parole board didn't grant his application before his transfer last week.

Transported with Parker to Huntsville last Wednesday were Rodney Jones, Russell Heath, Greg Sepeda, Arnold Gonzales, Stacy Eson, Danny Pevehouse, Ruben Barrera and Elmo Williams. They are under sentences ranging from five to 45 years.

### Counties face quotas

Meanwhile, Rhynes received word from the state prison system this week that all counties are being allotted quotas on how many prisoners they can transport to the state prison, regardless of how many are convicted and sentenced.

"Starting March 27, all counties will be on an allotment system," Rhynes said. "I've been notified that our county will be able to transfer prisoners 13 times per year, and our allotment is two prisoners each trip, for a maximum total of 26 prisoners per year."

"I'm going to check and see if we can carry over any, so that we could take one down on one trip and carry over credit for one, then take three on a later trip," Rhynes added. "I don't know how they'll rule on it."

# Read this story to one who can't

More than half of the adults in Texas either can't read this story or can get through it only with difficulty, understanding only bits and pieces of it.

A recent survey has shown that 21.3% of Texas adults are functionally illiterate, and another 30.6% are classified as only "marginally competent" in reading.

The plight isn't restricted to Spanish-speaking immigrants, either. Functional illiteracy crosses all racial and cultural lines, taking in many otherwise-capable adults who didn't learn—or weren't properly

taught—the basics of reading in the early grades.

The inability to read plays a big role in the school dropout rate. It's one of the reasons why 64,000 students who entered Texas public schools in 1971 did not graduate in 1983 as they should have.

In this age of computers, satellites, space stations and digital electronics, more than one-third of all adult Texans do not have high school diplomas, partly because of their inability to read.

But a new organization here is hoping to do something about it.

It's the Dimmitt Literacy Association. It's made up entirely of volunteers. The group's sole purpose is to give adults who can't read a new chance to learn how.

"We already have 12 tutors trained and four students being taught," a spokesman for the group said.

Tutors who have been trained and qualified are Laverne Bates, Yvonne Wakefield, Brick Autry, Deanne Clark, Wanda Stevens, Donna Underwood, Carolyn and Lynn Sides, Norma Conard, Karen Roberson, and Ed and Betty Freeman.

They're ready to work with students on a one-to-one basis. Each student gets one hour of individual tutoring, one day a week, in the privacy of the Rhoads Memorial Library kitchen.

Anyone wanting to learn more

about the program may contact Deanne Clark at 647-3487 or a library staff member at 647-3532.

Since the tutors serve for free, the cost of learning to read is only \$50. That's what the four prescribed workbooks cost for each student.

And since the new venture isn't affiliated with the schools or government, it depends on donations from the students and the public to pay these modest costs.

That's where you can become a volunteer in the program, too.

To raise "workbook money," the Literacy Association is seeking a sponsoring organization, selling memberships for \$25, soliciting scholarships at \$50 each, and asking for open contributions of any amount, from \$1 up.

If you'd like to become a member, give a scholarship or make a contribution, you may leave your donation at Rhoads Memorial Li-

brary. Checks should be made payable to the Dimmitt Literacy Association.

Supervising the association's work is a board composed of Deanne Clark, Sal DiCuffa, Gerald Hanners, Centrie Mayberry, Dorothy Sheffy, Wanda Stevens, Joyce Thomas and Miguel Velasquez. The association also has a steering committee made up of Karen Carter, John Thomas and Myrtle Lois Moran.

## Meeting called in Hart to form 'Watch' program

A meeting has been set for next Thursday night to form a Neighborhood Watch program in the Hart area.

The meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Hart Golden Group building.

Purpose of Neighborhood Watch is crime prevention. Under the program, residents of specific neighborhoods or areas organize and take training in basic crime-prevention practices in an effort to cut down on the occurrence of crimes in their area.

Many such programs across the country have proven to be successful in lowering the crime rate in specific areas.

Behind the move to form the NW program is Clint McFarland, longtime Hart area farmer who now lives in Amarillo, where he helped organize a successful block-watch program after being burglarized. McFarland said his farm east of Hart has been burglarized four times, including a burglary last month.

"When I started contacting

people, I found out that there were more burglaries in our area east of Hart than I had ever heard of," McFarland said.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Hoard, the county's crime prevention officer, will be at the meeting to serve as advisor and trainer, McFarland said.

"It's going to take some perseverance, but I think we can put this thing over," McFarland said. "I've found that everybody I've contacted was enthusiastic. If it's done right, and if we keep on the ball and have our monthly meetings, it will work."

The key ingredients for success of a Neighborhood Watch program, McFarland added, are "for people to be observant and get together to learn basic crime prevention practices, such as making a habit of jotting down the license numbers of strange cars seen in the neighborhood."

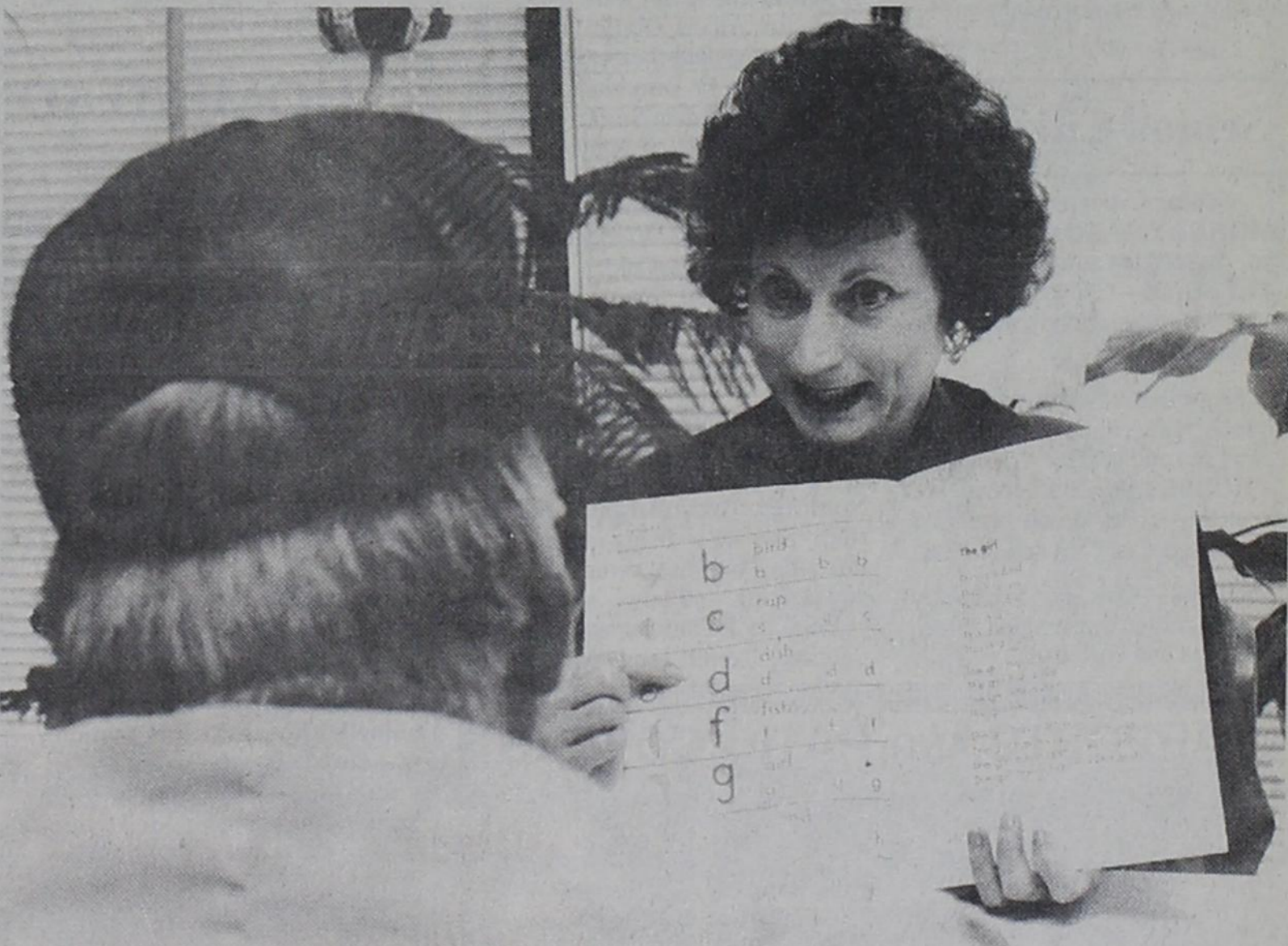
"The main thing is to be vigilant," he said. "It's another aspect of neighborliness."

## Historical Commission to be honored

The Castro County Historical Commission will be honored as a "Distinguished Service Award" county for 1988 by the Texas Historical Commission.

The presentation of the award will be Friday, April 28, at the opening session of the Texas Historical Commission's annual Historic Preservation Conference in Dallas.

The Castro County Historical Commission is being honored for its work on the preservation of the Hereford POW Camp chapel. The award assures that the chapel will be designated as an official Texas Historical site.



WANDA STEVENS teaches the letters of the alphabet from one of four workbooks being used by the new Dimmitt Literacy Association to teach adults how to read. Mrs. Stevens is one of 12 qualified tutors in the all-volunteer program. Each student gets one hour of tutoring per week, usually

in the privacy of the Rhoads Memorial Library kitchen. Recent surveys have shown that more than half of all adult Texans are either functionally illiterate (21.3%) or only marginally competent in reading (30.6%).

# On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

C.D. and Linda Fitzgearld and Doris Neely went to Hereford and had dinner with Linda's dad, mother and brother and C.D.'s father at Sirlain Stockade to celebrate Linda and her father's birthdays.

C.D. and Linda Fitzgearld went to Oklahoma City to see Crystal, Gaines, Misti and Clint Howell March 11 and 12. They all went out to eat at Steak & Ale to celebrate Gaines' birthday.

The Fitzgearld's went to Gruver to visit Curt, Trisha and Laci Fitzgearld over the weekend. They also visited with Melissa Ivy, Trisha's sister, who is staying with Curt and Trisha during her spring break.

Asjad Shafi and Jo Eddy Riley were the birthday boy and girl at a party given in their honor recently. Don and Ann Ethington were the host and hostess. Decorations included balloons and a big banner with "Happy Birthday Jo Eddy and Asjad" printed on it. The banner was made by Kevin and Melinda Riley. Sharon Kinser decorated two beautiful cakes, one for each honoree. Cake and ice cream were served to Dawn Goolsby, Bob and Zona Vilas, Loranel Hamilton, Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Melinda Riley and Don and Ann Ethington.

W.J. and Sara Hill went to a veterinary meeting in Dallas last weekend. W.J. received an award in recognition for being one of the founders of the Academy of Veterinary Consultants. The academy is 18 years old and is now a nationwide organization.

While in Dallas, W.J. and Sara went to the "Ramses the Great" exhibit. The exhibit was brought to Dallas by the Dallas Museum of Natural History and will remain in Dallas until the end of August. "Ramses II" lived during Egypt's Golden Age and ruled longer than any other pharaoh. He was Egypt's greatest builder. Historians think he was the ruler who would not let Moses and the Israelites go until some unpleasant things happened

to him. The exhibit is very interesting and well presented. You must have tickets reserved in advance. Tickets have an assigned date and time, so that you do not have to wait in line. "It is an opportunity of a lifetime to see all these wonderful objects," Sara said. She said everyone should "go see the Ramses Exhibit while it is in Texas. Cairo's far away."

Several people from Dimmitt joined the 2,200 people who went to hear Rush Lembaugh, the conservative talk show host on KGNC Saturday night. Those from Dimmitt attending were Chuck and Patricia Braafladt, Jim Baker, Charles Axtell, and W.J. and Sara Hill. Rush spoke for two hours about his views on current events. The presentation kept the crowd laughing, thinking and entertained. Rush lives in New York. KGNC brought him to Amarillo where he spoke to his biggest audience so far.

Some families are celebrating Easter early.

On Sunday, March 12, Bobby and Wanda Murdock entertained her family since Brad and Pam Murdock were here from London, England. Brad and Pam are both in the Air Force. Brad is a senior airman and Pam is an airman first class. They will be stationed in Homestead, Fla. after serving two years in England. Other guests enjoying the day were Dub and Joan Felder of Sunray, Jack and Barbara Godfrey of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Felder of Hart, and Debbie Murdock of Amarillo.

The Murdocks entertained again on Friday night with a hamburger cookout and invited Quint and Patti Waggoner for food and a good visit.

Out of town visitors at the museum recently were Valentin Villalobos of San Antonio, J. White of Friona, Debbie Murdock of Amarillo, Pamela Murdock who

will be stationed in Homestead, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Laird of Billings, Mont., who lived in Castro County many years ago, Scott Hill of Texas A&M University and his roommate, Jay Stark of Chester, N.J.

Bebbie Matthews and Les Miller brought her second grade class to tour the museum this week.

Emily Clingsmith was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Helen Braafladt won high score and Susie Reeves was second high.

Betty Renfro of Amarillo was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Edith Graef won high score and Dorothy Elder was second high score.

Oleta Gollehn brought the devotional at the Canterbury Villa on Thursday morning. She read from Phillipians, Chapter 4. Richard Young sang "Without Him," Renise Blair played "Low in the Grave," and "Morning Has Broken" on her recorder. Phyllis Mooney played the piano. Others singing were Gertie Waggoner, Connie Ivey, Beral Hance, Ysleta Ball, Mauzee Youts and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Christian Belcheff is visiting her grandparents, Bob and Zona Vilas, while her parents are skiing at Angel Fire.

Jeanne and Mackenzie of Amarillo are visiting their mother and grandmother, Loranel Hamilton, this week during spring break.

Seth and Jordan Hamilton of Odessa are visiting their grandparents, Don and Ann Ethington during spring break while their parents are in Albuquerque, N.M. and Santa Fe, N.M.



1803WHAT A CREW!  
...Nazareth's Drama Club presenting A Canterbury Tale—Wife of Bath.

## Nazareth Drama Club places with one-act play

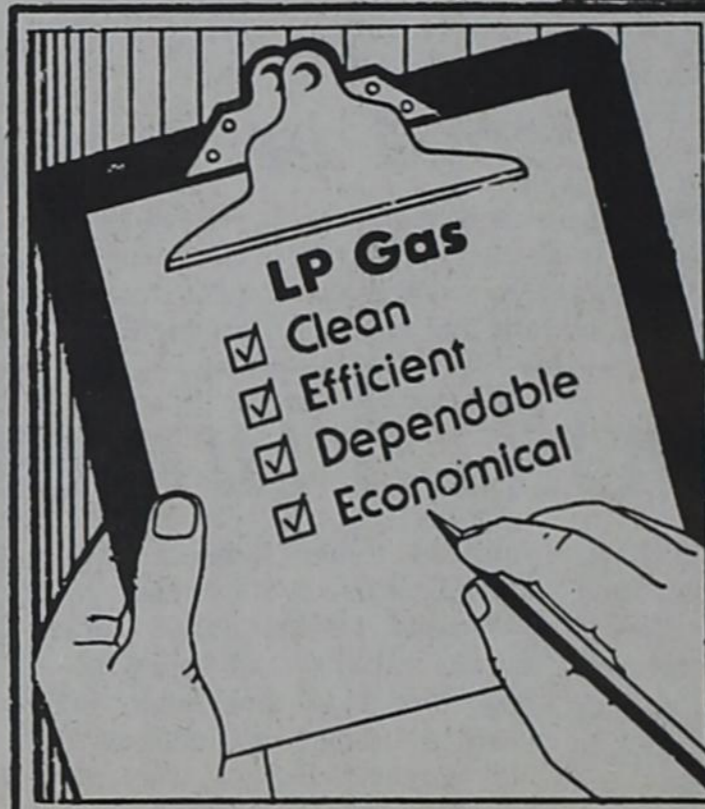
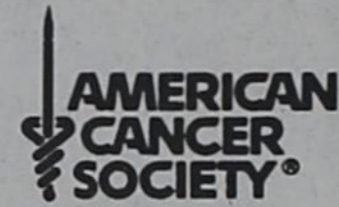
Nazareth's Drama Club earned alternate honors for its performance in the UIL one-act play contest held recently at Petersburg while actor Damon O'Daniel was named to the all-star cast, and Stephanie Brockman and Lee Klemm earned honorable mention all-star cast honors.

The club presented its play at the District 3 - A UIL one-act play contest and earned 25 points.

O'Daniel was honored for his performance as "Sir Gallant Dilemma," Brockman for her portrayal of "Lady Stumble" and Klemm for his performance as "Jack of all Trades."

Other cast members included Marla Ramaekers as "Wife of Bath," Nikki Schulte as "Princess Oscarina," Howie Annen and Tommy Cobb as guards, Jenny Brockman as the queen, Kirsten Birkenfeld as "Lady Fumble," Cindy Al-

bricht as "Lady Bumble," Curtis Durbin as "Lord Bumble," Kalina Pohlmeier as the wizard and Lorelea Acker as the crone. Alternate cast members were Bernie Hochstein and Marcia Hoelting. Crew members included Kim Clements, Regena Schacher and Darlene Heck.



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## We Salute Kids, Inc.

It takes a lot of volunteers to organize 250 youngsters into basketball teams, find team sponsors, set up schedules for 29 teams in four divisions, and coach them through a season.

That's the job that Kids, Inc., does for us every spring. The junior basketball program is now underway, with teams playing four nights a week in both the high school and middle school gyms.

We salute all those volunteers who coach and sponsor Kids, Inc., teams, and those who run the program.

Jerry Durham is president of Kids, Inc. this year, with Jackie Matthews serving as vice-president and Prissy Boothe as secretary-treasurer. Board members are Mike Bell, Joe Bob Sanders, Alice Barrios, Renee Webb, Lonnie Strickland, and Albert Acevedo.

Here are the sponsors and coaches of our Kids, Inc. basketball teams:

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- MAJOR LEAGUE GIRLS**  
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# Nazareth

By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

Thanks to Dora Albracht for writing the news over the past several weeks.

The blessing and distribution of palms and the procession into church on Palm Sunday began the Holy Week services at Holy Family

## Presbyterian Happenings

There will be a Maundy Thursday communion service today (Thursday) at 7 p.m.

There will be a Good Friday service Friday at 7 p.m.

Easter Sunday church school will be held at 10 a.m. The adult Bible class will meet at the manse. All other classes meet at the church.

"An Extravagant Gift," will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the Easter morning service at 11 a.m.

Morning prayers will be Wednesday at 6:30 a.m.

"The Crisis of a Call to Action," I Kings 19:1-18, will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

## Senior Citizens

### Senior Citizens Menu

**MONDAY**—Stew, cornbread, salad, dessert, tea and coffee.

**TUESDAY**—Chicken casserole, black-eyed peas, salad, rolls, dessert, tea and coffee.

**WEDNESDAY**—Brown beans and ham, spinach, cornbread, salad, dessert, tea and coffee.

**THURSDAY**—Barbecued beef tips, potato salad, green beans, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

**FRIDAY**—Chicken strips, potatoes and gravy, beets, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

Church. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter services are all scheduled.

The family of Albert Gerber wishes to thank our many relatives and friends who attended the funeral mass in Holy Family Church, those who sent flowers, cards, and made donations to the Panhandle Area Kidney Dialysis Auxiliary. We also want to thank those who brought food to our home and for the funeral dinner, and to the Christian Mothers' for cooking and serving a delicious meal.

Kelsea Heiman, daughter of Wayne and Sandy Heiman, was dismissed from the Tulia Hospital Friday after being treated for pneumonia for several days.

Holly Klemm, infant daughter of Doyle and Rosie Klemm returned to her home today after several days treatment for pneumonia at Central Plains Hospital in Plainview.

Dale and Linda Leinen and son of Oklahoma City were here last week for Albert Gerber's funeral. They also visited their mother, Florene Leinen in Dimmitt, and their grandmother, Meta Stork.

Al Guggemos of Hudson, Wis., is visiting his relatives in Nazareth including Lucille Drenup, Rosemary Wilhelm and Vincent Guggemos. He is 91 years old.

Rev. Brendan Sherry celebrated St. Patrick's Day in Friona. He enjoyed dinner and visiting with friends.

Jenna Huseman, infant daughter of Raymond and Kimmie Huseman of Amarillo, spent several days at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She was being treated for infection, but has returned home and is doing well now.

Emaline Pohlmeier and children Sabrina, Terrell and Melissa of

Yukon, Okla., are spending their spring break here with Arnold and Catherine Huseman.

Elmer, Marilyn and Ashley Albracht of Houston are spending several days here with his mother, Dora Albracht, and other relatives.

Four-year-old Shelby Wilhelm, son of Rocky and Diane Wilhelm had the misfortune of breaking his leg while playing with other children. He will be wearing a cast for six weeks. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Dwayne Stork of Houston was here for Albert Gerber's funeral last week. He also visited his grandmother, Meta Stork.

Aurelia Schoenberger, Ronnie Wilhelm and Willie Faye Huseman attended the personal appearance of Rush Limbaugh, presented by KGNC Talk Radio 710 in the Amarillo Civic Center Auditorium Saturday. He is 100% pro-life and 100% American. He can be heard on KGNC Monday through Friday at 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

## HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS



### LOWER YOUR HOME'S PROPERTY TAXES

A homestead exemption lowers the property taxes on your home by lowering its taxable value. For example, if your home is valued at \$50,000 and you receive a \$5,000 homestead exemption, your home will be taxed as if it is worth only \$45,000.

You qualify for a homestead exemption if you owned your home on January 1 and used it as your primary residence on January 1. It doesn't matter whether your home is a house, a condominium, or a mobile home.

Exemptions are available to all homeowners to lower their school taxes. Additional exemptions are available to homeowners who are disabled or age 65 and over. Other exemptions may be offered to homeowners by school districts, counties, cities, and special districts.

Who should apply? If you received a homestead exemption on your home in 1988, you won't need to re-apply unless your chief appraiser requires it.

If you became 65 or disabled before January 1, file a new application to receive the additional exemptions.

If you haven't received an exemption on your present home, or if you've moved to a new home, make a new application for 1989.

File your homestead exemption with your local appraisal office at the address shown below.

The deadline for applications is May 1, 1989. Contact your appraisal district before then if you need more time to file.

For more information, get a free copy of the pamphlet, *Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities*, at your appraisal district office or from the State Property Tax Board in Austin.

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**IT'S TIME TO MILK MOO-MOO!**—Kindergarten students at Nazareth had the opportunity to "milk" a cow named Moo-Moo recently as part of a project on dairy cows. The students were studying how dairy cows eat, what they eat and how what they eat turns into milk. Then the students took turns "milking" an artificial cow that fea-

tured milk bottles placed in a wooden inset representing the udder. The students also toured the Alvin Kleman dairy farm as part of the project. Students pictured are (from left) Adam Schulte, Lindsey Kay Gerber, Jaci Birkenfeld, Tara Kleman, Bryce Pohlmeier and Justin Kleman.

## TAES sets computer, spreadsheet courses

Castro County residents can learn how to use computers and improve your financial management skills by attending a basic microcomputer shortcourse or a spreadsheet applications program.

Class sizes are small, and those wishing to attend should contact the Castro County Extension Office at 647-4115. Cost of each class is \$125, which includes materials and

four meals.

The classes will be held at the Stiles Farm Foundation, a mile east of downtown Thrall on Highway 79.

The first course, a basic microcomputer shortcourse, will be held April 18-20. Topics include conquering computer fears and phobias, understanding computer terminology, using computer financial programs and improving financial decision-making skills.

The spreadsheet applications in family financial management program will be held from Oct. 10-12. Topics planned include defining what spreadsheets are, how to use them for financial management and how to design or modify one for personal use.

The programs are sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

## Wall is honored

Haylei D'Mae Wall, daughter of Georgie and Fred Wall of Dimmitt, has been named a United States National Award winner in science by the United States Achievement Academy.

Wall, a student at Dimmitt Middle School, was nominated for the award by Doug Setliff, her science teacher.

Wall's picture and biography will appear in the United States Achievement Academy's official yearbook, published nationally.

## Shot clinic set

A clinic offering vaccinations against several childhood diseases will be held in Hart Monday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the Hart Elementary School.

The clinic will offer vaccinations against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw, whooping cough, measles, rubella and mumps. The influenza vaccine will also be available at area clinics.

The Texas Dept. of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size and the ability to pay.

## Ministerial Alliance

David Keller will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of I John 5 Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the First Christian Church.

# Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

Rev. David Fletcher, Verba Sadler and Teeny Bowden went to St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock Mon-



Elizabeth Wilhelm

## Wilhelm joins nursing society

Elizabeth Wilhelm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wilhelm of Nazareth, has been inducted into the Delta Delta chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International.

Wilhelm is a senior nursing student at West Texas State University in Canyon.

Sigma Theta Tau International is the honor society of nursing and recognizes superior achievements in nursing.

To qualify for the honor society, baccalaureate student nurses must maintain a 3.0 grade point average, be in the top 35% of their class and have their candidacy application accepted by the local chapter.

## Army, Navy & Air Force News

Army Pvt. John A. Webb, son of Alfred and Mary Webb of Dimmitt, has arrived for duty in South Korea.

Webb is a medical specialist with the 2nd Medical Battalion and is a 1988 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

day evening to stay in the cardiac care unit with Betty Rose Loudder until Alton, Roxie and Judy Loudder arrived. At that time the doctor believed an artery was blocked off. Dwayne, Doug and Lance Loudder and Genevieve and Lowell Westmoreland came in that night.

While they were there, they learned of the death of Verba Sadler's great-grandson, Jamey Hurtado. He had died unexpectedly in Lubbock General Hospital. Verba and Norma Conard had been with Laura Hurtado, her husband Nick, and Sharon Sadler earlier in the afternoon after Jamey had been admitted that morning.

Rev. Fletcher, Verba Sadler and Mrs. Bowden returned home when they got word of Jamey's death. On the way home, around 1 or 1:30 a.m., they saw the Northern Lights, although they didn't realize what they were at the time.

Doug Loudder underwent a complicated appendectomy in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview Tuesday afternoon. Judy spent Tuesday night with him, and Teeny Bowden visited with them at the hospital Wednesday morning. He was dismissed Saturday and went to Lubbock to see Betty. She was moved from the cardiac care unit to a private room Saturday.

Rev. Fletcher and Teeny Bowden went back to see Betty Rose Loudder Tuesday afternoon, and she appeared to be doing fine. They also saw Tom and Yvonne Messer of Houston, who had flown in that morning. They went by Methodist Hospital on the way home and visited with Penetha Armstrong, Vanna Elkins and Alma Out and her family. Alma was dismissed Tuesday evening and Mrs. Elkins Saturday.

Ronnie Blanton underwent surgery Wednesday for the removal of most of the tumor. Linda reported Saturday night that he moves his legs but has no strength in his arms.

Ezell and Verba Sadler, Larry and Sharon Sadler, Stacy Norman, Jeremy and Joshua, Willie Mae and Embree Roy Sadler, Judy Loudder, Teeny Bowden, Terri Loudder, Emma Jean King and John B. and Shorty Lilley attended the graveside rites of Jamey Hurtado at Muleshoe Wednesday afternoon, along with other relatives and friends.

When the Lilleys returned home from the funeral they learned that their older son, Gary, had been admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital suffering from pancreatitis. He has been very ill and in a great deal of pain.

Rev. David and Debra Fletcher flew to Dallas Thursday morning for a two-day conference for all the new pastors in Texas. It was sponsored by the Baptist General Convention of Texas and the WMU. They flew home Friday evening. Hadley, Haley and Harmony stayed with Debra's parents, John and Doris Armes of Gruver, who met them in Amarillo.

Teeny Bowden met for a little while Wednesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. (Carroll) Laird of Billings, Mont., in the Cowsett Abstract office with others trying to get some more information concerning the OYO Ranch north of Dimmitt. His father, D. C. Laird Sr., once owned the ranch. The group took the Lairds out to dinner and then to the museum, The Lairds are visiting with relatives in Plainview.

Willie Mae Sadler and Norma Conard of Dimmitt visited Thursday afternoon in St. Mary's Hospital with Betty Rose Loudder and her family.

Melinda Riley was one of the Springlake-Earth teachers who were re-employed for the next school year during the last school board meeting.

Samantha Wilson was one of the junior high "students of the month" at Springlake-Earth.

Kristi Curtis was in the cast of the one-act play, *Antic Spring*, which was chosen as one of the two winners at the District 3 South competition in Sudan March 13.

The Singing Farmers of Hart had charge of the Sunday night service. There were several visitors. Fellowship was enjoyed after the service.

Visitors in the Sunday morning services included Joe Hoard and Kathy of Dimmitt, Glenda Turnello, Jazz and Alex and Melinda Wilson of Lubbock, Todd Ott of Big Square, and Beckey and Kathy Norrell of Levelland. Beckey and Kathy spent the weekend with James and Joan Norrell.

Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler visited with Betty Rose Loudder in St. Mary's Hospital and with Penetha Armstrong in Methodist Hospital Saturday evening.

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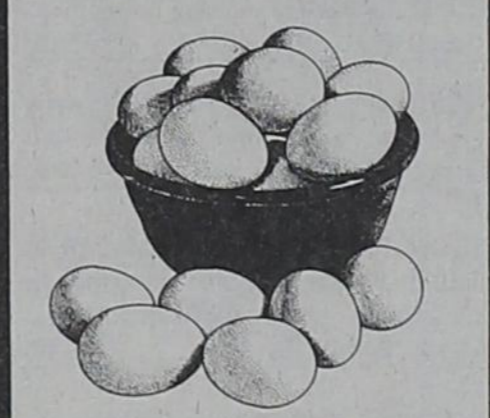
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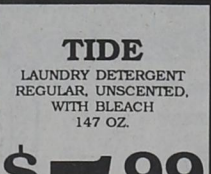
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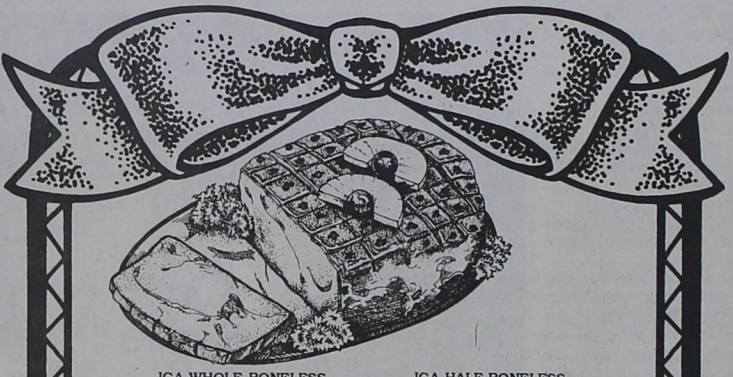
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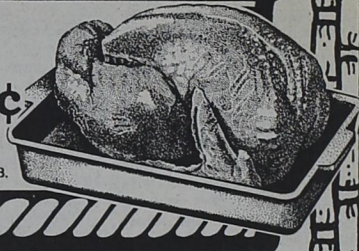
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# People

## Couple exchange vows in double-ring ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Venable are home after exchanging wedding vows Jan. 14 in a formal, double ring ceremony at the First United Methodist Church of Olton.

The bride is the former Kelly Elizabeth McNeely, daughter of Gail and Marilyn Wilson and the late Lewis McNeely. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Braddock of Nazareth.

The groom is the son of Nelda Hardin of Abernathy and Travis Venable of Lubbock.

The couple stood before an altar adorned with a brass archway accented with a large country blue raffia bow off-center at the top with long streamers drifting across the top and down the sides. Brass spiral candelabras flanking the archway were graced with sprays of silk country blue and cream roses with tiny burnt peach flowers, dried baby's breath and burnt peach rosebuds tied with country blue raffia bows. The pews were marked with country blue raffia bows accented with peach ribbons and dried baby's breath.

Music was performed by Debbie Schmucker of Nazareth, who sang *Up Where We Belong, My Only Love, The Lord's Prayer and Through the Eyes of Love.*

The bride wore a formal gown of Chantilly lace styled with a pearl-embellished embroidered yoke bodice and leg-o-mutton sleeves. Fashioned with multi-ruffles of dacron and lace, the skirt swept to a chapel-length train. Her pencil-edged, two-tiered illusion veil was sprinkled with embroidered lace medallions and held by an embroidered lace bandeau.

She carried a heart-shaped grapevine wreath entwined with country blue roses, tiny peach flowers and rosebuds, entwined with peach satin ribbons and tied with cream lace and raffia streamers.

Matron of honor was Kristi Workman, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Kim Schmucker of College Station, sister of the bride, Kim Thiel of New Deal, sister of the groom, Shaunda Venable, sister-in-law of the groom, and Natalie Gerber of Austin, cousin of the bride. Junior bridesmaids were Kayla Thiel and Kacy Thiel.

Flower girl was Sydnee Venable, niece of the groom.

Bridal attendants wore tea-length dresses of country blue with cream colored dots fashioned with dropped waistlines and featuring large puffed sleeves and square collars. They wore detachable collars of cream with country blue



MR. AND MRS. KEITH VENABLE  
... She's the former Kelly McNeely

dots and heart-shaped appliques of the fabric of their dresses.

Each attendant carried a single wooden burnt peach tulip tied with country blue raffia bows.

Junior bridesmaids wore dresses similar to the bridesmaids' dresses. The collars were oval-shaped and edged with cream-colored cotton lace. They carried wooden tulips and wore country blue raffia bows in their hair.

The flower girl wore a country blue dress with cream dots and a cream-colored pinafore. She carried a basket tied with peach ribbon bows. The basket was filled with tiny raffia bows of country blue. She wore a country blue raffia ribbon.

Kenny Venable served as his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Randy Bain of Edmonson,

cousin of the groom, Brent Gambelin of Carlsbad, N.M., Daryl Hulguley and Jim Thiel of New Deal, brother-in-law of the groom.

Kory Thiel of New Deal, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer.

Guests were seated by Ronnie Bain and Kleve Bain of Edmonson, cousins of the groom.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held in the church's fellowship hall.

The bride's table was covered with a blue tablecloth overlaid with an ecru lace cloth that had been used in the wedding receptions of the bride's parents and sisters.

The four-tiered bride's cake was frosted in cream-colored icing and was topped with a country blue bow. Each of the divided tiers was decorated with a burnt peach country heart encircled with tiny burnt peach and country blue flowers and baby's breath. The bride's bouquet completed the table decor.

Covered with a country blue cloth, the groom's table featured a twin heart-shaped cake decorated with the names of the bride and groom. It was made by the groom's aunt, Darlene Bain of Edmonson. Cream-colored stoneware with country blue rose designs were used to serve coffee.

The bride is a graduate of Olton High School and is employed with Hi-Plains Irrigation of Olton.

The groom graduated from New Deal High School and is engaged in farming.

## Bridal shower honors Frye

Shelly Frye, bride-elect of Dale Weise, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday in the home of Mary Nell King.

The serving table was covered with a white linen cloth and featured an arrangement of blue tiger lilies and large magnolia blossoms. Crystal and ironstone appointments completed the table setting.

Turkish cheese bread, fresh fruit, pine log punch and coffee were served to guests by Carla Frye, sister of the bride, Shawn Sheffy and Judy Fleming, all of Lubbock.

Twenty-five women assisted with hostess duties.

Out of town guests included Faye Weise of San Angelo, Minnie Chasak of Wall, Iva Hudman of Post and Hertha Frye of Hereford, the prospective bride and groom's grandmothers; Nancy Weise of

Wall, the prospective groom's mother. Other relatives attending from out of town were Patsy Crawford of Childress, June and Christi Hogue of Slaton, Aundrea Frye, Kim Smiley and Annette Frye, all of Friona. Other out of town guests were Carman Flood, Annie Lee Dobbins, Ruby Sparkman, Annie Harder and Margarite Cole, all of Hereford; Deana Willard and Laay McLellan, both of Friona; Terry Harkins of Lubbock; Ramonda Raymond of Sunrise; Derinda Cartrite of Amarillo; and June Cleavinger of Wildorado.

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**Who's New?**

Jessie Lara and Rosie Lara of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby boy, Jessie Lara Jr., born March 11 at 6:35 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Jessie Jr. has an older sister, Angelica Rose, who is three. His maternal grandparents are Gloria and Jessie Reyes of Dimmitt. Francisca Reyes of Silvertown is his great-grandparent.

It's a girl for Salud and Angie Tirado of Friona. Rose Marie was born March 14 at 10:05 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed in at 7 lbs., 11 1/2 oz. and was 21 1/2 inches long. She has an older sister, Dianna, who's 5 1/2. Paternal grandparents are Francisco and Esther Tirado of Urireo, Gto., Mexico. Maternal grandparents are Juan and Manuela Castaneda of Friona. Rose Marie's great-grandparents are Siquio and Juana Galvan, Lucia Tirado, and Juan and Alejandra Martinez.

Asencion and Adela Perez of Hereford are the parents of a baby boy, Jose Angel, who was born last Wednesday at 12:36 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Jose Angel weighed 8 lbs., 6 oz. and was 21 inches long at birth. His paternal grandparents are Jose and Luzcina Perez of Mexico. Maternal grandparents are Joe and Angela Escobal of Hereford.

Hilda Zallar of Hereford is the proud mother of a 7 lb. baby boy, Michael Colby Zallar, who was born last Thursday at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Colby was born at 12:06 p.m. and was 20 1/2 inches long. Maternal grandparents are Maria and Oscar Zallar of Hereford. Great-grandparents are Ignacia and Margarito Reyes and Oralisa Zallar.

**Out of Town**  
It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hopping III of Hereford. Kallie Allyce was born Feb. 25 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 7 lbs., 1/4 oz. and was 19 inches long at birth. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hopping II and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Lantz of Dimmitt. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Jim McGuire of Lubbock.

Terry and Cindy Smothermon of Clarksville, Tenn., are the parents of a baby girl, Bailee Diane, born at 2:04 a.m. Monday. Bailee Diane weighed 8 lbs., 3 1/2 oz. and was 19 inches long at birth. She has an older brother, 6-year-old Christopher James Edwards; and an older sister, 3-year-old Andrea Nicole Smothermon. Paternal grandparents are Delbert and Jackie Smothermon of Easter. J.R. and Rickie Mixson of Dimmitt are her maternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Daisy Sims of Bronie and Joe and Alvena Comer of Muldrow, Okla.

### SS rep here today

A representative from the Social Security Administration will be in Dimmitt today (Thursday) from 9 to 11 a.m. at the courthouse.

The representative will be available to answer questions for anyone with problems or questions about Social Security or Medicare benefits or claims.

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## Newton to conduct revival in Dimmitt

Evangelist Greg Newton of Lubbock will conduct a revival at the First Assembly of God Church, SE Second and Belsher in Dimmitt, Sunday through Friday, March 31.

Revival services on Sunday will be held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Weeknight services Monday through Friday, March 31, will begin at 7 p.m. All services are open to the public.

Rev. Newton has served as youth pastor and senior pastor in the West Texas District for the past four years. He wants to "see revival among all ages of this community."



Greg Newton

### Pro-Family Forum

Pro-Family Forum will hold its meeting next Thursday, March 30, at 7:30 p.m. in the family room at the Hart branch of Hale County State Bank.

A speaker from the Rape Crisis Center in Amarillo will be at the meeting.

## Jam Session

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## DHS names top students

Dimmitt High School has announced its "A-B" honor roll and "Top Ten" honor students for the fourth six weeks of school.

Students on the Top Ten list include:

**Freshmen:** Susan Waggoner, Monica Villanueva, Michelle Garcia, Christy Killough, Kris Keith, Gina Thurman, Jennifer Powell, Scott Atchley, Kristi Wright and Holly Axtell.

**Sophomores:** Ryan Hardee, Michelle Hardee, Jennifer Betzen, Chad Killingsworth, Carol Petty, Jeanne Davis, Casey Gentry, Pamela Josselet, Dena Nava, Royce Schulte.

**Juniors:** Danna Ralston, Jennifer Hanners, Kristi Sims, Tito Villanueva, Barry Hill, Priscilla Garcia, Sandra Sandoval, Cory Joiner, Kara Schulte and Justin Shultz.

**Seniors:** Wayne Schacher, Brian Stewart, Mat Bradley, Aaron Odom, Jo Hyman, Kelly Goolsby, Noemi Ibarra, Debbie Fuentes, Beth Sams, Kelly Howell, Victor Medelline.

Sava, Leslie Shippy, Kim Spring, Gina Thurman, Arthur Velasquez, Monica Villanueva, Susan Waggoner and Kristi Wright.

**Sophomores:** Paul Axtell, Jennifer Betzen, Amanda Boothe, Christian Braafladt, Adam Cline, Elizabeth Davila, Jeanne Davis, Amy Flores, Casey Gentry, Michelle Hardee, Ryan Hardee, Renea Harman, Leigh Hyman, Sharla Jackson, Pamela Josselet, Chad Killingsworth, Monica Leivas, Froilan Mendoza, Dena Nava, Carol Petty, Dennis Petty, Jesus Quiroz, Patricia Ramirez, Deena Richards, Maria Rosado, Georgia Sanchez, Royce Schulte, Stacy Stahl, India Thomas, Poppy Thomas, Chip Thrasher and Greg Vasquez.

**Juniors:** Priscilla Garcia, Kay Gleghorn, Jennifer Hanners, Barry Hill, Cory Joiner, Jerry Lopez, Mary Lumbrera, Donald Martinez, Tish Miller, Linda Mora, Brian Nelson, Diane Peralez, Danna Ralston, Sandra Sandoval, Kara Schulte, Justin Shultz, Kristi Sims, Scott Stahl and Tito Villanueva.

**Seniors:** Mat Bradley, Sharon Ellison, Rene Enriquez, Paul Espinosa, Debbie Fuentes, Lori Glidewell, Kelly Goolsby, Jeanna Hanson, Naomie Hernandez, Mikkel Holm, Kelly Howell, David Hutson, Jo Hyman, Noemi Ibarra, Ty Kellar, Victor Medelline, Coby Moke, Justin Nelson, Aaron Odom, Ruvaldo Quintero, Narciso Quiroz, Irene Ramirez, Paul Roberson, Rebecca Rutkowski, Beth Sams, Wayne Schacher, Kyle Shelton, Alicia Shippy, Brian Stewart and Brac Wardlaw.



Cindy Ann Clayton and David Russell Lerner

## April vows planned

Cindy Ann Clayton and David Russell Lerner plan to exchange wedding vows April 21 at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Jeanne Frazier of Dimmitt and Norman Clayton of Lubbock. Parents of the prospective groom are Doris Cason of Stephenville and Kenneth Lerner of Granbury. Clayton is a 1981 graduate of

Springlake-Earth High School. She majored in respiratory therapy at Lubbock Christian College and South Plains College in Levelland.

Lerner is a 1982 graduate of Stephenville High School and majored in agricultural business at Tarleton State University and Sul Ross State University. He is employed with Great Plains Cattle Feeders South.

The couple plans to reside in Dimmitt following the wedding.

## Mammograms are offered

In an effort to find cancer at the earliest possible stage and prevent unnecessary deaths, a mobile breast cancer detection unit will be in Dimmitt Tuesday at Plains Memorial Hospital.

Anyone who wants to schedule an appointment for a mammogram may contact the hospital at 647-2191.

According to the American Cancer Society, one out of every ten women in the United States will develop breast cancer sometime during her lifetime. Every year over 37,000 women die as a result of breast cancer.

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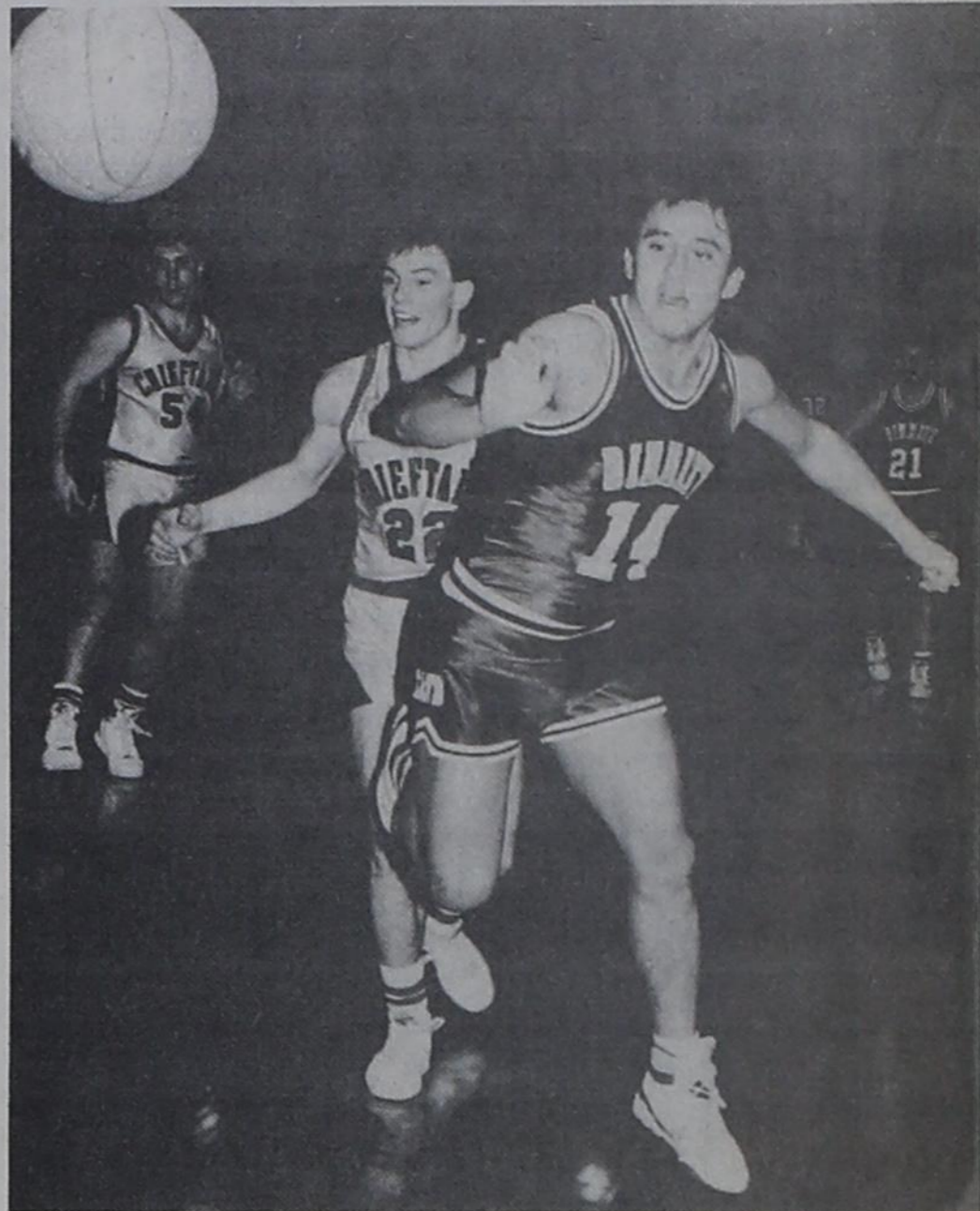
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**All-staters**  
 NAMED TO THE Texas Association of Basketball Coaches all-state team this week were Darla Leavitt (#40 in left photo) and Stephanie Brockman (#10 below), both of Nazareth who earned first team Class A honors; and Emilio Arce, (#14 right) of Dimmitt, who was named to the Class AAA second team.



# County cagers reap honors

Success still follows members of the Nazareth Swiftettes, Dimmitt Bobcats and Dimmitt Bobbies even though the basketball season is

over. They're reaping post-season honors from every corner.

Nazareth's Darla Leavitt and Stephanie Brockman, and Dimmitt's Emilio Arce were all named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches all-state team this week.

Leavitt, a junior post, led the Swiftettes in scoring this year, averaging 18.4 points, 7.5 rebounds and one assist per game. In addition to her first-team TABC all-state honor, she was named to the Class A all-state tournament team, Region 1-A all-region first team and to the District 5-A squad. She was named the "All South Plains Player of the Year" by the *Lubbock Avalanche Journal* and was also listed on the All South Plains Class A team.

As Nazareth's starting point guard this year, senior Stephanie Brockman averaged 11.6 points, 3.9 rebounds and 3.8 assists per game. TABC named her to its Class A all-state first team this week. She was also named to the Class A all-state tournament team, Region 1-A first team, All South Plains team and District 5-A team.

Arce averaged 19 points and nine credits per game for the Bobcats this year. In addition to his second team TABC all-state honor, he was named to the Region 1-AAA first team and District 2-AAA team. He was also named the most valuable player in District 2-AAA.

Tami Ball, a junior guard for the Swiftettes, was named to the TABC all-region second team and District 5-A squad for her performance this year. Ball averaged 9.2 points per

game for the Swiftettes.

Sydelle McDonald of Dimmitt also earned second team TABC all-region honors in Class AAA and was named all-district.

Matt Bradley of Dimmitt earned all-district laurels and was named to TABC's all-region second team.

Other Nazareth players earning

post-season honors this season include Shana Birkenfeld, a senior post who was named to the all-state tournament team and all-district squad; and Jenny Brockman, a senior guard who earned all-district honors.

For the Cats, Jason Long earned all-district honors.

## Kids, Inc. Basketball Schedule

### MAJOR BOYS

MONDAY—5:30 p.m. Castro Oil and Gas vs. Paxton Tire; 6:30 p.m. George's Exxon vs. American Fructose; 7:30 p.m. Rubie Lee Real Estate vs. B&W Aerial Spray.

NEXT THURSDAY—5:30 p.m. Flagg Grain vs. Flagg Fertilizer; 6:30 p.m. Castro Oil and Gas vs. B&W Aerial Spray; 7:30 p.m. George's Exxon vs. Rubie Lee Real Estate.

### MAJOR GIRLS

TUESDAY—5:30 p.m. Brown, Graham & Co. vs. First State Bank; 6:30 p.m. OPM Inv. vs. Wallace Motor Company; 7:30 p.m. Contel vs. Stump Insurance.

### MINOR BOYS

MONDAY—5:30 p.m. Dimmitt Agri Industries vs. Dimmitt Equipment Company; 6:30 p.m. S&S Cattle vs. Pizza Hut; 7:30 p.m. LaCoiffures vs. Dimmitt Consumers.

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### MINOR GIRLS

TUESDAY—5:30 p.m. Castro County News vs. Hi Plains Oil Co.; 6:30 p.m. Associated Insurance vs. Bob Towler Equipment Co.; 7:30 p.m. Headhunters vs. Coleman Pharmacy.

## Track Results

### MULESHOE MEET

#### Boys

Team Totals: 1. Tulia 82.5; 2. Canyon 80; 3. Sudan 77.5; 4. Friona 51; 5. Denver City 46; 6. Dimmitt 45; 7. Muleshoe 37.5; 8. River Road 37; Cooper 23; 10. Springlake-Earth 22; 11. Hart 16; 12. Kress, 12.

High Jump: 3. (tie) Moke, Dimmitt, 6-0.

400 Relay: 3. Dimmitt, 45.00.

300 Hurdles: 1. Ethridge, Dimmitt 40.89 (Meet Record).

200 meter dash: 1. Larry Brown, Hart, 22.53 (Meet Record).

#### Girls

Team Totals: 1. Tulia 132; 2. Canyon 90; 3. Dimmitt 82; 4. Olton 66; 5. River Road 47; 6. Springlake-Earth 40; 7. Kress 32; 8. Muleshoe 25; 9. Friona 23; 10. Hart 12; 11. Sundown 6.

3200 meter run: 2. Renea Harman, Dimmitt, 12:49.25.

800 meter run: 2. Becky Rodriguez, Dimmitt, 2:39.16.

800 Relay: 3. Dimmitt 1:53.43.

1600 meter run: 2. Renea Harman, Dimmitt, 5:55.49.

1600 Relay: 1. Dimmitt 4:17.02.

### Junior Varsity Boys

Team Totals: 1. Dimmitt 111; 2. Tulia 91; 3. Canyon 87; 4. River Road 79; 5. Sudan 60; 6. Muleshoe 32; 7. Springlake-Earth; 8. Cooper 14; 9. Friona 1; 10. Hart 0.

### BOVINA MEET

#### Boys

Team Totals: 1. Morton 109; 2. Plains 107; 3. Farwell 106; 4. Bovina 100; 5. Hale Center 44; 6. Amherst 38; 7. Anton 36; 8. Claude 15; 9. Nazareth 10.

#### Girls

Team Totals: 1. Anton 114; 2. Sudan 84; 3. Amherst 76; 4. Morton 58; 5. Nazareth 56; 6. Claude 49; 7. Hale Center 42; 8. Plains 25; 9. (tie) Bovina and Farwell 22.

Long Jump: 2. Christy Birkenfeld, Nazareth, 13-6.

3200 meter run: 1. Christy Birkenfeld, Nazareth, 14:02.18.

400 meter dash: 3. Peggy Huseman, Nazareth 68.85.

1600 meter run: 3. Christy Birkenfeld, Nazareth, 6:37.50.

1600 relay: 2. Nazareth, 4:47.24.

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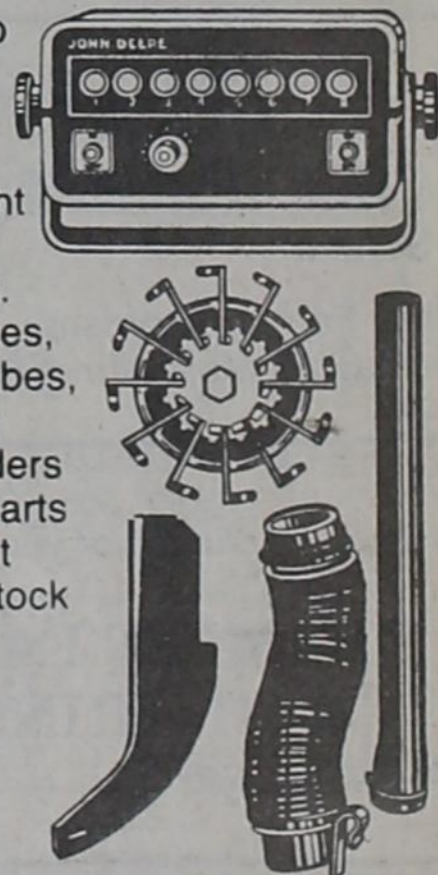


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## Lions Club to sponsor magic show

The Dimmitt Lions Club will sponsor *The Elegant Magic of Fred Story* for the third straight year in Dimmitt April 3 at 7 p.m. in the Dimmitt High School auditorium.

The Lions Club is holding the magic show to help raise funds for eyesight projects and for the Crippled Children's Camp. Local businesses and individuals will be contacted by telephone to ask for their support of this project by purchasing children's tickets or advertising on posters. Tickets can be used for children or returned to the Lions Club members to distribute to those who would otherwise be unable to attend.

*The Elegant Magic of Fred Story* is a 90-minute program featuring traditional feats of magic including a lady floating in mid-air, birds, rabbits and ducks disappearing and appearing; illusions and more. Members of the audience will be invited to participate in various magical effects during the performance. A highlight of the program is the French guillotine illusion.

Lions Club Project Chairman Marvin Bryant urges everyone contacted to support the project. If anyone wishes to donate but has not been contacted, they can mail contributions to the Dimmitt Lions Show Fund, P.O. Box 983, Dimmitt, Texas 79027. They may also call 647-2451 for further information about the show or advance sale of children's tickets. Adult tickets and senior citizen's tickets may be purchased at the door on the night of the performance.

### ICC Happenings

We wish everyone a joyful and glorious Easter.

There will be a county-wide volleyball tournament April 7 and 8 at the junior high gym. This is being sponsored by the senior CYO, the Headhunters, D&D Motors, Lumbra Barber Shop, El Sombrero Restaurant and George's Exxon. There will be two divisions in the tournament, a mixed and men's. T-shirts and trophies will be awarded to winners in each division. Entry deadline is April 3. Entry fee is \$30 per team. Contact Corina at 647-4424 or Mary Lou at 647-4225 for more information.

First Communion will be celebrated on April 22 at the 5:30 p.m. mass.

There will be a Lay Congress in Nazareth on April 16 from 2 to 8 p.m. The meeting will cover responsibilities of our parish after RENEW, what could be done and how we can do it, a parish planning session, a preview of Season V-Evangelization. Everyone is urged to attend, especially parish RENEW teams, small group leaders, participants, parish council members and parish leaders. A light meal will be provided for \$3.50 for adults and \$3 for children. Babysitters will be available. The parish will pay for the adults' meals only. Registration deadline is April 3.

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**SPELLING ACES**—These students participated in Castro County's annual spelling bee March 10. Pictured are (back row, from left) Arturo Ortega, Ashley Hoelting, Judge Polly Simpson and Jennifer Harris; and (front row, from left) Jaimie Bingham, Nathan Hoelting and Courtney Hoelting.

## Harris is top speller

Jennifer Harris spelled "chromosome" and "cholesterol" correctly to capture the first place trophy in the Castro County Spelling Bee March 10.

Harris is the daughter of Debbie and Eddie Harris. She will advance to the district spelling bee, which will be held April 15 at the Mary Moody Northern Hall at West Texas State University in Canyon.

The bee begins at 1:30 p.m. The *Amarillo Globe News* sponsors the annual bees.

Runner-up in the bee was Ashley Hoelting, daughter of Billy and Bernita Hoelting of Nazareth. Other spellers in the bee were Arturo Ortega and alternate Janie Robels, both of Dimmitt; and Austin Farris and alternate Karmen Pohlmeier, both of Nazareth.

Jean Morris, Dimmitt High

School librarian was the pronouncer and coaches were Janet Hand of Dimmitt and Mary Nell King of Nazareth.

Cash prizes were presented to the winners by the Castro County Commissioners Court.

Only one team of junior bee spellers was entered in the contest — Courtney Hoelting, Jaimie Bingham and Nathan Hoelting, all of Nazareth.

## Police Calls

Local law officers booked 12 persons into the county jail during the previous week.

Arrested and jailed by the County Sheriff's Dept. were:

— Daniel Saldivar Jr., 25, of Olton, on a charge of forgery by passing;

— Raul Trigo Jr., 19, of Dimmitt, charged with forgery;

— Valentin Guevara, 23, Hereford, charged with violating probation on a theft of livestock conviction;

— Paul M. Velasques, 21, of Lamesa, revocation of probation on a DWI conviction;

— Eloy Catano, 21, of Amarillo, charged with burglary of a building;

— Jerry Lee Green, 38, of Tulia, charged with theft;

— Juan Carlos Flores, 29, of Dimmitt, on traffic warrants from Edwards County;

— David Duran Jr., 22, of Lubbock, charged with violation of probation on a burglary of a building conviction.

Arrested and jailed by the Dimmitt Police Dept. were:

— Andrea Martinez Gonzales, 61, of Dimmitt, charged with failure to control speed and failure to display driver's license after causing an accident;

— Billy Marquez, 18, of Dimmitt, charged with DWI and outstanding traffic warrants.

Arrested and jailed by the Texas Dept. of Public Safety were:

— Manuel Hernandez Espino, 34, of Amarillo, charged with DWI;

— Nicolas Garza, 21, of Dimmitt, charged with DWI and driving with license suspended.

The number of prisoners in the county jail reached a high of 18 on Monday, not counting two who had been transferred to the Bailey County Jail in Muleshoe. By Tuesday the local jail population had been reduced to 14, and Sheriff Lonny Rhynes said the two prisoners at Muleshoe were scheduled to be returned this week.

Two more thefts of irrigation equipment were reported during the week.

Ben Scott reported to the Sheriff's Dept. Friday that someone had stolen approximately \$1,200 worth of aluminum irrigation tubes and joints from the SSS Farm six miles east and a mile south of Dimmitt.

Scott said 175 two-inch tubes and 235 1.5-inch tubes, all four feet long, were stolen, along with two seven-inch tees and two seven-inch ells.

Ronnie Gfeller notified the Sheriff's Dept. Friday that his homemade pipe trailer had been stolen from where it was parked a mile east of Dimmitt off Highway 86. The trailer is made of rusty pipe and has a single axle, Gfeller reported. He estimated the trailer's value at \$300.

Another car-scratching incident occurred last week on the Dimmitt High School parking lot. A student reported to city police that someone had scratched a fender and door of his car during school hours, causing an estimated \$50 damage. Several

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## Hopper is elected to statewide post

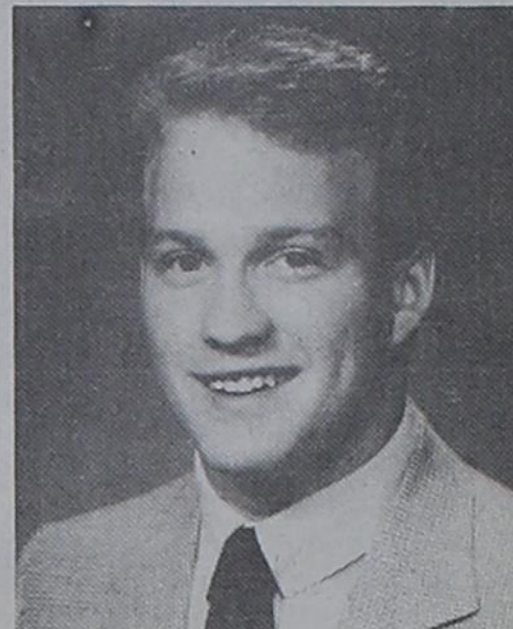
Jay Hopper, Texas Tech junior from Dimmitt, has been elected vice-president of the Texas Nursing Students' Association.

Approximately 2,000 nursing students and professors attended the annual meeting in Austin March 16-19.

Hopper, son of Donna and Jerry Stump of Dimmitt, has served as state chairman of the TNSA scholarship committee, which is currently establishing funding for 28 scholarships annually. He also was one of Texas Tech's delegates to the state TNSA convention last year in El Paso.

Hopper also was a 1988 delegate to the National Nursing Students' Association's House of Delegates, and attended Expo 88, a nationwide educational symposium on trauma units, emergency flight care and emergency room procedures.

Hopper is vice-president of his local chapter at Tech, serves as 1988-89 editor/historian, and has served on the membership, community service and scholarship committees. He also presents a Healthy Heart Clinic in elementary schools, worked with the Senior Citizens' Clinic at the state fair, serves as a CPR instructor, and works in the burn intensive care unit and the surgical ICU at Lubbock General Hospital.



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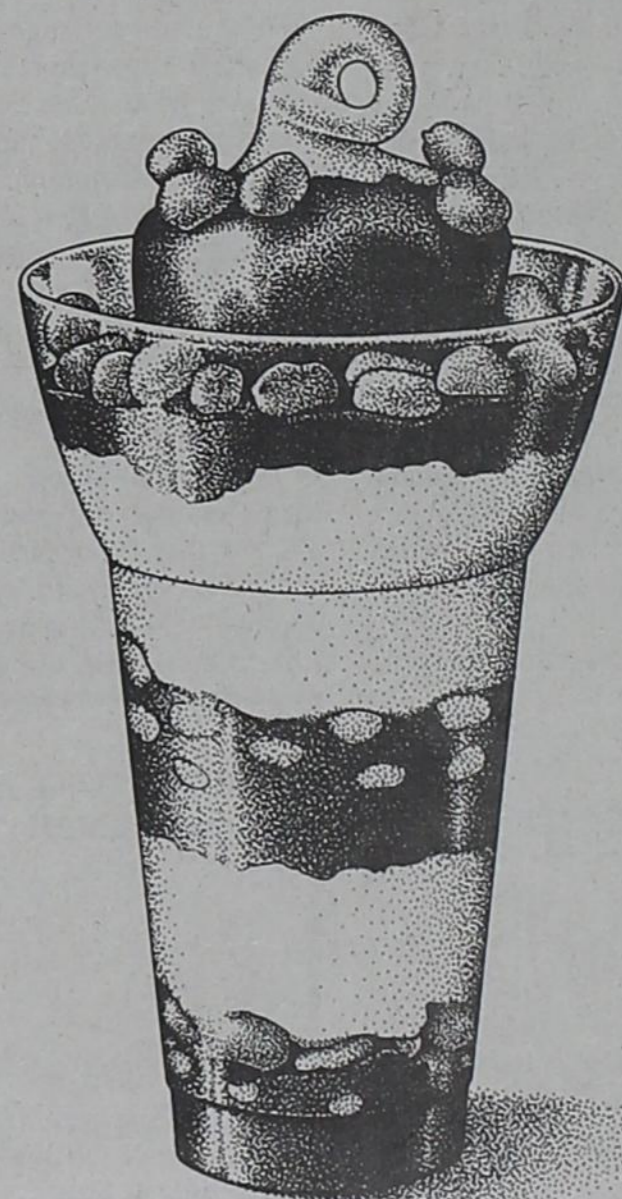
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DONALD WRIGHT, board member from Dimmitt, presents the condition report during the annual membership meeting of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Inc., Saturday night at the Bull Barn in Hereford. The cooperative distributed refund checks totaling more than \$400,000 at the meeting. Manager James Hull reported that Deaf

Smith REC hopes for Public Utility Commission approval of 4% overall rate reductions, including a 25% reduction in the rate for irrigation use and for total electric homes. Main speaker was Patty Bryant of Amarillo, president of the National Rural Electric Women's Association.

**More about**

**Mammoth exhibit . . .**

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with a large painting behind it." The background painting "is just fantastic," Guffee said. "It's a scene where you have one imperial mammoth coming up the hill toward you, and five others in the background around water holes. We went up and took pictures of the valley where it was found, and reconstructed it in a painting like it probably was in late fall or early spring during the prehistoric mammoth era." That era could have been anywhere from 10,000 to 60,000 years ago, Guffee said. Latest educated guesses are that the skull is about 25,000 years old. Mammoths lived here before the last ice age and died out 10,000 to 20,000 years ago, he explained.

"Some museums have full mammoths standing up, and we can't compete with that," Guffee said, "but I don't think you'll find any other imperial mammoth skulls in museums in this area." Guffee said he has spent "all my available time since we dug it up last May" working on the skull in the museum's basement. "I just work on the mammoth unless something else around here literally falls down," he said. The skull and tusks are not preserved bone and ivory, as they appeared at first, Guffee said. Through the ages they have been calcified, and the original bone and ivory have been replaced by calcium carbonate—the same chemical that forms caliche.

"The tusks are really chalky—you could write on a blackboard with them," Guffee said. The skull has now been completely restored, and the tusks "are about 95% complete," Guffee reported. The City of Plainview has footed the bill for the restoration with a \$10,000 allocation. Also, last week the Plainview City Council gave a \$4,900 grant to the Chamber of Commerce Convention and Tourism Committee to publicize the exhibit. The Chamber of Commerce will use its grant to buy a 1/3-page ad in Texas Monthly magazine (\$2,700) and to pay for billboards and posters enticing tourists to see the exhibit, Guffee said.

The imperial mammoth was a monster, even by mammoth terms. Guffee said scientists estimate the imperial mammoth's size range to have been from 25,000 to 40,000 lbs.—two to three times the size of today's adult African elephant, which ranges from 9,000 to 12,000 lbs. The imperial mammoth almost dwarfed the more common woolly mammoth in its day.

**'Siren song' to be higher**

At a special called meeting March 15, the Dimmitt Aldermen voted to accept the low bid to move an offending fire siren, heard a budget report, and met in executive session to discuss a personnel matter. McGuire Refrigeration bid \$625 to move a city fire siren from a low-level building to a position on the downtown water tower. Another bid, for \$675, was received from Newton Electric. The siren was moved in response to complaints from Carl King of the Texas Corn Growers Office in Dimmitt. King said the Corn Growers Board had authorized payment of half of the cost. City Manager Reeford Burrous told the aldermen that the budget is only 1.97% over the mark on expenditure projections for the first five months of the fiscal year, which showed some improvement over the 2.45% excess registered last month. The figure is set by comparing the percent of budgeted expenditures that have been made with the percent of the fiscal year that has expired. No action was taken on the personnel matter.

**New services planned to aid visually-impaired taxpayers**

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that his office will provide new services for visually impaired taxpayers. "I encourage anyone who is interested or knows someone who may benefit from these services to contact the Comptroller's office," Bullock said. Taxpayers should call the Comptroller's office at 1-800-252-5555 if they would like to receive these services. Bullock said the agency is in the process of coding its computer system so visually impaired people can receive special tax information in braille, large print, audio tapes or by telephone. He explained that once the sys-

tem is set up, agency tax assistants will make phone calls to visually impaired taxpayers who are being sent timely information, such as a delinquent tax notice. The tax assistants will explain the notice and help bring the taxpayer's accounts up to date within the time limits set aside by state laws. The Texas Taxpayer Bill of Rights brochure is not available in braille. The Comptroller's office is working with the state library to put Administrative Remedies, Your New Business and The Rules of Practice and Procedure into braille, large print and onto audio cassettes.

**'Y' not feasible, survey indicates**

There isn't enough support in Dimmitt to organize a YMCA here. That's what a recent survey of the city revealed, according to Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Delores Heller. The survey was conducted by John Greenwood, state YMCA official, at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, as a possible way for the community to provide more services for youth. "Mr. Greenwood said there wasn't enough support here for a 'Y' and that he could not recommend that we build one," Heller reported. "He said there were plenty of users but not enough payers."

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	BOOK VALUE	MARKET VALUE
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash	\$	\$
Money Market	\$ 1,120.51	\$ 1,120.51
U. S. Government Bonds	\$	\$
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Corporate Stocks	\$	\$
Building/Loan Investments	\$	\$
Real Estate Mortgages	\$	\$
Other Investments	\$	\$
Certificate of Deposit First State Bank of Dimmitt	\$ 81,658.79	\$ 81,658.79
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 82,779.30</b>	<b>\$ 82,779.30</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Principal in Trust	\$ 81,658.79	\$ 81,658.79
Undisbursed Income	\$	\$
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 81,658.79</b>	<b>\$ 81,658.79</b>

I hereby certify that the foregoing statement of condition of perpetual and irrevocable funds in trust is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Affiant: *[Signature]*  
Title: Vice President, Cashier & Trust Officer Gary W. Ross

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such incidents have occurred at the school in recent weeks, resulting in hundreds of dollars' worth of damage to students' cars and pickups. Percy Parsons, 1600 Sunset Drive, reported to city police last Thursday that someone had driven a vehicle across his yard during the previous night and damaged his brick fence. He estimated that the fence repair would cost \$200. Two city police officers and a county sheriff's deputy broke up a fight between two out-of-town women on the parking lot of a local night spot at 12:15 a.m. Monday. Both women were arrested and booked on disorderly conduct charges, and were released on bond. City police are investigating an aggravated assault incident that reportedly occurred in a downtown alley Saturday afternoon when a juvenile boy pulled a knife on another boy and threatened to stab him in the back.

**Obituaries**

**Cornelius Drerup**

Cornelius H. Drerup, 89, of Hereford, formerly of Nazareth, died Saturday in Deaf Smith General Hospital at Hereford after a lengthy illness.

Rosary was recited Monday at Rix Funeral Chapel in Hereford. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.

Burial followed in St. Anthony's Cemetery. Born in Ohio, Mr. Drerup moved to Hereford in 1929 from Nazareth. He married Agnes Bezner on Oct. 19, 1932, in Hereford. He was a retired farmer and a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford.

Survivors include his wife; 10 sons, Sonny of Dumas, James, Paul and Louis, all of Hereford, William, Gene, Gary and Robert, all of Amarillo, Leroy of Augusta, Ga., and Henry of San Francisco, Calif.; five daughters, Catherine Cortez of Hereford, Dorothy Stellman of San Francisco, Louise Soto and Mary Brinkley, both of Amarillo, and Ruth Crutchfield of Liberty; a sister, Edna Russell of Panhandle; 27 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

**Jamey Hurtado**

Graveside services for Jamey Lee Hurtado, infant son of Nick and Laura Hurtado of Muleshoe, were held last Wednesday at the Muleshoe Cemetery with Rev. Jimmy Low, pastor of the New Covenant Church, officiating. Burial followed under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

The baby died at 9:02 a.m. March 13 after a brief illness. He was born in Lubbock.

Survivors include his parents; a brother, Matthew of the home; his maternal grandparents, Sharon and Larry Sadler of Dimmitt; his paternal grandmother, Julia Hurtado of Muleshoe; his great-grandparents, Tex and Norma Conard, and Ezell and Verba Salder, all of Dimmitt, Frank and Mary Sanchez of Trinidad, Colo., and Flor Hurtado of Las Vegas, N.M.; and a great-grandmother, Nellie Hamlin of Yucca Valley, Calif.

**Joyce Leinen**

Services for Joyce Leinen, 65, of Stinnett, will be held Friday at 11 a.m. with Rev. Leonard Forsythe, pastor of the Bible Baptist Church of Borger, officiating.

Burial will follow in Sunset Memorial Park at Stinnett under the direction of Ed Brown and Sons Funeral Home there.

Mrs. Leinen died Monday. She was born in Tyler and lived in Stinnett for 12 years. She was a homemaker and a member of the

Methodist Church. Survivors include her husband, John; four sons, John Leinen Jr., of Stinnett, Jim Leinen of Skellytown, Don Leinen of Dimmitt and Gene Steel of Houston; two daughters, Mae Bentley of Lake City, Colo., and Sharon Leinen of Dimmitt; two brothers, Hubert Smith of Bullard and Bill Smith of Tyler; three sisters, Mary Smith of Palestine, Loretta Gunter of Pensacola, Fla., and Melba Eggleston of White Oak; her mother, Maudie Mae Smith of Tyler; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

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