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## Rain helps cool heat wave

A cooling rainstorm that cut a swath through the middle of the county Tuesday night brought smiles from farmers and sighs of relief from energy-drained city residents.

A second wave of Del Rio-type heat had seared the area for almost a week, sending the temperature soaring beyond the 100-degree mark each midafternoon and holding it there until after sundown.

A fire early Wednesday morning was blamed on the rain, which wet a transformer on a neon light outside the Dimmitt Motel, causing a short which started the blaze at 4:15 a.m. It burned the transformer and did slight damage to the side of the building, but did not cause any interruption to power service in the area.

In three days of the past week the mercury went to 103, 104 and 105 degrees and other afternoons saw marks in the high 90's. Eight days in June also had over 100 degrees after a cool and rainy start for that month.

But Tuesday night's rain, which dropped from half an inch in the western part of the county to a full inch in the northeastern section, will "help a little" to enable farmers in its path to catch up on irrigation and slow insect development, County Agent Charles Hottel said.

Tuesday's rain also reduced the pressure on Dimmitt's water system. The hot, dry weather had sent the city's water consumption soaring to 3.6 million gallons July 11, 3.4 million Friday and 3.5 million Tuesday.

Pumping capacity of the city's nine present wells is 3.6 million gallons a day, with two million gallons of storage.

The weather station at Radio Station KDHN gave Dimmitt an official rainfall measurement of .61 inch Tuesday night, to add to .18 inch from a shower Saturday afternoon.

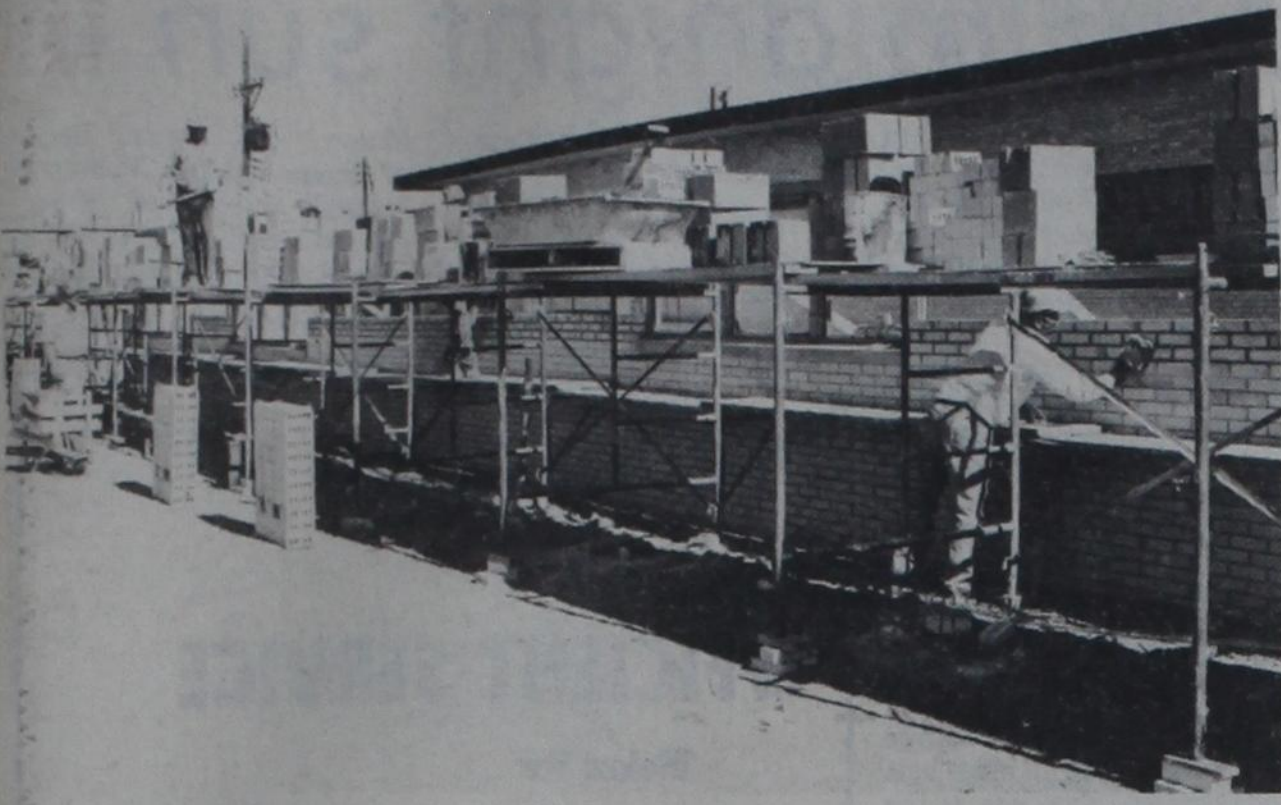
West of the city, Flagg Grain reported .60 inch of moisture in a shower that "didn't go very far south of here." Only a sprinkle fell at Easter, Gene King of Easter Grain reported, and the same report came from the Bob Simpson place 10 miles north of Dimmitt.

Nazareth recorded the [See WEATHER, Page 4]



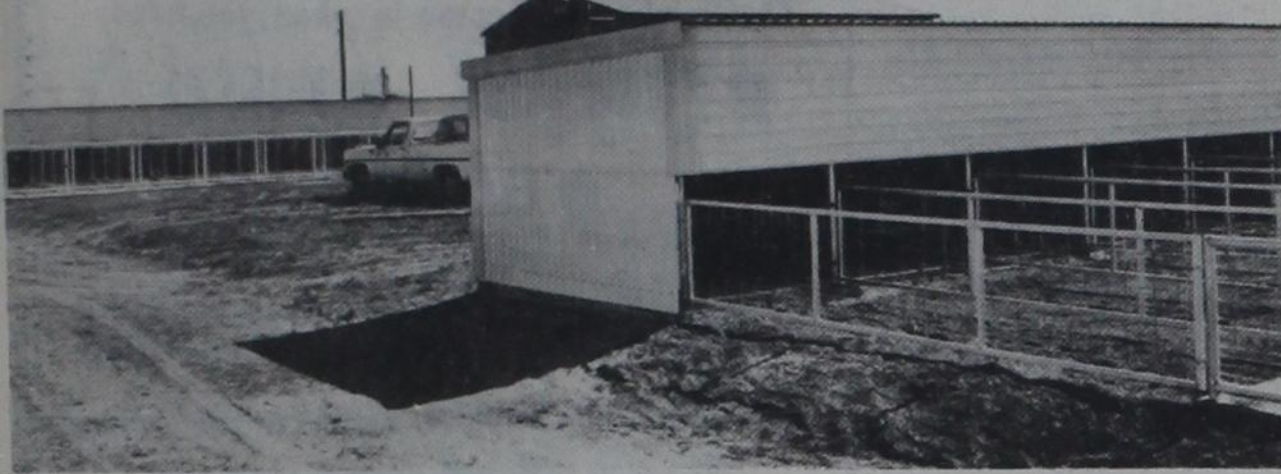
DEDICATION—Little Eric Sammamm, held by his father, Alfred, cuts the ribbon to mark the dedication of the new Corn Saver Manufacturing Co., Inc., Tuesday afternoon. County Judge Weldon Bradley and Mayor Elmer Youts [foreground] hold the ribbon while standing in front of a combine that's equipped with a Corn Saver attachment. Beyond them, from

left, are Ernest Sammamm, inventor of the Corn Saver and president of the corporation, son Charles, wife Marie, niece Sarah England, daughter-in-law Jeannie and daughter Janet. In background are city and Chamber of Commerce officials and dozens of friends who were on hand for the dedication.



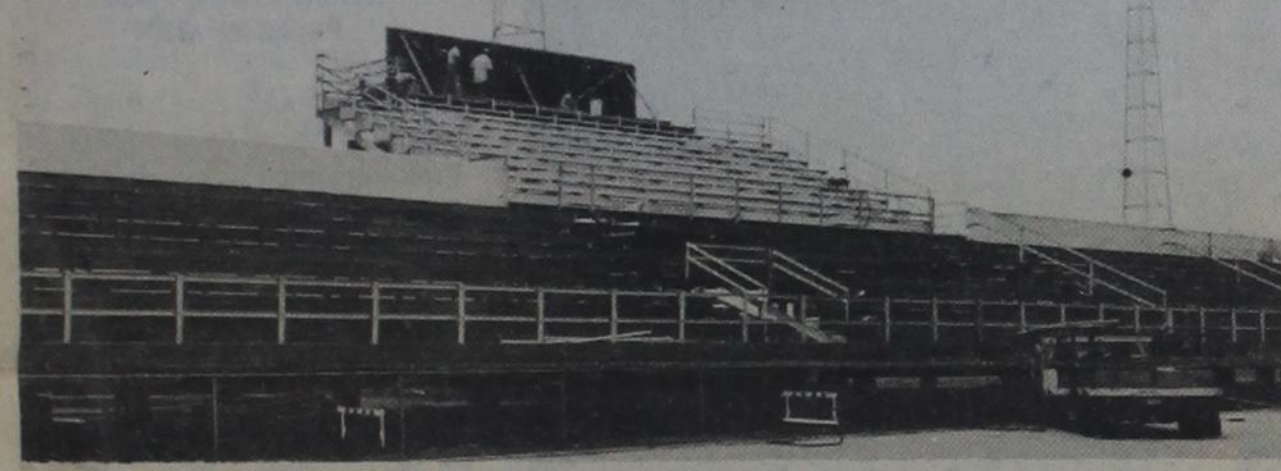
AT DIMMITT HIGH, masons go up with the walls of a 3,488 sq. ft. addition to the industrial arts building. The new 109x32 addition will house a choir room, drafting room and extra shop space. Bill Bookout, of Hereford,

masonry subcontractor on the project, said he expects the outside walls to be completed this week and the interior masonry work by the latter part of the next week. Prime contractor for the new addition is Don Hargrove.



THE F.F.A. FARM being built south of the Dimmitt Airport will be a far cry from the old barns where Dimmitt High School students have been keeping their project animals. The new buildings are all steel, with steel-frame pens that provide easy access along concrete runways. A hog barn and sheep barn have been completed, and work is now underway on a working barn [center] which will include a wash rack, sick pens and working chutes. The Dimmitt School Board also has approved

another sheep barn and two more hog barns in the current project, and the master plan calls for a steer barn in the future. Estimated cost of this summer's project [six new barns and fencing] is \$21,000, with \$9,000 of it coming from donations made through the Junior Fat Stock Show during the past two years. Dimmitt High School's FFA advisors are supervising the construction and doing much of the work themselves.



AT BOBCAT STADIUM, workers completed the steel framing Monday and installed the aluminum bench-back seats Tuesday on the 279-seat stadium addition. Here, work begins on the new double-deck press box at the top of the new seating section. Season reserved-seat tickets for the new section will go on sale

Monday at the school administration office. School officials hope the new addition will free the southern third of the bleachers for general admission. Last season, all non-student seats in the home stands were reserved seats.

## New reserved-seat tickets will go on market Monday

The 279 seats in the newest section of the Dimmitt High School football stadium will be up for grabs beginning Monday at 8 a.m. in the school administration building.

According to Supt. Robert Ryan, the seats will go at \$20

each for the season—\$2 per game above the general admission price—and will be sold on a season-reserved basis only.

"It'll be first come, first served on these new seats, until Aug. 4," Ryan said, "and they must be purchased in person by the one paying for them."

The 219 seats in the lower center reserved section will go on sale Aug. 7 to their current holders at \$15 for the season.

Any remaining tickets in either of the two center sections will be put up for sale Aug. 21 on a first-come, first-served basis, with the price determined by the section.

This will leave approximately 300 general admission seats in the section south of the aisle leading to the press box. These will be available on a first-come basis each game at \$2 for adults and \$1 for children.

However, Ryan added that if there is still a demand for reserved seats after the other sections have sold out, the area immediately south of the

aisle to the press box will be converted to season reserved seating at \$15 each.

Ryan stressed that any reserved tickets must be purchased in person and will be listed only in the name of the purchaser, and must be paid for by the purchaser. Also, the yearly option must be exercised in person by the same purchaser.

"If a person buys tickets for his friends, the seats will still be listed in his name, not theirs," Ryan explained, "and the next year he must buy them again or they will go into the 'pool' for first-come, first-served—not necessarily for his friends."

## Irrigation gas users to study priority, price

Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association has called a special meeting for tonight (Thursday) at 8 in the Holiday Inn in Plainview.

Price and priority will be the main topics of the meeting.

John D. Aiken of Hereford, attorney for the PIGUA, said in a letter to members: "Recent communications from Con. George Mahon indicate that some immediate action on our part is necessary if we are to have natural gas for irrigation."

Aiken urged a large attendance of irrigation gas users to hear the latest developments in Washington regarding priorities and price regulation proposals.

## Water usage jumps; city fathers worry

When Dimmitt's new well field goes into service late this summer, it will hike the city's water production to five million or more gallons per day.

But city commissioners are wondering if that will be enough water to take care of Dimmitt's growing needs.

Mayor Elmer Youts said at Monday night's commission meeting that he thinks more wells may need to be added to the system—and sooner than expected.

"The new wells aren't going to give us as big a surplus as I had thought, considering the way consumption has jumped," Youts said.

Youts feels that if the federal government were to re-institute its drought emergency assistance program, Dimmitt could qualify for a grant to drill two or three

more wells near the new well field.

Dimmitt's residents, businesses and industries are now [See WATER, Page 4]

## Grand jury returns ten indictments

Indictments for theft were returned against Joe Garcia and Martina Garcia by the Castro County Grand Jury in its session Monday. The two, not yet in custody, are charged with theft by welfare fraud.

Ten indictments were made by the grand jury, which passed one case of forgery and one of vandalism in recent outbreaks of glass breakage here, for further consideration at a later session.

Rosalinda Villalobos was indicted on a charge of possession of marijuana; James Robert Kendrick, aggravated assault, Mona R. Anderson, theft by check, Alfredo Castilla Saucedo, criminal mischief; Raul Vaquera, auto theft. Vaquera is not in custody.

The other three indictments were for second offense driving while intoxicated, against Jim Corbitt Aldridge, Fidel Barron Ramirez and Raymond Castillo Ramirez.

## Funeral rites conducted for Pearle Sheffy

Pearl Miller Sheffy, a resident of Dimmitt 56 years, died just before midnight July 12 at Plains Memorial Hospital. She had been active in the cultural and educational life of the city since she came to Dimmitt as a bride in 1922.

Funeral services were conducted in the First United Methodist Church Friday afternoon by Rev. Marvin Roark, former pastor, assisted by Rev. Howard Quiett, pastor. Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens, under direction of the Dennis Funeral Home.

Born Feb. 14, 1895, at Hubbard City, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Miller, natives of Tennessee. She married Ray E. Sheffy Nov. 27, 1922 at Sweetwater. His death occurred in 1950. Mrs. Sheffy had resided at South Hills Manor in recent years.

She taught kindergarten classes in her home for a time, organized the first Girl Scout troop in Dimmitt and helped gather books for the city's first public library. A charter member of the Book Club and the Garden Club, she formerly served on the board of Kings Manor retirement home at Hereford.

A longtime member of the First United Methodist Church, she supervised the landscaping there as a memorial to her husband, who was chairman of the church's building committee before his death. She also helped plan and plant the grounds of Kings Manor.

Survivors include two daughters, Sue Merritt of Dimmitt and Anne Webster of Mountain View, Calif.; a son, Ray Jr. of Dimmitt, and seven grandchildren.

## Local invention goes national

"But on the first through that we made with our original Corn Saver, we went all the way through the field without a single clog-up, and got 100 bushels. On that first through, we knew we had hit on something, and that it would work."

"We got our crop in that year, and in 1969 we made some improvements on it. We also built several more, which we sold to some of our neighbors."

The popularity of the Corn Saver led Sammamm to set up a manufacturing line in his farm shop. In 1971, he was granted a patent on the unique attachment.

He manufactured Corn Savers in his farm shop through 1977, employing as many as 28 men during the rush season. To date, he has sold more than 1,300 of them.

The business outgrew his farm shop, so he incorporated, purchased a site on North

385 and contracted with A&S Construction of Amarillo to build the new building which was dedicated Tuesday.

The new building includes sales and management offices, large assembly area and fenced storage yard. The building was completed last August, "but we were too busy then to move," Sammamm said.

The new corporation finished moving its equipment into the new building in January, and since then Sammamm has been busy refining the production line and gathering material.

"We don't have an assembly line as such, because the Corn Saver has to be customized for different headers," Sammamm explained. "During the off-season we build the parts that are common to all machines, then we try to build up a surplus of the attachments that will fit the most [See INVENTION, Page 4]

## Celebration at Hart to honor namesakes

The family that gave Hart its name will receive special recognition in the annual Hart Days celebration Aug. 4 and 5, represented by Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart who will be honored for contributions to the community over a long period.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart will ride

at the head of the parade Saturday morning, Aug. 5, seated in Oscar Wylie's old-time "surrey with the fringe on top" which has been the feature of several parades in this area.

The surrey will follow the color guard made up of representatives of three US military branches, army, navy and marines. Richard Franks will serve as parade marshal. Floats and bicycles will vie for cash prizes. Mrs. Bobby Reed is receiving entries.

Kim Williamson, general chairman of arrangements, has called a final planning meeting for Tuesday night at the Farmers State Bank community room. Representatives of all civic groups at Hart are urged to attend.

These groups are sponsoring the celebration, each responsible for certain events.

A carnival with games and rides for adults and children will be in operation during the weekend, Williamson said. Its date was confirmed this week. A tractor pull which had been planned by the Hart Jaycees will not be held, but the Jaycees will operate a Saturday night casino.

Hart Days will begin with a watermelon feed Friday afternoon, Aug. 4, followed by a melon seed-spitting contest sponsored by Chi Psi Sorority.

The pageant at which Miss Hart and Little Miss Hart will [See CELEBRATION, Page 4]

## Showery

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	97	65	
Friday	96	61	
Saturday	96	64	
Sunday	103	57	.18
Monday	95	64	
Tuesday	105	64	
Wednesday	104	66	.61
July Moisture			7.99
1978 Moisture			7.59

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## Dimmitt down, Nazareth up in sales taxes

After showing a gain in retail sales over the previous year in the May report, the Dimmitt city sales tax report for June reverted to the 1978 pattern of a drop, according to figures released this week by the state comptroller's office.

Nazareth sales showed a gain over June of 1977, as they did in May. No report was made for the period at Hart.

The one percent city sales tax rebate made from the comptroller's office to the City of Dimmitt amounted to \$5,223 as compared to \$9,962 for June of 1977.

The total for the year at the end of the first six months reached \$66,776, compared to \$78,369 last year.

Nazareth received rebates of \$845 compared to last year's \$790, bringing its 1978 total to date up to \$5,653 compared to \$5,591 in 1977.

Hart's six-month total stands at \$6,973 compared to \$8,710 for the period in 1977.

Rebate amounts in neighboring cities, all lower than for last year, include: Tulia \$3,112; Muleshoe \$5,829; Littlefield \$7,061; Hereford \$18,877; Earth \$1,132; Olton \$1,673; Friona \$3,147.



Sheffy's Chatter

North Europe tourists get to land of midnight sun

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

Edna Riley, Polly Bell, Jo Gregory and Annie Lee Dobbins are home from their two week trip to north Europe. They flew from Chicago to Hamburg. Drove through historical Lubeck, the city completely demolished in World War II and restored by the Marshall Plan. On to the popular resort on the Baltic Sea. Flew to Amsterdam, there boarded the ship for a thirteen-day cruise and docked in Bergen, Norway where they visited Grig the great composer of music. The next stop in Copenhagen, Denmark, saw the Rivoile Gardens and the mermaid by the Sea. Next, Stockholm, Sweden, toured that city and saw the beautiful hall where the Nobel Prizes are awarded.

Edna says everyone should go to Helsinki, the land of the midnight sun, only one hour of darkness now. Winter time one hour of light. They hardly slept because it was light. Went to Leningrad, Russia, saw the Winter Palace of the Czars and the Hermitage, the art museums filled with beautiful art from all countries. The Neva River runs through the center, with boats like street cars. The river is used like a street. The people never smile. But they saw the most beautiful Russian Siberian dances there. Perfect timing, colorful costumes, and sometimes 100 dancers. They are trained by the State.

Went to Visby on the Isle of Gotland a place owned by Sweden. One of the most beautiful of all places with Old World Charm, called a bicycle city, also City of Roses. The ladies loved being on the hotel-type ship. They sailed down the Keil Canal which goes through the flat countryside of Germany. The canal

connects the Baltic Sea to the North Sea. They could see the clean farms laid out. They saw clean yards, clean children, fat cattle and the most marvelous food and have pictures to prove it.

Amsterdam is a metropolitan place with people from all countries in the world. Many young people backpacking through the country or riding the Euro-rail staying in youth hostels. They toured the canals at Amsterdam in glass bottom boats.

Annie Lee Dobbins says their guide is Mr. Reinhardt and is well informed of all the history—He made the trip interesting and pleasant. Jo and Polly says for me to tell you "you haven't lived until you take the ship cruise cause there is entertainment, music, dancing, bridge, and the most elegant food"—now I want to go next year!

P.O. and Frances Goodwin are hostess this week to their daughter Kay and boys Brent, Robert and Ricki and sons and Kurt and Kent and daughters Karla from Edcough in the Valley, and P.O.'s step brothers A. W. Fowler and family from Storm Lake, Iowa and Vancy and family from Roswell.

Judy Burkett of Sunray has been a guest in the home of friends Fred and Jerry Lilley and family. Mrs. Lilley is checker at Walts. That's where I saw her.

Darless and Dawn Goolosby and Don and Ann Ethington left here by car for their trip to Mexico. First stop was in Southern Arizona at a place they know. They then took the plane from Tucson to Guadalajara. Went sightseeing, then on down the west coast to Puerto Vallarta, stayed in a villa belonging to friends. This is near the Pacific Ocean. Went by car to Tepic Mayariel for a couple of days.

While there the Dimmitt folks drove down to Blas where they took the boat ride down the canal through the jungle where there are pythons (big snakes), crocodiles, big giant turtles and they saw orchids growing on trees, colorful birds, and those huge white butterflies. They liked that much. Then back to Puerto Vallarta, stayed 10 days.

Darless and Don snorkled and went diving for oysters (no pearls) with some of the local divers. Those guys make money that way. They went swimming in the ocean, collected many shells, then went to Mismalaya. That is down the coast. That is where Elizabeth and Richard Burton had a house and the film "Iguana" was made in 1964. The movie set is still there but deteriorating.

Dawn and Ann bought some pretty things like native beads and such, went back to Guadalajara and to see the biggest Mexico Lake Chapala. Many retired and rich US Americans have big homes there.

They ate the famous white fish dinners there, went to the

village of Ajijee pronounced Ahe'd a' he-hec. It is a pretty town, famous for weavers. Back to the city before coming home, stayed at El Topatia high on a hill and a great view of the city and ocean. Ann says everything you might want to buy is at Tlaquepaque and other shops in Mexico. Back to Tucson, then home.

The girls attended a birthday party for the lovely and gracious 18 year old LaNora at Bucerillus. She lives in a thatched hut. Charming manners. They had live music. Her father did his old time knife dance, interesting occasion for the Texans.

James and Rhonda Kilough were married 10 years last weekend, so to celebrate they went to Ruidoso. We saw them and Tom and Mary Leek of Tulsa. They were visiting relatives and there for the races and coolness. Long time friends of Buster Cooper we met Max Callaway who lives at Ruidoso—and G.L. Willis was happy that one of his horses came in first. (Heck) I didn't put money on that one.

Doc Noble was host to his family last weekend. Tip and Dorothy Koczek from Globe, Ariz., and son Jay and Bonnie Noble from Denver City, also their grandson Kevin. Saturday, Don and Verbie Nelson took homemade ice cream and cake out to Doc's house also for a visit. They were friends of the Koczeks when living at Globe. Vadabel Oldham of Lubbock, Verbie's mother, also came up for the visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Norris of Battle Creek, Mich. are here to visit son Clarence Norris and family and daughter Clara Vick and family. All were in Canyon Sunday to celebrate the J.W. Norrises 62nd anniversary at granddaughter Mrs. Don Day's house. They visited daughter Ruby Craghead in Amarillo. Several grandchildren came to the reception.

I was chatting with Mrs. Travis Campbell. She tells us that their grandson Lelon Ginn is touring Europe doing concerts with the American Youth Chorus. Lelon has a fine, strong voice. They will be home in August and he can tell us about that trip.

Mr. J.K. Campbell of Roaring Springs died and the service was there Saturday. Nephew Travis and Mrs. Campbell and Annie Mae Calvert went from here and others coming here and going were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Campbell of Waco, Mrs. Cleatus Hoyle of Garland and Charlene Murphy of Abilene, all at the Travis Campbell house, then on.

And Travis will go to Rochester, Minn. Mayo Brothers Clinic for kidney surgery next week. Going with the Campbells and his mother Marylyn Ginn will be son Kevin Ginn to have a back brace put on for his curvature of the spine. Good luck boys.

Cletha George was hostess at the Friday Club at the City Assembly room for bridge. High score was won by Carolyn Copeland and Josie Brad-

ford. Others were Retta Cluck; Opal Bearden; Betty Renfro; Betty Cartwright and Bobbie Damron.

Paul and Janet Weaver went to Rapid City, S.D. to visit their son. Paul is with Amstar.

Joe Ramirez is staying at their place while they are gone.

Stefanie Love and Deanne Clark went last week to Santa Fe to see the opera, "Tosca." Except for a few moments of threatening rain in the outdoor auditorium, both ladies really enjoyed the performance. They also went to a play and shopping.

Bill and Deanne Clark went Saturday to Roswell for the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Deanne's father's sister and brother-in-law, the B.A. Owens. Deanne played the organ for the reception.

Bill went to Ruidoso to see Greg who is learning to ride the horses for Dr. Bill Lee.

Bill and Deanne Clark went Saturday to Canyon to eat barbecue with Ruby Moultrie and her mother Mrs. Moultrie. Mrs. Moultrie was the chef.

Opal Bearden, Cletha George, Ruth Coleman and I were at Ruidoso awhile back. We visited Mary Lee Singer who was staying a few weeks at their house on one of the hills. Mary Lee paints pictures. She has a wired-in porch with house plants and several feeders where the many little humming birds come in to eat! One day

sister-in-law Kay Singer and daughter Leslie came by. They have moved to Ruidoso from Houston and the mother-in-law Annie came from Roswell and Robert of Tulia and daughter Zandra and baby Robin came up from Dallas. Mary Lee tells us that their son Bob Singer is working on his masters degree in accounting at Kansas State University. The youngest son, Loyd helps Dad with the cable service in Tulia.

We also met Webb and Olene Walls there from Muleshoe and their friends Wilson and Lois Witherspoon, natives of Carmel, Okla, 10 miles east of Eldorado. That was at the whispering pines cafe.

Someone told us to go home by way of Capitan and eat good Mexican food at La Paisano—We didn't but will do it another time.

The big gingers convention was last week at The Inn of the Mountain Gods. Melvin and Violet Barton and Johnnie Davis of Easter Gin went as did Buster Cooper. This elegant hotel type place with a golf course, its own

lake, is north of Ruidoso—past the trout lake.

Decimae Dennis was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner in the home of Edwin

Ramey, with Decimae Beene of Friona and Bub Ramey of Amarillo as co-hosts. 18 people were seated for the delicious dinner. A white birthday [See CHATTER, Page 9]

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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 . . . . . 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY Meeting in City Hall Community Room Donald Price, Pastor Phone 647-3403

Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Children's Church . . . . . 5:30 p.m. Evangelist Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 5th and Halsell Rev. Delbert Fish, Pastor Phone 647-2651

Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Rev. Ed Manning, Minister Sunday— Church School . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Common Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.

LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOENITO East Halsell St. Pastor, Gustavo Ornelas Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Sermon . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Lord's Supper and Feet Washing . . . . . 11:30 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Services . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive Roy E. Barringer, Minister Phone 647-5478

Sunday— Bible Study . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship and Lord's Supper . . . . . 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH 412 North East Street Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Training Union . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m. Monday W.M.U. . . . . 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Brotherhood . . . . . 7:55 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir . . . . . Friday

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

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Howard Qulett, Pastor 110 S.W. Third Phone 647-4106 or 647-4107 Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 10:45 a.m. MYF, Jr. HI & Sr. HI. 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:30 p.m. Wednesday— General Meeting WSCS . . . . . 9:30 a.m. Choir . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1201 Western Circle Drive Rev. John Street, Pastor Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Training Union . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Prayer Meeting . . . . . 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal . . . . . 8:10 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Gary Cook, Pastor 302 S.E. 2nd Sunday— Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service . . . . . 7:00 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Service . . . . . 8:00 p.m.

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

Put on the Full Armour "Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God" . . . In Paul's letter to the Ephesians, he makes a comparison of the children of God and warriors. He says that our loins should be girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness. He makes many more comparisons that exhort us to a proper life. Another thing that Paul urges is that we gather together and worship the Lord. No part of our armour is greater than regular church attendance. Much strength for the week is derived from worshiping with others. Complete your suit of armour . . . attend church this week.



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.



Coleman Adv. Ser.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST S.W. 4th at Bedford Dale Wells, Minister Sunday— Bible Study . . . . . 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wednesday— Bible Class for all . . . . . 7:30 p.m. NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Alexander, Pastor Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship . . . . . 7:30 p.m. Wednesday— Mid-Week Services . . . . . 7:30 p.m.

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## Season near for gridders

For Dimmitt High football players, start of the season is less than 20 days away.

Head Coach Jerry Vance has announced the following schedule for the 1978 Bobcat gridders:

Aug. 9—Coaches will pass out shoes and shorts to upperclassmen in the morning and freshmen in the afternoon.

Aug. 14—Two-a-days start, 1½ hours at 7:30 a.m. and 2 hours at 6 p.m.

Aug. 14—Freshman workouts start separately, one-a-day at 6 p.m. daily.

Aug. 9—All boys need physicals by this date. Forms are available at the fieldhouse and Dimmitt High School office. A player can't start workouts unless the form is completed and turned in.

"Anybody who wants to play is welcome to come out," Coach Vance said.

The Dimmitt coaches will attend coaching school July 25-29 at Houston. Highlight of the school will be all-star games in football and basketball. Dimmitt's Rocky Rawls

will play in the Friday night all-star game, for the North squad.

## DPD members certified after course

Two members of the Dimmitt Police Department completed Friday a school on operation of the "breathalyzer". The school was held at Lamar State University in Beaumont.

Sgt. Ronnie Ballew and Patrolman Steve Vines were the Dimmitt men who are now certified by the Texas Department of Public Safety as breath-test operators.

They underwent 40 hours of training in the operation of the machine which determines from a breath sample the alcohol content in a person's blood.

## Australian farm party here on tour

Australian farmers and their wives who are touring Texas to study agricultural production with special interest in sunflower growing, were in Dimmitt briefly Tuesday. There are 17 in the party from "down under."

Bill and Don Gregory of Castro County Grain Co. and County Farm Agent Charles Hottel played host to the party of 17 for lunch and conducted their tour of several sunflower crops in the area.

They also viewed other aspects of farming in the county, inspecting irrigation wells and harvesting machinery for sunflowers, wheat and other crops.

Their tour was arranged by Gwydir Valley Oil Seeds Pty., Ltd., of Australia. Most of the farmers in the group grow wheat extensively as well as producing sunflower seeds for the oil.

They had been to the state experiment station at Bushland, in Amarillo and Palo Duro Canyon State Park before coming to Dimmitt, and went to Lubbock for the night Tuesday with stops on the way scheduled to see farm machinery.

## 13-year-olds lose and win in tourney

Dimmitt's Babe Ruth Baseball team for 13-year-olds was scheduled for a return match with West Lubbock Wednesday afternoon in the state tournament being held in Canyon.

After dropping their opener to West Lubbock Monday by a 9-5 margin, the Dimmitt youths came back to wallop Graham 15-5 Tuesday. This is a double elimination tourney, so the Wednesday game gives them a chance at staying in for the finals.

Del Rio is the favored team in the tourney. The winner at Canyon will advance to tournament play at Pine Bluff, Ark.

Classifieds Get Results

## More about: Invention ...

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popular brands and types of corn headers."

A six-row Corn Saver retails for \$1,980. Prices are slightly higher per row for smaller ones, and slightly lower per row for larger models.

While Sammann concentrates on setting up production at the new plant (his son, Alfred, now operates the family farm in Flagg), Wayne and Jan Jackson are serving as the company's interstate sales representatives. Until the corn harvest starts, they're travelling through the Plains states, the Corn Belt and the Deep South with a movie that was made to show farmers and implement dealers the advantages of the Corn Saver.

"We're getting this part of the country saturated, so we thought we'd better start selling farther from home," Sammann said. "We've sold some in Kentucky, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, California, Missouri and Illinois. And we've sold one in Indiana and one in Iowa."

"Most areas don't have as much of a falling-down problem as we have here, but we're hearing reports about charcoal rot in South Texas, root rot in Kentucky and ocean winds in California that are causing their corn to fall," Sammann said.

The corporation now has seven full-time employees, not counting members of the Sammann family. Future size of the work force "will depend a whole lot on the demand," Sammann said.

"We hope to hold our production up to what it has been the past few years, which is 385 machines a year," he said. "If we can do that, we'll be hiring some more help."

Sammann's wife, Marie, is the corporation's secretary-treasurer and bookkeeper. Their son Alfred is the vice-president, and his wife Jeanie works in the office. Their other son, Charles, is working in the plant full-time until he returns to Brigham Young University this fall, and daughter Janet "also pitches in sometimes." The only family member not involved in the daily doings at the new plant is daughter Cheryl, who is attending Texas Tech.

## More about: Water ...

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taxing the present water system to near-capacity. The pumping capability of the city's nine present wells has dropped to 3.6 million gallons per day because of draw-down, and consumption is topping the three-million-gallon mark regularly.

The most water used in any single day this year was 4.3 million gallons on June 30. The city that day used all that the system could pump, plus almost half of the two million gallons stored in the city's three ground reservoirs and two water towers.

The city already has asked the schools to restrict their watering to Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and the Highway Dept. to Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, "and this has helped a lot," City Manager Garnett Holland said.

Commissioner Chet Braafadt said more storage capacity might be the answer, but Youts responded that more reservoirs "wouldn't be worth anything if we couldn't pump anything into them."

The two agreed that if the city could get a drought emergency assistance grant to drill more wells, funds to build more reservoirs, Dimmitt would be in good shape on water for the future.

The three new wells located six miles south of Dimmitt will each pump 650 gallons a minute, raising the city's daily production to a potential of 6.2 million gallons.

But Youts said the city can't depend on that much usable water every day because of down-time on the older wells in the city and the steady decline of the water level below the city. He said 4.8 million gallons per day would be a more realistic production figure after the new wells are added to the system.

"If our consumption keeps growing here, this 4.8 million gallons isn't much water," Youts said. "If we turned everyone loose, we would bump four million gallons a day in usage right now."

## Ralph Huseman McDaniell is rodeo president

Funeral services for Ralph Huseman, 61, of Happy, a native of Nazareth, were conducted in the Holy Name Catholic Church at Happy Saturday. Burial was in Happy Cemetery.

A farmer, Mr. Huseman was born at Nazareth and lived most of his life in Happy. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Bennett Johnson of Happy and several nieces and nephews.

## More about: Celebration ...

[Continued from Page 1] be named, will begin at 7:30 p.m. In addition to the 19 girls announced last week as candidates for the title of Miss Hart, names of Melissa Snitker and Diane Davis were added this week, Williamson said.

The poster contest entry deadline is tomorrow (Friday), youngsters under 12 years old are reminded. Cash prizes will be given for the three best posters and all posters will be displayed to advertise Hart Days. Entries are to be taken to Myrt Loman.

Saturday events of Hart Days will begin with the parade, then a drawing will be held for prizes contributed by Hart businesses. Several other items will be awarded in drawings sponsored by clubs and school groups.

A fiddlers contest will start at 1 p.m. and games and contests for children will continue through the afternoon. A square dance and teen dance are scheduled until after midnight Saturday.

Food and refreshments will be for sale at booths during both days of the celebration.

## City okays 25-mph limit for NW 11th

The speed limit on Northwest 11th Street is now 25 mph.

The city commission Monday night approved the reduced speed limit in response to a petition signed by virtually all the residents along the street.

Northwest 11th Street, one of Dimmitt's newer residential areas, runs from West Bedford to Halsell.

The only other residential street with a 25-mph speed limit is Northwest 12th. The speed limit on all other city streets is 35 mph.

## Horse show series ends for 4-H'ers

The last of a series of six-county shows for 4-H Horse Club members was held at Earth Monday, after having been twice postponed by rainy weather early in June.

Points from this show were eliminated from qualification for the recent district show because it could not be held in time.

Members from Castro County placed in the riding events. Jerri Ka Clark was second in barrel races and sixth in pole bending in the junior division. Jill Brown, competing as a senior, was fifth in the flag race and sixth in barrel racing.



OUT OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook of Pampa, formerly of Dimmitt, are the parents of a daughter who was born July 9 in a Pampa hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 14 ounces and has been named Christi Anne. Grandparents are Junaita Gilbert of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cook of Amarillo.

Galveston Island was once the headquarters of the notorious pirate Jean LaFitte.

## Horse owners warned of sleeping sickness

Death of one horse in Castro County from sleeping sickness has prompted veterinarians here to urge that all horse owners have their animals vaccinated to prevent an outbreak of the usually fatal disease.

Sleeping sickness can affect humans as well as horses, and is transmitted by mosquitoes which bite an infected animal and then a healthy horse or a human, Dr. Charles Atchley, Dimmitt veterinarian, explained.

Best protection against the disease is vaccination for horses and vaccines for the various types of sleeping sickness can be given in one combination. The initial vaccination is given in two doses, and one dose at yearly intervals can keep an animal protected, the veterinarian said.

Once an animal is infected, treatment is usually futile, he added.

Serious outbreaks of sleeping sickness have been reported in Florida this year and the deadly virus has been isolated from mosquitoes on the Texas Gulf coast. In past years epidemics have caused deaths of horses and also humans in West Texas.

Unlike malaria and some

other mosquito-borne diseases which are spread by only one type of mosquito, sleeping sickness can be carried by any of the insects, Atchley said, so vaccination is the only sure way to prevent its spread among horses.

## More about: Weather ...

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heaviest fall, an inch. Hart got only "a nice shower," measuring .38 on the Farmers Grain gauge. The amount at Sunnyside was a quarter of an inch.

Rain in Castro County was part of a system of scattered heavy showers sweeping eastward across the Panhandle Tuesday night. At Palo Duro State Park the fall was 1.24 inches. There was some heavy weather in the North Panhandle where Stratford had 80-mile winds.

After the 104-degree temperature Tuesday, upper 90's are predicted for Wednesday and Thursday with a 20 percent chance for showers again Thursday.

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### Slow Pitch Tourney set

A Slow Pitch Softball Tournament is scheduled at Nazareth to begin July 31 and continue through Saturday, Aug. 5.

Sponsored by the Nazareth Community Center, the tournament is open to any teams wishing to enter. The entry deadline will be next Wednesday.

Entry fee is \$35. Teams may enter or receive information about the tournament by calling 945-2245.

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### Secretary, teacher employed for NISD

A school secretary for next term was employed by the Nazareth Independent School District board at its meeting last week, to take the place vacated by Mary Cox who has moved to Carthage.

Shirley Underwood of Dimmitt was hired for the position. The board voted to enter into an agreement with PESO to hire Mrs. Anderle as library assistant. Paralyne Moore was employed as early childhood teacher. Resignations of Rachel Graham and Mrs. Cox were accepted.

Johnny Mason, superintendent, recommended adoption of the Blue Cross-Blue Shield insurance program for teachers and the board approved it. In other action the school board:

—Heard a finance committee report on the audit of financial funds. Mason announced that next year two

signatures will be required on all organization checks, and the books would be audited and checked by the school board and administration each month.

—Chose the First State Bank of Dimmitt as depository for school funds.

—Decided to hear a monthly report on all athletic income and disbursements.

—Named Elmer Schulte and Arnold Brockman to serve on the school tax equalization board which will meet July 28 in the school lunchroom.

—Decided to inspect and oversee boiler repairs as required by the state.

—Had Alvin Kleman and Dan Schmucker appointed by board president Hubert Backus as a special committee to meet with David Boudns and discuss ag shop improvements.

—Recommended classes for adults and asked Mason to investigate whether they would be available at Nazareth.

—Heard a policy committee report on changes needed in the school handbooks for next term, which are to be handed out after the term begins.

—Decided to reevaluate all hourly hired personnel before the August board meeting.

—Selected Bell Dairy Products to supply milk for the school lunchroom next year.

DID you know that plastic was first discovered while someone was trying to develop a substitute for ivory billiard balls?

### Dimmitt places second in 14-15-year tourney

Defeated in their first game, Dimmitt's Babe Ruth Baseball team for 14 and 15-year-olds fought their way back into the championship contest Saturday night at Olton and settled for second place in the district tournament there.

Dimmitt had beaten Muleshoe 4-3 in a tight contest Friday night, to force the double elimination tourney into the Saturday playoff. Their first-game loss was to Plainview, 17-3, on Tuesday of last week.

They got their revenge on Plainview Thursday night, eliminating that team from competition with a 10-8 defeat, after they had similarly eliminated the Olton boys Wednesday by a lopsided 18-9.

Dwayne Acker was on the mound for Dimmitt all the

way in the opening game with Plainview, but came back as the winning hurler against Olton. He helped his own cause along by driving in seven runs with a single and two doubles. Calvin Schulte, Terry Mixson, Deke Cearley and Brian Huseman also got three hits each.

Mario Moreno struck out five and allowed only two hits against Plainview Thursday. Mixson, Acker, Huseman, Brad Murdock, Ricky Gonzales and Larry Espinosa each got two hits for Dimmitt.

Taking his third turn at pitching, Acker was credited with the Friday win over Muleshoe.

Starting the final game, Zeke Garcia was relieved by Moreno who was followed by Mixson, but Dimmitt failed to stop the Muleshoe hitters and took the 10-6 defeat that left them in second place.

### View from the Library



By BRICK AUTRY

It's vacation time at Rhoads Library. No, we're all not going on vacation. I'm staying here this month.

But as I listen to Marie's typewriter dully clatter along, I'm reminded that this is the day that she takes off. She and her family are going to drive to California. "But Marie!", I said, "You can't get in the car with all your family and drive all the way to California! Think about what kind of shape you'll be in when you finally get back. I knew a man who did that with his wife, in-laws and three children and he came back to town needing a lobotomy."

Marie didn't like that, really, and stopped her typewriter long enough to ask me to stop being obscene.

Louie Allen is going to see his granddaughter next week too but he's a whole lot smarter. He's going to fly to New Jersey instead of driving.

I'll have to admit that I was rather cynical. Marie explained that if they didn't drive to California, how else would they show the children the Grand Canyon? I said something like "What's to see at the Grand Canyon? Just a big hole in the ground and some burros!"

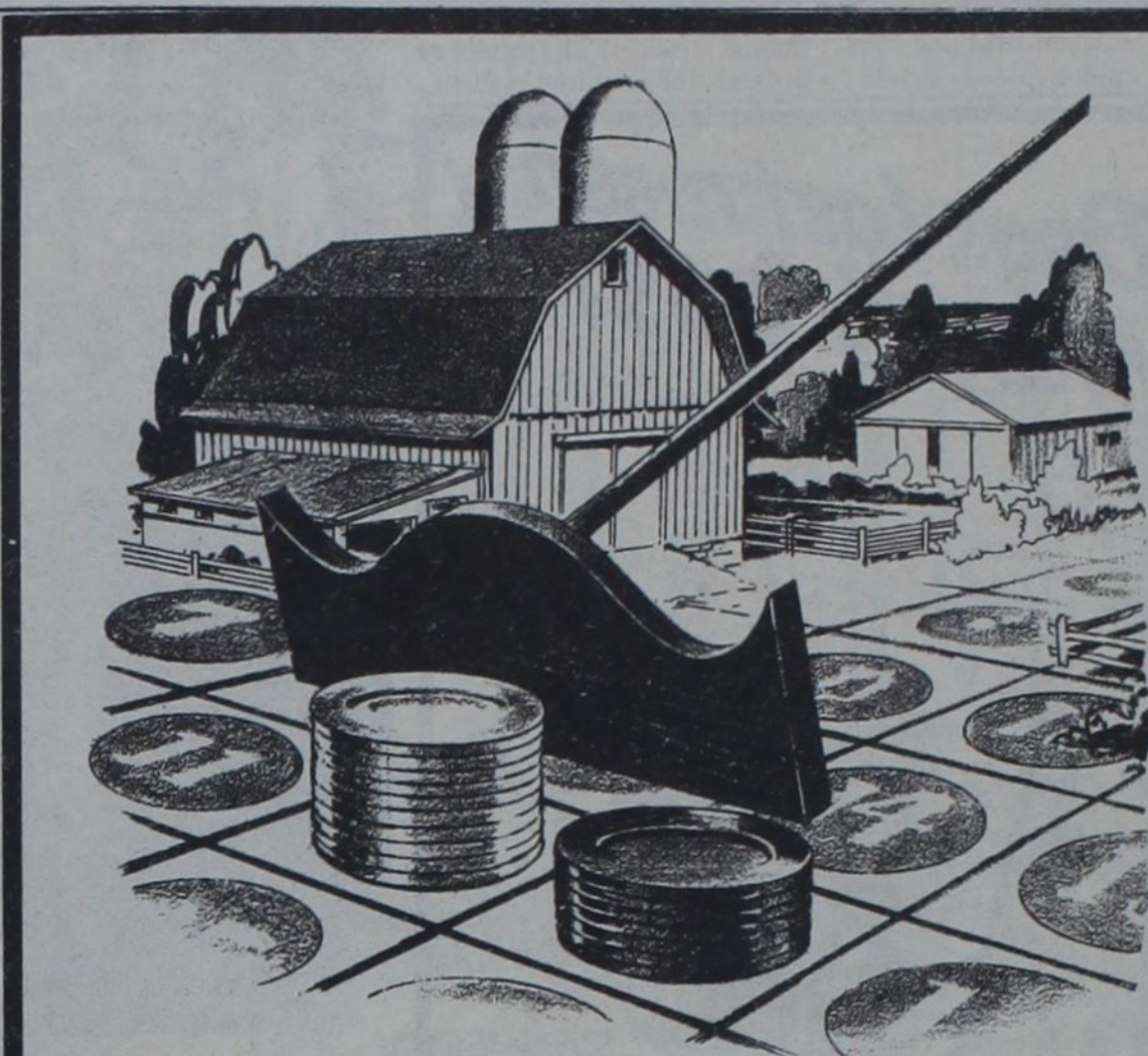
Marie really didn't like that and stopped typing long enough to tell me to stop being so crabby.

So that's vacation time for you here at Rhoads Library. It makes me crabby and obscene. But I promise not to be too much of either one while everyone is away. Just a little bit crabby. Maybe I'll say something like "I wish I was at the Grand Canyon." And Myrtle Behrends will say

something like "I wish you were too."

If you are going on vacation send us a card. It will give us all something to talk about besides the Grand Canyon.

(Brick Autry was fined by the news office for using too much liquid paper while trying to type this article.)



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### Kiwanis club has official as visitor

Dimmitt Kiwanians had the lieutenant governor of Division 33, Howard Birdwell of Hereford, as a guest at their lunch Monday and heard his explanation of a resolution which the division will present at the Texas-Oklahoma District convention in Amarillo Aug. 3-5.

Birdwell urged the club here to send a large delegation to the convention, since Division 33 is the host group, and several members indicated plans to attend all or some of the sessions.

He said the resolution to be offered by this division calls on the district to champion the cause of the National Kidney Foundation as national Kiwanis Club project. It has been actively supported in this area by Kiwanians in recent years.

Decimae Dennis, who has taught in schools for US military dependents in the Orient and recently toured Red China, was the speaker introduced by Joe Nelson.

Guests with Birdwell were Don Lane, Bud Eades and R.L. Blakely of Hereford, and others introduced were Edgar, David and Connis Dennis and Brad Murdock.

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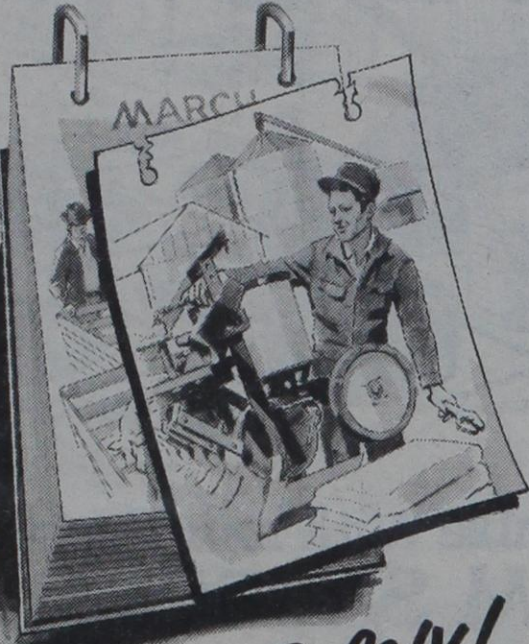
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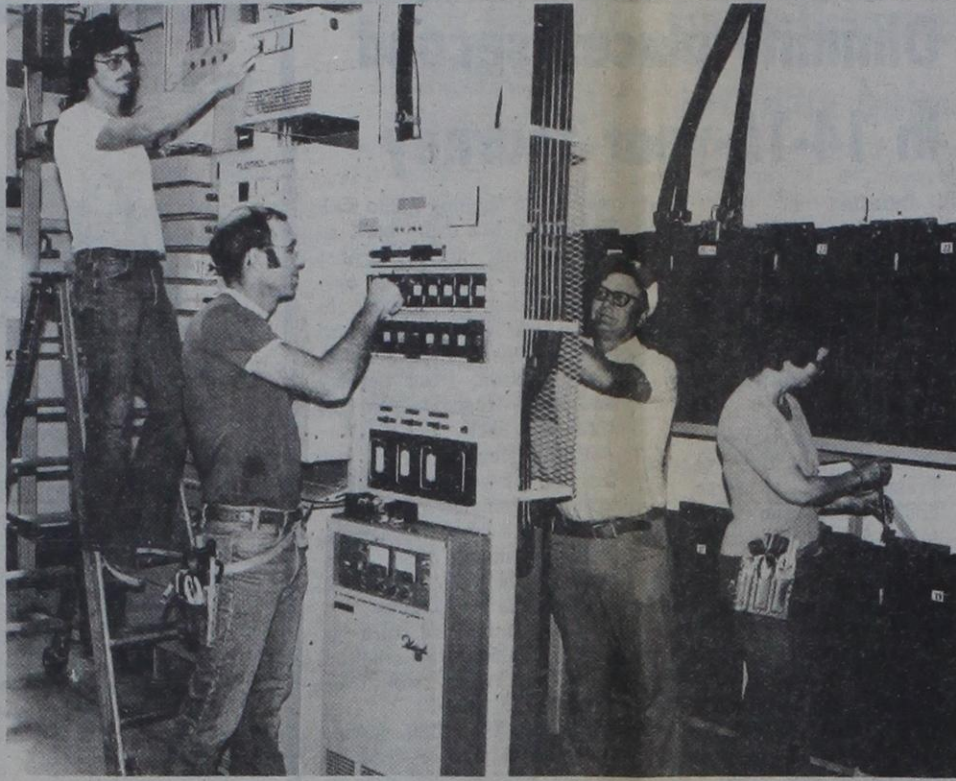
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The dial tone will be "mellower," and the line-ring signal will have an "electronic sound," according to Reeford Burrous, manager of Continental Telephone Co.'s Dimmitt office.

To the customer, it will just be a change in sounds. But to the people at the Continental office here, it represents more than \$75,000 worth of new equipment.

The source of the new sounds is an "electronic tone generator" which can carry twice as many phone calls at the same time as the old generator could.

Also included in the major upgrading project are two dozen wet-cell batteries that weigh more than 600 lbs. each. Connected in series, they can keep Dimmitt's telephones in service for eight

hours in case of a power failure or natural disaster.

"Our old wet-cell batteries were good for eight hours when they were first installed, but now they would only carry two hours of traffic," Burrous said. "That's how much the telephone traffic in Dimmitt has increased in just the last few years."

How much do the people within Dimmitt's 647 exchange use the telephone today?

"The phone traffic here has more than doubled in the last 10 years. We average 70,000 to 75,000 local calls per day," according to Earline West, manager of operator services.

"We're running more than 2,000 DDD long-distance calls per day, and our operators are handling another 600 long-distance calls a day," said Larry Powell, central office equipment repairman.

While battling to stay ahead of the increasing phone pressure of a busy community, Continental also has had

to worry about replacing old multi-party and two-party lines to provide better service to individual customers. The correct project will help solve both problems.

"In addition to the generator, batteries and chargers, we're also adding 200 more customer lines and 100 more terminals (phone numbers)," Burrous said.

"These new lines aren't for adding more customers, but for upgrading the service to our present customers," he explained. "We have a lot of customers who are still on multi-party and two-party lines here in town. These new lines and terminals should just about clear up the multi-party lines and put these customers on private lines."

All this new equipment is being installed in the immaculate "terminal rooms" of the Dimmitt office, seldom seen by the public.

But when you hear the new dial-tone sound, you'll know it's there, and that it's working.

**Comment invited on USDA proposals for wheat crop**

Written comments on several proposals concerning the 1979 wheat crop, announced recently by the secretary of agriculture, are invited and must be received in Washington, D.C. by July 27, according to Charley Hill of the local ASCS office.

The secretary of agriculture proposes to make six determinations on next year's wheat crop, announcing his determinations by Aug. 15 in accordance with the Agricultural Act of 1949, Hill said. The six decisions are:

—Determine preliminary 1979 national program acreage level.

—Determine recommended reduction from the previous year's harvested acreage to guarantee target price protection on the total 1979 planted acreage.

—Determine whether there should be a set-aside requirement, and if so, its extent.

—Determine whether there should be a land diversion program and if so, its extent and the level of payment.

—If a set-aside is required, whether a limitation should be placed on planted acreage.

—Whether the special grazing and hay program should be implemented.

Comments should be addressed to Acting Director, Production Adjustment Division, ASCS, USDA, Room 3630, South Building, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C., 20013.

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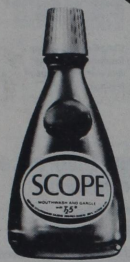


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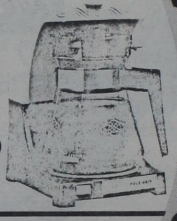
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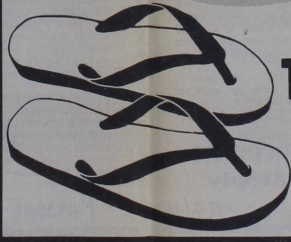
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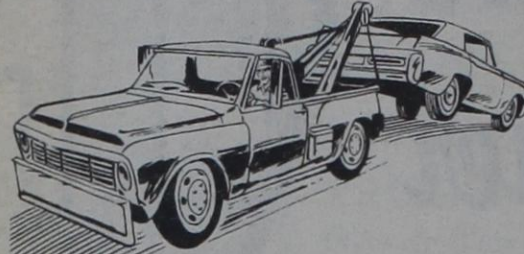
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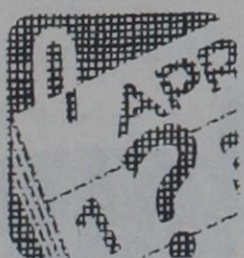
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### Employers reminded IRS return due

Employers of income tax return preparers and self-employed preparers are required to file an information return by July 31, the Internal Revenue Service says.

The form to be used, Form 5717, "Annual List of Income Tax Return Preparers," asks for each employee preparer's name, identification number, and principal place of work. The form covers the period from July 1, 1977, to June 30, 1978. Failure to file by the

deadline can lead to a \$100 penalty.

A parent company filing for its subsidiaries should file a separate Form 5717 for each subsidiary, the IRS said.

Foreign corporations, partnerships, and self-employed persons who prepare U.S. income tax returns or claims for refunds must also file Form 5717, according to the IRS.

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### More about

### SHEFFY'S

# Chatter

[Continued from Page 2] cake centered the dining table. Decoration on the cake was a map of Germany with "Nuremberg" in large letters. She will be teaching in Nuremberg this fall, and will be leaving Dimmitt in August. She has just returned from a trip to China.

Others present were Edgar and Kate Beecher, Beral Hance, Morgan and Geneva Dennis, Elmer and Mauzee Youts, Edgar and Betty Dennis, Debbie and Connie Dennis, Anmarie and Lenora Ramey of Amarillo and Jay Neal of Big Lake.

Edgar and Kate Beecher have returned from a month long trip to Europe. They went to Weisbaden, Germany to visit their daughter and family, Major Dan Prather, Jo, and their little daughter, Danna Beth. They toured Germany, Holland, Belgium and France and also went to London.

Donna Hart of Levelland is visiting her aunt and uncle, Joyce and Jimmy Davis this week. Donna is 8 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Harmon of Amherst were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Quiett and family, also attended church with the Methodists.

The Harmones were friends of editor B.M. and Viola Nelson when they had the newspaper at Amherst 40 years ago. And their friends Bob and Brenda Anderson have moved to Dimmitt from Plainview. Seems Bob is with Production Credit—Go meet them!

Other company in the Jim Bagwell home were their daughters Grace Marie Holland, her daughters Mary Anne and Donna Kay from Midland and Christene Bell from Perryton. Here to visit with brother Robert and sister La Trelle as well as parents.

Robertha Bagwell went to Lubbock this Monday for a checkup on her eyes. She had surgery on both eyes a year or two ago. Doing fine now.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Schad and son Mark of Middleville, Mich. have been visiting friend Decimae Dennis at the

home of parents Morgan and Geneva. The ladies were teachers at Clark Air Force base in the Philippine Islands and Decimae says people read her Dimmitt paper before she could get it, sometimes. Decimae taught several years at Okinawa.

Ann Carpenter was hostess at a dessert and bridge party at her house Thursday. Guests were Anita Morris and Ceal Carlile, both high score winners and Virginia Gilbreath, Betty Huckabay, Maxine Tidwell, Joannis Robertson and Dorothy Elder.

New people in town are Ron and Jan Bureson from Tuscola, Ill. They have bought the James Shearer house at 701 Cleveland St. They will worship with the Baptists.

Ron is with Amstar and Jan is or was a nurse. They have two sons Toby 14 years and Greg 13.

Jan and Mildred Sheffy and Ruth Jackson came by my house for a glass of tea and talk.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Simmons came here from Texarkana, Ark. to visit cousins Bish and Burl Bradford. All went to Palo Duro to see the Pageant "Texas." They like it much, a good show we hear.

Frank and Maxine Struve of Olton were in town Friday for the memorial service for her aunt Pearl Sheffy. Also visited aunt Fannie Mahan at South Hills home and the Merritt family and Sheffys.

Ann Webster flew in from California and Suzanne and husband Harry Lunt from Sunray and Pearl's niece June Bannon from South Texas.

Bonnie Haberer was in town Friday. She lives northwest of Earth, was here for Pearl's service.

Shirley and Frank Wise, daughter Linda and son Kyle had a nice cool trip to Red River up in the Rockies. The guys fished but Kyle caught the trout for supper. They made several side trips then hurried home to water the cotton and corn.

Graham and Karen Sheffy and the happy parents of a new girl baby that came Sunday morning, July 16th. Her name is Brittany Page. She was a 7 pounder. The little brother is Gabe, 2 years old.

James and Mildred Bradford and daughter Jean and her friends, Diane Love, Beth Bates, Cindy Kelly and Tanya Hampton went to Conchas Lake last week to boat, fish and water ski. The Bradfords have a place near the lake.

Jack and Susie Bradford and Perry and Kim Graham went to Amarillo for dinner and a show to celebrate both couples anniversary. I forgot to ask how many years.

Robert Bagwell of Jackson, Miss. and sister LaTrelle Bagwell of Apple Valley, Calif. have been visiting the parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Connie Cyd Sheffy of Fort Worth and Joe Sheffy, who is coaching at Pearland, are here for a visit with parents Bob and Mildred. And Joe is painting the roof of my house a bright red to match the car. Nice to have energetic grand kids.

Myrtle Williams has had company, her sister Winnie McLain from Dallas and the two went to Tucumcari and Albuquerque to visit relatives. Another time to Amarillo to visit, got back to Dimmitt and had more visitors Jerry Williams, his Mrs. and daughter from Independence, Kan. He is the son of Glen Williams. And Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams were here from Plainview, on Friday had a surprise visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Goebel and three children from Arlington. They were enroute home from a vacation trip to the Colorado mountains. Carl is Myrtle's nephew.

Millie Lust tells me she and Vern are the great grandparents of a new baby boy, Coby Charles, the son of Charles and Sue Summers. He was born in Amarillo July 14. The other great is Rachel Summers, and the grands are Houston and Doris Lust and Melvin and Juanita Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson of Fort Worth were here for a visit with kin Ruth Coleman and Frank and Shirley Wise. They were enroute to Aspen, Colo. for a vaca-

tion.

Flora Stanford and Kathryn Birdwell went to Lockney Sunday to attend the dedication of the new Fellowship Hall at Lockney Methodist Church. Rev. Lee Stanford was minister there 20 years ago and Kathryn taught school. They visited my aunt Ethel Knox and cousin principal R.L. and Betty Knox. Ethel and Bob Knox lived in Dimmitt and Frio community many years ago.

B.M. and Viola Nelson visited a friend, Mrs. Mary Britt who is in the hospital at Amherst, Sunday. They also visited other members of the family including his brother, P.M. Nelson and wife from Victoria.

Mrs. W.B. Hammonds is back from Austin enthusiastic about seeing—and hearing—a production of the musical, "The King and I" in which her daughter-in-law, Barbara Hammonds, sang the leading role. Mrs. Hammonds said Barbara is only 5 feet 2, but her powerful, melodious voice won her a standing ovation.

Barbara and her husband, David Randy Hammonds, lately moved to Austin from Lubbock, where she was a Tech student. She plans to continue studies at UT and also works as a field construction secretary for an Austin firm. She has had major roles in other musicals and is listed on Who's Who in Music in American High Schools.

Other family members who were at the Austin production were her parents, John and Donna Badgwell, her sister Kristy and Betty Godwin of Dallas; her grandparents, the Clint Badgwells of Seymour, Ron and Kay Hammonds of Houston, Joe and Kathy Hammonds, Joe and Joy Dean Furniss of Austin and Cindy Ricker of Abilene.

We all went to the wedding for Beth Cleveland and Darrell Buckley Monday morning, a very pretty service. Someone said Jimmy Buckley was a little sad—so what? His last son got married. Read about it on the society page.

Certain soils have "shallow reservoirs" of available water that must be replenished frequently while cotton is blooming and fruiting to avoid yield reductions.

## Hartman picked to play in Texas-Oklahoma tilt

Cheryl Hartman of Nazareth, with Merry Johnson of Canyon is one of the two Panhandle girls chosen to share in a little bit of history Saturday when they will be forwards on the Texas team for what is expected to be the final Texas-Oklahoma All-Star game.

It will probably be the last six-player game for Texas high school girls, too, as Texas schools will shift to the five-player game next season. Oklahoma has decided to stay with the six-player system.

The ninth annual game in

the interstate series will begin at 7 p.m. Saturday in Wayland College's Hutcherson Center. Tickets are priced at \$2 for adults, \$1 for students and children. Oklahoma leads the series 6-2 and won last year at Lindsay, Okla.

Dean Weese, who coaches Wayland's Flying Queens, will coach the Texas squad. The other West Texas girls on the team are Lynn Webb of Slaton and Carla Wojtek of Robert Lee.

The Nazareth and Canyon forwards both played in the Texas High School Girls

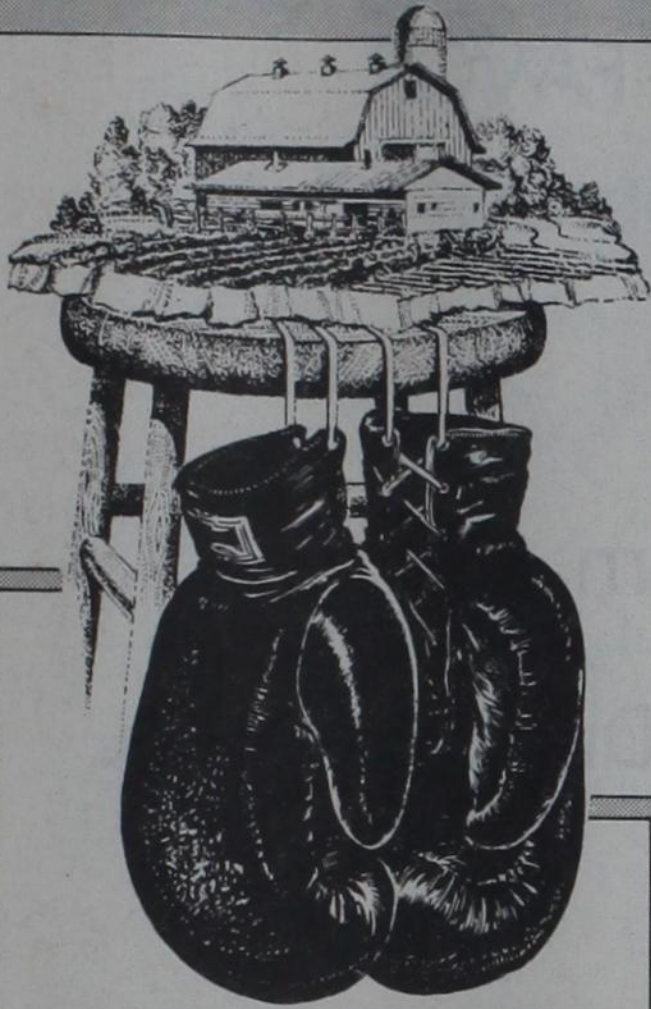
Coaches Association all-star game in June, on the North team which lost that contest. Miss Hartman, a big factor in the Nazareth Swiftettes' two consecutive state Class-B championships plans to go to the University of Texas this fall.

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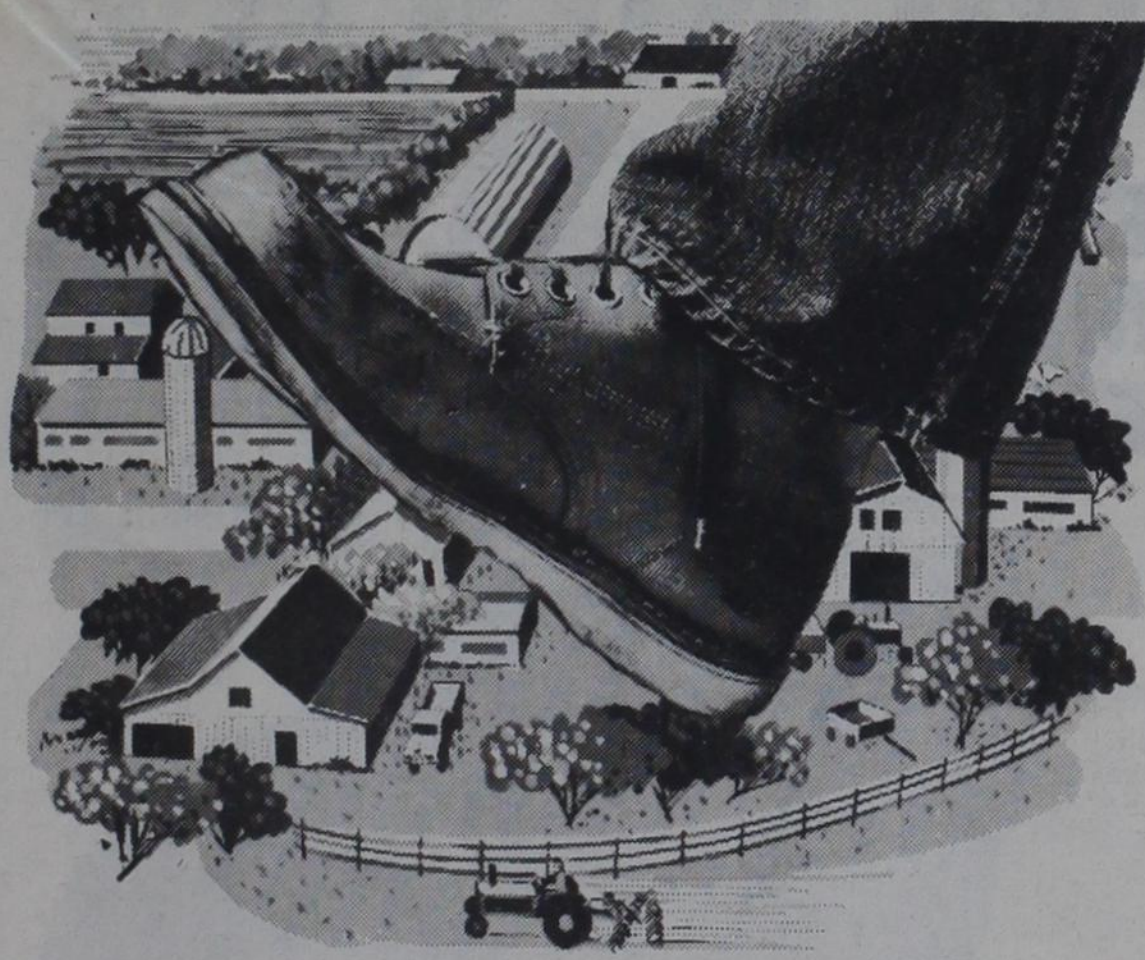


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Tops of the Week honors went to Mable Brock and Delbert Smotherman, each with a weight loss of 3 pounds 8 ounces. Carolyn Copeland was Kops of the Week, cited for keeping her weight at the level she had chosen.

Of the club's 46 members, 32 weighed in for the meeting and showed a total weight loss of 22 pounds 4 ounces the past week.

CHRISTOPHER Columbus was only 5 feet, 4½ inches tall.

**15—LEGAL NOTICES**

**NOTICE TO THE FORMER PRISONERS IN THE CASTRO COUNTY JAIL:**

On the 16th day of January, 1975, a lawsuit styled **BUFFORD LENNELL McDONALD, et al, vs. JACK CARTWRIGHT, et al,** and numbered CA 2-75-7 was filed in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, Amarillo, Division. This lawsuit is a class action filed in behalf of all the prisoners and former prisoners in the Castro County Jail, alleging that the conditions existing in this jail fall below those standards guaranteed by the Eight Amendments of the Constitution of the United States which provides that no person shall be subjected to cruel and unusual punishment.

As a former inmate in this jail you may:

- (1) Take no action;
- (2) Express your specific complaints to the Court;
- (3) Have your name specifically excluded from participation in this lawsuit.

If you have specific complaints which you wish to express to the Court, you may do so by writing directly to the attorney for the Plaintiff, Robin M. Green, Box 12063, Amarillo, Texas, 79101. Should you wish to have your name excluded from consideration in this lawsuit you may do so by writing directly to the Clerk of this Court at the address listed below.

You are hereby given notice that it is a violation of this Court's order for any of the agents of either the Plaintiffs or Castro County to give or withhold any privileges or make any threat for your participation in this litigation. Your participation in this matter is strictly up to you.

-S. Halbert O. Woodward  
**HALBERT O. WOODWARD**  
United States District Judge  
C-210 U.S. Courthouse  
1205 Texas Avenue  
Lubbock, Texas 79408  
15-41-2tc

Northern Alaska's great Brooks Range, called the gates of the arctic, is the largest remaining expanse of untouched terrain in the US.

**15—LEGAL NOTICES**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**I. GENE KING, Tax Assessor-Collector** for the Dimmitt Independent School District, in accordance with the provisions of Section 20.03 (c) of the Texas Education Code have calculated the maximum tax rate which may be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Dimmitt Independent School District without holding a public hearing as required by Section 20.03 (d) of the Texas Education Code. That rate is as follows:

\$1.69 per \$100 of assessed value  
**GENE KING**  
Tax Assessor-Collector  
July 19, 1978  
15-42-2tc

**15—LEGAL NOTICES**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

To maintain the same general level of revenue as was generated last year the Board of Trustees of the Dimmitt Independent School District would have to adopt a tax rate of \$1.69. The Board of Trustees, in accordance with the requirements of Section 20.03 (d) of the Texas Education Code, hereby announces its intent to adopt a tax rate which will exceed \$1.69 per \$100 of assessed value. A public hearing on this action will be held at the School Administration Building on August 1, 1978, at 7:00 a.m.

**CHARLES WALES**  
President, Board of Trustees  
July 19, 1978  
15-42-1tc

**15—LEGAL NOTICES**

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: ELIBIES ABREGO, Defendant, Greeting:**

**YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to appear before the 69th District Court of Moore County at the Courthouse thereof, in Dumas, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 21st day of June A.D. 1978, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 5th day of April A.D. 1978, in this cause, numbered 7918 on the docket of said court and styled **Texas Securities Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Elibies Abrego, Defendant.**

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

That heretofore, to-wit, on or about the 7th day of July, 1975, the City of Dimmitt, Texas, acting by and through its Mayor and city secretary, under and by virtue of the Charter and ordinances of said city, pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas, and in accordance with a contract between it and High Plains Paver, Inc., hereinafter called contractor, did make, execute, issue and deliver to Plaintiff, as assignee of the said Contractor, a certain assignable certificate of special assessment dated the 7th day of July, 1975, being Certificate Number 88A-1, said certificate being for the pro-rata share of certain street improvements on West Second Street or Avenue in the City of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, payable by the Defendant, Elibies Abrego, as a personal liability, and secured by a first and paramount lien on the property hereinafter described.

Lot Number two (2) in Block Number One hundred Fifteen (115) in the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, **ERMA WELLS**, Clerk of the District Court of Moore County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Dumas, Texas, this the 21st day of June A.D. 1978.

**ERMA WELLS** Clerk,  
69th District Court  
**MOORE COUNTY, TEXAS,**  
By Treva Fox, Deputy.  
SEAL  
15-39-4tc

Federal legislation was passed to establish the 84,550-acre Big Thicket National Preserve in the East Texas pine woods.

**Water management**

**Fertilize, or water?**

By William P. Dannevik, P.E.

Research has shown that a plant can retain its yield and not stress at a higher moisture tension, if fertility is increased. Or the plant will increase its yield if the moisture tension remains the same and fertility is increased.

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A regular soil test program can help establish the fertility level of a soil. Knowing the combination of fertility level and moisture level that will produce the most economical yield isn't free, it takes knowledge, time and experience.

After we know the right combination we must be able to control the fertility level and the moisture level to produce this combination.

A commercial soil laboratory is using a computer to analyze its soil test results. The computer is programmed to consider over 80 combinations of soil and plant food relationships that affect the plants' use of phosphate fertilizer.

In considering these combinations moisture levels remain constant at "average" for irrigation and "average" for dry land farming. Moisture may vary considerably on dry land farming, but it should not on irrigated land.

If irrigation is going to produce enough additional corn to pay its way over dryland farming, moisture levels must be controlled.

**Earth's rodeo being staged this weekend**

The 34th annual amateur rodeo at Earth, billed as the "Biggest little rodeo in the southwest," will be staged the next three nights at the Earth Rodeo Grounds, and entries were scheduled to be received until 8 p.m. Wednesday.

The Earth Roping Club is sponsoring the event and Charlie Thompson of Lubbock is furnishing the rodeo stock. Trophy buckles will be given to first place winners. A parade at 5 p.m. today

(Thursday) will open the rodeo, and a free barbecue will be served afterward at the grounds to all who have purchased rodeo tickets. Admission is set at \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

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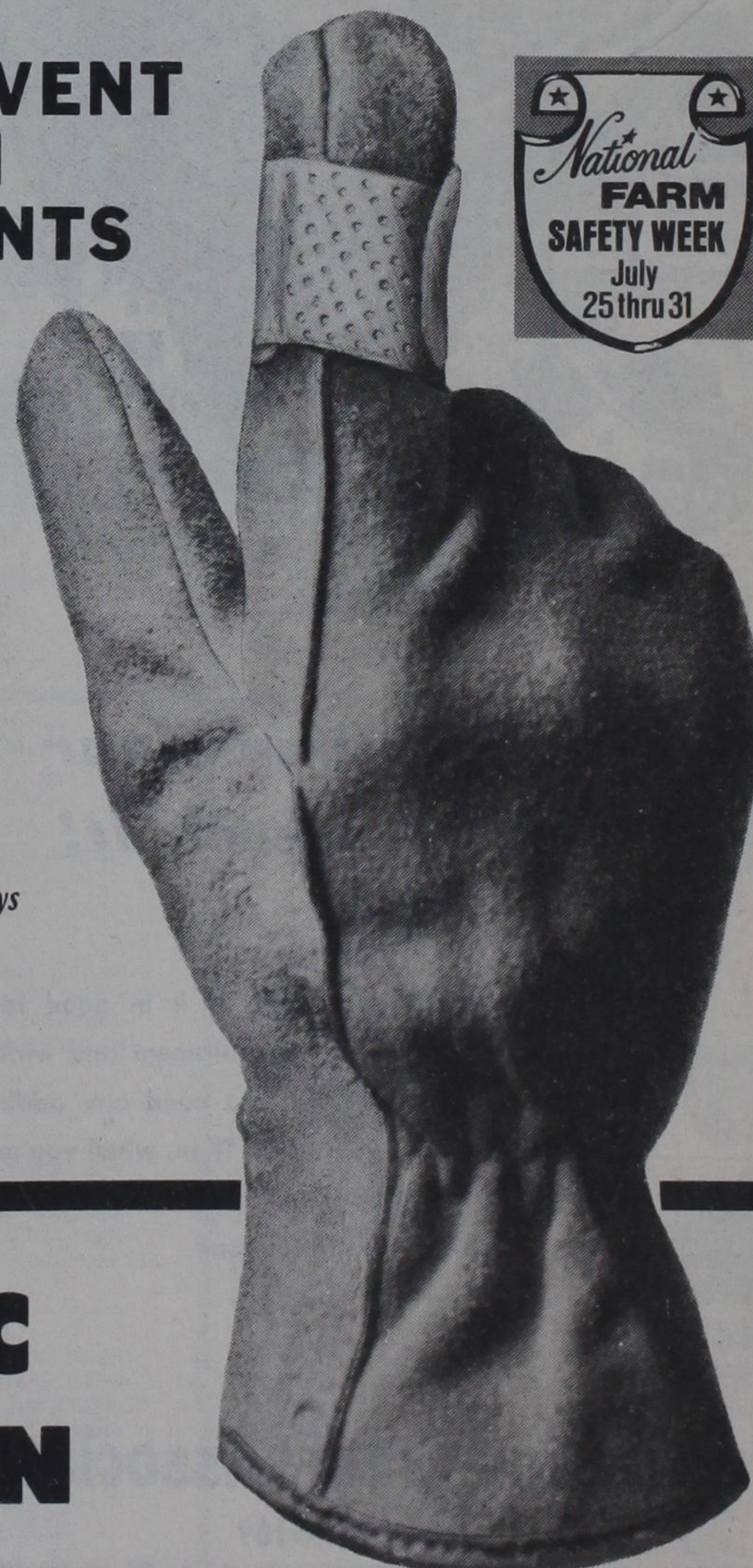
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### Beverage permit law is relaxed

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday notified the 42,000 holders of alcoholic beverage permits and licenses that after August 29 they will not need to file a certificate of good standing from his office with their annual renewal application.

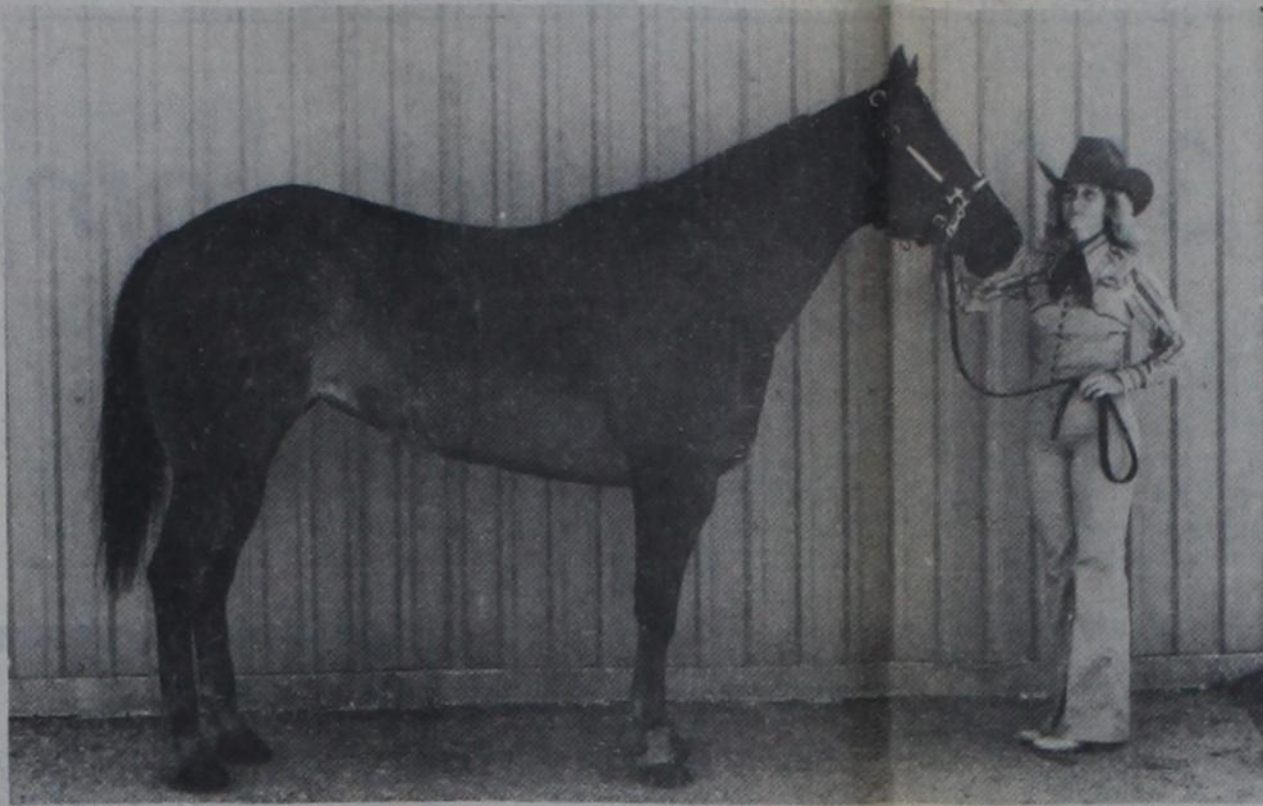
However, he added, all new applicants must continue to file the certificate of good standing in order to have their alcoholic beverage permit or license issued.

In 1977 the legislature provided for the comptroller's office to issue the certificates

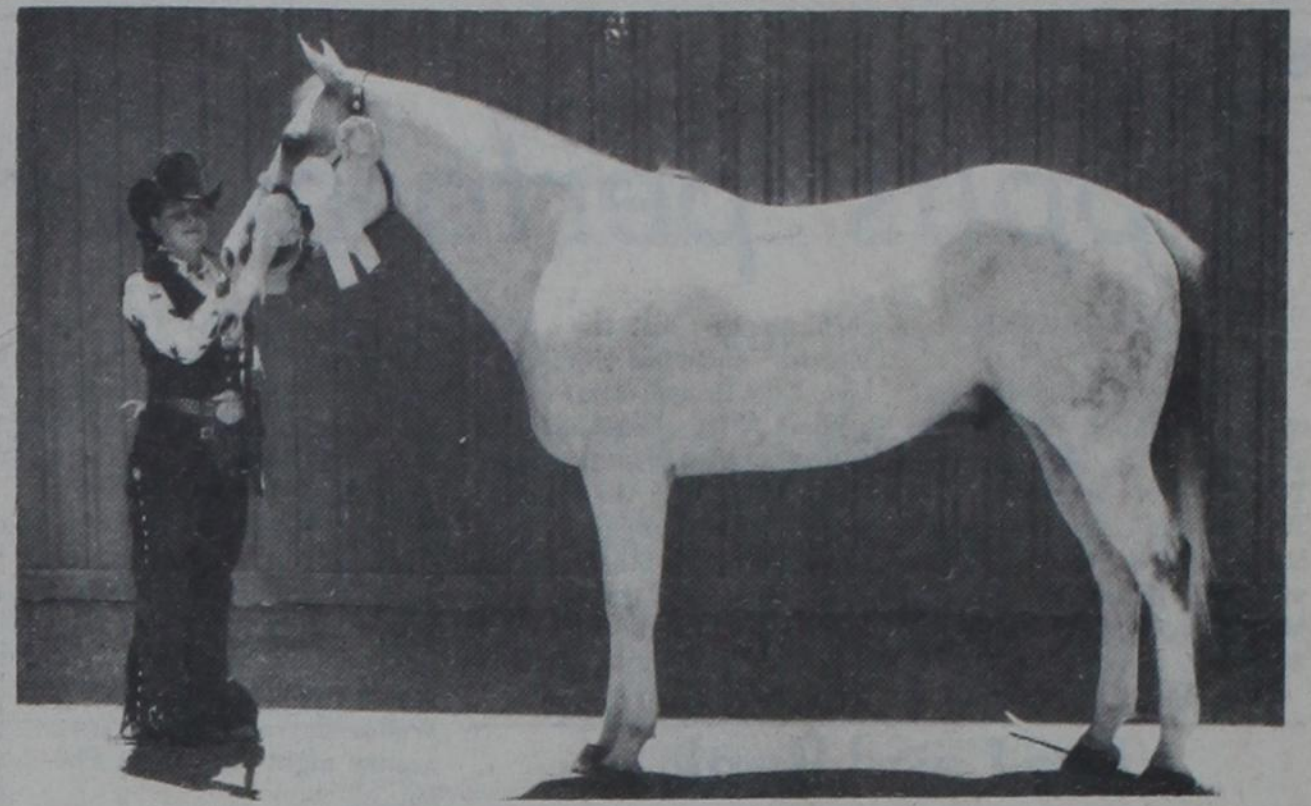
of good standing to provide some muscle in the collection of sales tax from the retail sale of alcoholic beverages.

"After enforcing this new law for a year, we have found that the overwhelming majority of businesses involved in the retail sale of alcoholic beverages are good taxpayers," Bullock said.

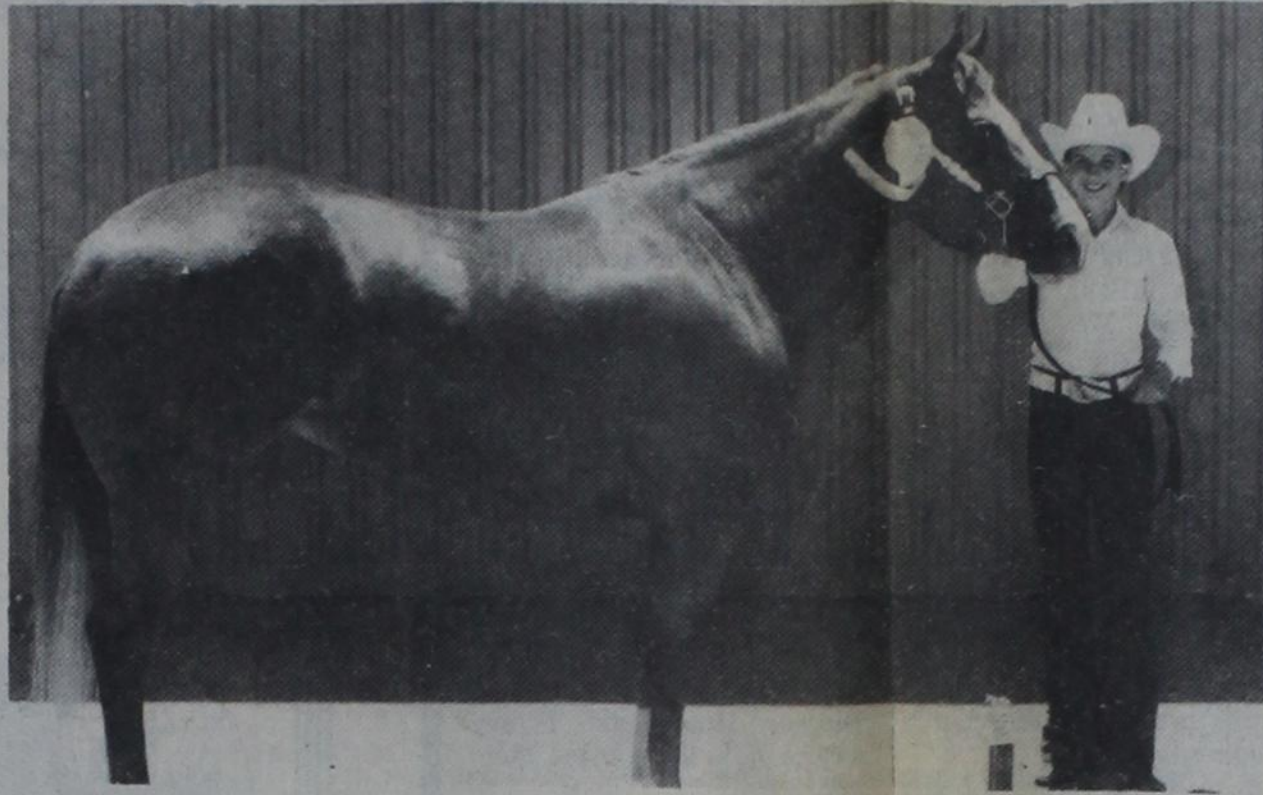
The Mexican American population in the US has grown from about 1.5 million in 1930 to more than 5 million.



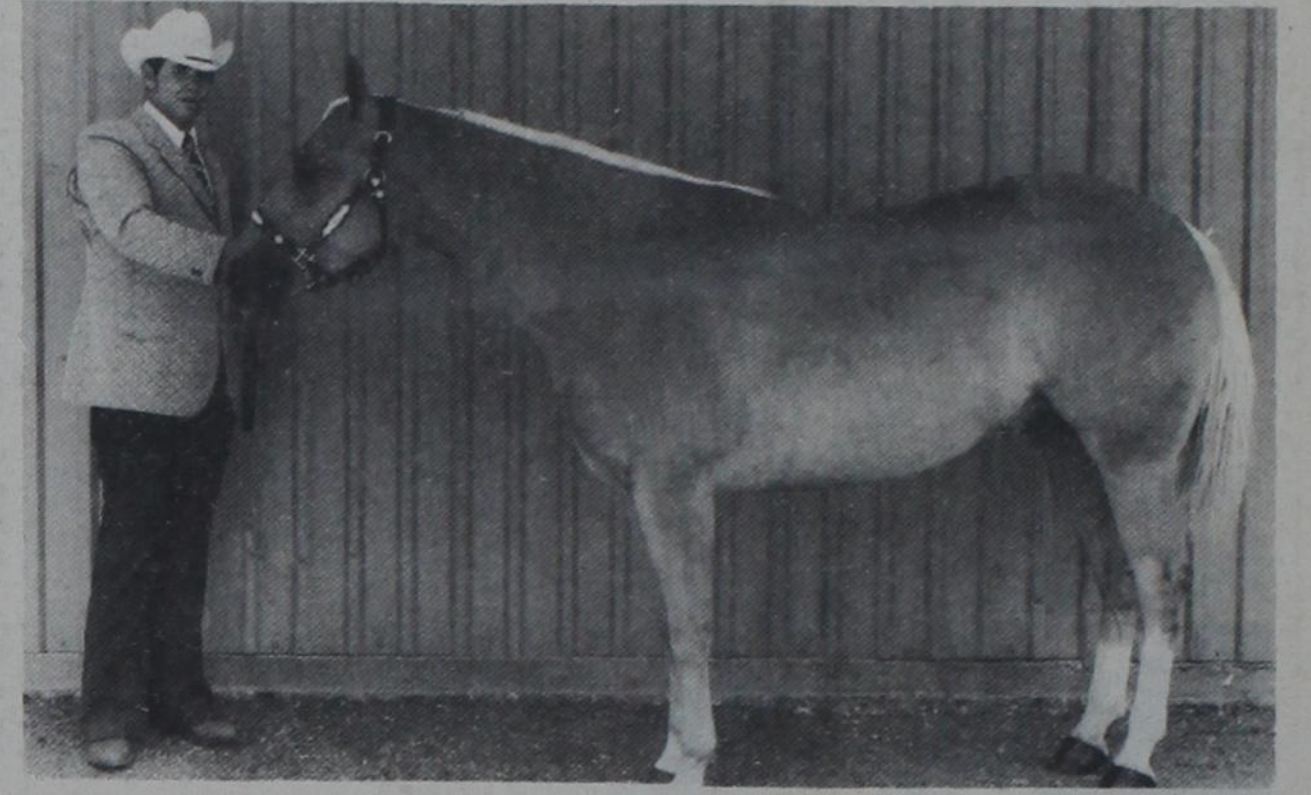
Carol Bagwell with grand champ mare, Two-Eyed Pet



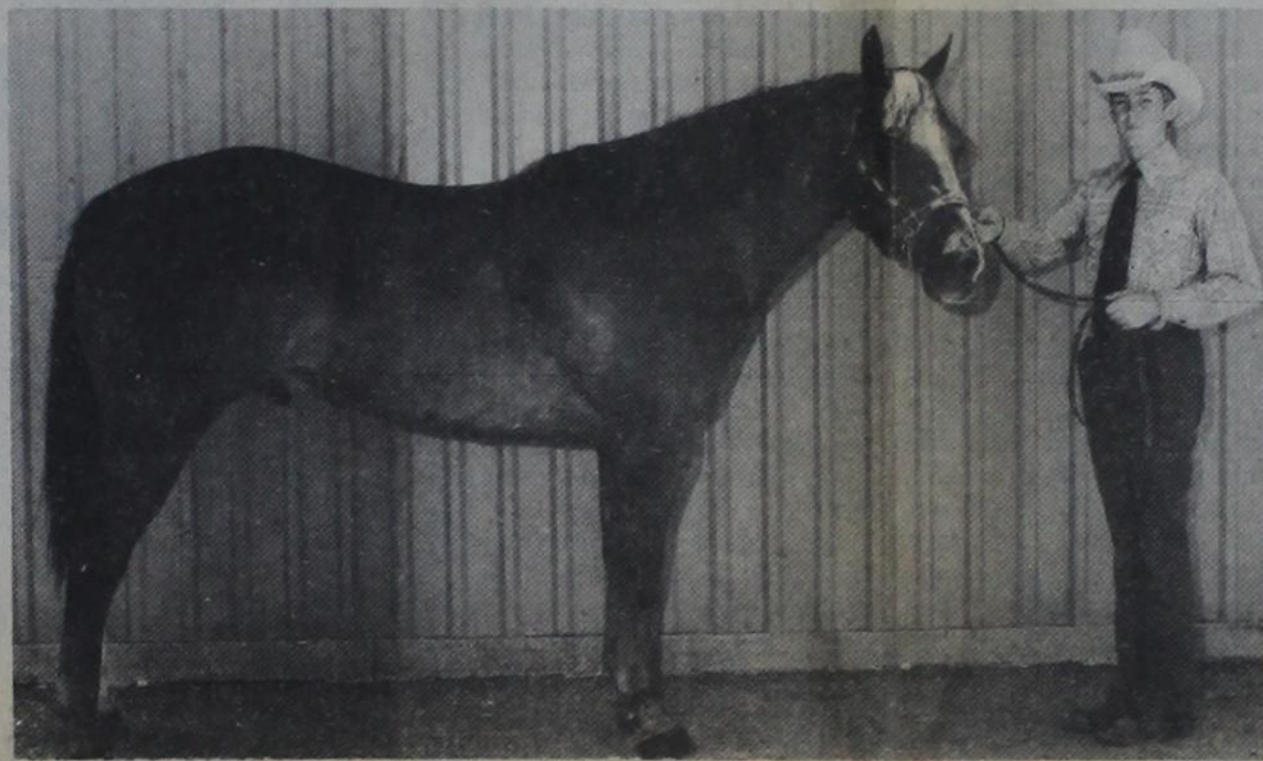
Robin Cluck, state qualifier on points



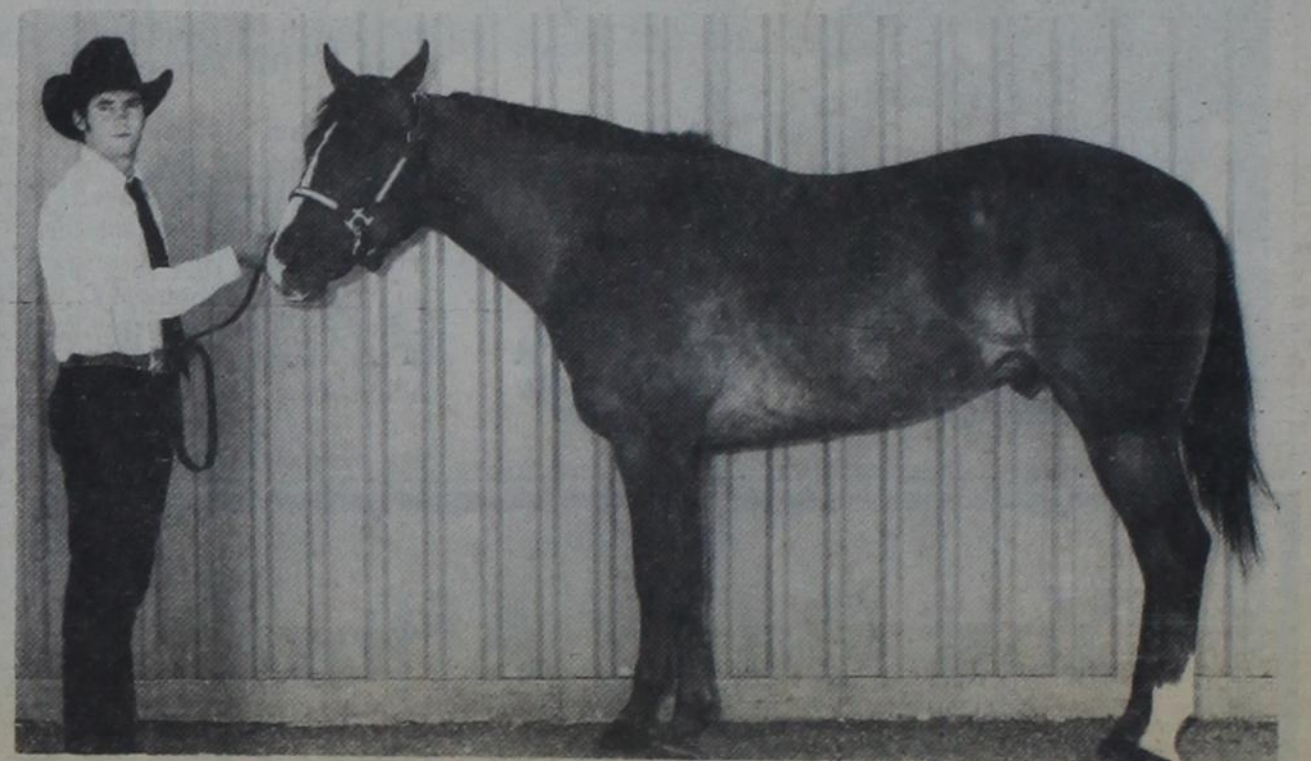
Jerri Ka Clark and reserve champ mare, Speckasalt



Morris Cole with reserve champ gelding, I'm Competition



Kyle Bagwell with his horse at district show



Scott Bagwell, who earned points to enter state meet

Theresa Vaughn, English polygamist, had 61 husbands.

### Six qualify for state horse show

Six girls and boys from Castro County 4-H Clubs will go to San Antonio next week to compete in the State 4-H Horse Show July 26-29.

They won the right to enter state events by placing high in the recent District 2 show at Lubbock, where Castro County youngsters totaled 78 points to far outpoint the second place county, Lubbock, which had 48.

The grand champion mare was shown by Carol Bagwell, the reserve champion mare by Jerri Ka Clark and reserve champion gelding by Morris Cole to lead the county winners. Also earning enough points in various events to qualify for the state meet were Robin Cluck, Scott Bagwell and Kyle Bagwell.

Scott Bagley, Jackie Anthony and Kelly Nelson were named among the alternates who will go to the state meet if any of the qualifiers are not able to compete.

### Sue Creighton is enrolled in special course

Sue Creighton of Dimmitt was one of 38 vocational industrial personnel attending this year's five-week vocational education program on the Wayland Baptist College campus here.

The course of study for vocational industrial personnel is a two-summer program in which students may obtain certification in their respective fields of employment.

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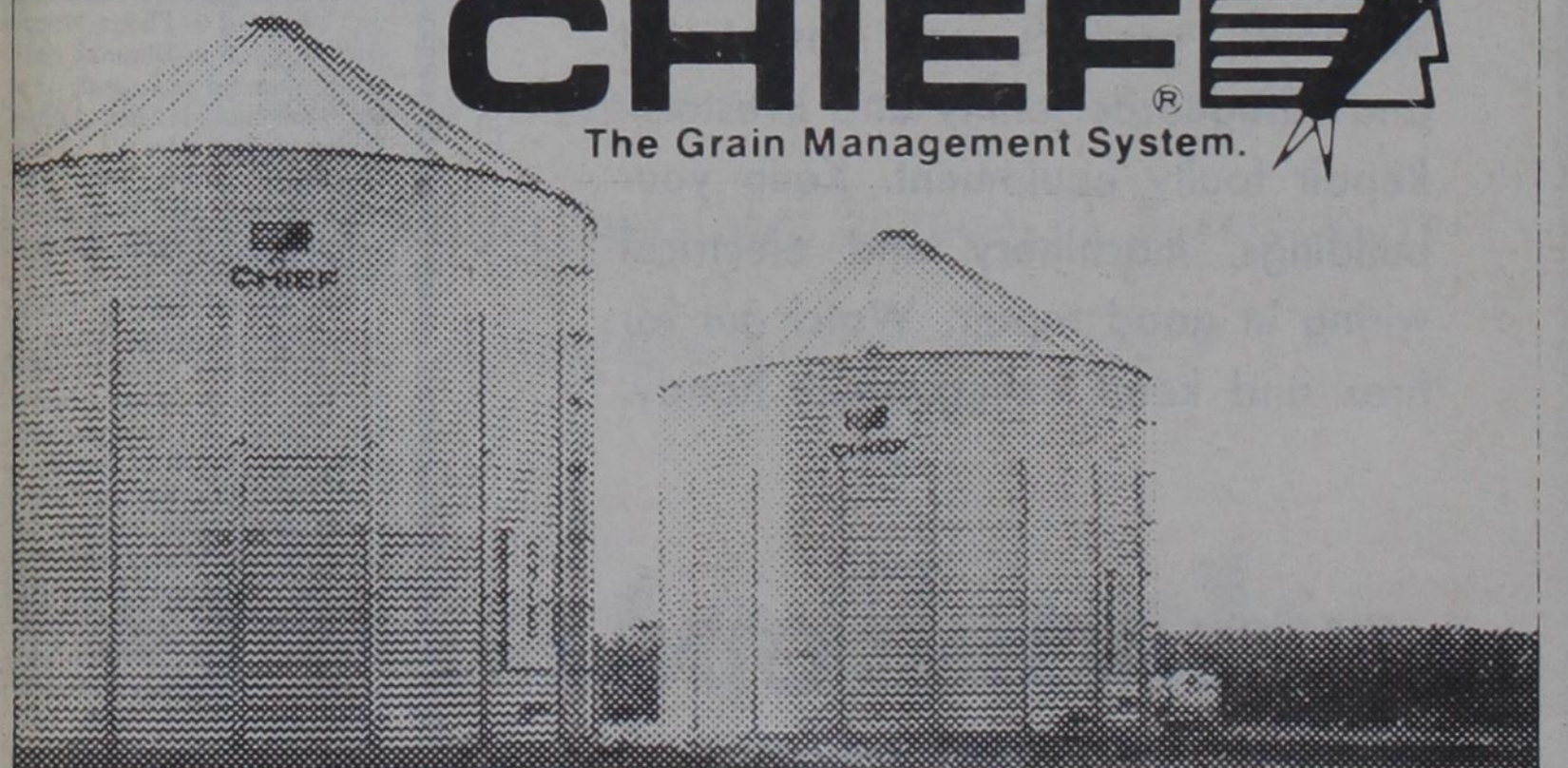
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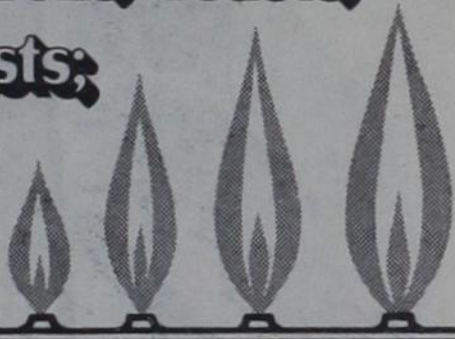
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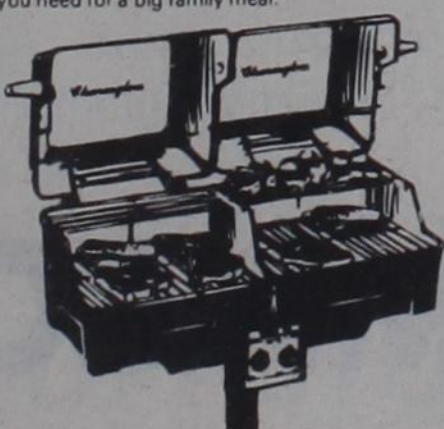
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# 'Uppits' perform for 350 at church camp

By TEENY BOWDEN

Rev. Raymond Jones directed R.A. Camp at Plains Baptist Assembly Monday and Tuesday but became ill on Tuesday and had to come home. Mrs. Jones went down with the Sunnyside Uppits Monday and spent the night with him.

The Uppits who gave a performance for the boys Monday included Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown, Mrs. Bruce Bridges, Mrs. David Sadler, Tammy and Rhonda Ross, Susan Sadler, Ginny and Anne Guy, Ray Lynn Owens, and Carrie and Stacy Sadler. They also had dinner with them. There were 350 boys attending the camp Monday through Thursday.

Roy Phelan underwent major surgery in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview Tuesday morning after being admitted Monday. He was dismissed Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan of Fieldton and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Morris of Tulia were with Mrs. Phelan throughout the day. Mr. and Mrs. H.F. Moore of Weatherford visited Wednesday and spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Phelan.

A 6 lb. 12 oz. girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Ott in the Littlefield Hospital Wednesday night. She was named Meri Lyn. They were dismissed Friday. Shanon and Misty have been staying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Marion of Denver City. They brought them to see the new baby Saturday and stayed through Sunday with them.

Rev. Ellis Parson of Lincoln, Kan. preached in the Sunday morning services. He and his family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and family. He preached at Calvary Church of Friona Sunday night. He is pastor of a mission in Lincoln and also holds Bible classes in various homes in Ellsworth and Tescott.

The cooperative program film "Born to Serve" was shown in the Sunday night services. Twenty-six books were checked out of the church library Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m. New captains in the Treasure Hunt Reading Club include Cinnamon Cox, Melinda Wilson, Swendolyn Wilson, Melody Sadler, and Gilbert Pina. Sharon Bradley is the only Admiral, having read over 60 books.

Tommy Graham received word this week that he had received a \$400 scholarship from Bailey County Rural Electric Association. Rev. and Mrs. Roy Shave, Marquerite McLain, Bessie Gensberg and Teresa Jackson, all from Hart watched puppet practice at the church Wednesday night.

Lynn Brown returned home from his Hawaiian vacation Saturday morning in Lubbock. He also worked while he was there. He and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Brown and Lee and Gale Brown at the E.R. Browns, and visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Swinney.

Ray Joe Riley, Kevin and Jodie were in Amarillo Thursday to meet Mrs. Ray Riley and some friends as they returned home from a European vacation. The families of Mrs. Elmo Bell and Mrs. Robert Dobbins were also there to meet them.

Tommy Graham vacationed in New Mexico and Colorado with Jimmy Craft and his family from Earth Wednesday through Saturday.

David Sadler was honored with a delayed birthday enchilada supper in his home Monday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler, Stacy and Laura, Mr. and Mrs. James Powell and Cheryl of Dimmitt, and Mrs. David Sadler.

Paula Sue and Karen Ivey of Canyon spent Monday through Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey. Their trailer house was hit by lightning and burned to the ground the night of the flood in Canyon. They and their mother were in Red River with her parents so escaped the fire, but all they had left were the clothes they had with them.

Mrs. Martin Lefevere had charge of the Wednesday night prayer service. The pastor was present, but they planned to be in camp with the R.A.'s.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Jones of San Angelo arrived Saturday to visit a few days with Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and have his medical check-up in Lubbock.

Jerry Shive of Amarillo, Alan Shive of Denver City, Donnie Shive, Ronnie Griffith and Mrs. V.E. Bearden of Dimmitt and Dorothy Brandt of Toledo, Ore. visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and Lyle Shive.

Mrs. Noah Spencer and Mrs. V.E. Bearden took Mrs. Brandt to the bus in Canyon Thursday for her trip home. Mrs. Bearden fell in her home Friday and was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital.

Katie Waggoner of Dimmitt was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Saturday morning as a result of a fall she had in her home Friday night. Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner visited with her and she and Mr. Waggoner visited with her again Sunday afternoon. She is 92.

Mrs. Gerald Graham had a party for her Elementary I and II Sunday School class Sunday. Those present were Kyle Jones, Lacy Layman and Chris Cornett, all of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jo Riley, Kevin and Jodie visited in Hereford last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scott and her sister, Kay Morrison, and children of Canyon. Wendy Morrison came home with them and visited with Jodie until Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wag-

goner attended a sales convention in Lubbock Saturday night and spent the night at the Holiday Inn. Stacy and Jana stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner.

Melody and Karla Sadler went home with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake King last Sunday night and visited with them until Thursday.

Mrs. Glen Wilson, La-Glenda, Gwendolyn, and Melinda spent the day Monday with her father, Jim Brooks of Clovis.

Kim Haydon attended cheerleading camp at McMurry College in Abilene Monday through Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Starnes, Deanna, Donna and Danae of Centerville had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Freeman and Sonya of Jal and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson, Daneen and Ann visited with them after supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon took a pick-up load of supplies to missionary W.A. Parks at Roma Thursday, and left the pick-up for him to use on a mission trip into Old Mexico. Hutcherson Flying service flew them home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parson of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Parson and children of Bula had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and the rest of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Parson of Houston arrived Sunday to join their children and visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan of Fieldton had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan. She attended the Sunday night church services with Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke took R.E. Duke to the Duke reunion at the community center in Canyon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Byers, Brannon, Brooke and Nicole returned home Monday from a ten day vacation in Illinois where they visited her rela-

tives and in Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ricky Byers was honored with a birthday party in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Hamilton in the Dodd community Friday night. Samantha Wilson spent Saturday and Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones. She and Mrs. Jones visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones in Olton. Mrs. Doug Freeman and Sonya of Jal visited them also Saturday afternoon.

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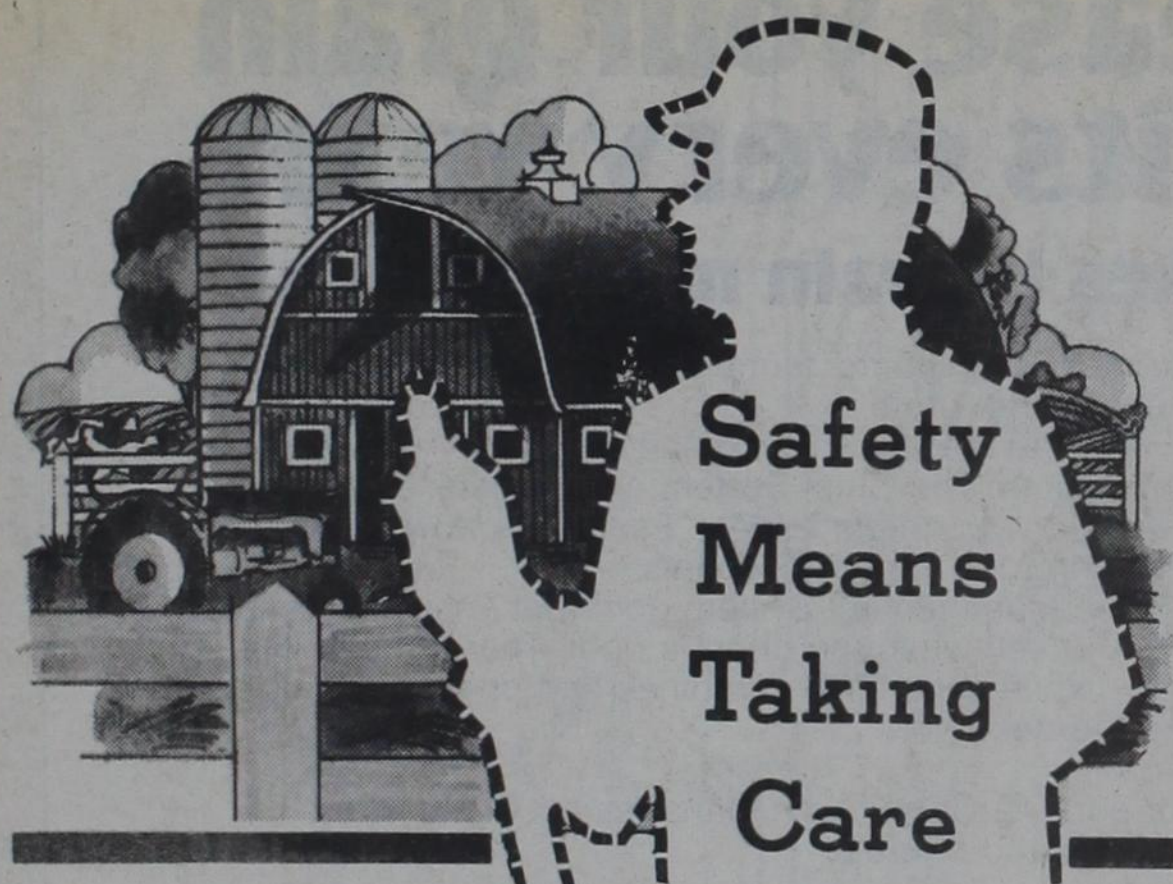
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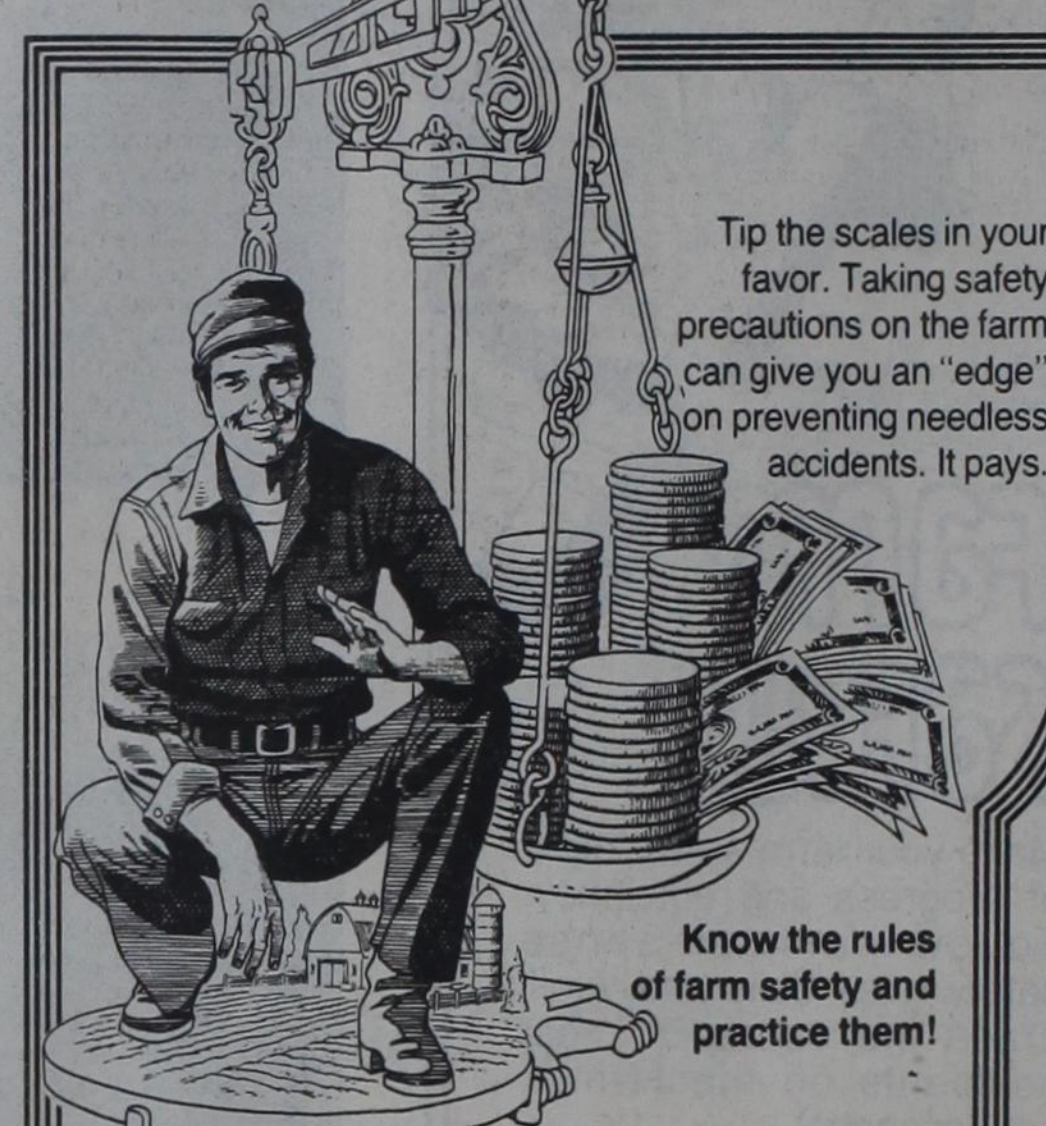


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Families visit California

By VIRGIE GERBER

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hoelting, Mrs. Ella Hoelting and sister Jean Heiman flew to Inglewood, Calif. and enjoyed a weeks visit with Mr. and

Mrs. Bill Heiman. Mr. and Mrs. Wert Hoelting and other relatives. They enjoyed horse races, ball games, toured Disneyland and Marineland.

Mrs. Ella Hoelting, Fonsa Huseman, Flora Backus, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Venhaus and Elmer Huseman went to Happy Friday evening to the Rosary service for Ralph Huseman. On Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huseman, Dorothy Kleman, Irene Huseman, Cecil and Ella Hoelting attended the funeral mass in Happy.

Bill and Debbie Mumme and his mother ate lunch with the Albert Gerbers. They are in the process of moving to Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ehly, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Backus, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huseman and Helen Backus attended the Silver wedding mass and reception in Tulia for Loyd and Genevieve Noble.

A Bridal shower for Annalene Venhaus was given Sunday evening in the home of Mrs. Sybil Steffens. A number of nice gifts were received. Out of town guests were Mrs. George Venhaus of Happy and Mrs. Velma Warren of Hereford.

Ed and Eileen Gerber and family of Dumas spent the weekend here with the Paul

Venhaus family. Edmund and Sharon Backus and family of Dumas spent last weekend with Helen Backus.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Acker and family of San Antonio are here for a few days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brockman and family of Lazbuddie spent Sunday visiting Agnes Brockman and the Clarence Schultes.

The Ronnie Russells of Lubbock and the Calvin Yarbroughs of Sunray spent a couple days with their parents, the Jerome Brockmans.

Mrs. Tom Brockman and children of Friona spent Wednesday with Agnes Brockman. Lisa stayed to spend some time with her grandmother.

Vickie Wilhelm is spending several weeks with her parents, the James Wilhelms. She will be teaching school this year at McCamey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Brockman went to Kansas City to visit their daughter Lorene and husband. From there they will fly to Washington, D.C. to visit Lon's sister Martha.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Venhaus, Paul Venhaus, Helen Backus and Agnes Brockman attended the wedding of their cousin Frank Kaplan in Clovis Saturday.



IN SPECIAL PROGRAM—Daria Underwood, a migrant reading teacher in the Hart Public Schools, is shown with Dr. Bill Franklin of Stephen F. Austin State University where she is taking part in a special school administrators' training program this summer. She is one of 85 school personnel selected from over the state for this two-year program, which leads to a master's degree and temporary administrative certificate. It is sponsored by the Texas Center for the Development of Human Resources.

Vega show adds to places won in 4-H Horse Club

Castro County 4-H Horse Club members, who had already run up the most points at the District 2 show in Lubbock, competed in a six-county show at Vega Saturday and continued to earn places including a grand championship.

Carol Bagwell showed the grand champion mare and Jerri Ka Clark the reserve champ, as they did at Lubbock. Mike Anthony took a first place for grade geldings age 5 and over. In the riding events, first places were won by Clark, Robin Cluck and Scott Bagwell.

Members of the Castro County group placed as follows:

- REGISTERED MARES 5 and over—C. Bagwell 1st.
- REGISTERED MARES 4 and under—Clark 1st; Kelley Hill 2nd; Greg Odom 3rd; Janet Sammann 4th.
- REGISTERED GELDINGS 5 and over—Scott Bagley 3rd,

- Cluck 4th.
- REGISTERED GELDINGS 4 and under—Kelly Nelson 2nd; John Smith 3rd; Morris Cole 4th; S. Bagwell 5th.

- GRADE GELDINGS 5 and over—Mike Anthony 1st; Monte Johnson 2nd.

- SHOWMANSHIP, junior—Cluck 1st; Clark 2nd; seniors—C. Bagwell 2nd; Jill Brown 4th; Nelson 6th.

- PLEASURE, juniors—Clark 1st; Cluck 3rd; seniors—S. Bagwell 2nd; Nelson 4th; Bagley 5th.

- HORSEMANSHIP, juniors—Clark 4th; seniors—S. Bagwell 1st; Bagley 4th; Cole 6th.

- REINING, seniors—Kyle Bagwell 2nd; Johnson 5th.

- POLE BENDING, juniors—Clark 2nd; seniors—Brown 4th.

- BARREL RACE, juniors—Clark 1st; seniors, Brown 2nd.

THE ancient Greeks were the first people actually to take baths.



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

JULY 20 — Marie Winders, Vera Patton, Sandra Blair, Marla Blanton, Karen Robertson, Dean Smithson, Chevo Lumbra, Freddie Hamilton, John Street, Emma Huseman, Steve Albracht, Ron Backus, Bradley Thomas Keel.

JULY 21 — Jeana Hastings, Irene Miller, Karon Moss, Fred Waggoner, Carl Parks, Don Gregory, Mrs. Lawrence Acker, Jimmy Kern.

JULY 22 — Nelson Carthel, Durward Davis, Lint Merritt, Magdaleno R. Catano, Mona Brockman, Debbie Mumme, Chris M. Wethington, Deanna Heiman, Joshua Book.

JULY 23 — Leona Rials, Sandra Bagwell, Debbie Schmucker, Ella Hoelting, Margie Wilhelm, Tommy Wethington, Randy Huseman.

JULY 24 — Christina Montes, Elbert Smith, Brock Merritt, Kike Stinson, Adam and Jonathan Johnson, David Ehly.

JULY 25 — Dee Anne Morgan, Darlene Dowell, Doris Lust, Gary Jackson, Joe Soler, Roger Malone, Maurice Campbell, Dianne Hochstein, Shari Schilling.

JULY 26 — Mary Jo Brown, Sue Broderson, Jay Dean Gunnels, Jack Thompson.

JULY 27 — Genell Craig, Courtney Armstrong, Anita Aleman, Glenda Sims, Babette Spinhrne, Natlie Falcon, Wayne Schacher, Steve Bezner, Jodi Johnson, Julie Hatla.

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## Hart ISD board hires coach's aide, teachers

An assistant coach and two other faculty members for the coming term in Hart Independent School District were employed, an accounting firm was approved to do the 1977-78 school audit, and work in progress on the elementary school building was inspected at last week's meeting of the HISD board of education.

Bert Vandiver, who has taught four years in Pampa schools, was employed as an assistant coach, driver's education and health teacher. He has a BS degree from West Texas State University and is a Dalhart High School graduate.

Vicki Vandiver was employed as a secondary school teacher. She taught two years at Pampa after a similar tenure in O'Donnell High School. A graduate of Pampa High, she also earned a degree at WTSU.

Robin Criswell, who will begin a teaching career after receiving a BS degree from Hardin-Simmons University at

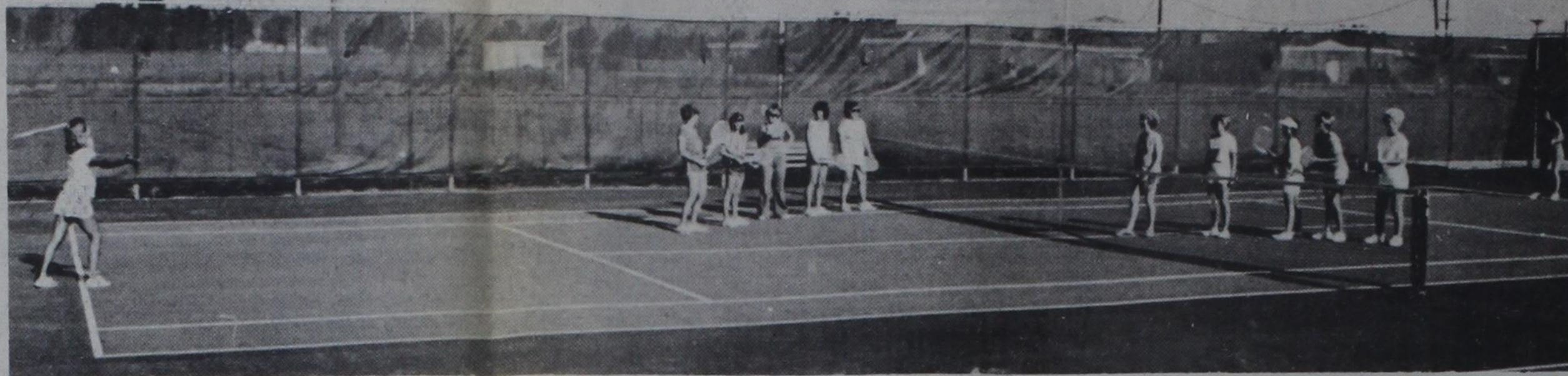
Abilene, is another new employee, as a language arts teacher. Her high school work was done at Olton.

Board members discussed the new bilingual policy for Texas schools and the impact it will have at Hart. Handbooks for elementary, junior high and high school for the next school term were adopted.

A high bid of \$1,242 from a Baptist Church at Plano, for a 1969 Chevrolet bus which the Hart school district had advertised for sale, was accepted. The firm of Brown, Graham & Co. of Tulsa was selected by the board to make the annual HISD audit.

Members went to the elementary school to inspect improvements being made to the ceilings, light fixtures and insulation.

ONE of the accessories offered with a 1902 Packard was an ammonia gun to fight off the dogs that nipped at the tires.



**TENNIS, EVERYONE?**—How's this for mixed-up doubles? With five women playing the net on each side, the game could get hectic. These are tennis class students of Joe King at the Ruskin Racquet Club having fun as they prepare for the club's open tennis tournament which will start next Wednesday. Serving at left is Mary Killingsworth, and

receiving at far right is Diana Johnson. Playing the net, from left, are Virginia Hansen, Beth Mohon, Cheryl Glidewell, Dolores Golden and Mary Jo Ray on the left side, and Ellen Gregory, Jean Morris, Joyce King, Patsy Morris and Joyce Rickert on the right side. The tourney is open to all ages; entry deadline is Monday.

## Open net tournament scheduled

Entry deadline for an open tennis tournament at the Ruskin Racquet Club will be Monday. The tourney on the club's courts in Southwest

Dimmitt will be held next Wednesday through the following Sunday.

Divisions for several youth age groups, as well as adults in classes that includes beginners and over-35's, have been announced by Joe King, tournament director. Entries and fees are to be sent to him at the club or Box 26. Entry fee is \$5 per person for singles and \$10 for doubles.

Tournament matches will begin at 9 a.m. next Wednesday with singles for beginner ladies followed at 10 a.m. with junior high singles and doubles, for youngsters through age 14.

High school students, ages 15-18, will begin play at 9

a.m. Thursday, while men's and ladies' "B" singles are scheduled at 7 p.m. that day.

On the Friday schedule, beginning ladies doubles will be played at 9 a.m.; singles and doubles for boys and girls age 12 and under at the same hour. "B" doubles for men and women are set at 7 p.m. Friday.

Men's and women's singles will start at 9 a.m. Saturday. For men and women over 35, singles and doubles are scheduled at 10 a.m.

That evening the mixed doubles open division is scheduled, and so are mixed doubles matches for the over-35's, both at 6 p.m.

## small talk from South Hills Manor

This morning Floy Hart had her two granddaughters, her daughter-in-law, and five precious great-grandchildren here for a visit. They all went out for lunch. She had such a good time.

Mrs. Parker's grandson Bobby Doan and wife and their two sons were here visiting Wednesday. Bobby and family are from Houston.

As a lot of you readers know Hattie Webb is a very sweet lady with a keen sense of humor.

Hattie was born in 1889 in Jack county. She had one brother and nine sisters.

As a young girl she helped in the fields doing what every needed to be done. For entertainment they would square dance.

In 1908 Hattie married her sweetheart Clate Webb there in Jack county.

Hattie had three children but lost one boy and one girl. Her daughter is Polly Manning. She had four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Hattie worked here in Dimmitt for nineteen years at the Mannings department store. She has lived here in Dimmitt since 1926.

Hattie is still a very active young lady. She pieces quilts for her church to quilt and give to orphanages and Boys Ranch. She loves to do the handwork and play bingo.

Come visit Hattie sometime. You'll enjoy every minute of your visit with her. We extend our sympathy to

the families of Pearl Sheffy. We will miss Pearl at the Manor.

In the hospital this week are Mrs. Newberry and Mrs. Umberson. A card and a prayer would cheer these ladies.

We extended our sympathy to Darrell and Dorothy Musick in the loss of Darrell's brother Joe of Athens.

Donna Myers, a nurse at High Plains, came to visit Velma Tucker. Donna was one of L.A.'s nurses while he was in the hospital.

Saturday night Hershel and Retha Wilson, daughter Dancien came to the Manor and presented a music program. With the Wilsons were Angie West from Jal, N.M. and Anne Groulund from Finland. Anne's here in the US for six weeks.

Mrs. McMurry's son from Dallas has been up visiting.

Charles Grisham and his wife brought the service and special music this week. They are from the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Coke attended the wedding of grandson Darrell Buckley and Beth Cleveland Monday morning. She looked lovely as she left.

Mrs. Tucker sends this little poem:

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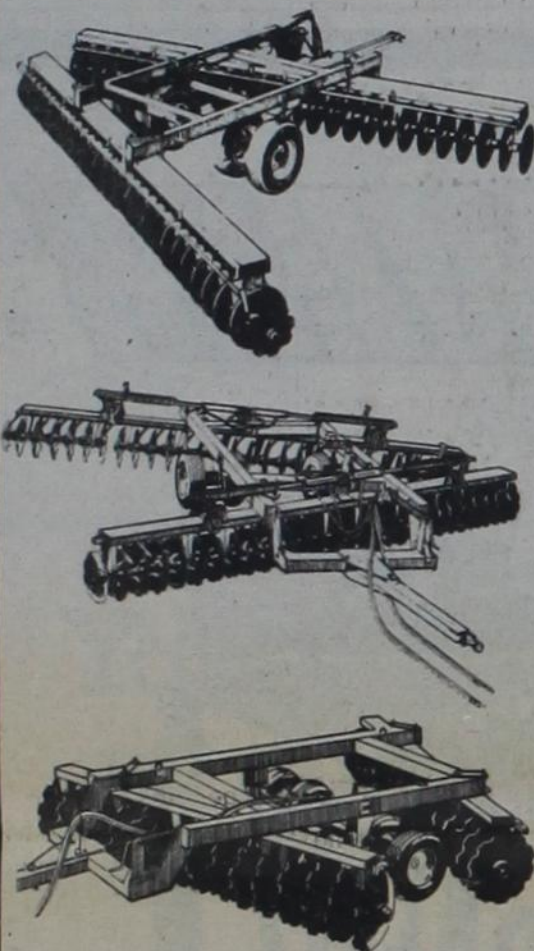
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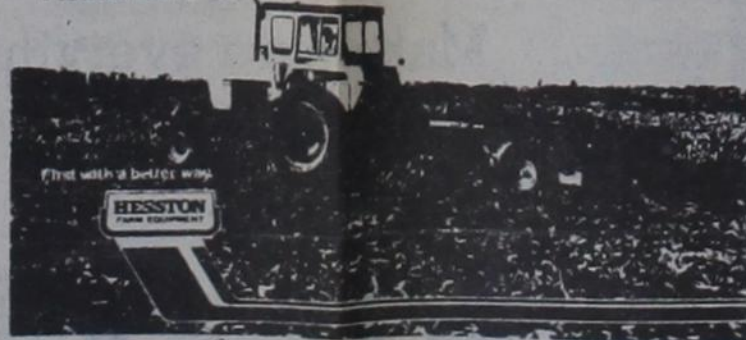
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**15—LEGAL NOTICES**  
LEGAL NOTICE  
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JOHNNY MASON  
Superintendent of Nazareth Public Schools  
15-42-2tc

We would like to take this opportunity to say Thank you to all the umpires, gate workers, concession stand workers, announcers and to those who helped prepare the ball park diamond for the Jr. Babe Tournament, and to all those who brought food. You helped make the tournament another success for Dimmitt.  
We would also like to thank all the parents who brought food and the teenagers and team mothers and our officers who helped with the concession during regular season ball-games. The time that you give has made our baseball program for our YOUTH the Great Program we have in Dimmitt.  
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# Miss Schulte-Doyle Kleman are married at Nazareth

A midafternoon ceremony Saturday in the Holy Family Catholic Church at Nazareth was read for the marriage of Rosemary Schulte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schulte, and Doyle Kleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dean Kleman.

Rev. Stanley Crocchiola, pastor, celebrated the nuptial mass, assisted by Jerome Brockman. Sunshine yellow and white gladiolas and daisies decorated the church, with paired white baskets of blue and yellow silk roses in front of the podium.

Mrs. Richard Hoelting and Tricia Gerber sang the wedding selections, accompanied by Mrs. Jim Peggram who also played the organ processionally.

In the wedding party were family members of both bride and groom. Her sister Elaine was Miss Schulte's maid of honor and Ricky Kleman served as best man.

Karleen Kleman, the groom's sister and Karen Schulte, the bride's younger sister, were bridesmaids with Rachelle Pohlmeier. Groomsman were the groom's brother Gerry, the bride's brother Dwayne and Floyd Birkenfeld. The groom's nephew, Michael Schmucker, carried the rings.

Serving as altar boys were Calvin, Rodney and Brian Ramaekers and Jack Ball. Candles were lighted before the service by the bride's brothers Calvin and Rodney. Guests were ushered to pews by Mark Hoelting, Danny Gerber and Clifford Braddock.

As Mr. Schulte gave his daughter in marriage, she was gowned in snowflake organza with re-embroidered Chantilly lace trim over bridal taffeta. The dress, designed in empire style, had a cameo neckline, a lace belt and bishop sleeves with frills of lace over her hands.

Inserts of the lace dotted with seed pearls ornamented the sleeves and the full skirt, which was finished with a wide flounce at the hemline shaping into a chapel train. Her bouffant fingertip veil of illusion, with a border of lace, floated from a lace coil trimmed with seed pearls.

An heirloom, her grandmother's rosary, was entwined in the yellow roses, daisies and babybreath of her bouquet and she wore her great-grandmother's wedding band as another luck piece.

Bridal attendants were dressed in yellow polyester crepe with fitted lace bodice, sweetheart neckline and skirts formed of three gathered tiers, each edged in lace. Bell sleeves were elbow length, of sheer voile the color of the crepe.

Their picture hats had brims turned up in the back and pinned with a carnation and yellow ribbons. Their flowers were daisies in nosegays.

The wedding reception was held in the Nazareth Community Hall where the serving table was beautiful with baskets of silk roses and lighted with floating candles.

Mr. and Mrs. Kleman left on a honeymoon trip to South Texas, and on their return will be at home at Nazareth. For travel the bride wore a blue eyelet sundress and pinned on a corsage of roses from her bouquet.

She attended Amarillo college last term. Kleman is employed with Hill Farms at Hart. Both are graduates of Nazareth High School.



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Welch ... married in recent wedding

## Mark Welch and bride at home in Iowa city

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Welch are at home in Leon, Iowa, after their recent marriage in the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at Independence, Mo. Both are students in Grace-Land College at Lamoni, Iowa.

Mrs. Welch is the former Brenda Barr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Barr of Ann Arbor, Mich. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. James Welch of Dimmitt.

Richard Hoover of Ann Arbor officiated for the marriage service at an altar centered with a single large white candle based in a bouquet of daisies.

Wendy Barr was her sister's maid of honor and another sister, Diana Hoover, the bridesmaid, with Kristi Exelby as junior bridesmaid. All are Ann Arbor residents.

Perry Church of Friona acted as best man and Brent Graef of Hale Center, a cousin of the groom, as groomsman. Ushers were the groom's brothers-in-law, Jim Patton of Nashville and Warren Neighbour of Des Moines.

Traditional wedding music was played by Pam Peipergerdes, organist.

The bride's gown of white crepe had narrow lace edging the portrait neckline and extending down the empire bodice to form a front panel. Bands of satin ribbons were sewed down the length of the full sleeves, and accented the three tiers of the skirt.

Her fingertip tulle veil, bordered with lace, was held by the lace caplet embroidered in seed pearls. She carried a nosegay of yellow sweetheart roses, daisies and babybreath with yellow ribbon streamers.

Of yellow flower-printed sheer, the attendants' dresses were styled with low neckline, cape sleeves and skirts with ruffled hems. Sashes were

attached at the natural waistlines. Their flowers were in smaller nosegays, and the junior bridesmaid carried blossoms in a white basket.

A reception in the church fellowship hall followed the ceremony. College friends of the bride served the three-tiered white and yellow wedding cake and punch. House-party members included the groom's sisters, Sharon Patton of Nashville and Rhonda Neighbour of Des Moines.

Leaving on a trip to Nauvoo, Ill., the bride wore a pink sundress with eyelet embroidery bodice and brown accessories.

She is a junior business major at Graceland, and a graduate of Ann Arbor High School. Welch, who graduated from Dimmitt High, is a senior, majoring in economics. He manages a cattle ranch at Leon.

Special wedding guests were his grandmothers, Mrs. Charley Graef and Mrs. Mae Lawhon of Lazbuddie.

The bride's mother wore a yellow formal gown with V-neck, long sleeves and fitted bodice. Mrs. James Welch chose an orchid lace opera-length dress with long sleeves and portrait neckline, with pearl and amethyst accessories.

### On the go

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dollar and daughters, Bonnie, Tammy, Dawn and Betty, with Mrs. Dollar's mother, Mrs. Anna Ehni of Tucson, went to Lockney Sunday for a Dollar family reunion. Family members were present from Oregon as well as Hart, Friona, Hereford, Amarillo, Hale Center, Fort Worth, Plainview, Pampa and Lubbock in Texas.

# Cleveland-Buckley wedding read in morning ceremony

The marriage vows of Beth Ann Cleveland and Darrell Buckley were spoken Monday morning at an altar where tapers in brass candelabra shed their glow on ivy tendrils, daisies and babybreath massed on the chancel rail at the First United Methodist Church.

Rev. Marvin Roark, former pastor, read the service for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cleveland and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Buckley.

While Deanne Clark played an organ prelude, the bride's mother and her grandmother, Mrs. Mike Pegram of Marble Falls, were escorted by her brother Kevin down the aisle marked with white bows and daisies.

The groom's brother Larry escorted his mother, also his grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Coke, to their pews. Other guests were seated by Steve Myatt, Rick Wright and Steve Nutt, ushers. Jerry Schaeffer and Cindy Howard of Waco lighted the candles.

Wedding selections chosen by the couple were sung by Zelda Ellison with Mrs. Clark accompanying.

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Vicki Cleveland was her sister's maid of honor and Steve Buckley his brother's best man. Brenda Blackwell of Childress and Linda Wise were bridesmaids, Gary Wise and Norman Hays the groomsmen. Christy Howard of Waco was the flower girl who walked before the bride



Mrs. Darrell Buckley ... Nee Beth Cleveland

in the processional.

Her daughter's bridal gown was designed and made by Libby Cleveland, of starwhite silk organza. The empire bodice was overlaid with pearl-encrusted lace and double rows of ruching outlined the cameo neckline and formed brief cap sleeves.

A deep ruffle headed with lace and pearls was set above the hemline of the skirt, which fell straight from the waistline in front but spread in a circular back flare to form a chapel train.

Two tiers of illusion edged with narrow lace were gathered to a headpiece of yellow roses for the fingertip veil. Her bouquet had yellow roses and daisies set in a froth of babybreath blossoms.

Bridal attendants were dressed in similar style, with tiered skirts, stoles and white camisole tops. The maid of honor's skirt and stole were in buttercup yellow, the bridesmaids' in mint green. They carried baskets of daisies.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckley and their parents received guests in the church fellowship hall after the ceremony. Sharla Vaughan and Lisa Hall invited them to the register.

On the bride's table, the wedding cake made by Katy Wright, the groom's aunt, was topped with fresh daisies and babybreath. The bridal bouquet was laid at the base of central silver candelabra.

Coffee was served with pumpkin muffins and a fruit

bowl at the groom's table, which was covered with a white and yellow cloth.

Geneva Schaeffer, Reba Touchstone and Maxine Tidwell, who had planned and arranged the floral decorations, and Shirley Wise presided at the bride's table. Rhonda Wise, Susan Wise and Kim Miller poured coffee at the groom's table.

A cousin of the groom, Sherri Wright, Amy Merritt and Carla King assisted in the houseparty.

The newlywed couple left on a trip to Ruidoso and after Friday will be at home in the Flagg community. Mrs. Buckley wore a forget-me-not blue sundress with white accessories for travel.

She is a sophomore at Texas Tech University and plans to commute to Lubbock to continue her studies there, where she is on the basketball squad as she was in Dimmitt High School before graduation in 1977.

Also a DHS graduate who attended Tech three years, Buckley farms in a family partnership with his father and brother Steve.

Guests who came from other cities for the wedding included the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pegram of Marble Falls, Mrs. Jean Blackwell of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ballard and D'Ann of Fort Worth and the groom's sister, Janet Claborn, with her children Jackie and Jason of Phoenix.



Mrs. Doyle Kleman ... The former Rosemary Schulte

### Irene's Ideas

## Heat may cause illness

By IRENE A. KEATING  
Summer temperatures are here and we need to guard against heat exhaustion, heat stroke or sunstroke.

The combined effects of sun, exercise, heat and excessive perspiration which result in loss of fluids and salts can produce a serious condition.

The body's normal reaction to high temperatures is to pool blood near the surface of the skin so that sweat is formed and then evaporated into the air releasing heat.

This can cause a lack of sufficient blood in the vessels deep in the body if a person is exposed to high temperatures—especially combined with a high humidity—for a long period of time.

Some symptoms of heat exhaustion include muscle cramps and weakness, and although the victim's temperature may be near normal, the pulse is often very weak. The skin is usually cool but very pale and moist.

Treatment consists of getting the person out of the sun immediately. Slowly sipping cool—not cold—water will help to cool down the body.

Heatstroke, or sunstroke, is more serious than heat ex-

haustion. It's often a medical emergency.

A breakdown of the cooling system of the body which causes the body temperature to rise uncontrollably causes heatstroke.

Because the sweating mechanism is not working, there is very little perspiration.

One symptom of heatstroke is dry, red, hot skin and a fast, strong pulse. The victim may also be nauseated and have a headache. There is also a possibility of the person collapsing.

As in the case of heat exhaustion, the important thing is to get the victim out of the sun and to lower the temperature.

Sponge the person with water, especially around the head. Avoid giving the victim stimulants such as tea or coffee because of the possibility of complications such as increased blood pressure.

If the person is unconscious, give no fluids at all.

To prevent sunstroke or heatstroke, avoid being in the sun and heat for a long period of time, drink a sufficient amount of liquids and wear loose-fitting clothing such as cotton T-shirts which help to retain perspiration and keep the body cool.

## Shower honors Mrs. Portwood in Acker home

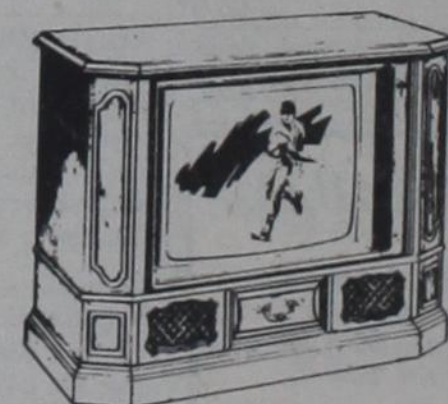
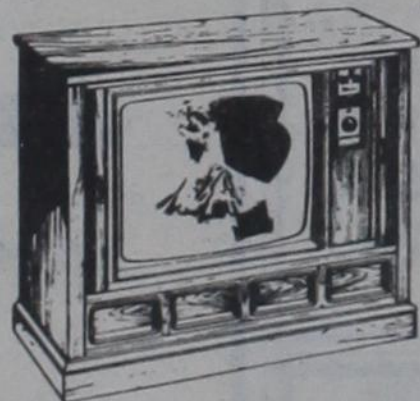
A layette shower with Mrs. Tommy Portwood as honoree was an event of Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Paul Acker.

Hostesses with Mrs. Acker were Mmes. V.L. Kirby, Anthony Kirby, Keith Acker, Baxter McSpadden and Michael Goolsby. Their gifts to the honoree were an infant carrier, diaper bag and baby book.

Callers who presented gift packages which Mrs. Portwood opened at the party were served tropical punch with cake decorated in pastel colored flowers, from a table laid in white.

A special guest was the honoree's mother, Mrs. P.L. Hoyer. Guests from other cities were her sister-in-law, Mrs. David Harris of Lubbock, an aunt, Mrs. B.N. Fincher of Tulia and a cousin, Mrs. Jack Fincher of Amarillo.

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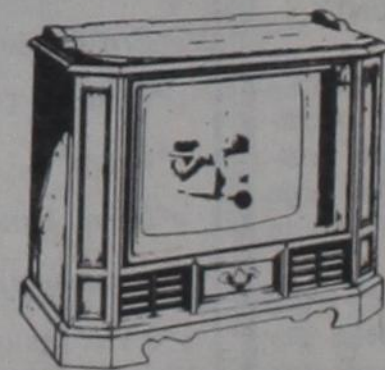
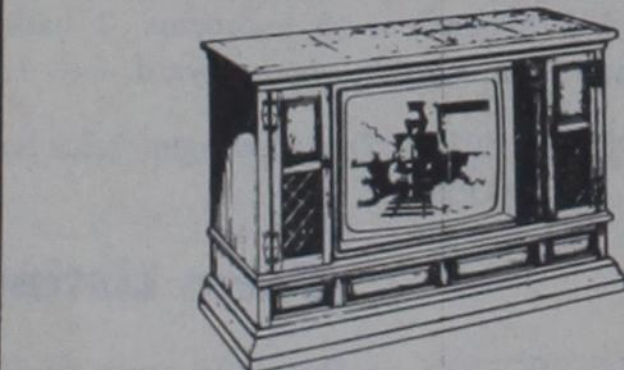
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Jo Hickey [left] of the Village Shop in the same block, and Chamber of Commerce Secretary Shirley Hall. Observing the ceremony in background, from left, are E.L. Ivey, Chet Braafladt, District Manager Buddy Covin of Farmers Insurance Group, Bill Behrends, Walt Hansen, Randall Craig, Fire Marshal Guy Waldrop and Police Chief Alan Newman.

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## Water district raises permit deposit to \$50

The board of directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 voted at its July meeting to approve amending the rules of the district to call for a \$50 well permit application deposit instead of the currently required \$10.

This new deposit amount will still be refundable to the applicant if (1) the application is denied by the board, or (2) if the application is granted,

upon timely receipt of correctly completed registration and log of well, or (3) if said permit location is abandoned without having been drilled, upon return and surrender of said permit marked "abandoned" by the applicant.

The new rule is due to become effective on Sept. 1.

The board also heard a report from Don Smith, assistant district manager, that 262 open holes have been found in

On  
**Wall Street**  
By Bob Hill  
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There is a double financial whammy facing homebuyers this summer—inflated housing prices and zooming mortgage interest rates. Home mortgages are going for 10% in some areas.

But there are some new places to look for a home loan. First, try your company's credit union. State chartered credit unions have been in the home mortgage field for years. Now, new legislation gives federal credit unions (the most common type) the right to make 30-year mortgages. Many of the federal credit unions are gearing up to help members finance a new home.

Some credit unions will lend mortgage money a shade cheaper than commercial lenders. Other make loans at the prevailing rate. Either way you will probably save the loan-initiation fees which run from 1% to 1½% of the mortgage, which many commercial lenders charge.

Another plus is that credit unions do not usually charge a prepayment penalty, a nice feature if you think you may have to move in a few years. Finally, you can have your mortgage payments deducted from your pay, which simplifies your record keeping.

Insurance companies, absent from the home mortgage field for the past 10 years, are another source. High yields and a slack demand for commercial mortgages are bringing them back to the home mortgage field. Generally,

they deal through local mortgage companies which you can find listed in the Yellow Pages or ask your banker.

One of the new type of mortgages has a graduated payment scheme. It is designed for young families whose income is likely to grow and pushes monthly payments below normal in the early years. It then pushes them above normal 5 to 10 years later.

Other borrowers have taken the variable-rate mortgage in which the interest rate rises and falls with a cost-of-money formula. These mortgages offer a slightly lower interest rate and the right to transfer your mortgage at its then current rate when you sell your house.

Lubbock County as a result of a recent field survey taken by the district.

Letters were sent to the owners of the land where the wells are situated advising them of the potentially hazardous situation and asking them to properly close the open well holes.

Directors were briefed on the recent report given to the City of Shallowater concerning its water supply. A. Wayne Wyatt, district manager, reported that Shallowater had approximately 7½ years of water supply left in the aquifer underlying the corporate limits of the city.

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## Asian trip made to boost sorghum

Another phase in Grain Sorghum Producers Association's market development program will begin this week when Elbert Harp, GSPA's executive director, will lead a grain sorghum mission to Asia.

In cooperation with U.S. Feed Grains Council, the team of specialists will hold seminars and meetings with grain buyers in Hong Kong, Taiwan, Malaysia and the Philippines. Accompanying Harp will be John Brethour, livestock nutritionist of Kan-

sas Agricultural Experiment Station and Dr. Lloyd Rooney, cereal chemist and nutritionist of Texas A&M University.

Grain buyers in Asia have been unhappy with grain sorghum due to the purchase of "high tannin" grain from other sorghum exporting countries. Grain Sorghum Producers Association considers it of utmost importance that these buyers be made aware of the difference between the sorghum grown in other countries and that grown in the U.S.A.

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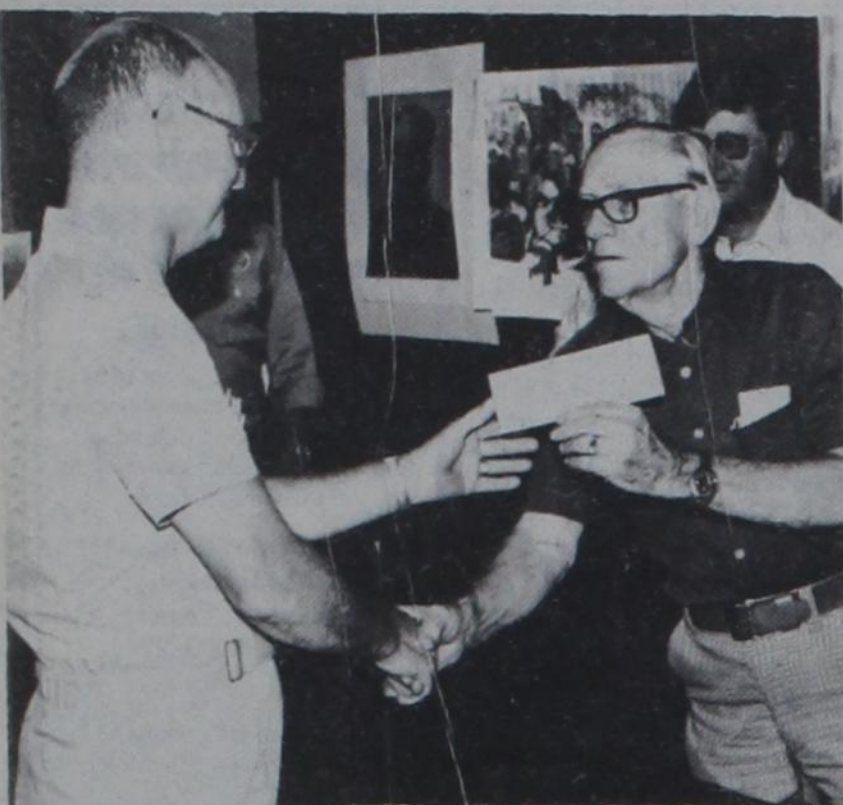
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**ROTARY 'HEART' CHECK**— Dr. B.D. Murphy (left), president of the Castro County Unit of the American Heart Association, accepts a \$330 Rotary Club check from Elmer Youts during Friday's Rotary meeting. The check represented the proceeds of the club's recent Parade Day Garage Sale, which was held to benefit the Heart Association, and will pay the balance needed for a new training modult to teach local people the techniques of cardio-pulmonary resuscitation. Co-chairmen of the club's garage sale were Richard Connell (background) and Dale Wells.

**AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY TEXAS DIVISION, INC. THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING**



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**ACS Unit represented at state convention**

Mrs. Bob Lindsey and Mrs. Claude Forson attended the 33rd annual meeting of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston, July 12-13.

Mrs. Lindsey represented the Castro County unit as a voting delegate and Mrs. Forson as alternate.

Dr. Gerald L. Woolam of Lubbock was elected president of the Texas Division at the meeting and Dr. T. Paige Carruth of Canyon, Area 1 vice-president.

Dr. Charles LeMaistre, who will become president of M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute in September following the retirement of Dr. R. Lee Clark, was the keynote speaker. Dr. Clark was also present at the meeting and was recognized for this 32 years of service at M.D. Anderson.

According to Mrs. Lindsey, the Annual Meeting is held each year to elect a new board of directors and officers, to recognize outstanding volunteer work around the state and to formulate program plans for the coming year.

"The meetings were very worthwhile, and it is certainly gratifying to see more than 300 volunteers from all over

the state get together for a common cause," said Mrs. Forson. Numerous service awards were presented to volunteers and staff members.



By Billy and Carolyn Harman

The Dimmitt Promenaders held their square dance meeting the 11th of July. Four squares danced to the cueing of Randy Costley of Canyon. We enjoyed all of the visitors from the Swinging Singles Club from Hereford.

Four couples of the Promenaders went to the graduation dance held in Hereford for the Swinging Singles Club Wednesday night. Randy Costley cued for that dance also.

The Promenaders held their annual summer picnic in the city park, Sunday the 16th. Everyone enjoyed the good food and fellowship.

We will have a float in the Earth parade Thursday the 20th at 5 p.m. The theme is "Frontier Days." The float will feature the teenagers do-si-doing, the club sweetheart and covered wagons and campfires denoting our version of a covered-wagon square dance.

Next meeting of the Promenaders will be July 25.

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