

New pest is bugging wheat farmers

Russia's latest export is causing some serious trouble in area wheat, with the Russian Wheat Aphid spotted in fields throughout the region, including Castro County, according to entomologists with the Extension Service.

"This aphid could be a very serious problem," said County Entomologist Allan Knutson. "This is the first time we've ever seen it here, and we know it is in the county now, and has gone to the north of Hereford."

The aphid, which is indigenous to southern Russia and has been a pest of wheat and barley there since the turn of the century, had never been reported north of Mexico, and specialists were unsure of how the aphid got to this area.

Significant yield reductions can result from infestations by this aphid, according to Dr. Pat

Morrison, area extension entomologist. "This is no joke to our wheat farmers."

This aphid injects a toxin into the plant, causing it to turn purple, cause infested leaves to exhibit white, longitudinal streaks, and give heavily infested plants a flattened appearance with the tillers lying almost parallel to the ground.

"The aphids are found mainly on the newest growth of the wheat plant, generally at the base of the tightly-curved last leaf," Morrison said, "and in later growth stages the aphids infest the flag leaf."

Morrison said a few South Plains fields were beginning to experience whitish circles three to five feet in diameter where the aphids had

begun to kill the wheat.

Present recommended control measures are treatment with a combination of a contact insecticide, such as parathion, plus a systemic insecticide, and Morrison said this would cost farmers about \$5 per acre applied aerially.

The Russian aphid is relatively small, less than two millimeters long, and is green with an elongated, spindle-shaped body. Morrison said it is easily distinguished from other aphids by extremely short antennae, a double tail appearance, and, to the naked eye, absence of prominent cornicles (dorsal tubes) typical of other aphids.

Producers and county agents across the South Plains began seeing the unfamiliar

symptoms in fields about March 20 and asked Morrison for help. He examined specimens and recognized it was not a common aphid. The aphids were tentatively identified as Russian wheat aphids two weeks ago by USDA researchers in Belville, Md.

"Dryland or stressed fields appear to be more susceptible to damage than well-irrigated and fertilized fields," Knutson said. "Surveys the last few days have shown that more heavily infested fields will show the white circular areas from three to five feet in diameter where the aphids have killed the wheat."

Knutson also added the limited information available indicates that insecticides should be applied before the flag leaf becomes visible.

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Goolsby is tops at science fair

Dimmitt High School freshman Kelly Goolsby captured top honors in the South Plains Regional Science Fair at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview with his exhibit on electrical induction.

Goolsby won first place in physical science before winning the top overall honor, and received a \$1,000 scholarship from WBU, the Metric Award and merit awards from the US Air Force and the US Navy, which includes a probable cruise.

Goolsby's exhibit will also be entered in the International Science Fair May 11 in Dallas, where over 600 entries from around the world will be competing for top honors.

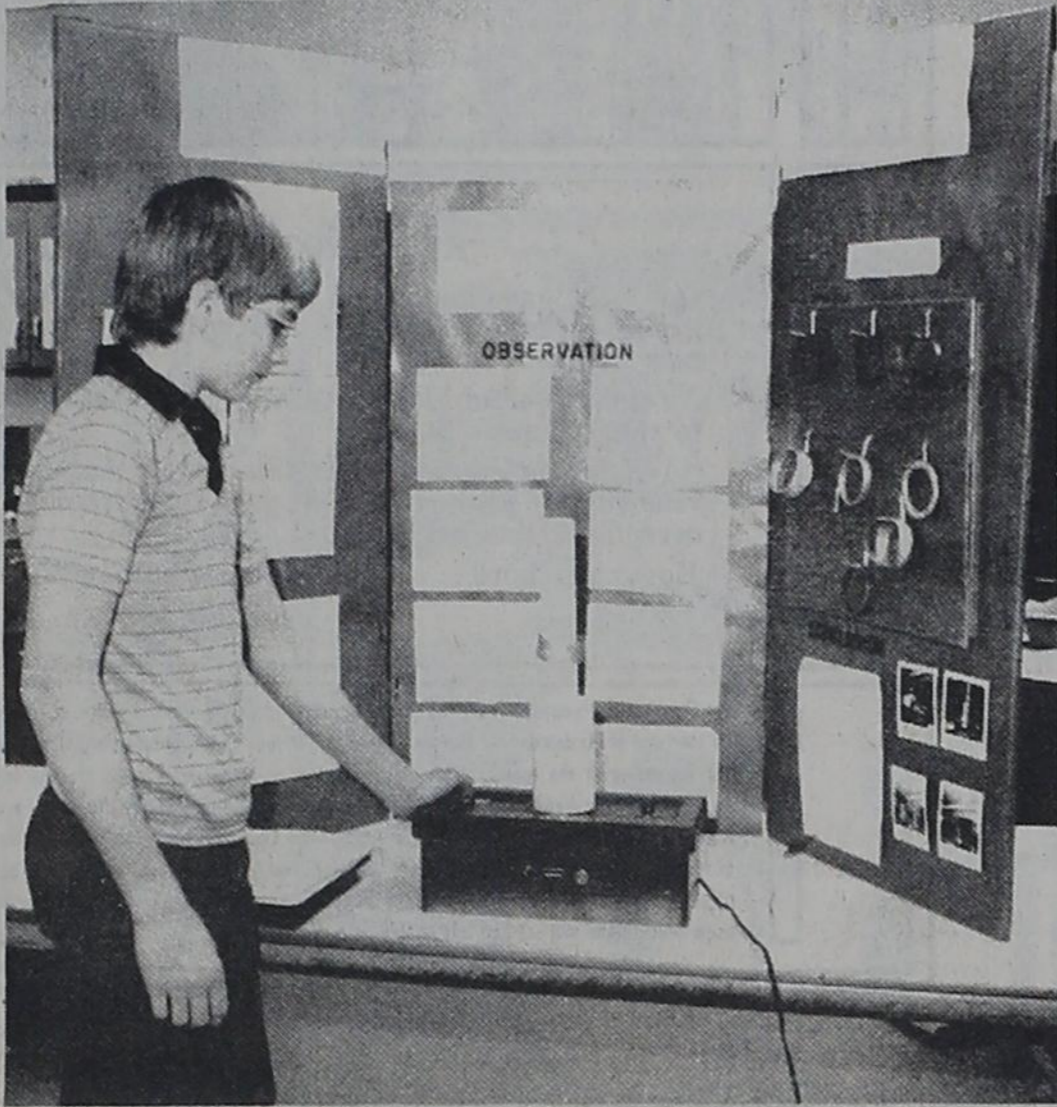
Two other DHS students also received high honors at the fair, including David Mohon and Chanin Ross.

Mohon was the first place winner in chemistry with his entry explaining rotating chemical reactions. The entry was honored as the Most Outstanding Achievement in chemistry, awarded by the US Air Force, and received honorable mention for the top physical science award.

Ross' entry studied the effects of insect homogenates on enzyme activity, and won second place in biology and was named the outstanding entomological exhibit from the Southwestern Branch of the American Entomological Society.

30 Dimmitt Middle School students also participated in the Science Fair, which boasted 359 entries from 45 counties and attracted over 1,000 spectators.

DMS entered 25 exhibits representing students in the fourth through eighth grades.



REGIONAL WINNER—Dimmitt High School freshman Kelly Goolsby was named the top winner at the South Plains Regional Science Fair Saturday at Wayland Baptist University. His exhibit was on "Induced Electrical Magnetic Force," and included suspending various metal coils, like the aluminum coil suspended along a cylinder above.

DMS students won seven blue ribbons, six red ribbons, and eleven white ribbons.

Five of the DMS students received special awards for superior achievement in biological or physical science, and the DMS seventh grade won the Sweepstakes trophy for outstanding achievement by a grade level.

First-place winners winning special awards included Michael Garza, fifth, honorable mention; Cory Joiner and Barry Hill, junior division honorable mention; John Wall, third place in biology; and Michelle Hardee, first place plaque in biology.

Also winning first place were Matt Sims and Christy Killough.

Second place winners included the team of Leslie Nelson and Amy Wooten, and Brandi Morgan, fourth grade; Shad

McDaniel, fifth grade; sixth graders Monica Villanueva and Susan Waggoner, and seventh grader Ryan Hardee.

Third place winners included fourth grade teams including Katrina Acker and Kandall Derrick, Don Metcalf and Kasey Wheelerless, Mitzie Heller and Angelica Garcia, Robert Moss and Mario Castillo, and Stace McDaniel; fifth graders Heath Acker, Zach Smith, and Julie Atchley; and sixth graders Jennifer Sava, Scott Atchley and Yvonne Hernandez.

The South Plains Regional Science Fair was established to recognize the accomplishments of young people involved in scientific inquiry and to encourage young people to continue studies in science.

Sponsors included Glenda Sims and Paul Walden.

Boards take on new faces after elections

One incumbent was defeated, while two others who were opposed won narrow margins in municipal elections in the county Saturday, while plenty of new faces decorated county boards this week.

Louis Huseman was defeated in his bid for re-election to the Nazareth school board as Ronnie Hoelting, with 151 votes, and Ed Ramaekers, with 125 votes, won the two seats available on the board.

Huseman was a distant third with 58 votes.

Carroll Gerber narrowly edged Jerry Lange, 56 to 48, to keep his seat on the Nazareth City Council, while Mayor Tom Hoelting received 104 votes in his unopposed bid.

Stanley Nelson, the only incumbent on the Dimmitt School Board, was only the third leading vote-getter but kept his seat on the Dimmitt School Board. Sara Hill, with 358 votes, and Dr. James Sims, with 340 votes, led the race, while Nelson garnered 328 votes.

Arlie Petty was a close fourth with 290 votes, while Jerry Stump got 204 votes, Steve Buckley 188 votes, Jerry Nutt 151 votes and Connie Martinez 114 votes.

Three new faces dotted the new Dimmitt City Board of Aldermen Monday night as Don Sheffy, Harold Hyman and Wayne Proffitt led a four-way race for the three seats vacated by retiring Aldermen David Behrends, Joyce Hunter and Ann Armstrong.

Sheffy led the way with 551 votes, while Hyman received 366 votes and Proffitt garnered 350 votes. Ann Cox was a close fourth with 322 votes.

Two new faces are on the County Hospital District Board, as Stanley Schaeffer and Juanita Bruegel replaced

retiring directors Marguerite McLain and Jerome Brockman.

Schaeffer was the top vote-getter in the county, garnering 598 votes in Dimmitt (including all absentee ballots), 161 votes in Nazareth and 36 votes in Hart for a total of 795 votes.

Bruegel claimed the other spot, with 483 votes in Dimmitt, 77 votes in Nazareth and 20 votes in Hart for 580 total votes in the county. Lucille Drerup was third with 418 votes, including 229 in Dimmitt, 157 votes in Nazareth and 32 votes in Hart.

The races in Hart were uncontested, as Weldon Davis and J.D. Myrick were re-elected to the Hart School Board and Ronnie Truelock regained his seat on the Hart City Council.

Dimmitt's new City Board of Aldermen took care of a short agenda quickly Monday, with most of the board's time taken in swearing in the three newest members—Don Sheffy, Harold Hyman and Wayne Proffitt—who were elected last Saturday in the municipal elections.

David Hays, who has the longest tenure of any of the aldermen, was unanimously elected mayor pro-tem by the board, and was authorized to sign checks for the city—duties which would be carried out in the absence of Mayor Wayne Collins.

The aldermen voted to reject all bids for the proposed Dimmitt Municipal Airport improvement project at the request of the Texas Aeronautical Commission.

The board will meet Monday at 6:30 p.m. for a budget

ELECTION RESULTS

Hospital District

Schaeffer795
Bruegel580
Drerup418

Dimmitt Aldermen

Sheffy551
Hyman366
Proffitt350
Cox322

Dimmitt School

Hill358
Sims340
Nelson328
Petty290
Stump204
Buckley188
Nutt151
Martinez114

Hart School

Davis51
Myrick50

Hart City

Truelock29

Nazareth Council

Lange48
Gerber56

Nazareth Mayor

Hoelting104

Nazareth School

R. Hoelting151
Ramaekers125
Huseman58
Ball50
B. Hoelting48
Lange24

workshop to review the city 1986 budget. The new city fiscal year begins May 1.

CUFUPU into action Saturday

Dimmitt's ongoing push for cleanliness will receive a major boost Saturday with the annual CUFUPU Day activities beginning at 8 a.m. with a free breakfast at the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall.

"We really need 200 people to make our effort successful Saturday," said Dorothy Hopson of the Mayor's Council for City Beautification after a last-minute planning session with

this year's CUFUPU co-chairmen—First State Bank of Dimmitt President Ray Bain, and County Judge Polly Simpson.

"The Chamber of Commerce is providing a free breakfast and we're ready to feed everyone who comes, as long as they come ready to work. We want everyone to be there in their work clothes, wearing work gloves, and with a rake, hoe, shovel or whatever. We especially want everyone to bring two trash bags for litter—one for non-recyclable trash and another for things we can recycle, like aluminum cans."

After the breakfast, which will include sausage, bacon, scrambled eggs and juice, the workers "will go from the light in four directions, concentrating mainly on highway right-of-way. We'll furnish weed killer, extra trash bags,

and hopefully everyone will bring enough hand tools. We will need some lawn mowers and some pickup trucks so we can really have a good effort.

"We also want all of the owners of pens at the livestock area between FM 3215 and South Street to be on hand so we can help clean up that area. We will have lots of equipment on hand to help clean up that area. But that's not the only

Pittel concert is set

The Harvey Pittel Saxophone Quartet, featuring one of America's foremost classical saxophonists, Harvey Pittel, will perform in the final concert of the 1985-86 season Tuesday night at 8 in the Dimmitt High School Auditorium.

This season, the Quartet has incorporated a unique programming concept into their national touring — *The Golden Age of Saxophone*,

which includes serious and popular music of virtually all periods and styles.

The *Golden Age of Saxophone* program combines solo (with piano) and quartet music from the saxophone's glorious past and present—Ibert, Dahl, Schmitt, Bach, del Treddici, Rachmaninoff, Gershwin and tunes from the days of vaudeville and the Glenn Miller era.



WOODY GLASS of Dimmitt races to a new Bobcat Relays record in the 120-yard high hurdles Saturday, with teammate Ben Benton right behind him. Glass's time was 15.35 seconds, breaking by .16 of a second a record that had stood since 1982.

Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	78	45	
Friday	66	28	
Saturday	71	31	
Sunday	79	42	
Monday	78	51	
Tuesday	89	48	
Wednesday	67	42	.03
April Moisture			1.91
1986 Moisture			1.91

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer

On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

The flowers have been beautiful this spring in spite of the lack of moisture. First, all the yellow blooms — tulips, jonquils, forsythia — and now the purple blooms — lilac, wisteria, and the lovely red bud trees.

Misti Howell announces the birth of a new baby brother, Clint Dean Howell, born April 6 at 8:20 weighing in at 7 lbs., 5 oz. Clint Dean is the son of Gaines and Crystal Howell. The proud grandparents are Jack and Charlene Howell and C. D. and Linda Fitzgerald. Great grandparents are Inez Lee and Moss and Hattie Howell of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald of Hereford.

Ysleta Ball had a get acquainted coffee Tuesday morning for Lois Waggoner who has moved to Dimmitt from Houston recently with her husband and family. Ysleta and co-hostess Jan Edwards served apple and cherry fritters, doughnuts, coffee and punch to: Jennifer Miller, Cindy Ellis, Susan Paterson, Sara Hill, Gerie Waggoner, Jan Waggoner, Renise Blair and Shanee Lust. The ladies enjoyed the visiting during the morning.

Sherrie Cole, daughter of Rev. Ken and Roberta Cole, is 21 years old and a junior at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview. Sherrie has been a cheerleader for two years. The cheerleaders at Wayland are an elite group and are able to travel with both basketball teams to a lot of fun places all over the States. Tryouts this year are April 16. Any senior high school boy or girl wanted to attend Wayland is encouraged to try out.

The Flying Queens (women's team) won second in the nation and the Pioneers were knocked out in the second round, which puts them in the top 16 in the nation after finishing second in NAIA last year. The second time both teams won NAIA district and went to Nationals in Kansas City. The cheerleaders were gone for eight days. Joe Shultz from Dimmitt went to Kansas City also. This is his first year as a cheerleader.

Ray and Carol Phillips went to Lubbock to watch their grandson, Dallas DuLaney, play in his first soccer game. Since Dallas scored in his game, they all celebrated by going out to eat, Brad, Kay, Dallas, Chace, Ray and Carol.

On Wednesday, Joanne Snider brought her HECE class from high school to tour the museum. Members of the class were: Becky Gonzales, Yvette Barrera, Liz Garcia, Maria Mendoza, Sandy Chasco, Rebecca Soto, Mary Cabrera and Marlene Nino.

The Brownie Troop #317 visited the museum last week. Sponsors are Deborah Goldsmith, Rose Woolbright, Pam Littlefield and Cindy Wells. Members of the troop are Melissa DeLeon, Tara Vasquez, Sherry Rogers, Jennifer, Sarah, Kristina, Alisa, Tangi, Jennifer, Rachel, Asia, Mary, Joanne, Crystal, Alka, Priscilla and Krystal.

The Daisy Scout Troop #309 and their leaders also visited the museum: Vanessa Acevedo, Erica Cavazos, Ysela Gonzales, Delfina Gripp, Dottie Jameson, Tonya Powers and Christina Longoria.

Robert Singer from Tulia and a former Dimmitt resident, came by the museum last week, also Barbara Steffey and her children Steve and Leslie from Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gary from Lubbock were museum visitors last week also. Mr. Gary lived in Dimmitt several

years ago and he enjoyed visiting with Lon Woodburn who came by at the right time to discuss old times with Mr. Gary.

Eric Ivor Bagwell, the son of Steve and Anita Bagwell, was honored with a baby shower on Saturday, March 29, in the lovely home of Dudley and Bobbi Wooten. Among the many people attending were these out-of-town guests: Carol and Royce Moyers from Childress; Nelda Fallwell from Dallas; Kristin and Chase Moore from Arlington; Luann Hough and Alice Hough from Friona; Donna and Darla Smith from Hereford and Lillian Smith from Amarillo.

Ivor and Hazel Bagwell had a family get together Saturday evening after the baby shower for a Mexican Fiesta supper. Along with all the Bagwell families, Mrs. Zelma Smith and her daughter Mrs. Dave Funck from Houston were there, also Robert and Vicki Funck and daughter Anna from Lubbock. Then on Easter Sunday, all of the Bagwell families including Clara Neumayer gathered again for dinner at the Bagwell's home for a lovely meal and much visiting before everyone had to leave that evening.

Mrs. Genevieve Howe, a longtime Dimmitt resident, has recently moved to Clovis, N.M. to be near her family there. She was honored at a farewell party at Canterbury Villa before she left Dimmitt. Her new address is Retirement

Ranch, 2210 Mabry Drive, Clovis, N.M. and her mailing address is Box 1809, Clovis, N.M. 88101. She would enjoy her friends dropping by for a visit or perhaps a card from them.

Donetta Hendrickson, Amber, Shawn and Jamie from Canyon met their Uncle Lon Woodburn at the museum. They enjoyed touring the museum.

Johnnie Vannoy was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center. Susie Reeves won high score and Edith Graef won second high. Others playing were: Oleda Schumacher, Emily Clingingsmith, Jo Gregory, Ferne Dickey, Sal DiCuffa, Opha Burks, Era Heckerson, Jean Christian, Louise Mears and Cleo Forson.

Bennie Gollehon from Baytown was in Dimmitt over the weekend visiting his mother, Oleta and Guy Walsler. Bennie had been in Lubbock judging some of the bands' activities.

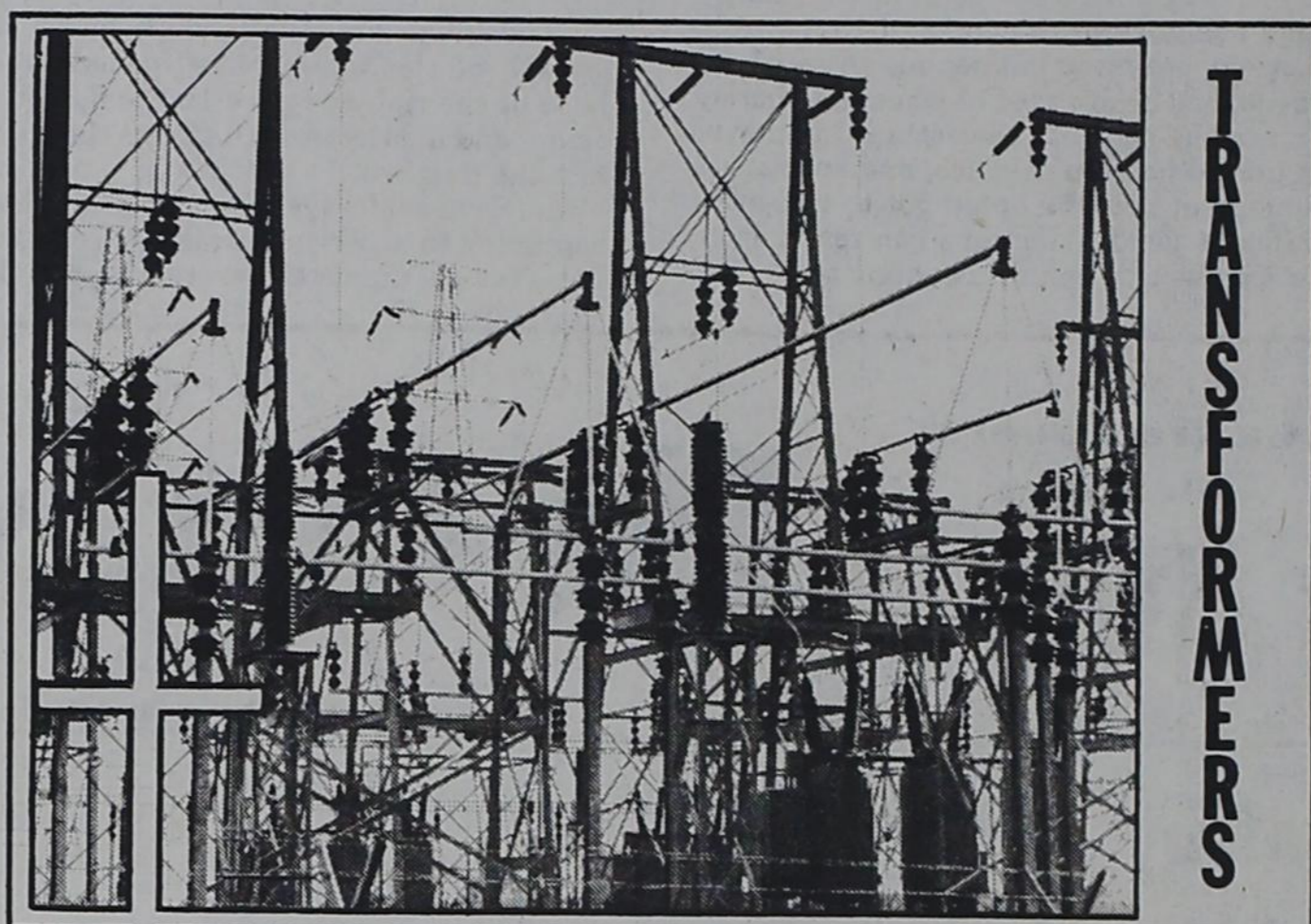
The Community Concert workers held a Coke party on Saturday morning. Each one received their packets to renew membership and obtain new members for next season. An exciting year is in store for all members.

Billye Gwynn Davis' daughter and family, Morris and Andrea Price and young son, Trent of Lubbock, are in Kakegawa and Tokyo, Japan for a six-weeks business and

pleasure trip. They flew to San Francisco, Calif. and were there for a day before flying on to Tokyo.

Lance and Mary Davis and boys (Billye Gwynn's son and family) recently moved from Arlington to Lake of the Pines

near Jefferson. Lance is an engineer with Infrared Computer Products located in Jefferson.



TRANSFORMERS

"HE IS NOT HERE, BUT IS RISEN . . ."

Our Lord gave his life on the cross . . . and then he arose from the grave. He conquered death and provided a way that men might be saved.

As the powerful electricity may be transformed, the Lord has power to change men's lives.

"And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."

Honor the Lord . . . enter his house with praise and thanksgiving.

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.



Promenaders to hold anniversary dance

The Dimmitt Promenaders Square Dance Club will hold their "Square 'em Up" anniversary dance Saturday in the County Expo Building.

The rounds will start at 7 p.m. with Bill Harman and Paul Harman queuing.

The Grand March will begin at 8 p.m.

Callers will be Sid Perkins and Roy Johnson.

The Promenaders invite everyone to join them for an evening of fun and fellowship.

We Salute

A Cleaner Dimmitt

If you haven't yet gotten involved in our community's latest project do it now! This community has often responded, as a unit, to reach a common goal. That's what is needed now. As Dimmitt's third grade students say, "JOIN DIMMITT'S CLEAN TEAM — MAKE A CLEAN SWEEP".

The Mayor's Beautification Council has done a fantastic job of reaching out to involve everyone in CUFUPU week. The Education Committee, initiated contests to encompass all ages. The first, second and third grade students all made posters depicting their ideas for a clean Dimmitt, first place winners were given a popsicle party, as were Middle school students who won first place on door decorating. Students four through eight were encouraged to enter an essay contest. Winning essays were to be read on KDHN radio.

Everyone has heard of the Moon Walk, but if you're from Dimmitt you may be some of the first to catch the latest craze the "Litter Walk". May the litter mobile find you.!

Saturday morning lets everyone meet at the Methodist Church for breakfast and go out and do our part. Beautification takes in a lot of territory and doesn't necessarily mean spending a lot of money. Dimmitt can be spruced up and made much more beautiful just by everybody pitching in and cleaning up around the home place.

It is a splendid community project and we salute those responsible for making this effort to beautify our home community.



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WEDNESDAY - 7:30 General Meeting 9:30 WSCS, Morning 9:30 Choir, Night 7:30
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SUNDAY - 9:45 Bible Study 10:30 Morning Worship 11:00 MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 Evening Worship 6:30
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TUESDAY - 7:55 Brotherhood 7:55
WEDNESDAY - 7:30 Prayer Meeting 7:30
FRIDAY - 7:30 Sanctuary Choir 7:30
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH 1001 W. Halsell
SATURDAY - 7:30 Evening Mass 7:30
SUNDAY - 7:30 Morning Mass 7:30 Morning Mass 10:00
WEDNESDAY - 8:00 Thursday Evening 8:00
RECONCILIATIONS - 7:00 Thursday Evening 7:00
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Edward D. Freeman, Pastor
SUNDAY - 10:00 Church School 10:00 Common Worship 11:00
WEDNESDAY - 7:00 Bible Study 7:00
LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St.
SUNDAY - 10:00 Bible Study 11:00 Sermon 11:00 Lord's Supper 11:30 and Feet Washing 11:30
EVENING WORSHIP 7:30
WEDNESDAY - 7:30 Wednesday Services 7:30

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10 - WANTED, MISC.

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12 - NOTICES

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14 - CARDS OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS Thank you for the many kind expressions of love and concern to us during Bob's surgery and his recuperation and Gary's sudden illness. We felt the strength of your prayers and appreciated each visit, phone call and card we received. Thank you for caring, Phyllis and Bob Mooney 14-29-1tc

CARD OF THANKS I would like to thank each one that voted for me in the City Alderman election. I appreciate your support. Thank you, ANN COX 14-29-1tc

CARD OF THANKS Dear Friends, You will never know how much we have appreciated all that you have done for us these past few days. Thank you for the food, flowers, cards, and concern, but most of all your love. Joe loved the people of our community. Thanks, LOUISE, KAREN AND DOUG KELLY, LAVERN AND HEATHER MR. AND MRS. H. C. NELSON THE DONALD SHELTON FAMILY THE NORMAN NELSON FAMILY THE STANLEY NELSON FAMILY 14-29-1tp

CARD OF THANKS To all our friends: Our most sincere thanks to everyone for the visits, the beautiful flowers, the cards, the delicious food brought to the home and served, the wonderful meal provided at the church by the ladies prior to the service, and every act of kindness during the illness and loss of our loved one. If in any way we've failed to acknowledge our appreciation and thanks to anyone during this time in our life, it is truly an oversight. Your many kindnesses will always be remembered. May God's richest blessings be yours. Sincerely, Doris Lindsey, Kim and Jeff Kent Lindsey and Family Dr. Robert Lindsey and Family 14-29-1tc

15 - LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Sealed bids addressed to the City of Dimmitt, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 11:00 a.m. on April 25th, 1986, and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for constructing hangar aprons at the Dimmitt Municipal Airport. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner. All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without

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check or bid bond will not be considered. The successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received. Plans, specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the office of Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas 79109, on deposit of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per set which sum so deposited will be refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc. not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; or (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to Bill R. McMorris & Associates, Inc. at the time that bids are opened. CITY OF DIMMITT, TEXAS By: Wayne Collins, Mayor 15-28-2tc

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areas and all customers served by the Utility. The classes and numbers of Utility customers affected are as follows: Farm & Home 2,813 Commercial 221 Irrigation 4,476 Large Power 39 Special Large Power 2 Cotton Gins 12 Wind Generation 2 Lighting All The Utility intends to change its service rules and regulations including rules relating to obtaining service, line extension and line extension charges, the provision of electric service, service fees, and discontinuance of service. Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change is available at the general office of the Utility located at 401 S.W. 2nd Street, Tulsa, Texas. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf. Campbell McGinnis ATTORNEY FOR THE UTILITY 15-29-4tc

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be sold as-is and then removed from the site within 30 days after the bid is accepted. All bids must be sealed and then submitted to the Honorable Mayor Wayne Collins at the Dimmitt City Hall on or before 11:00 a.m. on April 18th, 1986. The Dimmitt Board of Aldermen reserves the right to accept or reject any bid. For further information regarding the sale of these improvements, please contact City Manager Paul Catoe at 647-2155. -s-Paul Catoe PAUL CATOE CITY MANAGER CITY OF DIMMITT

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to list the names of the following candidates for public office, subject to the May 3 Party Primary Elections: DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY For Commissioner, Pct. 2 Edd Wilson (incumbent) Dale Winders For Commissioner, Pct. 4 Fred Acker Vincent Guggemos (incumbent) Jerry Wilhelm For County Judge Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr. (incumbent) For County-District Clerk Joy Jones (incumbent) For County Treasurer Oleta Raper (incumbent) For Justice of the Peace, Pct. 2 Marshall Young (incumbent) Judge Baldrige (Political Adv. Pd. by the Candidates)

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People

Formal ceremony unites Kasher, Shugart Saturday

Mary Kathleen Kasher and Billy Wayne Shugart exchanged wedding vows Saturday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Amarillo.

Msgr. Orville R. Blum, pastor of the church, officiated at the formal, double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Kasher of Amarillo. Parents of the groom are Mrs. Geraldine Shugart of Amarillo and the late Wilburn Shugart.

Large formal fresh flower arrangements of gladioli, carnations, greenery and baby's breath in burgundy, white and pink, were placed in front of the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of Cluny lace and crystal organza. It featured a scoop neckline with a wide lace ruffle across the shoulders. The Basque bodice featured a pointed waist front with the lace woven with white satin ribbon. The Bishop sleeves fashioned of organza had rows of lace coming down to the lace gauntlet fitting tight at the wrists, forming bridal points. Rows of lace fell down the full skirt of organza, meeting in a deep ruffle of Cluny lace and flowing into a cathedral-length train.

She wore a scallop-edged veil of bridal illusion secured in place by a Juliet pearl cap.

She carried a silk nosegay style bouquet arranged with white roses, burgundy and pink baby's breath and greenery. The bouquet was highlighted with satin ribbon streamers and pearls.

Jeanette Baca of Amarillo served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Peggy Mabbitt and Carolyn True, both of Amarillo.

Bridal attendants wore burgundy taffeta gowns with organza overlay. Lace ruffles accented the shoulders. The gowns featured fitted waistlines and bouffant skirts.

They carried free style arm bouquets arranged with silk flowers of ginger blossoms and



MRS. BILLY WAYNE SHUGART
... nee Kathy Kasher

rose baby's breath. They were tied with satin ribbon bows and streamers.

Connie Mabbitt of Amarillo was flower girl.

She wore a tea-length gown fashioned of pink taffeta with an organza and lace overlay.

Best man was Joe Armstrong of Amarillo. Groomsmen were William Stanley of Amarillo and Michael Kasher, stationed with the US Navy.

Ring bearer was James Massey of Amarillo.

Anthony Kasher of Minneapolis, Minn. was usher.

A white chiffon cloth covered the bride's table at the wedding reception. The three-tiered wedding cake was accented with burgundy and pink

roses cascading down the front of the cake. The topline featured pink satin bells with burgundy trim. Silver serving pieces and fresh flower and greenery arrangements completed the table decor.

The serving table was covered with a floor-length white cloth. Finger sandwiches, cheese and crackers and a vegetable tray were served from silver appointments.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Alamo Catholic High School in Amarillo. She is employed with C.I.C. Finance in Amarillo.

The groom is a 1985 graduate of Palo Duro High School in Amarillo and is employed with K-Mart.

The couple plan to reside in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Birdwell make new home in Lubbock

Michelle Bene' Strain and Russel Lynn Birdwell were united in marriage March 15 in the St. Luke United Methodist Church in Fort Worth with Rev. Richard Penna officiating.

The bride is the daughter of the late Benny and Liz Strain of Fort Worth. Parents of the groom are Kent and Mary Jo Birdwell of Dimmitt.

Before the wedding march Sherri Cates sang the "Theme from Ice Castles," "Through the Eyes of Love" and following the ceremony she sang "The Lord's Prayer." The couple exchanged vows before an altar decorated with spring floral arrangements and candelabra in the shape of a heart on each side.

Given in marriage by her grandfather, Vinson Strain of Fort Worth, the bride wore an ivory gown with lace and pearl beaded bodice, long sleeves, with satin skirt trimmed with lace falling into a medium train. She carried a cascade of white roses highlighted by baby's breath.

Matron of honor was Sharon Tracy of Mt. Horeb, Wis., friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Lisa Janssen of Knoxville, Tenn. and Emily Estill of Fort Worth. Bridal attendants wore tea-length sapphire blue taffeta dresses, matching shoes and carried spring bouquets.

Donny Carpenter of Dimmitt served as best man. Groomsmen were Freddy Fifer of Homer, La. and Jeff Hahn of Lubbock, friends of the groom.

The guests were seated by Jimmy Strain of Fort Worth, brother of the bride, Scott Fikes of Dallas and Robbie



Mrs. Russel Lynn Birdwell
... nee Michelle Bene' Strain

Farquharson of Dallas.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Diamond Oaks Country Club.

Robin Johnson of Fort Worth and Leona Douglas of Lubbock served at the bride's table. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with fresh spring flowers. Julie Fulton of Lubbock served at the groom's table, and buffet pickup food was also served. Jaime Bradford, niece of the groom from Denton, registered guests. The Sherri Cates Band provided

music at the reception.

The bride is a graduate of Haltom High School in Fort Worth, attended Texas Tech University and is presently employed as assistant manager of the Clothes Market in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and is a senior student at Texas Tech, majoring in Agricultural Economics.

Following a wedding trip to Jamaica, the couple is now at home in Lubbock.

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Presbyterian happenings

There is a Sunday Church School class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The Adult Bible class meets at the home of Mrs. Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

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Calendar deadline is Tuesday

The deadline for ordering or having birthdays or anniversaries listed on the annual Castro County Extension Homemakers Calendar will be Tuesday.

The price for each calendar is \$3.50 and includes the list of the birthdays and anniversaries.

Ministerial Alliance

Ed Barrentine will lead the Bible study for the Castro County Ministerial Alliance on Tuesday at 10 a.m. at Lee Street Baptist Church.

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Bible study to begin

Fr. Charles Threewit, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church will serve as moderator at a Bible study Monday at 7 p.m.

The Bible study will be held at 609 West Stinson and will be open to all interested persons.

Edward D. Freeman's sermon based on Psalm 30 at the morning church worship at 11 a.m.

Following the morning church worship service there will be a family covered-dish dinner at the courthouse community room.

The Session will meet Monday at 7 p.m.

"Are You Worried About Money?", Isaiah 55:1-4 and Matthew 4:4, will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Presbyterian Women of Palo Duro Presbytery will have their annual meeting at the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo, Wednesday from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Brockman named top EH member



Pamela Yancey and David Malone

June vows are planned

Thomas and Jacquita Yancey of Wylie announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pamela, to David Malone, son of Kenneth and Mary Nell Malone of Dimmitt.

The couple plan to exchange wedding vows June 14 in the First United Methodist Church in Richardson.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock with a bachelor of science degree in home economics. She is employed at Hart's Fabric Walls in interior design in Dallas.

The prospective groom is a food specialist for White Swan Food in Fort Worth.

French, Smith to wed

Jim Edward Smith and Lesley Jane French are planning to exchange wedding vows May 24 at 11 a.m. in Littleton, Colo.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Claudene French of Littleton, and John W. French of Vivian, La. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith of Dimmitt.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Littleton High School. She attended West Texas State University in Canyon and is currently a senior business major at Metropolitan State College in Denver.

The prospective groom is a 1981 graduate of Dimmitt High School. He graduated from West Texas State University in December, 1985, with a



Jim Smith and Lesley French

bachelor of science degree in geology.

Shirley Brockman of the Bethel Extension Homemakers Club was named the County EH Woman of the Year at the annual EH spring supper last Thursday at Al's Colonial Restaurant in Dimmitt.

Also honored at the banquet were county 4-H'ers Sheryl Simpson and Bruce Huseman, who received EH scholarships.

Brockman was honored by County Agent Teresa Criswell, who said Brockman "has been a real asset to the extension homemakers. She is an enthusiastic member, willing to do her part and more. She has been a club officer, and has performed her duties diligently."

Brockman said during the past year she has grown "as both a club member and an individual. In the club, I have had the opportunity to present programs and to be able to hold an office, and this has helped me to overcome my shyness around people I didn't know very well, and has helped me to make a better home for my family."

"I realize it is not how much time I spend with my family, don't let other things take precedence over my family."



EXTENSION HOMEMAKER OF THE YEAR SHIRLEY BROCKMAN

... award presented by County Agent Teresa Criswell (right) at EH banquet Thursday night.

but what I do with that time that is important. I always felt that just because I had children to raise, I didn't have time to do anything else, I have learned I can raise a family and still be involved in club and other activities, as long as I

Simpson, the daughter of Bob and Celia Simpson, has been very active in 4-H over the past eight years, participating in dairy, foods,

clothing, sheep and photography projects. Through her dairy product she won a trip to Madison, Wis., with her dairy record book, and attended 4-H Roundup with a dairy method demonstration. Sheryl is a 4-H Gold Star winner, and plans to study medicine.

Huseman, the son of Al and Patsy Huseman of Nazareth, has had projects in hogs and dairy judging contests. He attended 4-H electric camp and was in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo calf scramble. He was named the outstanding boy in the Nazareth 4-H in 1985 and plans to study auto-diesel mechanics.

Simpson and Huseman received their scholarships from Carolyn Sides.

Jo Ann Arasim, of the Panhandle-Plains Museum in Canyon, presented a program on quilts at the banquet. She presented a vast array of colorful quilts, some of which are almost 200 years old, telling of the history of quilt-making and telling about the variety of quilts on hand at the museum.

Quilt contest set in Plainview

A Creative Sesquicentennial Quilt Show and Contest will be held in Plainview during Pioneer Roundup Days Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. to 4

p.m. at the Nazarene Church, 20th and Amarillo Street.

The contest will be held in honor of the Texas Sesquicentennial celebration and Pioneer Days.

The contest will feature five categories including pieced quilts, appliqued and embroidered quilts, novelty quilts, sesquicentennial design quilts and antique quilts — quilts that are 50 years old or older.

Anyone wishing to enter the contest is asked to bring their quilts to the west entrance of the Church at 9 a.m.

Quilts entered need to have a three-inch hanging sleeve attached to the back of the top.

Judges will be from Amarillo and Lubbock.

Winners will be announced in five categories. Three Top of Show awards will be given and the top quilt will hang in Unger Memorial Library through May.

For more information, contact Joy Denton at 296-7757 or Betty Royal at 296-7367.



By Cyndy Reynolds

The Castro County Kurlie Q's are now meeting in the 100 block of West Bedford on the south side just east of the Chamber of Commerce.

We danced Monday, April 7, with 11 club members in attendance. Visitors were Bill and Ann Henderson of Dimmitt.

Square dance tips were called by Sid Perkins of Plainview and Round Dance was cued by Bill Harman of Dimmitt.

We will be starting lessons Monday, April 21. Anyone interested in taking lessons can contact Cyndy Reynolds at 647-3255 and sign-up!

The first three lessons are free with no obligation. We welcome teams and singles, too.

Our regular club dances are the first, third and fifth Monday nights at 8 each month. Come out and enjoy some good, clean fun and exercise with square dancing.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients In Hospital: Rosemary Martinez, Elmer Scott, Ruby Boone, Anna Klossan, Olivia Roque, Howard Bridges, J. D. Anderson, Carrie Bradley, Loana Guevara.

Patients Dismissed: Nickie Garcia, Martha Martinez, Guadalupe Arce, Venona Lee, Marty Benton, Eldon Lilley, Cindy Herrera, Sylvia Soler, Richard Wood, Frank Elder, Susie Flores, Connie Perez.

A&M honors Thompson

Chad Thompson of Dimmitt has been named to the "Distinguished Students" list at Texas A&M University for the fall semester.

In order to be named a "Distinguished Student," a student must be registered for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio out of a possible 4.0.

Thompson is a sophomore electrical engineering major from Dimmitt.

April 7-12 is CUFUPU Week!



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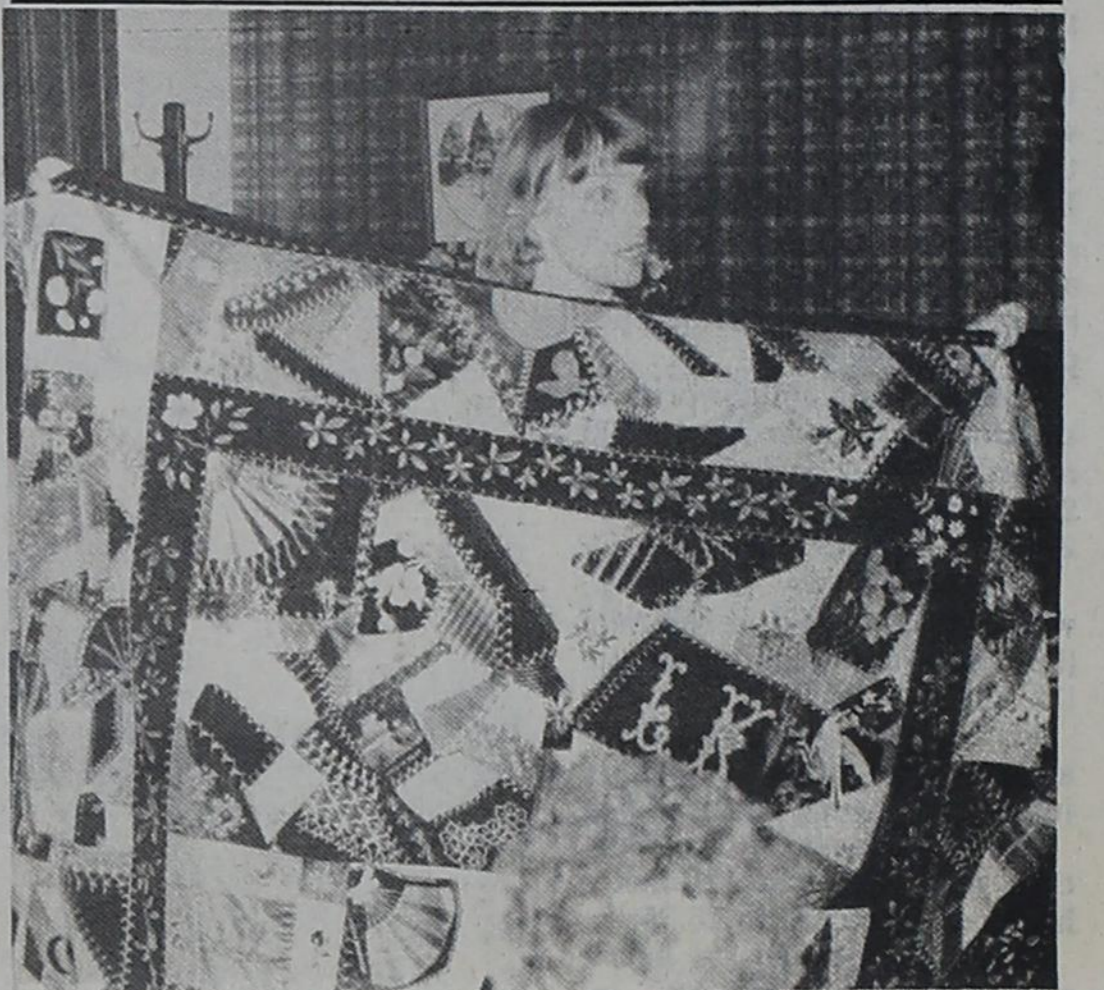
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Hart: Junior-Senior Prom April 26
Nazareth: Junior-Senior Prom April 26

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JO ANN ARASIM of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon displays a "Crazy Quilt" from the museum's quilt collection at the annual Extension Homemakers awards banquet last Thursday in Dimmitt. Arasim showed quilts made over the past 175 years from the collection at the banquet.

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Sports

Relays titles go to Cats, Cats and Cats

Dimmitt's boys, Idalou's girls and the Littlefield JV took narrow team victories in the fifth annual Bobcat Relays Saturday at Bobcat Stadium.

The Bobcats edged Muleshoe by nine points, 145-136, while Idalou won the girls trophy by three points, 82-79, over Muleshoe, with Lubbock Roosevelt and Dimmitt close behind.

Littlefield took the junior varsity division by 39 1/2 points over Muleshoe.

Like 1985, the 1986 meet was run on a sunny and moderately breezy day, and, like 1985, was a perfect day for record setting as 12 new records were set in the varsity division.

Most of the records were established by county competitors, including:

- Dimmitt's Milton Carrasco in the shot put with a throw of 49-5. Milton scored 26 points in the meet, earning him the Boys' High Point Individual Award, as he won the 440, ran a leg on the fourth-place 440 relay and a leg on the second-place mile relay;
- Stephanie Killingsworth of the Bobbies, who broke the 100 record in 12.92 and the 220 in 27.31 (breaking the record of 27.60 she set last year);
- Hart's Tammy Menchaca, who set the record in the mile (5:56.03) and the two-mile (12:53.85);
- Dimmitt's James Alexander, who broke the high jump record with a leap of 6-4;
- Woody Glass of the Bobcats, who broke the 110-meter high hurdle record in 15.35;
- Chris Rodriguez of Hart, who bested his old 330 intermediate hurdle record by more than a second, finished in 40.22.

New records were also established in the girls' high jump (5-3) and triple jump (35-5/8) by Bovina's Mindy Neal, who also won the long jump to claim the girls' top individual honor, and in the boys 220 (22.41 by Littlefield's Ronnie Willard), and the 880 (2:03.79 by Ronnie Logsdon of Muleshoe, who tied with Willard for second-place overall honors behind Carrasco.

The Dimmitt girls were favored going into the meet, but lost their big chance to score in the meet's first event, the 440 relay preliminaries. A mixup on the final exchange, between Killingsworth and Sydelle McDonald, saw the baton fall to the ground.

However, if Killingsworth had picked up the baton which was still in her lane, the Bobbies could have made the finals in the event. The Bovina girls scratched in the finals, opening up a lane, but the Dimmitt girls couldn't run in the finals because they didn't complete the preliminaries. The Bobbies, had they matched their season-best time in the finals, could have picked up at least 16

points and the team championship, but instead got just 70 points and settled for fourth.

The Bobbies did, however, finish second in the mile relay, and Cara Odom, who anchored the long relay, won first place in the 440.

The Bobcats picked up at least one point in every event to gain their victory, as the Bobcats captured first place in the discus (Kerry Lewis, 124-2 1/4), long jump (Jerry Gonzales, 20-3/4), and the wins by Glass and Carrasco.

Glass, in fact, led a 1-2-3 sweep of the high hurdles, with Ben Benton and Greg Gentry getting the silver and bronze. Benton later came back to finish second behind Rodriguez in the intermediates.

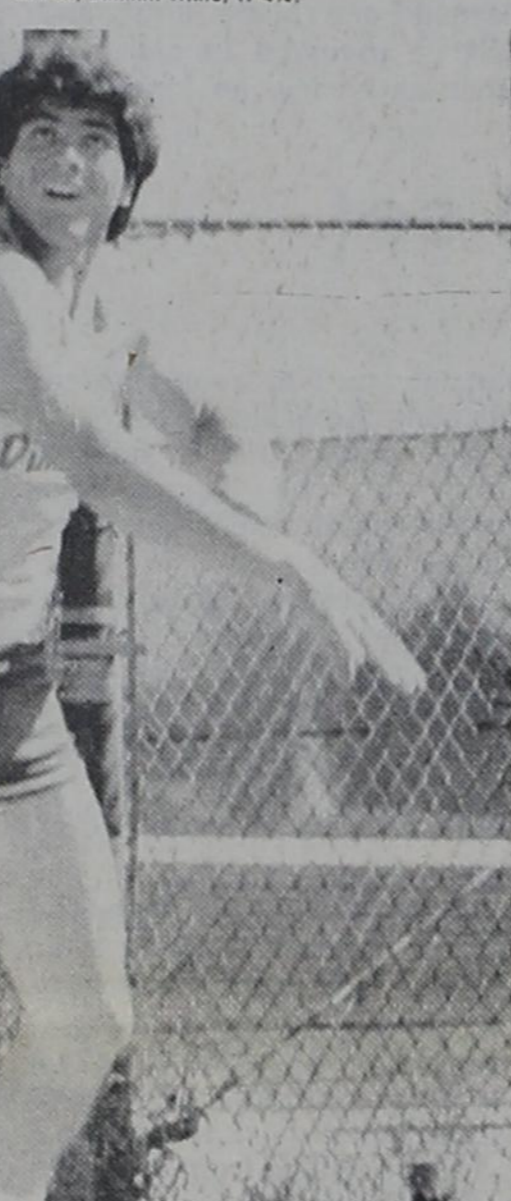
Those points came in handy at the end of the meet as Muleshoe, which was trailing by 30 points, outscored the Bobcats 18-1 in the mile to close the gap to just 13 points, 129-116, forcing the Bobcats to finish fourth or better in the mile relay if the Mules won the last event.

Muleshoe won by almost three full seconds, but the Bobcats wrapped up the team title, and Carrasco edged Willard and Logsdon for the individual title with his final leg on the relay.

BOBCAT RELAYS RESULTS

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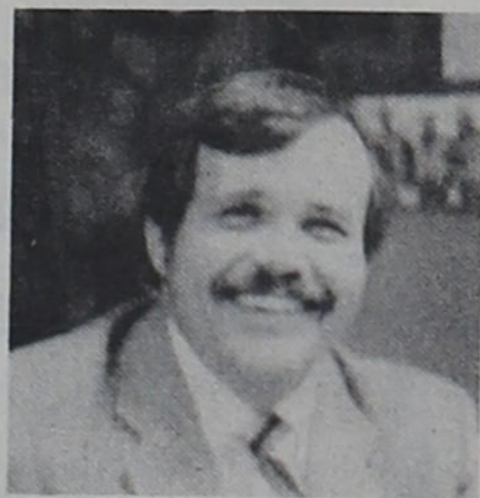
Long Jump—1. King Littlefield, 19-1 1/4; 2. Arce, Dimmitt White, 17-9/16; 3. Payne, Littlefield, 17-7 1/4; 4. Cowen, Dimmitt White, 17-4 1/8.



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END OF THE RACE—Dimmitt Coach George Razor catches a slumping Cara Odom while Idalou's anchor runner sinks to the track after the two girls had finished a furious final lap for the championship of the mile relay Saturday in the fifth annual Bobcat Relays. Idalou won

the event by just over a second. Varsity boys and girls and junior varsity boys from 12 area schools enjoyed near-perfect weather throughout the day and set 12 new meet records in varsity events.

- Shot—1. Trimmell, Friona, 37-10; 2. Ellis, Littlefield, 36-9; 3. Washington, Dimmitt White, 36-1.
 - High Jump—1. Burney, Friona, 5-10 (new record, old record 5-9); Gregory, Dimmitt, 1985); 2. Williams, Littlefield, 5-8; 3. Sanders, Muleshoe, 5-6.
 - Discus—1. Brown, Muleshoe, 96-2; 2. Hernandez, Muleshoe, 90-2 1/2; 3. Payne, Littlefield, 90-1 1/4; 4. Espinosa, Dimmitt, 87-6 1/8.
 - Pole Vault—1. Burney, Friona, 10-6 (tied record); 2. Osborn, Friona, 10-0; 3. Davis, Dimmitt White, 9-6; 5. Bradley, Dimmitt Purple, 8-6.
 - 2000—1. Ring, Muleshoe, 11:29:35 (new record, old record 12:33:24, Venhaus, Friona 1985); 2. Sierra, Littlefield, 11:39:16; 3. Garza, Muleshoe, 11:46:41; 5. Wardlaw, Dimmitt, 13:09:86; 6. Long, Dimmitt, 13:27:64.
 - 440 Relay—1. Littlefield, 48:26 (new record, old record 49:0, Muleshoe, 1985); 2. Dimmitt White, 49:36; 3. Muleshoe, 50:45; 5. Dimmitt Purple, 58:34.
 - 880—1. Mendoza, Muleshoe, 2:26:56; 2. Penada, Muleshoe, 2:27:96; 3. Nelson, Dimmitt White, 2:28:88; 4. Casares, Dimmitt White, 2:30:30; 5. Quintero, Dimmitt Purple, 2:31:05; 6. Wheelless, Dimmitt White, 2:34:23.
 - 120 HH—1. Rogers, Littlefield, 17:79 (new record, old record 17:88, Mendoza, Muleshoe, 1985); 2. Davis, Dimmitt, 19:06; 3. Gonzales, Dimmitt, 19:11.
 - 100—1. Payne, Littlefield, 11:97 (new record, old record 12:18, Woolums, Cooper, 1985); 2. Dancer, Littlefield, 12:18; 3. Yokum, Dimmitt, 12:34; 4. Arce, Dimmitt, 12:44; 6. Cowen, Dimmitt, 12:57.
 - 440—1. Goodman, Littlefield, 56:89; 2. Garza, Dimmitt, 57:48; 3. Vega, Muleshoe, 57:77.
 - 330IH—1. Davis, Dimmitt White, 44:06 (new record, old record 46:22, Thornton, Friona, 1985); 2. Rodgers, Littlefield, 44:30; 3. Osborn, Friona, 45:98; 4. Howell, Dimmitt, 46:80.
 - 220—1. Payne, Littlefield, 24:90 (new record, old record 25:80, Triona, Muleshoe, 1985); 2. King, Littlefield, 25:91; 3. Arce, Dimmitt White, 26:31; 6. Cowen, Dimmitt White, 26:92.
 - Mile—1. Ring, Muleshoe, 5:17:14 (new record, old record 5:29:26, Morrow, Shallowater, 1985); 2. Sierra, Littlefield, 5:18:16; 3. Garza, Muleshoe, 5:28:10; 5. Casares, Dimmitt White, 5:45:24; 6. Garcia, Dimmitt White, 6:42:69.
 - Mile Relay—1. Littlefield 3:51:78 (new record, old record 3:58:45, Muleshoe, 1985); 2. Muleshoe, 3:57:34; 3. Dimmitt White, 4:00:95; 5. Dimmitt Purple, 4:20:67.
 - TEAM TOTALS—Littlefield 178, Muleshoe 138 1/2, Dimmitt White 127 1/2, Friona 65, Dimmitt Purple 12.
- ### Varsity Girls
- High Jump—1. Neal, Bovina, 5-3 (new record, old record Pesch, Bovina, 5-2, 1985); 2. Bean, Muleshoe, 4-10; 3. Killingsworth, Dimmitt, 4-8.
 - Discus—1. Carroll, Lubbock Cooper, 118-5 1/2; 2. Pesch, Bovina, 107- 1/4; 3. Mendez, Dimmitt, 90-10 1/2; 5. Acker, Nazareth, 86-5 1/2; 6. Lee, Hart, 82-8.
 - Shot—1. Pesch, Bovina, 39-2; 2. Williams, Cooper, 33-10; 3. Mason, New Deal, 32-11; 5. Washington, Dimmitt, 30-2; 6. Lee, Hart, 29-5.
 - Triple Jump—1. Neal, Bovina, 35-5/8 (new record, old record 34-5 1/2, Sanders, Happy, 1983); 2. Bean, Muleshoe, 33-0; 3. Roberts, Roosevelt, 32-11 3/4; 5. Huseman, Nazareth, 30-7 5/8.
 - Long Jump—1. Neal, Bovina, 15-11 1/2; 2. Schilling, Nazareth, 15-11 1/2; 3. Seay, Roosevelt, 15-6 1/2; 4. Huseman, Nazareth, 15-5 1/2.
 - 2000—1. Menchaca, Hart, 12:53:85 (new record, old record 13:30:41, Schmucker, Nazareth, 1985); 2. Mijares, Hart, 13:32:94; 3. Garcia, Muleshoe, 13:50:77; 4. Birkentfield, Nazareth, 14:01:53.
 - 440 Relay—1. Roosevelt, 53:49; 2. Idalou, 54:35; 3. Muleshoe, 54:36.
 - 880—1. Sisemore, Hale Center, 2:40:98; 2. Wilson, Hart, 2:46:13; 3. Bostick, New Deal, 2:47:12.
 - 100 LH—1. Pesch, Bovina, 16:52; 2. Lindt, Muleshoe, 17:19; 3. Flusche, Idalou, 17:62; 5. Ryan, Dimmitt, 18:09.
 - 100—1. Killingsworth, Dimmitt, 12:92 (new record, old record 12:98, Alanil, Kress, 1983); 2. Seay, Roosevelt, 13:13; 3. Noble, Muleshoe, 13:32; 5. Huseman, Nazareth, 13:56.
 - 880 Relay—1. Idalou, 1:55:44; 2. Nazareth, 1:57:07; 3. Roosevelt, 1:58:40; 6. Dimmitt, 2:02:08.
 - 440—1. Odom, Dimmitt, 63:24; 2. Staffens, Nazareth, 65:40; 3. Cox, Muleshoe, 66:30; 5. Waggoner, Dimmitt, 68:91.
 - 220—1. Killingsworth, Dimmitt, 27:31 (new record, old record 27:60, Killingsworth, Dimmitt, 1985); 2. Seay, Roosevelt, 27:50; 3. Huseman, Nazareth, 27:67; 4. McDonald, Dimmitt 28:45.
 - Mile—1. Menchaca, Hart, 5:56:03 (new record, old record 6:03:14, Ramsackers, Nazareth, 1984); 2. Ritchey, Idalou, 5:59:67; 3. Mijares, Hart, 6:11:36; 4. Schmucker, Nazareth, 6:21:40.
 - Mile Relay—1. Idalou, 4:29:29; 2. Dimmitt, 4:30:45; 3. Muleshoe, 4:39:16; 5. Hart, 4:48:17.
 - TEAM TOTALS—Idalou 82, Muleshoe 79, Roosevelt 74, Dimmitt 70, Bovina 58, Nazareth 56, Hart 46, New Deal 28, Cooper 26, Littlefield 21, Hale Center 14, Ralls 2.
- ### High Point Individual—Mindy Neal, Bovina, 30.
- 42-10; 3. Huseman, Nazareth 41-9; 5. Nail, Hart, 41-5; 6. Washington, Hart, 41-1.
 - Pole Vault—1. Madden, Cooper, 12-0; 2. Rasco, Muleshoe, 11-6; 3. Ramos, Cooper, 11-0; 4. Martinez, Dimmitt, 10-6.
 - Long Jump—1. Gonzales, Dimmitt, 20- 1/4; 2. Simmacher, Muleshoe, 19-7; 3. Martinez, Dimmitt, 19-0.
 - 3200—1. Perez, Muleshoe, 10:52:55; 2. Ramirez, Hart, 11:00:52; 3. Garcia, Muleshoe, 11:07:29; 5. Frye, Dimmitt, 11:51:90; 6. Malone, Dimmitt, 11:57:09.
 - 440 Relay—1. Littlefield, 46:18; 2. Muleshoe, 47:12; 3. Ralls, 47:13; 4. Dimmitt, 47:29; 5. Nazareth, 48:12; 6. Hart, 48:40.
 - 880—1. Logsdon, Muleshoe, 2:03:79 (new record, old record 2:07:64, Stroebel, Olton, 1985); 2. Perez, Muleshoe, 2:09:38; 3. Ramos, Cooper, 2:10:20; 4. Killough, Dimmitt, 2:12:21; 6. Hochstein, Nazareth, 2:16:41.
 - 120 HH—1. Glass, Dimmitt, 15:35 (new record, old record 15:51, Jones, Littlefield, 1982); 2. Benton, Dimmitt, 16:86; 3. Gentry, Dimmitt, 17:27.
 - 100—1. Willard, Littlefield, 11:08; 2. Rodriguez, Hart, 11:40; 3. Washington, Hart, 11:57; 5. Martinez, Dimmitt, 11:65.
 - 440—1. Carrasco, Dimmitt, 54:47; 2. Simmacher, Muleshoe, 55:18; 3. Riddle, Bovina, 55:69.
 - 330 IH—1. Rodriguez, Hart, 40:22 (new record, old record 41:73, Rodriguez, 1985); 2. Benton, Dimmitt, 41:05; 3. Perez, Muleshoe, 42:05; 6. Morris, Dimmitt, 44:60.
 - 220—1. Willard, Littlefield, 22:41 (new record, old record 22:84, Conder, LCHS, 1985); 2. Washington, Hart, 24:38; 3. Gonzales, Dimmitt, 24:96; 5. Hoelling, Nazareth, 25:38.
 - Mile—1. Logsdon, Muleshoe, 4:51:21; 2. Garcia, Muleshoe, 5:01:81; 3. Duran, Bovina, 5:03:40; 4. Ramirez, Hart, 5:05:92; 6. Killough, Dimmitt, 5:09:56.
 - Mile Relay—1. Muleshoe, 3:38:80; 2. Dimmitt, 3:41:70; 3. Hart, 3:48:00; 4. Nazareth, 3:50:75.
 - TEAM TOTALS—Dimmitt 145, Muleshoe 136, Hart 71, Littlefield 54, Bovina 31, Ralls 24, Cooper 22, Nazareth 21, Hale Center 6.

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County stars shine for West

Three Castro County players led their all-star team to victory last weekend, while two others were named to play in an all-star game next weekend in Waco.

In the Golden Spread Girls All-Star Games last Friday and Saturday, Nazareth's Mona Heiman (named Most Valuable Player) and Kelly Schilling, and Dimmitt's Becky Schroeder led the West to two close wins to capture the title.

Heiman made a last-second shot Friday to give the West a two-point win over the East, then drove the baseline and hit a turnaround jumper with 17 seconds left to give the West a 58-57 overtime win over the South in the championship game Saturday.

Schilling was in double figures in scoring and the overall-leading rebounder for the two games, while Schroeder, who was playing on the perimeter for the first time ever, acted like it was old hat—she had 14 assists in the Friday win, then, to prove that was no fluke, chalked up 20 assists in the championship game. She also scored 12 points in the two games.

Next weekend, Nazareth's Randy Leavitt and Dimmitt's Pat McDonald will close out their high school careers in Waco at the Hall of Fame Games, held in conjunction with the annual Texas Association of Basketball Coaches clinic.



KERRY LEWIS of Dimmitt hurls the discus 124 ft., 2/4 ins. to capture first place in the event in the Bobcat Relays here Saturday. Dimmitt High School made it a 1-2 sweep in the event as Rodrigo Jackson placed second.

Farm kids program set

A committee of concerned citizens headed by Ed and Virginia Artho of Hereford have invited experts from Catholic Family Services in Amarillo to give an information program on the problem of "Kids 'down' on the farm."

The program will stress economic troubles among the

nation's farmers and how they are taking a heavy toll on farm youth.

The program will be held at the Community Center in Hereford Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Various programs that will be presented are "The Home and the Heart," by David Harp and "Kids, Family and Stress," by Mari Panagiotou.

Crime Line

Castro County Crime Line is offering a \$150 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a person or persons involved in the theft of a motor vehicle March 22 in Dimmitt.

A 1985 blue, four-door Chevrolet was taken from the 700 block of Maple about 10:45 p.m. Saturday, March 22, and was recovered near Dimmitt Middle School at 1:30 a.m. Sunday, March 23.

If you have information about this case, call Crime Line at 647-4711. All callers will remain anonymous.

Subjects related to farmers' crisis and its toll on kids will be discussed.

The program is being sponsored by the Junior Youth Group of St. Anthony's Church with the support and cooperation of area churches, the Chemical People, FFA and 4-H program and other civic organizations of Hereford.

The panel, though directed to youth, is open to all who wish to come.

Admission to the program is free.

CCHA sets tournament

The fifth annual charity tennis tournament benefitting the Castro County Division of the American Heart Association has been scheduled for April 26 through May 4 at the Dimmitt High School tennis courts.

20 different divisions will be available in men's, ladies' and mixed doubles, men's and ladies' singles, boys' doubles, girls' doubles and kids' mixed doubles. High school entries will be seeded into the adult divisions.

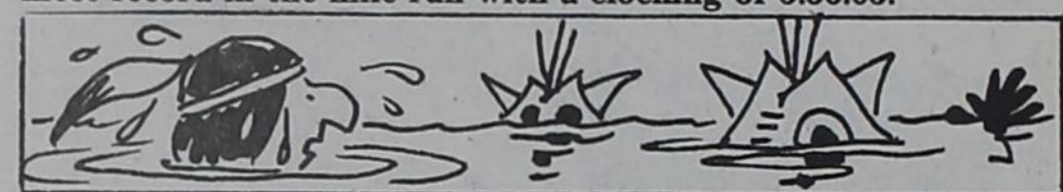
The adult divisions will include A, B and C divisions, except for ladies' singles, which will have only A and B divisions. Children's doubles will be divided into two age groups—9 to 11 year olds, and 12 to 14 year olds.

The tournament will feature no-ad scoring, two out of three sets, with a nine-point tiebreaker at 6-6, with pro-sets played in the consolation bracket. There is also a 15-minute default rule.

Entry fees are \$8 per person per event, and entries may be made by calling John Thomas at 647-3685 or 647-3105, or Danny Rice at 647-3552 or 647-2141.



TAMMY MENCHACA of Hart sets a new Bobcat Relays record in the girls' 3,200-meter run Saturday as she breaks the tape with a time of 12 minutes, 53.85 seconds. Menchaca also set a new meet record in the mile run with a clocking of 5:56.03.



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Track Results

Tulla Jr. High Meet Seventh Boys	
Final Standings—Dimmitt 162, Tulla 161 1/2, Friona 59, Abernathy 10.	
400 Relay—2, Dimmitt, 55.11 (Miller, Ontiveros, Hardee, Ramirez).	
100M—3, Flores, 22.75; 4, Hardee, 24.03; 6, Acker, 27.31.	
800—1, Ethridge, 2:30; 5, Killingsworth, 2:42.	
100—1, Cline, 12.7 (tied school record); 4, Ramirez, 13.47.	
400—6, Long, 1:12.28.	
300H—4, Hardee, 56.9; 6, Acker, 60.1.	
200—1, Cline, 27.2.	
1600—6, Wilson, 6:24.	
1600 Relay—1, Dimmitt, 4:21.06 (Ethridge, Cline, Killingsworth, Ontiveros).	
High Jump—2, Ontiveros, 4-8; 3, Flores, 4-6; 6, Killingsworth, 4-4.	
Shot—1, Ramirez, 35-9; 2, Jackson, 34-6; 4, Ontiveros, 32-1.	
Long Jump—2, Tie, Killingsworth and Flores, 14-10; 3, Cline, 14-8.	
Discus—1, Ramirez, 107-10; 4, Jackson, 90-9; 5, Soto, 86-10.	

Plainview / Jr. High Meet Seventh Boys	
Final Standings—Dimmitt 125, Plainview Blue 120, Plainview Red 112, Friona 65, Cooper 39, LCJH 17.	
400 Relay—3, Dimmitt, 53.41 (Martinez, Hardee, Ontiveros, Ramirez).	
800—1, Ethridge, 2:29.91; 3, Killingsworth, 2:36.45.	
100M—5, Hardee, 22.62.	
100—1, Cline, 13.2; 2, Ontiveros, 13.32; 5, Ramirez, 13.57.	
300H—5, Hardee, 55.09.	
200—2, Cline, 26.65; 5, Ramirez, 27.28.	
1600 Relay—2, Dimmitt, 4:20.13.	
Long Jump—4, Flores, 14-3 1/2; 6, Cline, 14-0.	
Shot—1, Ramirez, 36-6 1/2; 2, Jackson, 36-4 1/2; 3, Ontiveros, 35-2.	
Discus—4, Jackson, 94-10; 5, Ramirez, 87-6.	
High Jump—1, Ontiveros, 4-10; 5, Killingsworth, 4-4.	

Canyon Jr. High Meet Seventh Boys	
High Jump—6, Ontiveros, 5-0.	
Shot—6, Ramirez, 37-4.	
Discus—3, Jackson, 98-8.	
800—3, Ethridge, 2:25.	
100—4, Cline, 12.91.	
1600 Relay—5, Dimmitt, 4:16.81.	

Hereford Meet Seventh Girls	
Long Jump—1, Renee Josselin, 14-11 1/2 (new school record).	
High Jump—3, Leigh Hyman, 4-6.	
100—3, Josselin, 14.8.	
Mile—3, Renee Harman, 6:22.00 (new school record).	

Eighth Girls	
Discus—1, Kandy Neff, 78-9; 5, Sandy Garza, 60-5.	
Mile Relay—6, 4:58 (Gloria Gauna, Linda Ramos, Diane Paralez, Donna Ralston).	

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GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONIES were held Tuesday morning for the new headquarters for Conyers Well Service on SE Fourth in Dimmitt. Construction is slated to start this week, with completion scheduled for

June for the 50x50 foot building. In the foreground, with shovels, are Kay and Bill Conyers, owners of the business, while Jerry Hanners, Chuck Braafadt, Gene King and Jim Evans join them for the ceremony.

EDC \$ SIGNS

The Texas Agriculture Extension Service is now preparing its program for 1987 through 1990. Last week, a group of community leaders met in Dimmitt to offer ideas for the Extension Service Program Building Committee. Four separate groups were assigned to study the needs of Castro County in agriculture, home economics, 4-H and community development. Each group attempted to identify problems and needs in their assigned area of interest. Later, the committees will list those problems and needs in order of importance and recommend specific Extension Service Programs that will help solve the problems and meet the needs identified.

The Extension Service is one of several organizations that takes an active interest in dealing with community problems. A variety of specialists are available through the Extension Service to assist local communities in gathering data, presenting workshops, and dealing with problem solving.

41 people from throughout Castro County participated in last week's initial planning session. Other meetings will be held in coming weeks as local community leaders define their concerns and interests and attempt to translate those interests into meaningful working programs.

It is a good example of how local citizens can work together to solve problems. We salute the Extension Service for its ongoing work.

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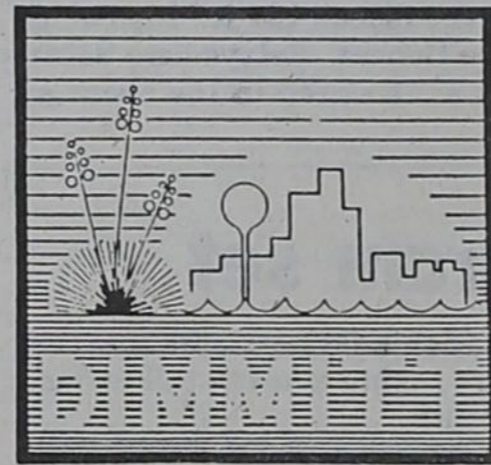
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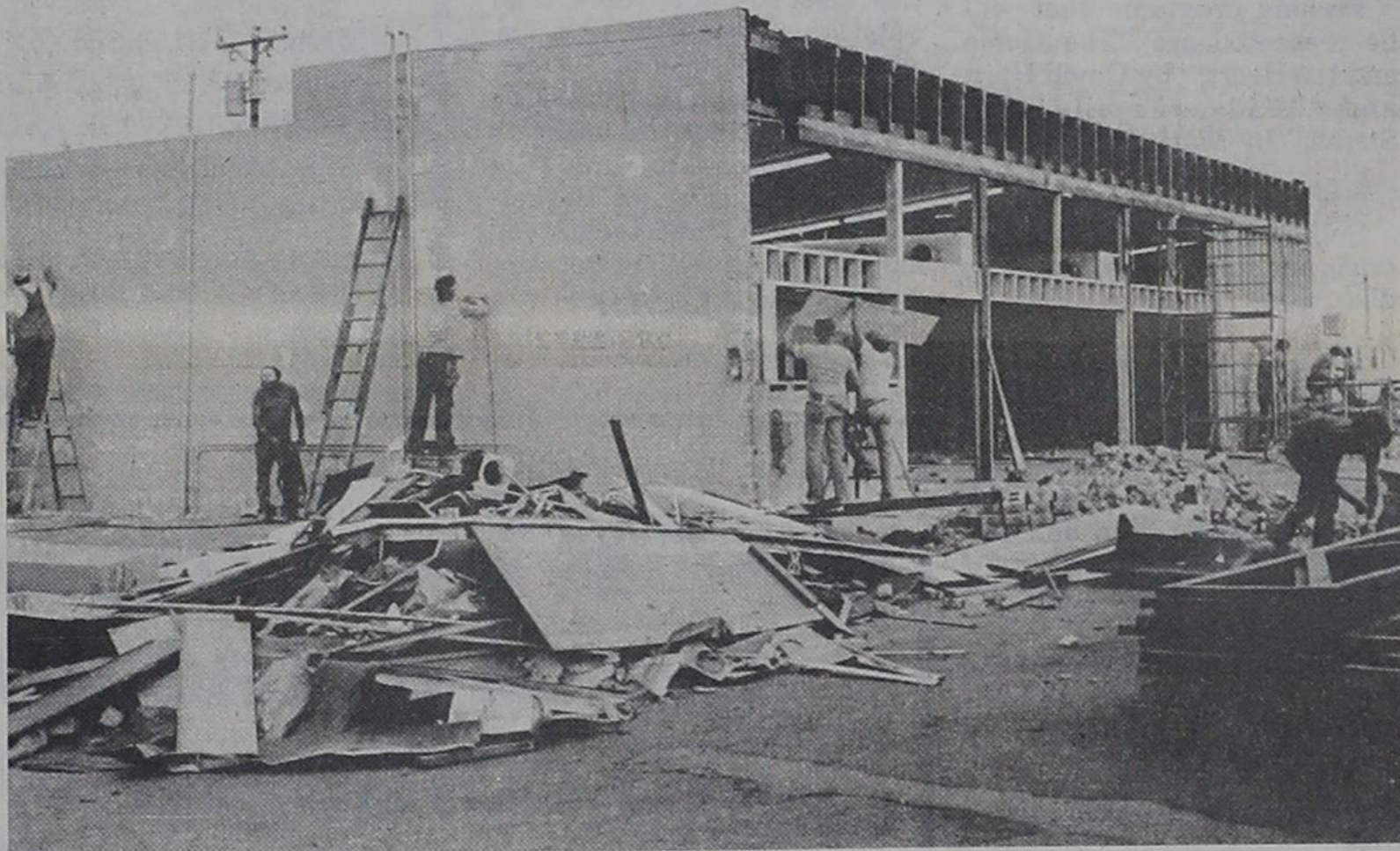
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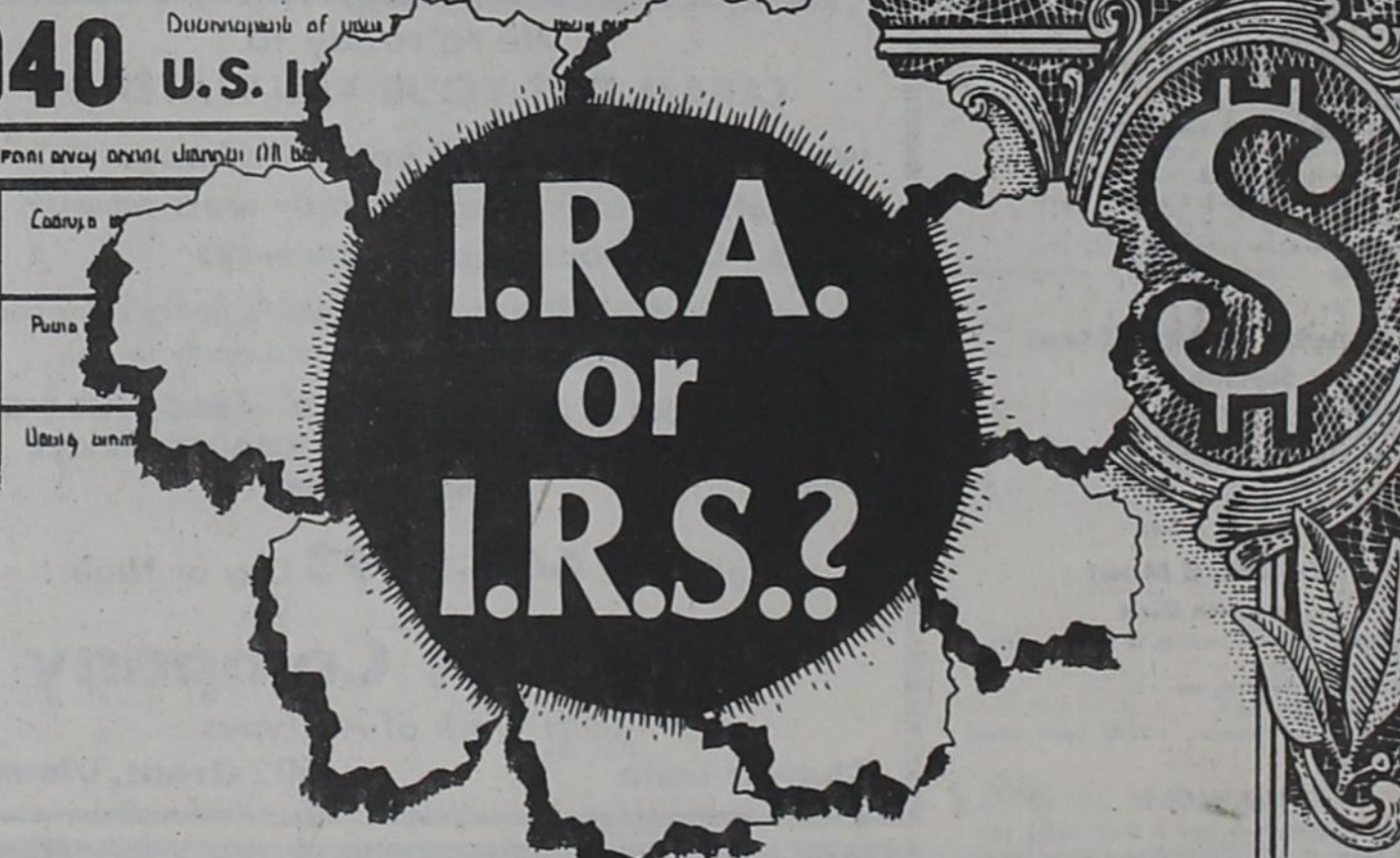
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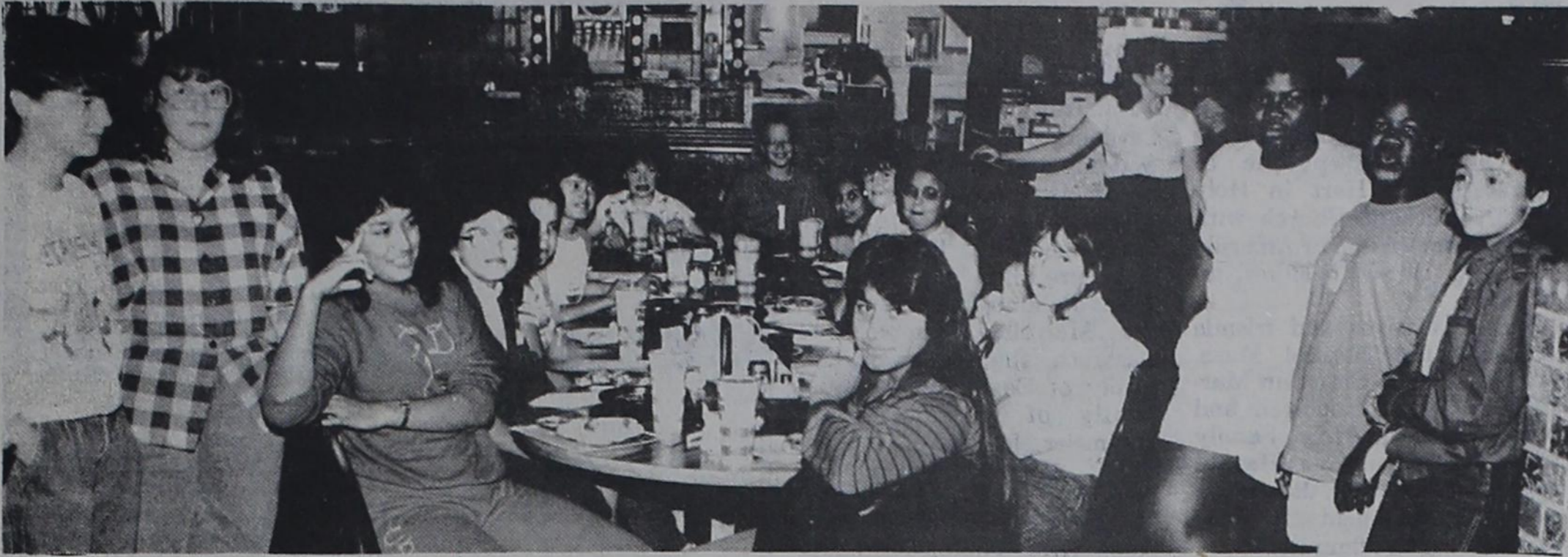
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Letter

We need Kent Hance --and he needs us!

Dear Editor and People of Castro County:

As we move closer to the May 3 primary elections, I find myself especially concerned with the gubernatorial election. I hope that the people of our county will remember things which I feel are of great importance.

First, I recognize the importance of party organization, but I believe that we must look at the person who seeks public office and ask ourselves who most nearly advocates the public policies which we believe will best serve our area, our state, and our nation. Then we must go to the party primary in which that person is running and vote for him or her.

This year, we have the opportunity to elect a West Texan, in fact, one of our own, to the office of governor. I believe that Kent Hance is our best choice for governor because he not only understands West Texas but Texas as a whole. I'm afraid that he is the only candidate who cares about West Texas.

Kent has proven during his past public service that he will listen to us and work hard on our behalf, while always being mindful of the best interests of Texas and the nation. How can we forget how hard Kent worked in the Congress for measures which the people of this community wanted? Remember that his political philosophy is still the same as it was when we supported his campaigns for US Representative and US Senator. His change from Democrat to Republican is a result of his trying to represent our area in the conservative way his constituents wanted, in spite of the extreme liberal leadership of the present National Democratic Party. I believe that Kent is sincere when he says he did not leave the Democratic Party, it left him.

Our community is facing serious financial problems because of problems in agriculture. Kent Hance has proven that he cares and will do what he can to solve these problems.

The present situation in the oil industry, which has been providing a major part of the state funds, is creating another financial crisis. I believe that Kent is the best qualified candidate to find innovative solu-

tions to this problem because of his experience in both state and national government.

Kent wants Texas to have the best school system in the nation, but he does not believe good schools can be achieved by destroying the morale of teachers as Gov. White has done, by (1) threatening loss of permanent teaching certificates on the basis of one English test which had nothing to do with teaching skills, and (2) loading teachers with virtually useless paperwork which interferes with time for teaching children.

Kent is not opposed to requiring children to pass all subjects before participating in extracurricular activities. He does know that a shorter period of time for failing

students to bring grades up will make those activities serve as the incentive to stay in school and to study. After all, this is what we all want.

I believe that Kent would recognize that school problems can best be solved by consulting with the dedicated people who work with children in school everyday, rather than following the dictates of a businessman whose chief concern seems to be selling computers.

To sum up, I believe what I am saying is that Kent Hance, the person, has not changed. He cares about the people here as he always has. Have you changed?

Thank you for allowing me to express my opinion on this important matter.

Avis Smith

Adult literacy workshop set

The Deaf Smith County Library, the Hereford Independent School District and the Hereford Family Services will sponsor an Adult Literacy Workshop Friday, April 18, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. and on Saturday, April 19, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Heritage Room of the Deaf Smith County Library.

The workshop is designed for people interested in becoming tutors for adults.

Trainers for the workshop will be Judy Williams from Texas State Technical Institute and Beverly McMahan from Southwestern Public Service.

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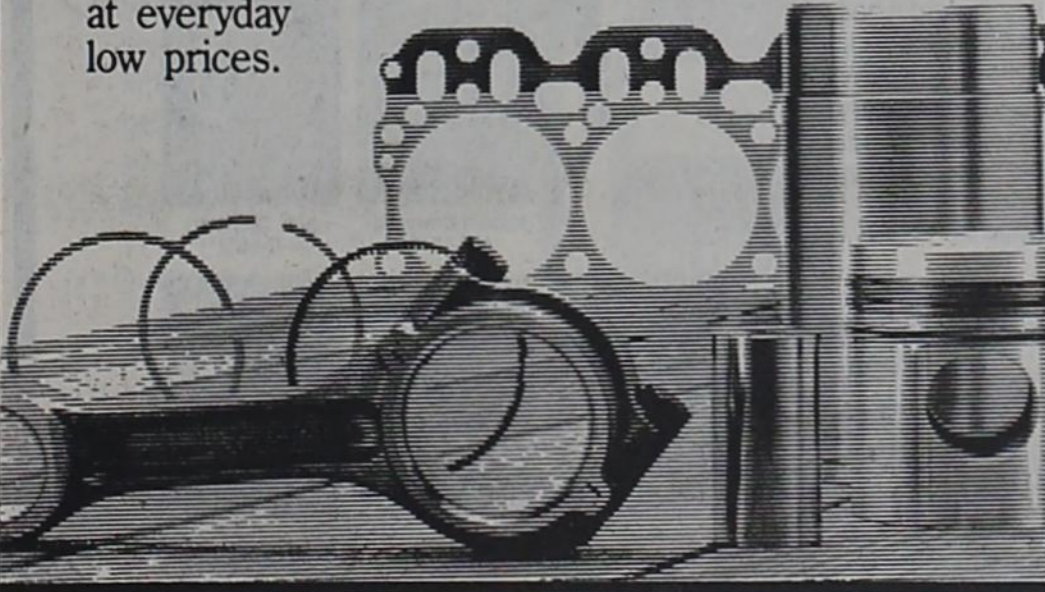
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Nazareth

Mass of Confirmation was celebrated Wednesday evening for 34 young people of Nazareth and Hart in Holy Family Catholic Church with Bishop Matthiesen of Amarillo and Rev. Harold Waldow, officiating.

Many relatives and friends attended the Nuptial Mass, celebrating the Christian Marriage of George Hochstein and Mimi Soto, in Holy Family Church with Rev. Harold Waldow officiating.

Congratulations to Robert and Mary Ruth Verkamp who celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday with the morning mass for their special intention in Holy Family Church.

Swede and Rose Schmucker of Hereford visited Joe and Dorothy Lange on Thursday.

Vincent and Adeline Pohlmeier have returned from an 18-day vacation. They visited with their granddaughter Christa in Oklahoma City, and with their son, Tom and family in Arkansas.

Tim Hoelting, who was recently discharged at Fort Hood after serving three years, stopped by to see his grandparents, Greg and Tinie Hoelting.

Nine members of the Nazareth Volunteer Fire Dept., Mitzie Brockman and Patty Kern have completed a 40-hour Emergency Care Attendant Course, accredited through Amarillo College and taught by members of the Amarillo Fire Dept.

Several relatives from Nazareth attended the wedding of Frank Pohlmeier and Sharon Mays of Amarillo on Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

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The Advisory Board will meet on Wednesday at 12 noon.

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TUESDAY—Sausage and kraut, potatoes, beets, salad, tea, coffee, rolls and dessert.

WEDNESDAY—Roast and gravy, potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, tea, coffee and dessert.

THURSDAY—Meat loaf, macaroni and cheese, English peas, salad, rolls, tea, coffee and dessert.

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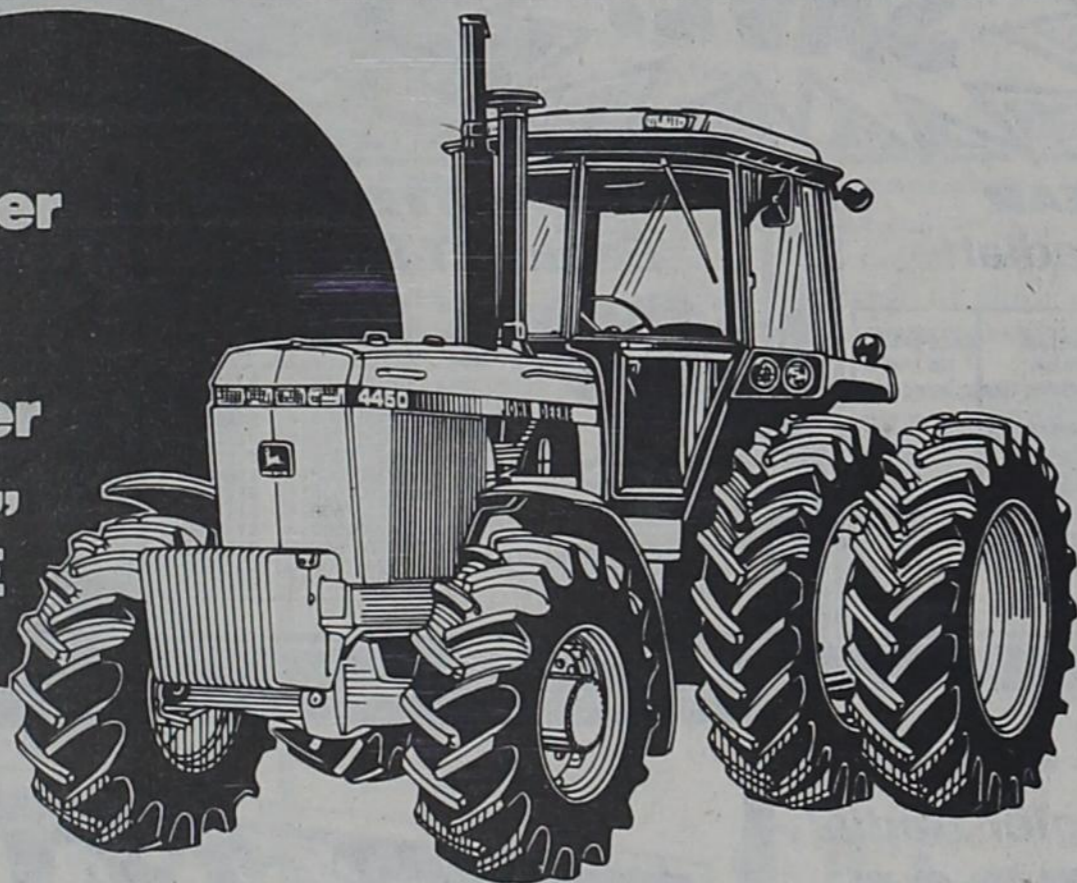
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CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION members from the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Dimmitt attended a youth convention in Amarillo March 22 through March 23 at the Hilton Inn. Over 600 members from throughout the area attended the convention. Attending from Dimmitt were: Bottom—Maria Granado, Priscilla Garcia, Sandy Garza, Mary Jane Lumbrera, Raymond

Godino, Elizabeth Davila, James Flores, Fredy Martinez, Ray Lopez; Middle—Sylvia Nino (sponsor), Nora Martinez, Adela Silva, Susie Flores, Becky Gonzales, Lisa Esquivel, Charlie Nino; Top—Lupe Garza (sponsor), Martha Martinez, Mary Ortiz, Ronnie Calderon, Linda Saenz, Lori Nino, Lupe Lopez, Cindy Martinez, Kathy Davila, Hortensia Garcia (sponsor).

Tornado season is here

The area's first tornado watches were issued last Wednesday, jarring us into remembering severe weather season is at hand. And, according to Steve Jameson, fire marshal for the City of Dimmitt and Castro County (and who is also the civil defense coordinator), there is still a need for the identification of storm cellars throughout Dimmitt.

"Each year the fire department has asked citizens to call and tell us where their cellar is located in the event debris is blown over the cellar, trapping the occupants inside," Jameson said.

"The fire department is not going to send citizens to these cellars. This information is held in confidence and is used only if your house is in a stricken area, so we can check your cellar, make sure you are not trapped inside, and make sure everything is alright.

"If we don't have the information, someone could conceivably be trapped in a cellar for days with no one knowing there is someone inside."

Jameson urged citizens to call the fire department between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday to give their address.

Jameson also said the signals for fires and weather emergencies will remain the same as they have been in the past.

"The City of Dimmitt has three outdoor warning sirens. These are dual-tone sirens, and while they are not perfect, we are covering a broader area than before. The fire alert siren is several up-and-down siren blasts to alert firemen.

"The tornado alert siren is a long blast lasting about 1 1/2 minutes. This will be done three times if time permits, and the 1 1/2 minute cycle is much longer than what you would

hear for a fire. Once the tornado warning siren signal is heard, you should seek shelter immediately, then tune to a local or NOAA radio station for further information on the weather."

Jameson urged everyone to become familiar with the different watches and warnings, but said there may not always be ample time for a warning to be issued.

"Tornadoes are not always indicated by radar or sighted by spotters on the ground, so everyone should be alert to the possibility of such storms whenever there are threatening conditions, but if a warning is issued everyone should take cover immediately.

"While there is no guaranteed safe place during a tornado, there are some locations that afford better protection than others. In the home, avoid windows. An exploding

window can injure or kill, so don't open windows to relieve pressure. The safest place in the house is in the basement, but stay out from under heavy objects like refrigerators on the floors above the basement.

If the house has no basement, the next best location is in the innermost hallway or in a closet on the lowest floor. An interior bathroom is also a good place to go as long as it has no windows. If possible, cover your body with a blanket, and protect your head with anything available.

"Whatever you do, don't get in your car, and leave your mobile home—make prior arrangements if you can."

April 7-12 is CUFUPU Week!

What's Cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for the Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth public schools for the week of April 14-18.

DIMMITT
MONDAY—Beef tacos, whole kernel corn, shredded lettuce, fresh orange cake and milk.
TUESDAY—Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, rolls, butter, pineapple tidbits and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, applesauce, chocolate clusters and milk.
THURSDAY—Bean chalongas, lettuce and tomato salad, buttered rice, peaches and milk.
FRIDAY—Combination sandwiches, potato chips, lettuce, pickles, pork and beans, fruit and milk.

HART
MONDAY—Burrito, cheese wedge, tossed salad, new potatoes, cherry cobbler and milk.
TUESDAY—Beef stew, cornbread, tossed salad, apricot cake and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, peaches and milk.
THURSDAY—Enchilada casserole, tortillas, tossed salad, corn, pineapple cake and milk.
FRIDAY—Steak fingers, cream gravy, wheat rolls, whipped potatoes, green beans, blueberry cake and milk.

NAZARETH
MONDAY—Corn dogs, cauliflower, peas, blueberry cobbler and milk.
TUESDAY—Mexican casserole, sopapillas and honey, pork and beans, applesauce and milk.
WEDNESDAY—Hamburgers, tator tots, lettuce, pickles, onions, raisins and milk.
THURSDAY—Pizza, corn, hot rolls, pears and milk.
FRIDAY—Chicken fried steak, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, Jello and milk.

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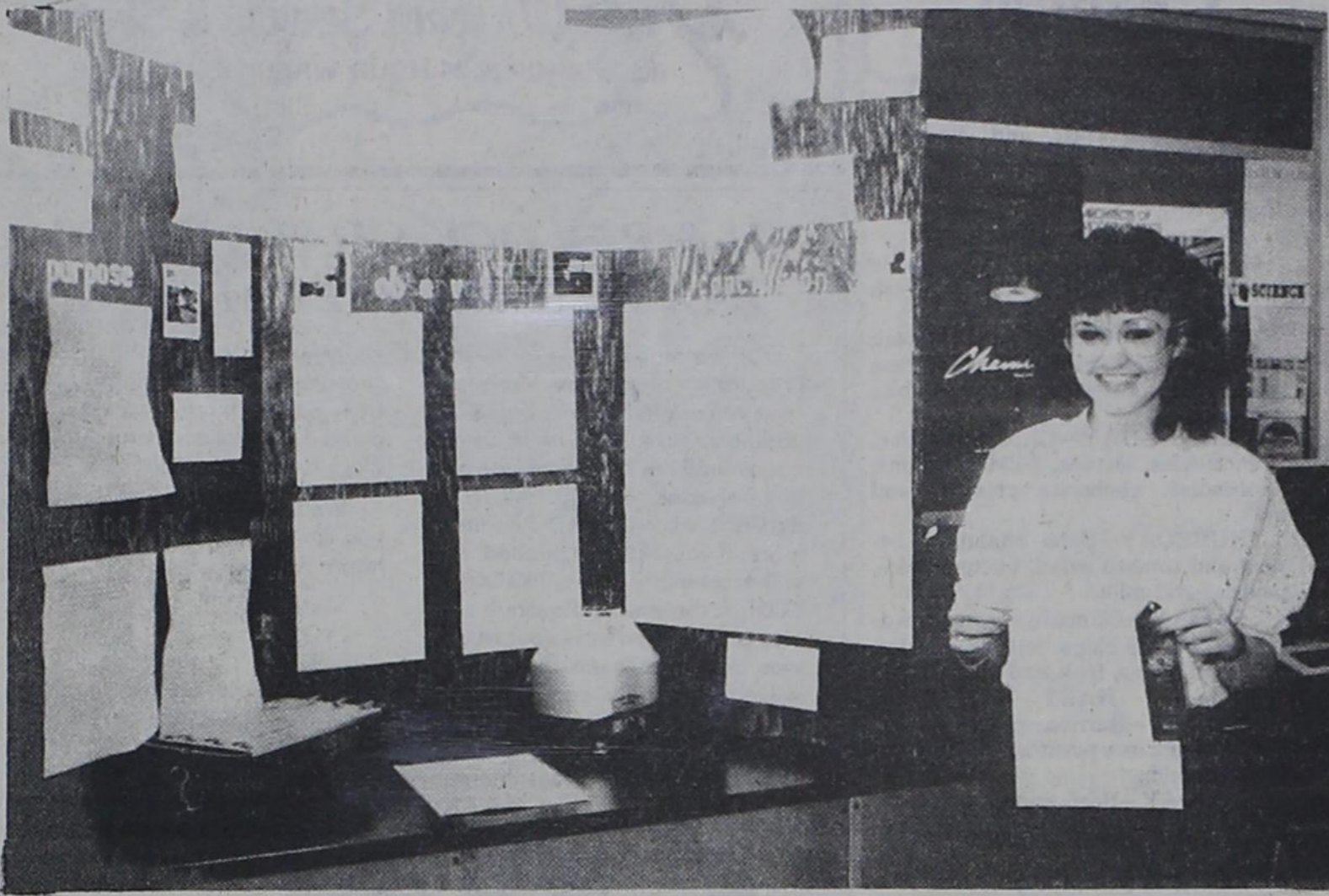
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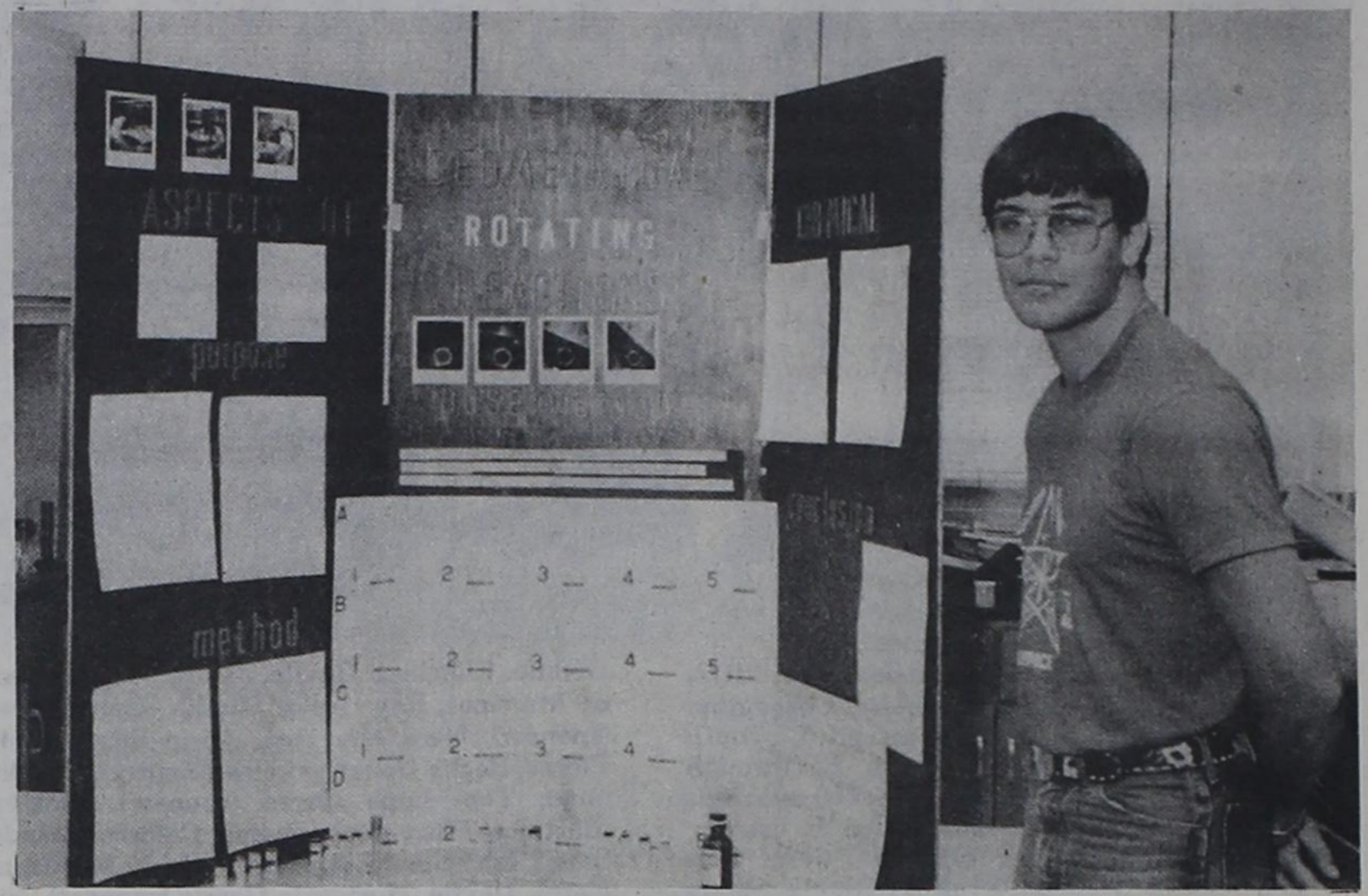
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Science fair winners



CHANIN ROSS WITH BIOLOGY EXHIBIT
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DAVID MOHON WITH CHEMISTRY EXHIBIT
 ... Won first place in chemistry with exhibit on rotating chemical reactions and received honor from US Air Force.

Harman is top rider in Bike-a-thon

Rochelle Harman was the top bike rider in the Dimmitt Bike-a-thon benefitting St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

24 riders raised \$1,863.93 at the bike-a-thon, with local residents pledging a certain amount of money for each mile ridden by the children. The

nine-year-old Harman rode 21 miles and raised \$376.35, and won a ten-speed bike donated by Killingsworth True Value Hardware.

Other top riders included Venessa Acevedo, 6, 12 miles, \$366.20, won a 4x4 battery-powered car; Selma Montalvo,

9, 21 miles, \$161.30, won a stuffed dog from the Flower Patch; Raylene Cooksey, 7, 16 miles, \$141, won a belt buckle from Sheffy's Western and Casual Wear; Brent Portwood, 7, 26 miles, \$117.96, won a gift certificate from Harman's; Scott Atchley, 11, 30 miles, \$110.60, a game from Dimmitt Thriftway; Bryan Portwood, 7, 24 miles, \$109.04, won a gift certificate from Anthony's;

Justin Griffith, 7, 26 miles, \$104.26, won a calculator from Dimmitt Printing and Office Supply; Melissa Guzman, 12, 27 miles, \$79.31, won a stuffed animal from Tots and Teens; Dwayne Espinosa, 7, 20 miles, \$75.10, won a headrest from Cobb's; Scott Heck, 9, 11 miles, \$55, a bank from Coleman Pharmacy; Richard Ramos, 9, 36 miles, won a trophy from Parson's.

Other participants included Ysela Gonzales, Billy Scroggins, Kara Scroggins, Candi Espinosa, Geraldo Barrios, Amy Boothe, Nathan Boothe, Rachal Harman, Luis Silva and Julian Martinez.

"We want to say a big thanks to the merchants who donated prizes," said County Chairman Carolyn Harman. "We also want to thank Taylor & Sons and Town and Country for helping, and a big thanks to the citizens who helped sponsor these children."

"Everyone who made a donation played an important part in making the bike-a-thon a success. Because of the universal objectives of research and treatment at St. Jude's, be assured the money benefits children all over the world."

"Knowing the people in our community are concerned enough to take quick action for children who need assistance is heartwarming."

DMS students receive honors

The National Secondary Education Council and the United States National Achievement Academy have named several students from Dimmitt Middle School for various academic awards.

Students were named Academic All-American, United States National Leadership Merit Award winners and were recognized by the USAA National Honor Roll.

Award winners are:
ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN
Eighth Grade—Barry Hill, Jerry Lopez, Justin Shultz, Matt Hamilton, Cory Joiner, Bennie Scott, Scott Stahl, Jad Gabel, Juan Flores, Brian Nelson, Jennifer Hanners, Kristi Sims, Danna Ralston, Tito Villanueva, Sandra Sandoval, Kara Schulte, Tish Miller, Priscilla Garcia, Jennifer Carter, Kay Gleghorn, Michelle Hucks, Linda Mora and Diane Peralez.

LEADERSHIP MERIT AWARDS
Sixth Grade—Curt Summers.
Seventh Grade—Michelle Smith, Christian Braafladt, Amanda Boothe, Carol Petty, Casey Gentry, Renae Josselet, Elizabeth Davila.
Eighth Grade—Priscilla Garcia, Barry Hill, Linda Mora, Brian Nelson, Diane Peralez, Jerry Lopez, Kristi Sims, Sandy Garza.

USAA NATIONAL HONOR ROLL
Seventh Grade—Amy Flores, Casey Gentry, Michelle Hardee, Denae

Hanes, Ryan Hardee, Renae Josselet, Carol Petty, Michelle Smith, Paul Ax-tell, Stacy Coker, Elizabeth Davila, Chad Killingsworth, Georgia Sanchez, John Wall, Jeanne Davis, Leigh Hyman, Jason Nelson, Deena Richards, Royce Schulte, Stacy

Stahl, Amanda Boothe, Sharla Jackson.
Eighth Grade—Jennifer Hanners, Linda Mora, Danna Ralston, Sandra Sandoval, Kara Schulte, Kristi Sims, Tito Villanueva, Tish Miller, Barry Hill.

DHS picks class favorites

Class and school favorites have been elected for the 1985-86 school year at Dimmitt High School.

School favorites include Woody Glass, most handsome; Lori Potts, most beautiful; Mark Smothermon, Mr. DHS; Stephanie Ryan, Miss DHS; Ben Benton and Becky Schroeder, friendliest; and Blake Brown and Jill Smith, courtesy king and queen.

Class favorites include: Most Handsome—Todd Braafladt, Scott Hill, Ricky Zimmer and Mat Bradley;

Most Beautiful—Donna Behrends, Cara Odom, Stacy Wilson and Nora Martinez;

Best All Around Boy—Kerry Lewis, Chad Smithson, James Alexander and Kelly Howell;

Best All Around Girl—Karla Sheffy, Vickie Murillo, Carla Pybus and Sydelle McDonald; Friendliest Boy—Scott Stevens, Tim Sims, Cary Buchanan and Prentiss Washington;

Friendliest Girl—LeAndy Lynn, Cindy Martinez, Kristi Petty and Maggi Paxton;

Most Likely to Succeed—Jeff Butler, Lisa Nelson, Scott Morris, Jacalyn Thompson, Greg Gentry, Dondi Hays, Brian Stewart and Jo Hyman.

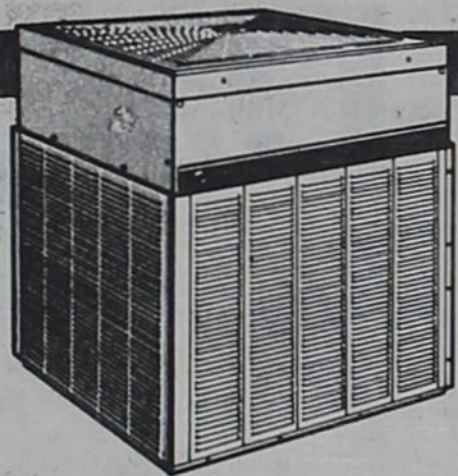


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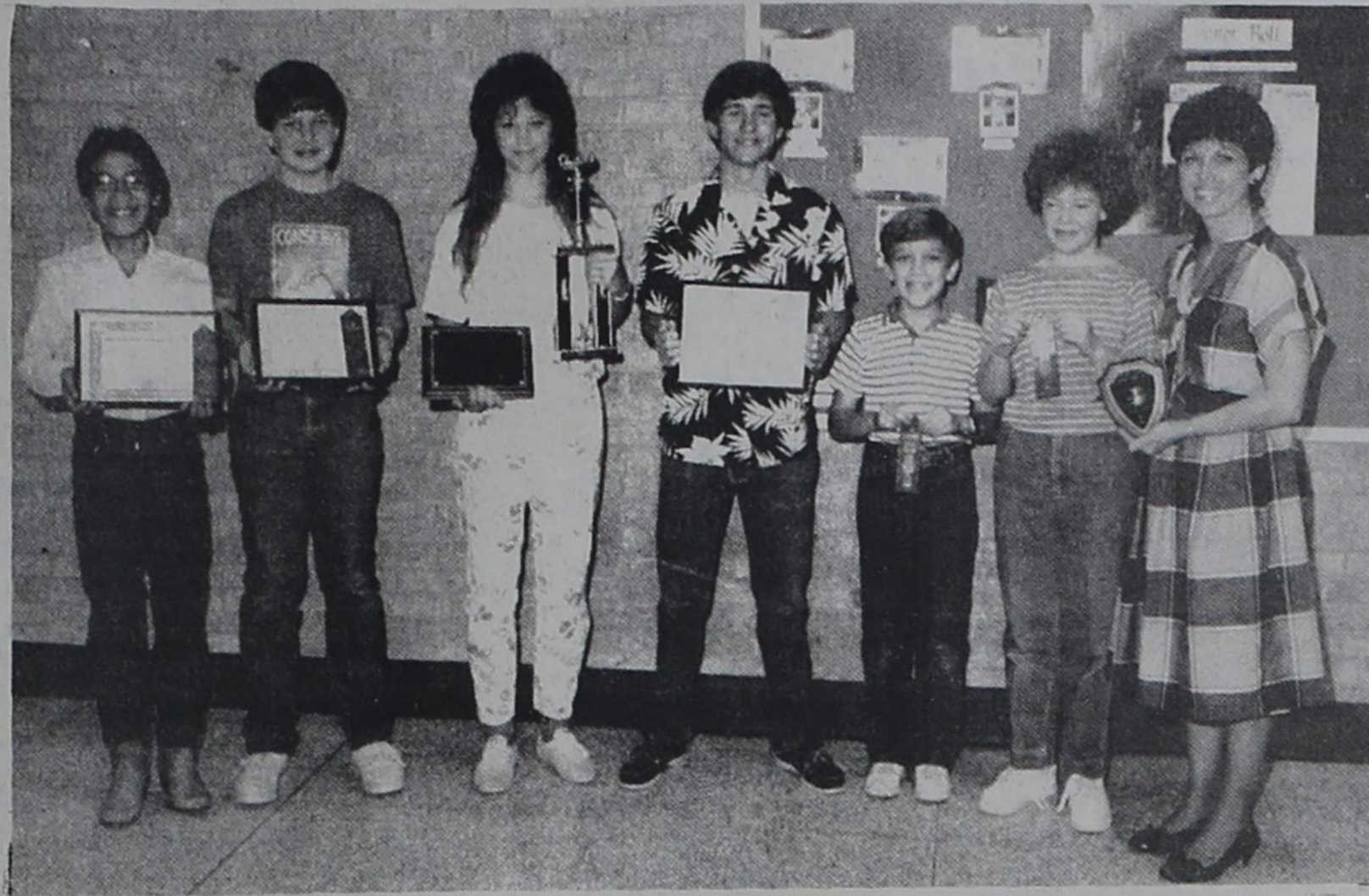
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Sunnyside

By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703



DIMITT MIDDLE SCHOOL winners at the Regional Science Fair Saturday included, from left, Michael Garza, Cory Joiner, Michelle Hardee, Barry Hill, Matt Sims, and Christy Killough, along with sponsor Glenda Sims, who

is holding the sweepstakes award received by the DMS seventh grade for outstanding achievement by a grade level. The fair was held at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

Police Calls

Crimestoppers of Texas is offering up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for the burglary of Tide Products, Inc., in Hart and Sunnyside in March.

Approximately \$9,500 in merchandise was taken from the Tide Products, Inc. company in Hart Mar. 30 between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

220 gallons of Treflan, 50 gallons of Roundup and a 15 inch tire on a Ford wheel were taken from the Hart business.

According to reports, the unknown perpetrators forced their way into the building after penning up chained guard dogs.

42½ gallons of Treflan, seven gallons of Roundup, six gallons of Pramitol and 45 gallons of Prowl valued at approximately \$2,800 was taken from the Tide Products Company in Sunnyside Mar. 5.

The alleged burglars forced their way into the building and also penned up the guard dog.

According to reports, an oxygen and acetylene cutting torch that was stolen from Dale Winders Mar. 5 and other tools were left at the scene.

Anyone having information on the burglaries can call 800-252-TIPS. The reward will be paid anonymously and callers will remain anonymous.

George Wall of Dimmitt told police her mother, Mrs. G.A. Shwen of Dimmitt, was upset with the quality of the paint job she had paid for.

Investigations by police officers revealed there was paint

on all the window screens, splatters on the concrete porch and around the windows on the glass. No attempt had been made to remove the excess paint.

Investigations also revealed the paint was thick in spots and thin in others. No effort had been made to remove the old paint that had begun to peel off the house before new paint was applied.

According to reports, three men stopped at Mrs. Shwen's house and offered to paint her house for \$375, then dropped their price to \$325. They reportedly told her they would only be in town for a day.

One of the painters identified himself as Charles Wayne Johnston, 44, of Abilene. He is a white male with brown eyes and hair, 6' tall and weighs 183 lbs.

No names were available on the other two men, but one was in his late 30's. He is dark complected, weighs about 200 lbs., is 5'10" and has dark hair and eyes. No description is available on the other man.

The men reportedly took the check from Mrs. Shwen and cashed it, leaving town in a tan Dodge pickup registered to Charles Johnson of Houston.

Last Thursday night, police responded to a complaint from John Vasquez of Dimmitt that a man had pulled a gun on him.

According to reports, two men had picked Vasquez up at his residence and then drove to the area by the Country Club. An argument broke out between Vasquez and one of the other men, and the man pulled

a gun on Vasquez.

Approximately \$725 of scuba diving gear was stolen from a vehicle owned by Jerry Matthews of Dimmitt between Mar. 29 and Apr. 2.

A USD Royal SL, a blue and a yellow mouthpieces attached to three blue gauges with initials JGM on the tank connector were taken.

Ascension Vargas, school janitor at Dimmitt Middle School told police a male juvenile had been caught with school property in his possession.

Investigations by officials revealed the youth had two calculators, pens and pencils and a gray metal box. According to reports, the youth had also cut up a school water hose with a machete.

The juvenile was detained and was released to his grandmother.

The church library committee sponsored a "Pass It On" festival following the morning services Sunday. After a covered dish dinner, Rev. Bentley Gwyn commented on several of the library books on the display table and then gave a short review of the book "Through Gates of Splendor" and then passed it on to Chris Elkins to read this week and pass it on to someone else next Sunday. Kathy Gwyn gave a short review of the book "Bloom Where You Are" and passed it on to Sheri Elkins for her to read this week and pass to someone else next Sunday. It will be a month-long library emphasis on adult reading. The library committee consists of Kaye King, Judy Damron, Verna Sadler and Teeny Bowden.

Herman Geris and Ralph Fan of Farwell had charge of the services Sunday night. They presented slides of the work the First Baptist Church of Farwell is doing with orphans in Guatemala. Mrs. Geris accompanied them. Ralph Fran is the president of the board of the mission in the US. There is also a board in Guatemala.

A couple from the church went to Guatemala in 1979, and seeing the orphan children sleeping in the doorways of the streets, came back with the conviction that something could be done for these children. They interested others of the church and they went down to see what they could do. The government of Guatemala agreed to give them approximately 300 acres of land in north Guatemala to

establish an orphanage although they expected nothing to come from it. Small groups from their church and other churches helped build a building to house the children and house parents. The couple who were inspired to start the work are now the only ones from the US there permanently, but since that time he has grown to be El Rancho de los Ninos, a children's ranch, with a school, church, cafeterias, medical clinic and other buildings. Each year people from the States go to build another building. This year 58 went from 13 churches.

Rev. Bentley Gwyn attended the Llanos Altos Associational Brotherhood meeting in Farwell Tuesday night. He took Gale Sadler's place as secretary-treasurer since Gale was having final tests at Wayland University.

Eules and Hazel Waggoner, Winston and Judy Waggoner and Molly Gay, Eddie and Sandra Waggoner, Laura, Susan and John, and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Waggoner and Daila of Abilene attended the funeral services for Bob Lindsey in Dimmitt Tuesday afternoon. Angelia and Mark Lindsey of Plainview stayed with their grandparents, Eules and Hazel, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings while their parents, Robbie and Evelyn Lindsey were in Amarillo with his father.

Teeny Bowden attended the meeting of the Castro County Historical Commission in Rhoads Memorial Library Tuesday afternoon.

Verba Sadler played with the Hereford Bluegrass Group at the open house of a nursing home in Hereford Saturday. They played for over three hours with a short break to eat supper. Ezell joined her for a practice session in Hereford Friday night.

Terri Loudder, Lacy, Jake and Katy spent the week in

Abilene with her parents, Dr. Bill and Lou Fleming.

Pat Elkins talked to Ruth Spencer by phone recently. They were doing alright at the time, but Noah had had the flu.

Judy Damron visited a few minutes in Plainview Saturday with Cliff and Naomi Brown of Hale Center who are doing fine.

Carrie Sadler was home from Lubbock for the weekend. Tex and Norma Conard of Dimmitt visited with them Saturday afternoon.

Jesse and Francis Pharis of Abilene visited last Friday evening and spent the night with Eules and Hazel Waggoner. They visited with Robbie and Evelyn Lindsey last Saturday and spent the day last Sunday with Eules and Hazel.

Adis Robison of Corona, N.M. visited Friday with Gale and Verna Sadler. She is teaching school there after graduating from Wayland last spring where they became acquainted.

Rev. Bentley and Kathy Gwyn, Christi, and Holly visited with his dad, Bentley Gwyn Sr. in Tulia Saturday.

Kay King and Emma Jean King worked in a garage sale in Dimmitt Saturday which was a benefit for the Eastern Star.

Pat Elkins attended the Chamber of Commerce luncheon in Olton Saturday.

Heather Dillard spent the weekend in Amarillo with relatives.

Monica Sanders, Will Stewart and Christi Gwyn have had the chicken pox the last two weeks. Christi was still sick Sunday, but broken out and not running a temperature. T. J. Sanders was running a temperature Sunday, but has not broken out yet.

Ezell and Verba Sadler visited in Earth Sunday afternoon with Howard and Monarae Cummings and her mother, Mary Schultz, who is ill.

April 12 is **CLEAN UP DAY** in Dimmitt!



RETIRING ALDERMEN—City officials honored Dimmitt's three retiring aldermen, from left, David Behrends, Joyce Hunter and Ann Armstrong, at the trio's last meeting Monday night.

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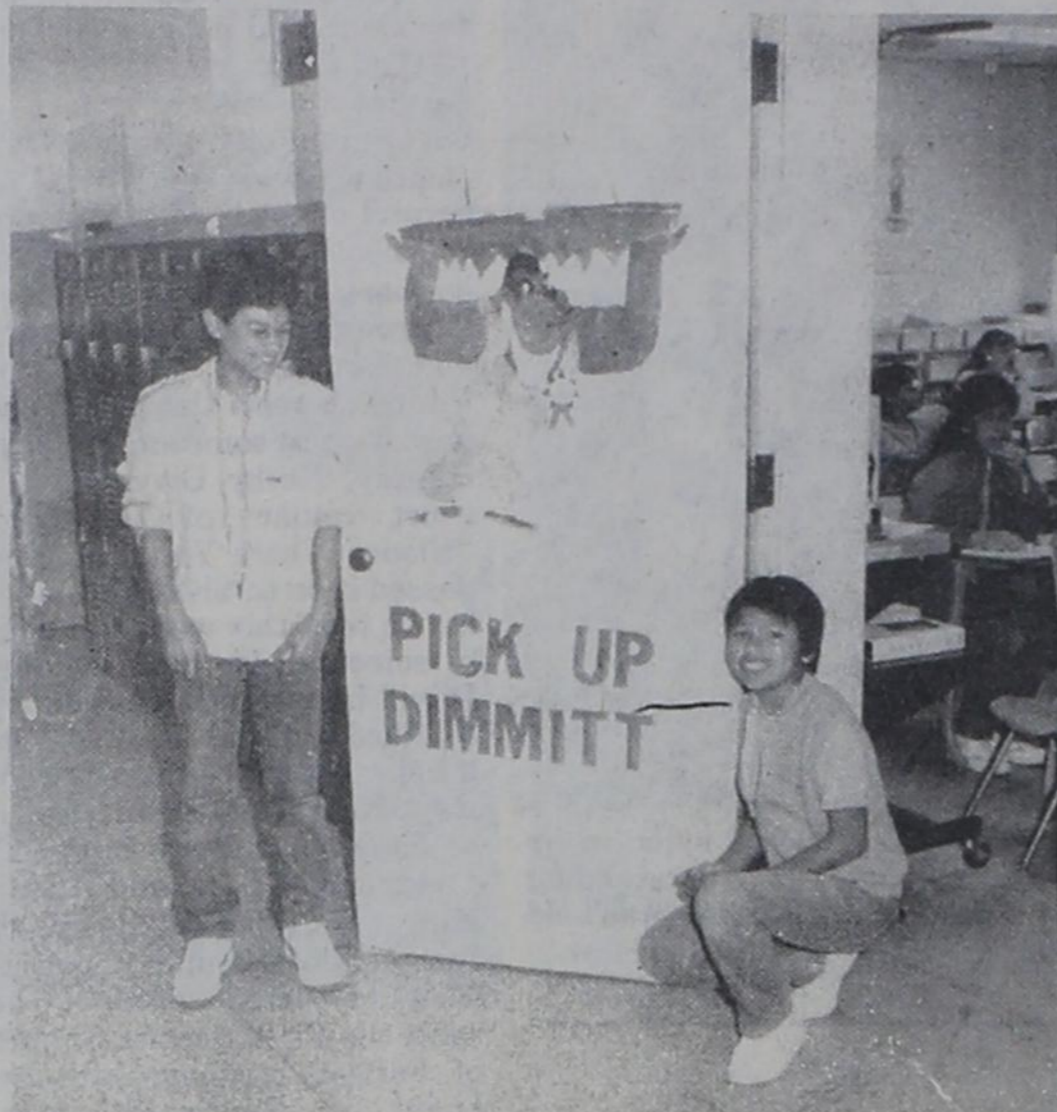
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 ... Jean Morris' eighth grade students, including Leslie Ochoa, Jeanie Evan, Diane Peralez and Linda Ramos won top honors.

Obituaries

Reyes Gonzales

Reyes Gonzales, 70, died Saturday.

Graveside services were held Monday at Castro Memorial Gardens with Rev. Harold Waldow, pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church of Nazareth, officiating. Arrangements were by Foskey Funeral Home.

Mr. Gonzales had lived in Dimmitt seven years and was a retired farm laborer. He was a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Alicia Melendez of Dimmitt; a stepson, Joe Silvas of Dexter, N.M.; a brother, Antonio Gonzales of Albuquerque, N.M.; and four grandchildren.

West Texas Opry auditions set Apr. 22

Auditions for the West Texas Opry will be held at the Lubbock Garden and Arts Center, 42nd and University, Tuesday, April 22, beginning at 7 p.m.

The auditions are open to all entertainers interested in appearing on the Country and Western show, according to Cecil Caldwell, producer. A piano will be available but participants must bring an accompanist or tapes as necessary.

For further information call Cecil or Maxine Caldwell at 806-793-5848.

The West Texas Opry is patterned after the original Grand Ole Opry in Nashville and its purpose is to provide good, family entertainment while giving a showcase to the talent in the West Texas area, Caldwell said. The proceeds from the Opry are donated to Crime Line and various charities.

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SIX DIMMITT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS advanced to UIL regional competition during the district meet held Saturday. Going to regionals in Odessa April 26 are, from left, Ben Benton, first in biology, accounting par-

ticipants Laura Hargrove, Sharla Richards and Jacalyn Thompson, who swept the top three places, and Greg Gentry, third in ready writing. Not pictured is Kerry Lewis, who was fourth overall in science.

DHS takes IA awards

Dimmitt High School students captured several honors at the South Plains Industrial Arts Association written competition held Saturday at South Plains College in Levelland.

Dimmitt students captured six first place finishes, four second place finishes, three third place finishes and a fourth place finish.

Students from Dimmitt who placed are:

Woodworking I—Coby Moke, 2nd.

Woodworking II—Todd Durham, 4th.

General Metals—Jesus Yanez, 1st; Jon Bruegel, 2nd; Ricky Henderson, 3rd.

Advanced Metals—Mike Hauf, 1st.

General Power—Kelly Goolsby, 1st; Frank Rodriguez, 2nd; Miguel Yanez, 3rd.

Technical Speaking—Goolsby, 3rd.

Chapter Conducting—Dimmitt, 1st. Team members include Rodriguez, J. Yanez, M. Yanez, Durham, Alma Murillo and Henderson.

Technology Bowl—Dimmitt, 1st. Team members include Durham, Rodriguez and J. Yanez.

Rocket Launch—Wayne Schacher, 1st; Moke, 2nd.

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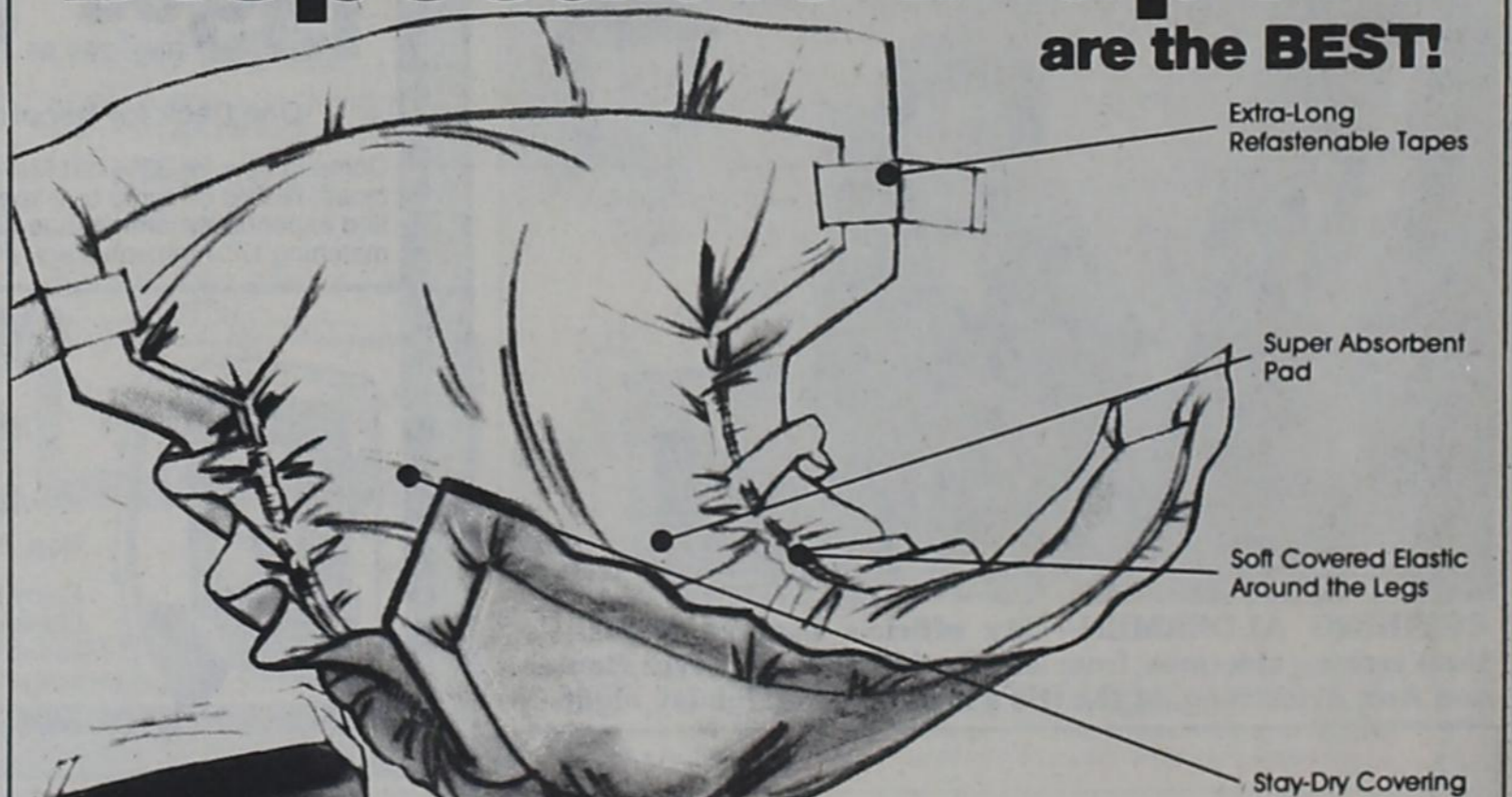


Santos and Consuelo Perez Jr. of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Deidre Marie. She was born Friday at 6:40 a.m. in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed 8 lbs., 8 oz. and was 19 inches long. She has two older brothers, 10-year-old Santos Perez III and 8-year-old Christopher Perez. Grandparents are Santos and Marcelina Perez, Sr. of Dimmitt and Margarito and Frances Sanchez of Dimmitt.

OUT OF TOWN
 Eleazar and Eva Abrego of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Erica Nicole Abrego, born April 1 at 12:09 p.m. at Deaf Smith General Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs., 13 oz. and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Andres and Cristina Montes and Elibeis and Rebecca Abrego, all of Dimmitt.

Bill and Suzan Sanders of Dimmitt are the parents of a daughter, Kami Danielle, who was born at 2:23 p.m. Friday, April 4, in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces and was 19 inches long. She has a big brother Keevin, 4. Grandparents are E. M. Jones, Joy Jones and Polly Simpson, all of Dimmitt.

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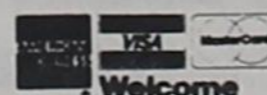


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