

UNDER FREEDOM'S SKY, Castro County's farmers are completing a bountiful harvest of amber wheat. Although the farmer has to fight a cost-price squeeze and is harassed sometimes by fickle weather, the land has been a blessing for him and he wouldn't trade places with anyone else in the world. In a nation made great by agriculture, the American farmer still enjoys the freedom of spirit that only the land, the open sky and independence can provide.

Court flushes city's bonds

Dimmitt's \$200,000 sewer bond issue has gone down the drain, the victim of a US Supreme Court ruling.

THE SUPREME COURT has knocked down as "discriminatory" the Texas election law that requires bond-issue voters to have taxable property rendered on the tax rolls.

The ruling voids all bond issues passed and canvassed in Texas since May 17. Dimmitt's voters passed the sewage-plant bond issue May 19 and the vote was canvassed May 21.

Approximately 40 other Texas bond elections were voided by the same Supreme Court ruling.

TOM ANDERLICH of Texas Securities Co. in San Antonio, Dimmitt's bonding agent, notified City Manager E. B. Noble of the new legal twist Monday, explaining that Attorney General Crawford Martin was forced by the Supreme Court ruling to turn down Dimmitt's bond issue and 40 others.

The Supreme Court ruling takes precedence over the Texas election law that requires residents to render property for taxation to be qualified to vote in bond elections.

Overturning the Texas requirement as unconstitutional, the high court ruled that all registered voters should be entitled to cast ballots in bond elections, whether they are on the property tax rolls or not.

NOBLE SAID the new ruling halted Dimmitt's sewage treatment plant project at the bond-sales point, and "has thrown things into such a turmoil that we don't know what to do."

State officials and bonding attorneys are also in a tizzy, Noble said, as they try to work under a Texas Constitution provision that has been declared unconstitutional by the top federal court.

"Our bonds were already contracted for sale and everything," Noble said. "We may lose our contract while things are up in the air — we just don't know."

HE ADDED, "The bonding attorneys are working in Austin to try to rectify the situation, but they don't know just what to do, since we can't hold an election contradictory to state law."

He said he and the city commission "hope to know something more about it" by Monday night's commission meeting.



60TH ANNIVERSARY — It was exactly 60 years ago today—on July 3, 1909—that the first combine was used to cut wheat in Castro County. It was this mule-drawn McCormick wheat header, purchased by the Ramey Brothers. This rear-view photo, taken by Estes Woodburn during the 1909 harvest, shows E. S. Ireland, Edwin "Goose" Ramey and B. G. "Bunk" Ramey guiding the machine and tending the eight-mule team while an unidentified boy sacks wheat in the bin. In a contrast of then and now, this year's wheat harvest on the same land started June 11—the earliest ever—and was completed in record time by huge, self-propelled combines.

'Miss Dimmitt' third entrant in GS pageant

Barbara Hansen, "Miss Dimmitt of 1969," is the third entrant in the Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation Pageant.

MISS HANSEN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hansen, is sponsored by the Dimmitt Jaycees. She will be a senior in Dimmitt High School this fall.

The 5-5 beauty won the Miss Dimmitt title in March over 12 other contestants, and will travel to Hale Center Friday to compete in the annual "Miss Firecracker" contest. Miss Hansen will ride in the parade at 10 Friday morning, and participate in the talent competition at 2 p.m. Swimsuit competition will begin at 5 p.m., and the new "Miss Firecracker" will be crowned after the swimsuit competition.

The Miss Grain Sorghum Pageant will be held in Dimmitt High School Auditorium Aug. 9.

THIS IS the 10th year for the pageant, which was organized to encourage the use of grain sorghum and its by-products. The winner will receive a \$1000 college scholarship, and the first and second runners-up will receive scholarships of \$500 and \$250, respectively.

The new Miss Grain Sorghum will succeed Karyn Hughes, University of Texas sophomore who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Earl Hughes of Dimmitt.

Survey sign-ups will close today

The Castro County Labor Survey winds up on an optimistic note today (Thursday), with 1,525 residents registered as of Tuesday noon.

"THIS IS approximately 15 percent of the county's population," explained a member of the Texas Employment Commission's Smaller Communities Survey Team, "and this is enough to be considered an accurate representation of the county's people."

Still, the surveyors said they would like to see even more people register before deadline today "as a further indication of their positive attitude toward growth, progress and new industry for the county."

The Labor Survey Office will be open until 5 p.m. today (Thursday) to register local residents in the survey. Information gained in the personal sign-ups will remain confidential, the survey team explained, and will be used only for statistical purposes.

HELPING BOOST registrations this week were the ladies of Dimmitt's Beta Sigma Phi sorority, who conducted a telephone campaign to urge area citizens to register before the deadline.

"The Smaller Communities Research Program wishes to extend its appreciation to the Beta Sigma Phi sorority," the survey team said, "and also to the many community leaders who showed their interest in the future economic growth of their home county. The success of any industrial development program will always hinge upon the interest and energy put forth by progressive citizens and leaders of a community."

A thick Economic Base Report book on the county should be ready for distribution within 45 days, the surveyors said. The report will contain the final, analyzed results of the survey of Castro County, its resources, facilities and people.

Little Leaguers plan big finish

Dimmitt's Little League and Minor League will close their regular season tonight (Thursday) with two games, a hot dog supper and the announcement of the Little League All-Star Team.

MOTHERS will serve hot dogs to players, coaches, managers, umpires and league officials on the field after the final game. The All-Star Team will be announced during the supper, and coaches' awards also will be presented.

City to host LL tournament

Dimmitt's Little League Park, now finishing its second season, has been chosen as the site of the 1969 District All-Star Tournament.

THE FOUR-TEAM tournament will be held here July 14 and 15, with Dimmitt Little League President Charles Nutt as the tournament director and George Howell of Dimmitt as the head umpire.

All-star teams from the Hereford, Canyon, Dimmitt and Castro County Little Leagues will compete for the right to advance to the area all-star playoffs.

The first round Monday, July 14, will pit the Dimmitt All-Stars against Canyon in the first game and Hereford vs. Castro County (Hart, Nazareth and Happy) in the nightcap.

The first-round losers will play for third place at 6 o'clock the following evening, with the championship game to follow at 8.

Boy's joy-ride leads him back to Gatesville

Sheriff Jack Cartwright arrested a 14-year-old San Antonio youth in East Dimmitt Monday after the lad had spent the night joy-riding in two stolen vehicles.

SHERIFF'S OFFICERS said the Negro boy was on probation from the Texas Youth Council school at Gatesville, where he has reportedly served three different stretches. The lawmen added that the youth will be sent back to Gatesville for a fourth stay as a result of his probation violation Monday.

Officers said the boy admitted stealing a Chevrolet El Camino belonging to Buster Cooper, and driving it until 4:45 a.m., when he took a 1966 Chevrolet sports coupe from the used-car lot at Dimmitt Motor Co.

The youth reportedly drove to Olton, where officers picked up his trail in the early-morning hours and chased him until they found the sports coupe abandoned 1½ miles west of H&S Produce Co. at Hart. Sheriff Cartwright arrested the boy several hours later at the home of the youth's uncle in East Dimmitt.

Both vehicles were recovered and returned to their owners.

Deadline today for golf entries

Today (Thursday) is the last day to enter the first annual Dimmitt City Golf Tournament, according to golf pro Bud Posey.

TO QUALIFY, players should play 18 holes of golf before 6 p.m. today at the Country Club golf course. Entry deadline is 1 p.m. today, and the fee is \$12.50 per player, both ladies and men.

By noon Monday, only 15 golfers had entered the tourney.

A buffet dinner for all contestants and their spouses will be held at the club at 8:30 tonight.

During the three-day tournament of match play, entrants will play 18 holes each day, with eight players in each flight. Merchandise prizes will be awarded to flight winners.

Hospital work to start Monday

After two years of red tape, construction will begin Monday on a 16-bed wing for Plains Memorial Hospital.

THE HOSPITAL board Friday signed contracts with Lampe Construction Co. of Lubbock to build the new wing for \$222,000. Lampe was the lowest of eight bidders.

The contract allows the construction firm 270 working days — until next June 30 — to complete the new wing. But Hospital Administrator Jerry Cockreham said the contractor "was very optimistic and said he hoped to have it for us as a Christmas present."

County residents authorized the new wing in 1967 when they approved a \$135,000 bond issue with the expectation of receiving a matching grant in federal Hill-Zurton funds.

SINCE THAT time the applications, plans and specifications for the project have been in the state and federal mills. The \$135,000 federal grant was approved, raising the total available funds for the project to \$270,000.

The construction contract amount leaves \$48,000 for equipment and architect's fees, and Cockreham said the hospital board "hopes to equip the wing for about \$40,000."

THE NEW WING will be added to the east end of the hospital, and will be built of the same red brick as the present modern building. It will include 16 private rooms, a general storage area and a classroom.

At the same time, the present hospital will be remodeled to include a family waiting room, Auxiliary and staff dining area, remodeled business offices, and a two-bed intensive care unit.

"We had to take alternate bids on a parking area extension," Cockreham said, "and we didn't get the parking area we wanted. However, we hope to add it later."

The administrator said the new wing will be needed as soon as it is completed.

"THERE HAVE been times already that we certainly could have used the new wing," he said. "Sometimes we've had patients in the halls and in my office, and we have had to juggle people around on numerous occasions. We have calls for private rooms almost every day when there are just not any available."

He added, "Considering how much time it has taken to get to the construction stage, I'm glad the bond election was passed when it was, and not any later."

Cockreham believes the two-bed intensive care unit will be the most significant addition to the hospital's facilities.

Fireworks stand blows up Monday

Fourth of July fireworks started popping early for Sharon Stone, Dimmitt teenager who had her own fireworks stand near the Pony League baseball park in West Dimmitt.

THE premature fireworks display started Monday evening at 7:15 when a prankster tossed a burning firecracker into her fireworks stand.

Miss Stone said she was helping some small customers when she heard something fall behind her. "I thought it was just something from a shelf," she said, "but suddenly everything started going off."

SHE SAID she got out of the stand as quickly as possible, and moved the children to a safe distance.

When things "died down" and seemed to be safe, she said, she returned to the stand to check the damage and see what could be done about the blazes that were continuing.

After she re-entered the structure, she said, something exploded in her face. Miss Stone received burns around her eye, and irritation in her eyes caused by fragments scattered in the explosion.

Approximately \$50 worth of fireworks were destroyed by the incident.

The sheriff's office is investigating the incident.

Don't light 'em inside the city

Kids, shooting firecrackers within the city limits can be expensive.

A CITY ordinance outlaws air gun and firecracker explosions within the city limits, and anyone who fails to comply with the ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor. A fine of \$1 to \$2,000 may be set for persons violating the fireworks ordinance.

Wedding marks historic first

The wedding of Sharron Flynt and Arnold Acker Friday evening marked a historic first for Castro County.

IT WAS THE FIRST Catholic-Protestant wedding ceremony ever performed here under the ecumenical policies established by Vatican II.

The wedding was in the First United Methodist Church, with Father Stanley Crocchiola, pastor of Nazareth's Holy Family Church, celebrating the high mass and Rev. Jim Pickens, the host pastor, delivering a pre-mass talk and assisting in the service.

It was the first time a high mass had ever been celebrated in a Protestant church here.

THE GROOM and other Catholic members of the wedding party knelt to take communion while the bride, a Methodist, and Protestant attendants stood in respectful silence. All those attending the wedding — Catholics and Protestants alike — took part in the mass recitation, using booklets provided.

Before the mass began, Rev. Pickens delivered a short sermon on "Ecumenism at the Grass Roots."

"The Holy Spirit might well be saying to us who make up Christ's Church, 'You've come a long way,'" he said.

"WE HAVE come a long way in church history for this event to be possible," he continued. "The breeze of change fluttered through the windows of Vatican I and II to bring to all of us new ideas of Christian concern and ecumenical involvement."

He explained, "Similar services on various occasions are taking place all across our land and in many European countries... This is an ecumenical era. Old stereotypes of thinking about one another must fall by the wayside... Mutual trust and cooperative efforts among us at the community and county levels must continue to become matters of fact."

"LET US honestly recognize our differences," Rev. Pickens said, "but let us rejoice and act together as we share that which we have in common... Let us move forward, not toward monolithic structure, but toward genuine renewal of faith whereby we discover and experience a new sense of community and unity."



THE INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE was laughter at Friday evening's American Field Service talent show, a highlight of a three-night stay in Dimmitt by 41 AFS students. The youths, representing 23 countries, had attended high school for a year in western states and were on their way to Washington, D.C., and New York City before returning to their homelands.



DANCE, OR ELSE! — Sherry Cole of Dimmitt, in white slacks, performs the "stick dance" with her guest, Elizabeth Gonzales of the Philippines, during the AFS talent show at the city park Friday evening.

Still below 100

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

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HOWARD COOK
 US Weather Observer

Sheffy's chatter

New Mexico abounds in scenery and Dimmitt sight-seers

By MYRTLE SHEFFY Sid and I and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Nelson had a nice traveling trip last weekend. We spent the nights at Raton, such a nice town, that wanders up and around the valley. It has many motels, all very modern, the big Lamesa race track and the old town. We went on to Trinidad, which is an old coal mining town. It is an interesting place to see. The Purgatory River runs through the middle of the place and we were told that the largest coal mine is up this river in the hills to the left. We saw many long coal cars full of coal. Monument Lake is northwest of the city about 40 miles. We saw Don and Karen Sheffy, Kristi and Elaine Bills of Earth at the cafe. They were going into the Cimarron Valley to camp and fish. We came home by Springer, turned east to Gladstone, gassed the car and were told that G. L. Willis' ranch was five miles north of that place. We stopped in Logan for dinner, then drove out to the pretty Ute Lake. Mary boosters and skiers were there. That lake needs some shade trees I think.

We came home by Grady, on to Clovis, stopped for a Coke, and saw Ray and Lena Martin of Abernathy and her sister Agnes and Royce Shires and their pretty daughter. Lena says all of their cotton people were hailed out. Ray is a ginner. They were home too from a recent trip to Pennsylvania. They always stop at the antique places. Then we came on home to Dimmitt, which looks good to me.

I HEAR that Arnold Acker and Sharron Flynt's wedding was a beautiful thing. Fred Bruegel was telling me about it. (We missed it because of our trip.)

The Flynts were hosts at a reception in fellowship hall after the service. Juanita Bruegel says Paul Acker barbecued chickens and good things for supper for the wedding party at the bank. Gail Bruegel, Neva Hickey, Betty Singer, Edith Ramey and Peggy Webb helped Rose and Herman with this dinner. Relatives were in from New Jersey, a niece from Italy and all the ones from Nazareth were here. The newlyweds went to Dallas for a short trip.

MARY EDNA HENDRIX attended the wedding of her nephew, Kelley Cloer of Tulsa, and Michelle Velez of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. She went with her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cloer, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Kelley, all of Tulsa. David Vaughan of Canyon, was best man and he and his wife Sue and baby Shannon went by plane to Syracuse, N.Y., where Sue's aunt and uncle from Utica, N.Y., met them and took them to Ottawa. Mary Edna says the country is beautiful with such pretty trees and lakes, and the climate is so cool.

Dr. and Mrs. Dennis Blackburn and children are spending a few days in Colorado at Jane's brother-in-law's ranch.

Mike Bruegel, Loy Morgan, Arnold and Lee, all of Tech, went to Juarez to pick up a few Mexican ornaments for their Lubbock apartment.

Holden and Margaret Bland and daughter Norma have moved here from Bedford, near Fort Worth. They live in the house south of the Jack Gregorys on Eighth St. Mr. Bland works with the Dimmitt Engine Service. They will attend church at Lee Street Baptist. They have three other children, who live at Hurst, Euless and Bedford. Miss Bland will be a junior at DHS. Margaret Bland is in Fort Worth this week with a son who mashed his hand.

John and Sue Merritt attended the 25th wedding party for Joe and Callie Wagley at San Angelo recently. Joe sells cars and Callie's sister Peggy Hicks was there too. These folks were in school here with Sue and Rex Sheffy.

WELL! This is where the Bob Fatters have been. First to California visiting his parents and sightseeing too, then home here, and on to Mount Pleasant to visit her mother, Mount Pleasant is near Dallas.

Jack and Myra Cowser spent a few days in the Cimarron Valley.

Joanie Blackwell and baby Scott are home from Hawaii where they spent a few days with husband Jerry Blackwell, who is with intelligence in Vietnam. Jerry had a weeks R&R. He is the son Sarah and Blackie.

Leroy and Patti Powers have been visiting her grandmother in Pennsylvania for a week. Leroy is with Super Market.

I went out to the country club swimming pool one day with the foreign exchange students with dozens of mothers watching their youngsters swim. Jean DuLaney was there with young niece Shelly Cox of Hobbs, also son Brad and his friends. Mrs. David Bechtol and her three daughters were swimming. Mary says she and Dr. David are going to Albuquerque to a meeting of other veterinarians.

Mrs. Bill Lee was sunning and keeping an eye on the three daughters. Who else did I see? Oh yes, Libby and Kenneth Cleveland, the teachers and lifeguard were

right there. Do go out and eat, golf, and swim.

JACK and Myra Miller will be hosts this next weekend to the school board members and wives and the school administrator. The place is the big cabin in the mountains at Cowles, N.M. Guests are Messrs. and Mmes. Charlie White, Weldon Skinner, Ike Moore Emmett Broderson, Helen Richards, John Gilbreaths, Clyde H. Damron, R. L. Stockstill, Melvin Barton, G. L. Willis Jr., John Merritt, Frank Wise.

This is a business and fun meeting.

The Emmett Broderson family and the Ike Moores and Friends Mr. and Mrs. Don Carraway of Tucson, Ariz., are home from a weekend trip to Lake Kemp. They stayed at the place of Emmett's dad on the lake, fishing, swimming and boating.

Marsh Parker of Olton has been here visiting her grandparents, the Francis Jacksons, and brother Kim Jackson Parker, who is staying with Kenneth and family.

MRS. BILL Williams goes July 6 to play the organ for Rev. Edd

Robb and Bobbie and Jean Moore, singers, who will spend two months on an evangelistic tour from Abilene to Nebraska. Mrs. Williams has accompanied the Moores making several records and KDHN has one album.

The program will be area wide or city-wide. Borger will be the largest, sponsored by all churches.

Cynthia Williams, the daughter of Bill and Dee, is at summer camp and visiting relatives in the Fort Worth area. Their other daughter Connie and husband Jerry Stewart are at Omaha, Neb., where Jerry is a career Navy man. The Williams have visited them in Omaha.

Donald Jackson, son of Al and Dorothy, is helping build the new Baptist church. Most all of the college kids are working someplace.

Shirley Underwood, Billie Gwynne Davis and Lucille Dollar who work in the school principals offices, attended a TESA Workshop in Austin last week.

MR. AND MRS. Troy Langford and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers and children of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jacks and children all spent two weeks vacation and fishing at Lake Texhoma. It seems Mrs. Langford caught the biggest fish.

Cordia Smith of Dallas is here for a week as traffic training supervisor for Southwestern Division of Continental Telephone Co. I saw Mrs. Smith, Earlene West and Mrs. Talley having lunch and a visit.

Edd McLeroy tells me that he, Jackie, James and Maxie Horton, Lynn and Glenn Polson and George and Bessie Elder and all the children went to Ute Lake, mostly for water skiing.

Wolfgang Buschardt has gone to his home in Germany after a year of schooling here. He was a guest the last day of Barry and Stefanie Love. The Ike Moores had a letter from him. He is with a group going home and was having a good time in Kansas.

A NICE experience for we Dimmitt folks last was hosting the 41 foreign exchange students from everywhere. My guest was sponsor Rose Lise Obetz from Riverside, Calif. And Ruth Jacksons girls Barbara and Angie from Austria had Cokes with us one day. Their English is better than mine.

The dance sponsored by Dr. and Mrs. James Wohlgemuth and the Jaycees was a "real blast." The Jaycees served Cokes and kept things going. Forty-one exchange students and probably 50 of the Dimmitt kids danced. Seems their bodies move every minute the feet don't. They s'nd three feet apart and this loud groove music was made by Dimmitt's Seven Story Darkness. The bank was host with Cokes and a tour of the facilities with Edd McLeroy, Mrs. Walt Hansen, Georgia Wall and Sybil Lawson as acting hosts and hostesses. Fred, Bruegel and Stefanie Love, former German citizens talked to the students from at least 20 countries and ten speak German.

JACK BURNS, the drivers education teacher from Hart, tells Jane Ann Mooney, to tell us the kids are learning to drive good and safely. Emmett Broderson and Jones Hedrick are also driving instructors.

Bob and Beth Jones and children and Carolyn Jones and her two children spent Sunday with his mother Mary Jones at Hale Center.

Chuck and Darlene Youts of Waco have been visiting his uncle and aunt Lester and Clara Gladden for a few days. Chuck has finished his law school, passed the Bar and is with a law firm in Waco. Chuck is the son of Clarice Youts who lived here. And Phyllis Mooney tells me that his sister Suzan and her husband, Richard of the University of Texas at Austin have signed up for three years in the Peace Corp. They don't know their field of service yet. Other guests of the Gladdens and Elmer Youts was brother Sandy and his wife of Indianapolis. Two girls from Turkey stayed with Bob and Phyllis Mooney. Those students were all over town, two boys from France, several from Germany and a place or two that I can't even spell.

HERE IS A letter I received this week from Sgt. Jerry Frazier, son of Alvin and Frances. Dear Mrs. Sheffy,

As you probably know, I am in Vietnam at the present. I just wanted to let you know that I really enjoy reading "Sheffy's Chatter." After reading it, I know a little about what is happening in Dimmitt. I've been getting it, Castro County News, ever since I came in the Army and I always read your column.

Well, I've been here since May 25, 1969 and I was really surprised to find that the men really work together. They are doing a great job. I work in TOC (Teche Operations Control) at Blackhorse Base Camp. Much of my work is confidential or secret so I can't say much about it. Well, I've

bored you enough. Tell everyone hello!

Sincerely
Sgt. Jerry Frazier

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLain Floydada and Miss Winnie McLain of Dallas visited with Myr Williams several days last week

Bible Thoughts "ONENESS" By Ronnie Parker

Is there unity and confusion among followers of Christ from heaven or men? Is Christ divided? Does God approve of many churches or one church? THERE WAS ONE CHURCH IN PROPHECY. By the prophets the Lord spoke of the coming of His church. Isaiah described it as "THE HOUSE" (Isa. 2:3). Daniel called the church "THE KINGDOM" (Daniel 2:44). John the Baptist used the phrase "THE KINGDOM" (Matt. 3:1). The voice of the prophets spoke of the coming of one church. THERE WAS ONE CHURCH IN PROMISE. When Jesus came he said in clear words, "I will build my church" (Matt. 16:18). The singularity of the church is further emphasized by Christ when he said the church would be "ONE FLOCK, ONE SHEPHERD" (John 10:16). THERE IS ONE CHURCH IN PURCHASE. In John's record he says Jesus died "that he might gather together into one the children of God" (John 11:52). To clearly tell us of the oneness of the church several figures are used. It is called the kingdom, the body, the house, the temple, and the bride of Christ. How absurd it would be to say Christ has many brides with many names! Yet the Bible declares the church is the bride of Christ (Eph. 5:23) and the body of Christ (Col. 1:18-23), and that there is only one body (Eph. 4:4-6). Division is an enemy to the cause of Christ. Members of the churches of Christ are pleading for oneness in Christ. YOU HAVE AN INVITATION TO VISIT ALL OUR SERVICES FOURTH AND BEDFORD CHURCH OF CHRIST

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THURSDAY Closed

FRIDAY - SATURDAY Walt Disney Presents The Parent Trap! -G-

SUNDAY - MONDAY The Desperados -M-

TUESDAY Closed

WEDNESDAY Seguire Tus Pasos

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G Suggested for General audiences.

M Suggested for Mature audiences (parental discretion advised).

R Restricted - Persons under 16 not admitted, unless accompanied by parent or adult guardian.

X Persons under 16 not admitted. This age restriction may be higher in certain areas. Check theatre or advertising.

MR. FARMER! Are you interested in making money this year? If you are, investigate NATIONAL FARMERS ORGANIZATION Contact any member in your area and let him explain the program. Join this organization and block your production together and make more money through Organized marketing. Business meetings every second and fourth Thursday of each month. The N.F.O. office is located at 203 E. Bedford

First aid course to begin July 10

A public first aid course will begin July 10, sponsored by the Family Living Committee of the Extension Service.

CLASSES will be held from 7:30 to 10 p.m. on July 10, 17, 24 and 31 in the assembly room of the courthouse. A first aid instructor from Hereford will teach the course.

It is open to anyone who would like to learn first aid, and there is no charge.

IGLESIA DE CRISTO E. Lee and S.E. Third Evangelista - Max R. Zamorano Phone 647-3434

Sunday - Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Classes for all 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Ruben Calles Joe Balles Latin American Mission Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Monday - Mission Service 2:00 p.m.

TRUE GOSPEL HOLINESS CHURCH North East 8th Street Pastor: Elder Earnest Smith Jr. Sunday School 10:00 Morning Worship 11:00 FRIDAY Y.M.U. 5:30 p.m. Tuesday Night 8:00

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH J. C. Gardner, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Circle Bedford W. Smith, Minister Phone 647-5478

Sunday - Bible School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Thursday - Children's Hour, 6 yr. old through 4th grade 4:00 p.m.

SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Mack Turner, Pastor Sunday - Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night - Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH C. E. Strickland, Pastor N.W. 5th at Halsell

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

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside) Bill Talley, Minister Third and Halsell Streets Sunday - Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Wednesday - Classes 7:30 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Don Cass, Pastor Phone 647-5355 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. 2nd & 4th Monday - Brotherhood 8:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 8:00 p.m. WMU 7:00 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Rev. Henry C. Russell, Pastor 302 S.E. 2nd Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

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

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LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Don Cass, Pastor Phone 647-5355 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. 2nd & 4th Monday - Brotherhood 8:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 8:00 p.m. WMU 7:00 p.m.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH James T. Pickets, Pastor 110 S.W. 3rd - Phone 647-4356 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. MYF: Jr. HI & Sr. HI 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship 8:30 p.m. Wednesday - General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m. Choir 7:30 p.m.

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Flynt - Acker vows recited in formal church ceremony

The First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt was the setting Saturday evening for the marriage of Sharron Marie Flynt and Arnold Phillip Acker, both of Dimmitt.

THE BRIDE is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Flynt, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Acker are the parents of the groom.

Father Stanley Crocchiola, pastor of the Holy Family Church of Nazareth, celebrated the wedding mass. Rev. Jim Pickens, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, assisted in the ceremony before and after the mass.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, wore a formal gown of white peau de soie. The gown was appliqued with imported hand-run French lace. The fitted bodice of French lace fastened in the back with tiny iridescent buttons. A cathedral length train was attached to the Empire waist, and was appliqued with lace.

HER VEIL, attached to a headpiece of petal points and organza roses re-embroidered with seed pearls, was three-tiered and floor length. It was made of Nylon illusion, and was imported from the House of Heathcoat, London.

For "something old," she chose a white linen handkerchief which her mother had carried at her wedding. The bride's "something new" was her wedding gown, and for "something borrowed" she wore a pearl drop necklace, which belonged to her maid of honor. "Something blue" was the traditional garter, and she had "lucky pennies in her shoe." The bridal bouquet was made up of orchids surrounded by cascades of daisies, and was carried atop a white satin-and-lace Bible, a gift from her parents.

The groom's twin sister, Mrs. Eugene Oldham of Canyon, was the matron of honor. Maid of honor was Patty Simpson of Dimmitt, and bridesmaids were Margaret Flynt of Farmington, N.M., cousin of the bride, and Darla Underwood and Elaine Davis of Dimmitt.

KARRON FLYNT, sister of the bride, and Kim Lindsey of Dimmitt lit the candles. Donya Tuttle of Dimmitt was the flower girl.

All the bridal attendants wore formal gowns of avanti rayon and acetate of Southern belle styling. The bridesmaids' gowns were of mint green, and they wore circular hats of mint green tulle. The candlelighters' gowns were pink, with matching headpieces, and the flower girl wore a yellow gown in the same style, with matching headpiece. Each carried a bouquet of daisies.

Jack Flynt II, brother of the bride, was best man. Groomsman



MRS. ARNOLD ACKER
... The former Sharron Flynt

were Paul Easterwood of Houston, David Bellinghausen, cousin of the groom, Don Minchew and Joe Lust, all of Dimmitt. Tommy Gross of Dimmitt and Richard Connell of Muleshoe served as ushers. Keely Nelson of Dimmitt was the ringbearer.

Robert Froehner of Dimmitt played traditional wedding music at the organ, and accompanied Mrs. Truman Touchstone, soloist, who sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Wedding Prayer."

THE AISLE was covered with white satin, and two white cherubs held satin ropes that marked the bridal path. Cascades of small white flowers marked each pew and lined the path to the altar. The white sating kneeling bench and candelabra, and a large candelabra was centered in the background. White mums and daisies with greenery completed the sanctuary decorations.

A reception followed the wedding in Lamar Fellowship Hall. Susan Thornton and Nell Wood, both of Dimmitt, wearing street length yellow dresses of the same material as the attendants' gowns, served the punch and cake. The reception table was covered with a lace cloth, and the centerpiece consisted of the bridal bouquet and the attendants' flowers, arranged with a candelabra holding white tapers.

The four-tiered cake, trimmed with white roses and mint green leaves, was topped with a lace-gowned bride and a groom and flanked by miniature replicas of attendants, a groomsman and a bridesmaid, dressed in similar fashion as those in the wedding party. The pink fruit punch was served from a silver punch bowl.

CAROLYN FINLEY of Plano, cousin of the bride, registered the guests at the wedding and at the reception, and played musical selections during the reception.

The bride chose a two-piece suit of blue and white linen for traveling to Six Flags at Arlington. The couple will be at home in Lubbock at Two-World Apartments No. 4, 2122 Fifth St., after July 6.

The bride reigned as Miss Dimmitt last year, and is a 1969 graduate of Dimmitt High School. She will attend Texas Tech this fall.

Acker is a 1965 graduate of Dimmitt High School. He is an honor student in civil engineering, and will graduate from Texas Tech in December.

GUESTS from several states, including New Jersey, New Mexico, and New York, attended the wedding. Katherine Acanfora, cousin of the groom, also attended. She is a resident of Rome, Italy.



Miss Crick

Aug. 9 date set

Mr. and Mrs. Verle Crick of Hart announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Verletta Sue, to Larry Wayne Griffin of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Griffin.

MISS CRICK is presently employed as a teletypist at A. G. Edward Co. in Lubbock. She is a graduate of Hart High School and has attended South Plains Junior College and West Texas State University.

Griffin is a graduate of Highland Park High School in Dallas and is now a senior at Texas Tech.

Wedding vows will be exchanged Aug. 9 at 8 p.m. in the United Methodist Church of Hart.



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Miss Hopson is shower honoree

Susan Hopson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Hopson, was honored at a bridal shower Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sandy Parsons.

MISS HOPSON is the bride-elect of Ronnie Owens of Hereford.

In the receiving line were Miss Hopson; her mother; her grandmothers, Mrs. Lee Hopson of Hereford and Mrs. Roy Jewell of Hedley; Mrs. V. J. Owens of Hereford, mother of the prospective groom; and Cindy Hopson, sister of the honoree.

Linda London of Hereford registered guests and Janie Boothe of Dimmitt and Julie Owens of Hereford served punch and petit-

fours from a table covered with a white floor-length cloth. The table was overlaid with white net, gathered with white and yellow ribbons. The centerpiece was made up of shasta daisies and white summer flowers arranged in a silver epergne.

OUT-OF-TOWN friends from Hereford and Dawn were special guests.

Twenty-five ladies assisted Mrs. Parsons as hostesses.

Miss Hopson was also honored with a lingerie shower in the home of Mrs. Walter London of Hereford on Friday evening.

Miss Hopson and Owens will be wed July 19 in the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt.

On the Go

MRS. MARGUERITE Richardson of the Colonial Inn went to a "come as you are" party sponsored by American Business Women's Association Tuesday in Lubbock. The party was hosted by the Temperano Chapter of the ABWA.

On the Go

GUESTS of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richardson last week were Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Frey and their children, David and Brenda. The Freys are from Wood River, Ill., where he is pastor of a Southern Baptist Church. A weekend guests in the Richardson home was Grace Hart of Lubbock, Mrs. Richardson's sister.

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Nazareth news

Miss Guggemos among top state essayists

By Mrs. Florance Albracht
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burt and daughter spent several days here with his mother Mrs. Helen Butt and other relatives on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Lutkenhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hahl and daughters of Muenster spent a night with Mrs. Helen Butt and Sue and visited other kinfolks on their way to the Carlsbad Caverns.

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VISITING the Albracht relatives

here from California the past couple of weeks were the Bill Heirans, Andy Albracht, his daughters Naomi and Monica and son Chris.

Thomas Birkenfeld left the past week for Vietnam. His wife will make her home here while he is gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon of Sunnyside visited the Ed Drerups on Sunday afternoon.

Joe Warren, his sister Ozetta Wilhelm and Agnes Brockman re-

turned home from a trip which took them through many of the eastern states as far as Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ramaekers of Petersburg, Fla., spent a couple of days here on their way to California visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Marie Hanson's weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Green and son of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Don Koelzer and children of Bovina, Mrs. Opal

Young and Mrs. Hazel Hill of Amarillo.

Peter Green of Fort Worth spent two weeks with his grandmother Mrs. Marie Hanson.

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THE ORDER of Martha held their monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Marie Hanson on Tuesday afternoon. The church lilies finished were sent to a mission in Iron River, Wisc. Mrs. Lynn Ehly entertained the group with games and a party. The proceeds will go to the missions.

Baptized in Holy Family Church on Sunday by Rev. Father Stanley was the son of the Alvin Klemans. His uncle and aunt the Ed Venahuses of Amarillo were sponsors.

Relatives from here who went to Council Bluffs, Iowa for the golden wedding celebration of the Jack Diederichs, brother of Mrs. Annie Albracht were Mrs. Albracht, Mrs. Vincent Pohlmeier, Mr. and Mrs. Florance Albracht, Elaine and Art.

The Bud Kern family went to Waterflow, N.M., to visit relatives and to Chinke, Ariz., to visit Mrs. Kern's brother Rev. Father Adam Wethington the past weekend.

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ON SATURDAY evening many relatives and friends from here attended the wedding at the Methodist Church in Dimmitt of Arnold Acker and Sharron Flynt.

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THE CONTEST sponsored by our local Christian Mothers Society and the State National Catholic Women's Union on "What is right or wrong with teenagers today," found Jo Ann Guggemos one of the three top winners in the state. She was asked to attend the Catholic State League Convention in San Angelo on July 11, 12 and 13, where she will find out which prize she won.

A bridal shower honoring Shirley Brockman, bride-elect of Leonard Melcher, was held in the home of Mrs. Francis Wilhelm on Sunday afternoon June 29. Hostesses were her aunts, Mrs. Francis Wilhelm, Mrs. Leonard Wilhelm, Mrs. James Wilhelm, Mrs. Jerry Wilhelm and Miss Barbara Wilhelm. Out of town guests were Mrs. Melcher and five daughters of Meadows and Mrs. Dave Springer of Dimmitt.

★
BUCK JONES and Bobby Steffens of Dallas spent the weekend with their families. Also visiting with them were Miss Cheryl Monday of Dallas and Miss Karen House of Lawton, Okla.

Miss Bobbie Hofernik of Taylor and her nieces Rebecca and Maurine Hofernik of Houston spent several days here visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Patton and children of Cherokee, Iowa visited the Fritz Gerber family the past week. Kenneth and Fritz are war buddies. They were on their way to El Paso to visit his brother, who is stationed at Fort Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Heffernan and Mr. and Mrs. Schearer of Leming spent Friday night with the Fritz Gerbers. They were here visiting the feed lots. They are in the feed business.

Sr. Jean Heiman of Fort Smith, Ark., is here for two weeks visiting her family, the Heimans. On Sunday afternoon the Heiman relatives had a picnic at Lake Leake. Boating, fishing, swimming and

enjoying the afternoon were the Bayard Keyes and Charles Bowens of Plainview, Duane Davises of Hart, the Bill Heimans of Ingleswood, Calif., the Arly Schumachers and Corky Renfros of Dimmitt, the Frank Hoeltings, the Dickie, Cecil and Ronnie Hoeltings, the Walter Schultes, the Fritz Gerbers and the Dennis Heimans.

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MR. AND MRS. Jim Schwaller flew in from Jupiter, Fla., to visit her mother Mrs. Frances Hyland. Mrs. Schwaller plans to spend a few weeks here with her mother. Brother Gerald Hyland of St. Louis, Mo., is also here visiting his mother.

Very hot and drying winds the past 10 days have the farmers busy trying to keep the crops from drying up with around the clock irrigating.

Enjoying a Sunday family get-together in the home of the Vincent Pehlmeiers were the Bill Heimans of Ingleswood, Calif., Andy Albracht and children of Reseda, Calif., George Brockmans of Umbarger, Greg Hoelting and the Florence Albrachts and Annie Albracht.

On Monday evening Mrs. Frank Hoelting, Sr. Jean Heiman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heimand and Judy, Anne and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Schumacher went to see the play "Texas" in Palo Duro Park. From there the Bill Heimans will go on to Amarillo and fly back to California on Tuesday.

Enjoying a picnic at the Lubbock park on Sunday were the families of the Francis Backus, Hubert Backus, Raymond Schumachers, Ralph Albracht, Mrs. Clarence Birkenfeld and Denis Gerbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Dietz and their daughter Sr. Rachel who is home on a visit had supper with the Florence Albrachts Thursday.

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Geraldine Brockman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Brockman and Gladys Steffens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Steffens returned home from Bluebonnet Girls State recently. They left June 9 by chartered bus. They reported a very enjoyable but busy schedule. Geraldine was a Federalist in City D, and was appointed to the Senate. She ran for Chief of Police but lost and was then appointed Assistant Fireman. Gladys was a Nationalist in City F., and was appointed to the House of Representatives. She ran for county sheriff and lost and was then appointed city deputy. Approximately 429 girls attended Girls State. They describe this experience as something absolutely unique and wonderful.



Chris James

Miss James now hostess for TWA

Chris James, 1968 graduate of Dimmitt High School, has joined over 4,200 Trans World Airlines flight hostesses flying throughout the world, after completing six weeks of classroom and in-flight training at TWA's Jack Frye Training Center in Kansas City, Mo.

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County halfway on '69 bond goal

During May, cash sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds and Freedom Shares in Castro County totaled \$3,734, according to Judge Raymond Wilson, chairman of the Castro County Savings Bonds Committee.

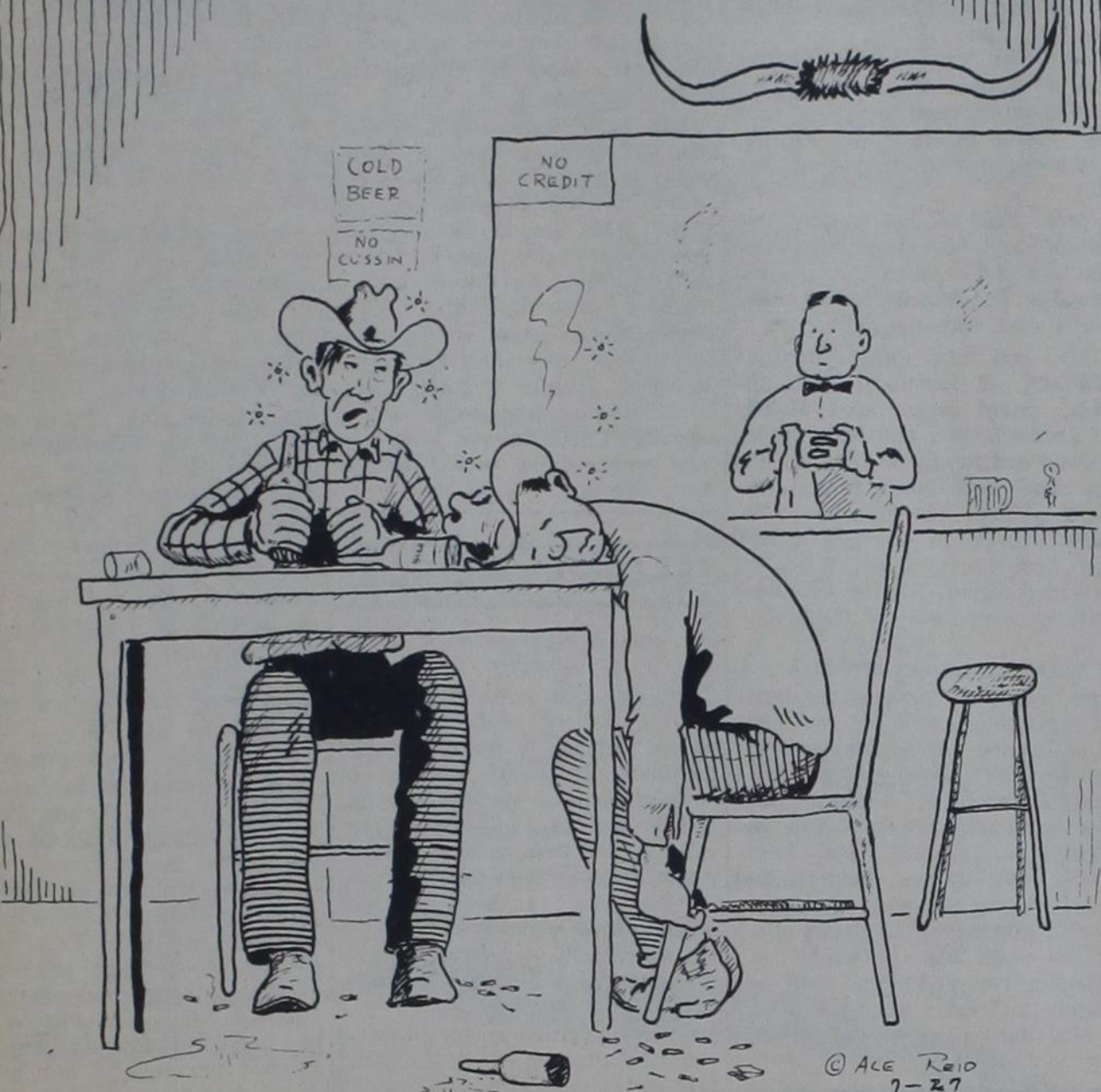
SALES for the first five-months of 1969 totaled \$30,535, which is 51 percent of the county's 1969 goal of \$60,000.

Sales in Texas during May totaled \$14,994,457 and the January-May sales were \$77,653,923 — 41 percent of the state's goal of \$176.5 million. Investment in Freedom Shares during the month reached \$1,058,276, compared with \$812,641 during the same period of 1968. The January-May sales \$4,942,031, up from \$3,919,422 during the first five months of 1968.

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- DIMMITT LITTLE LEAGUE**
Thursday, July 3
- 6 — Yankees vs. Braves, Pony League Park.
 - 8 — Dodgers vs. Cards.
 - 8 — Tigers vs. Astros.
- CASTRO COUNTY LITTLE LEAGUE**
Friday, July 4
- 8 — Colts vs. Cards at Hart.
 - 8 — Redlegs vs. Astros at Nazareth.
 - 8 — Yanks vs. Giants at Happy.
- Tuesday, July 8**
- 8 — Colts vs. Redlegs at Hart.
 - 8 — Yanks vs. Astros at Nazareth.
 - 8 — Cards vs. Giants at Happy.
- CASTRO COUNTY PONY LEAGUE**
Friday, July 4
- 8 — Indians vs. Giants at Dimmitt.
- Monday, July 7**
- 8 — Pirates vs. Tigers at Hart.
- Tuesday, July 8**
- 8 — Indians vs. Pirates at Dimmitt.
- Thursday, July 10**
- 8 — Giants vs. Tigers at Hart.
- COLT LEAGUE**
Monday, July 7
- 8 — Hereford Sonics vs. Dimmitt White Sox at Dimmitt.
- Thursday, July 10**
- 6 — Dimmitt White Sox vs. Hereford Braves at Hereford.
- AMERICAN LEGION BASEBALL LEAGUE**
Saturday, July 5
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 - Sunday, July 6
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INTEREST COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY	INTEREST COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY	INTEREST PAID OR COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY
MINIMUM REQUIRED TO OPEN AN ACCOUNT...\$1.00	MINIMUM REQUIRED TO OPEN AN ACCOUNT \$100.00	MINIMUM REQUIRED TO OPEN AN ACCOUNT \$1,000.00

PRESENT 5% V.R. CERTIFICATE DEPOSITORS WILL AUTOMATICALLY RECEIVE 5.25%

FIRST FEDERAL

SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION of CLOVIS

HOME OFFICE: 801 Pile St. CLOVIS, N. MEX.
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SAVINGS DEPOSITS MADE BY THE TENTH OF THE MONTH WILL EARN INTEREST FROM THE FIRST OF THE MONTH.

SECOND LARGEST AND ONE OF THE OLDEST FEDERALLY CHARTERED SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS IN NEW MEXICO—SINCE 1934—"OUR 35TH. ANNIVERSARY"

FRYER FIESTA AT BEN'S

GRADE "A" FRESH DRESSED

FRYERS 33¢ LB.

—OTHER MEAS—

Sunray BOLOGNA First Cut	lb. 59¢	Shurfine TUNA	2 for 59¢
PORK CHOPS Hormel All Meat	lb. 59¢	Shurfine PORK & BEANS	2 for 25¢
FRANKS	lb. 49¢	Shurfine FRUIT COCKTAIL	2 for 49¢
		April Showers	2 for 39¢
		PEAS	2 for 39¢

—PRODUCE—

CANTALOUPE	lb. 12¢	Shurfine ORANGE JUICE	2 for 43¢
BANANAS	lb. 12¢	Shurfine LEMONADE	2 for 25¢
Cello Bag CARROTS	10¢	Morton's CREAM PIES	ea. 29¢
CABBAGE HEADS	lb. 7¢	Morton's POT PIES	ea. 19¢

—FROZEN FOODS—

SOFLIN **TISSUE** 10 ROLL PAK. **79¢**

COKES 12 BTL. CART.	79¢
FAB GIANT BOX	59¢
AQUA NET Hair Spray	59¢
CLOVERLAKE Ice Cream 1/2 GAL.	69¢
GOLD MEDAL PAPER FLOUR 25 LB. BAG	\$1.98
WAGNER'S Orange Drink 3 FOR	89¢
HOLLY SUGAR 5 LB. BAG	59¢

Ungraded EGGS doz.	39¢
Shurfine PANCAKE MIX 2 lb. box	33¢
18 Oz. Pkg. POST TOASTIES	39¢
Hunts TOMATOES 2 for	49¢

COFFEE MARYLAND CLUB LB. **69¢**

SHURFINE SHORTENING 3 LB. CAN **59¢**

MIRACLEWHIP KRAFT QT. **49¢**

BUCCANEER STAMPS **BEN'S FOOD**

WANT TO SELL...BUY...RENT...HIRE? USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

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FARM LOANS
CITY LOANS
SEE US FOR LOANS ON FARMS OR CITY PROPERTY
JACK COWSERT
106 West Bedford
Ph. 647-3154
Dimmitt, Texas

1-REAL ESTATE, HOMES & LAND
ARE YOU INTERESTED
...in owning a nice, three-bedroom brick home in southwest Dimmitt? If so, we have a few priced from \$13,500 that have lots of built-ins, large storage areas, established lawns and are beautifully landscaped. Also, fruit trees and fenced back yards.

2-FOR RENT
FOR RENT: Industrial Building, 76 ft. front - 26 ft. deep. 5 blocks South of square on highway. Frank Latimer. 647-4438. 2-18-tfc

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FOR SALE: Several kinds of tropical fish. 311 SW 6th St. 3-36-3tp

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TWO BRICK DUPLEXES - one with two two-bedroom apartments and one with a two-bedroom apartment and a one-bedroom apartment, in nice condition. Modern built-ins, central heat, evaporative air conditioning, 40-gallon hot water heaters. Large established loan and excellent terms to qualified buyer. Live in one apartment and let the rent from the others pay for this property!

2-FOR RENT
FOR RENT: Furnished, one, two and three bedroom apartments, S & K Manor, Phone 647-5262 or 647-3141. 2-8-tfc

3-FOR SALE, MISC.
Dan's 5th Ave., Canyon, 79015 - Christmas in July - New Christmas Kits, Decorations, Toys by Bucilla, Edna Looney Tablecloths and Decorations as advertised in McCall's Needlework magazine. Mail order or telephone 655-3355. 3-38-5tc

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WELDING SUPPLIES - Oxygen, acetylene, welding rod - goggles, Dimmitt Consumers. 3-29-tfc

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CHAIN-LINK FENCE: Twice as strong for much less, hard alloy wire, 1 to 4-inch weave, several heights, 12 to 6 gauge. Campbell Chain Link, 364-0561. Box 846, Hereford, Texas. 3-31-8tc

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"The world's best little salesman"
Just dial 647-3123
Or you can take it to the News office, 180 W. Bedford
Or you can mail it to the News, Box 67, Dimmitt
DEADLINE - TUESDAY NOON
RATES
CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING:
Minimum charge, first insertion \$0.50
First insertion 7c per word
Second insertion 5c per word
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Sunnyside news
Wilson and Bradleys attend family reunions
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Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy and Susan, and her sister Mrs. Don Smith and Carrie of Portales left Monday for Mount Vernon, Mo., for a visit with their father.
Mr. and Mrs. Jake King and children of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and Melody of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. James Powell and family of Dimmitt and his sister and family from Littlefield visited last Sunday afternoon with Ezell and Larry Sadler. Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls returned from Abilene in time to visit with some of them.

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MONTY AND AVA Cox from Hobbs, N.M. are visiting her sister and family Jean and Bob DuLaney.

DR. JAMES E. WOHLGEMUTH
 OPTOMETRIST
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Sgt. Pierce sees duty in Thailand
 Air Force Staff Sgt. Curtis W. Pierce, son of Mrs. Ethyl Robinson of Hart, is on duty at Ubon Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.
 SGT. Pierce, an airframe maintenance technician, is in a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. Before his arrival in Thailand, he was assigned to the 306th Field Maintenance Squadron at McCoy AFB, Fla.
 The sergeant, who attended Morton High School, is married to the former Linda J. Headgatch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Headgatch of Alexandria City, Ala.

Five enroll in WTSU band camp
 Five Dimmitt students have enrolled in the 17th annual West Texas Music Camp at West Texas State University July 13-25.
 They are Janie Booth, Janice Giles, Debbie Hogue, Rhonda Tidwell and Teresa Underwood.
 Dr. John E. Green, dean of the university's School of Fine Arts and camp director, said a record 865 junior and senior high students from 81 towns in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Kansas, California and Arizona will participate.



NEW OFFICERS of the Dimmitt United Lions Club, installed last Thursday night at Sally's Steak House, include (from left) Max Zamorano, secretary; Ray Sandoval, president; Thomas Falcon, first vice-president; and Julian Acevedo, treasurer. Other new United Lions officers are Emegidio Sandoval, second vice-president; John Reyes, Lion Tamer; Raul Ramos, tail twister; and Sam Ezpinoza, Sam Ramirez, Don Salinas and Desi Pesina Sr., directors.

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Frio news
Bensons host family event
 By Mrs. Owen Andrews
 The H. F. Bensons were hosts at a family gathering Sunday afternoon. His sister, Mrs. Leatrice Sparks and brothers J. R. Benson of Hereford, Henry Benson of Hereford and Joe Benson of Dimmitt were there. Also present were Mrs. Joe Benson, D. O. Benson, J. R. Benson and Henry Benson.
 Gene Price of Lubbock is here helping his brother Richard this summer.
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 ROCHELLA, year-old daughter of the Robert Treadways, underwent surgery on her eye at an Amarillo hospital Tuesday. She was undergoing tests the last of the week but they expected her to be released by the weekend.
 Visiting the Charles Fries, the Earl Gunthers and other relatives in the area last week were their sisters, Mrs. T. L. Lehr and Lora of Irving, and Mrs. Wayne Newsome and daughters, Linda, Cindy, Karen and Kathy of Fort Morgan, Kan.
 Elizabeth Andrews is spending the week in Vernon with her grandparents, the Pilgreens, and other relatives. She went last Saturday with the Herbert Bruns family, who spent the weekend with his father, Harry Bruns. His sister, Mrs. Bob Schubert, her husband, and their children, Jerrel and Jill were visiting there. They are being transferred from Shreveport to a North Dakota base and were visiting en route.
 Mrs. Ron Griffith and children of Lubbock were visiting the Joe Andrews the first of the week. She was visiting her parents, the Wesley Browns in Dimmitt and other relatives.
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 THE HARLAND FRYES had as guests last week a nephew, Lance Frye and his sister Margo and her husband, all from Davenport, Iowa. This week an uncle from Seattle, Wash., visited the Fries.
 Mrs. Earl Reno of Midland was here visiting her mother Mrs. H. M. Mobley who was in the Hereford Hospital.
 Visiting the Rev. Sam Ogan home on Thursday was Mrs. John Peoples of Salida, Colo. Mrs. Peoples had been to Plainview to visit her father, N. L. Wesson and other relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. David Yandell and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Parris attended the New Lynn Community homecoming at the community center in Tahoka on Sunday.

Smiths' son loses home in Nebraska
 One of three homes destroyed June 21 by tornadoic winds in Kearney, Neb., belonged to B. David Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Smith of Dimmitt.
 THE SMITHS escaped uninjured during a lull after the first blast of wind.
 Smith is an English professor at Kearney State College.

NHS cheerleaders to attend school
 Four Nazareth students are to be on the Texas Tech campus June 29, July 3 for the sixth annual cheerleaders school.
 THEY ARE Jackie Book, Barbara Klemm, Jocelyn Klemm and Monette Pohlmeier.
 They will be among the 425 schools in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, according to Edsel Buchanan, head of the Tech men's intramural department and co-director of the program.
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FLYING HIGH—Wade Maynard is 6 feet tall, but he looks small compared with this big 4x6-ft. "Storm King" flag on a 12-foot staff. This is the size flag that the Dimmitt Jaycees will set out in front of participating businesses during the 10 flag-flying holidays and other special occasions, starting with Roundup Parade Day Aug. 14. Maynard, who is chairman of the flag-service project, says 90 percent of the businesses contacted so far have bought the service. He said the Jaycees will sell smaller, home-size flags later in residential areas.

Up in the air



... with Nancy

By NANCY JACKSON
This week I got a lot of flying time in. Monday, we practiced take-offs and landings. My instructor showed me how to make a "soft field" take-off. You pull the nose way up until you start to pick up speed and then you let it down gradually. It takes about half as much runway as you normally use.

TUESDAY, I did the soft field take-off. Then we practiced landings and take-offs. That night at ground school, we saw several films on weather.

Wednesday, we practiced a soft field take-off and several landings. Brice Dowell showed me how to do "pylon" and turns about a point. I don't do them very well yet.

Thursday, we practiced Dutch rolls, take-offs and landings. I can finally do the Dutch rolls fairly well. That night at ground school, we had kind of an oral quiz — more or less a review of what we had been studying.

Friday we practiced take-offs and landings again. From looking at some of mine, you would think I had never done any landings, but some weren't too bad.

NOW TO tell about Saturday. We practiced a few take-offs and landings, then Brice told me to take him up to the office and I could fly by myself. I wasn't too sure that was the thing to do, but that was what I did.

I shot about three landings and decided that was enough. After I got the airplane packed and went in to the office I got my shirt-

Dimmitt sailor tours in Europe

Carrell D. West, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.C. West of Dimmitt, joined the Navy nine years ago "to see the world" — and that's just what he is doing.

IN A recent letter to his parents, West said that he had traveled from London, where he is employed by NATO, to Holland. While there, he visited a wooden shoe factory, a diamond factory, a cheese farm and a tulip field.

He spent the Memorial Day weekend in Ireland, where he took a bus tour of Dublin. He traveled by coach to Limerick and to Killarney, the city of three lakes. He then traveled by coach through the Ring of Kerrie to Cork, and along the coast near the foothills of eastern Ireland, then returned to Dublin. He sent photographs of the lakes, and a picture of himself kissing the Blarney Stone, to his parents.

West once was a paper boy in Dimmitt, and later worked at Womble Hardware.

HIS PARENTS say that over the years, he has changed a great deal in appearance. When he left, he was 5-1 tall. He is now 6-1 and is 100 pounds heavier than when he first enlisted. Many of his old friends would probably not recognize the sailor as the same young man who left Dimmitt nine years ago, his parents said.

● On the Go

MR. AND MRS. Harold Perkins and Delona visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Napier and Paul in Tucson last weekend.

tail cut off, as is the tradition when a person soils.

After I got home, I found that Daddy had been out there watching me. He said that he didn't know who was more nervous, him or me. I think it must have been me.

Milk hearing set in Amarillo

The US Department of Agriculture will hold a public hearing in Amarillo July 15 to consider amending the Texas Panhandle federal milk marketing order.

USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service officials said the hearing will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the Holiday Inn West, 601 Amarillo Blvd. West. The hearing was requested by Milk Producers, Inc., a cooperative representing a large group of dairy farmers supplying the market.

THE DAIRY farmer group is proposing that cooperatives be paid at the uniform blend price on their bulk tank deliveries of milk to other handlers in the market.

The farmers also want to amend the order with respect to the dates for handlers' payments to cooperatives.

Proposals from an area handler would change the classification and pricing of sour cream and sour cream dips from Class I to Class II, and revise milk shrinkage allowances.

AFTER considering evidence presented at the hearing, USDA may recommend amending the order. Everyone interested would then have the opportunity to file exceptions to the recommendations before a final decision is issued and submitted to dairy farmers for their necessary two-thirds majority approval.

Copies of the hearing notice containing the proposals in detail may be obtained from Market Administrator Richard E. Arnold, 4023 W. 50th St., P.O. Box 226, Amarillo, 79105; or from the Dairy Division, Consumer and Marketing Service, US Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.

Miss Summers wins ACC honors

Donna Summers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Summers of Dimmitt, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at Abilene Christian College.

MISS SUMMERS, a senior business major, is among 351 students listed. To achieve the honor, a student must take at least 12 hours and have a 3.5 grade point average out of a possible 4.0.

Dimmitt Super Market manager becomes sole owner of store

After managing Dimmitt Super Market 2½ years, Walt Hansen is now its sole owner.

HANSEN signed the final contracts recently, purchasing the supermarket from the Elton Singer Estate. The former owner died in November 1967.

Hansen, 42, has been in the grocery business 15 years in Levelland, Hart and Dimmitt.

A native of Morton, he opened his first store, the By-Lo Super Market, in Levelland in 1954. He received a big setback when the store burned in 1955, but he "sold the car and everything" and started over at Hart, establishing the Walt Hansen Grocery.

HANSEN moved to Dimmitt from Hart in February 1967 to manage the Dimmitt Super Market for Singer.

Despite the long hours required of a grocery man, Hansen is active in civic affairs here. He is a director in the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the board of the Dimmitt Lions Club. He also serves as a chaperone at most Dimmitt Teen Club functions. He and his family are members of the First United Methodist Church.

Hansen's wife, Virginia — also a native of Morton — is the assistant cashier of First State Bank. The Hansens have three children — Barbara, 17 (who is the reigning "Miss Dimmitt"), Kirk, 15, and Debbie, 14.



Walt Hansen

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Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

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There were 50,028 of these coins minted. Of this amount, 26,928 were sold. The Pennsylvania State Commission of Gettysburg did the vending. These coins sold for \$1.65 each.

The remaining 23,100 coins were returned to the Mint for melting. The Oregon Trail Memorial half dollar was authorized by Congress in 1926. It commemorated the heroism of those settlers who traversed the Oregon Trail.

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Hart news

Tax equalization board set for July 11

By MRS. JIM BLACK KENT BIRDWELL, county tax assessor met, with the Hart City Council last week to set a date for the equalization board. They will meet Friday, July 11, from 1 to 3 p.m. Serving on the tax equalization board are Dewayne Brown, T. R. Davis and W. T. King.

LANA TUCKER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Tucker, was complimented with a hamburger cook-out and slumber party on her seventh birthday Friday in the home of her parents. Saturday the girls had a bicycle ride and a picnic at the Hart American Legion Park.

Girls present were Teresa Kittrell, Tammye Hill, Staci Averitt, Janet Black, Randi Taylor, Connie Featherston, Marci Wescott, Cindy Brooks and Laurey Franks.

MRS. CHARLES BLACK and Chad visited recently in the home of her aunt, Mae Robertson in Buffalo Springs.

Mike Reed, George Ed Bennett and Gene Carson have been in two weeks' training at Fort Hood.

IN LITTLE League action last

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week, Hart's Colts won over the Redlegs, 7-3, Tuesday. Johnny Carrasco scored a home run for the Colts while Mike Clevenger hit a home run for the Redlegs.

Friday night, the Hart Colts hosted the Nazareth Astros and lost, 14-3. Johnny Carrasco hit a home run for the Colts. The Redlegs played at Happy, meeting the Cards, and won 21-7. Danny George hit two home runs with Mike Clevenger and Pochy Lacy adding a home run each.

In last week's Pony League action, the Hart Tigers lost to the visiting Dimmitt Pirates, 6-5. Friday the Hart Tigers defeated the Dimmitt Giants, 12-10, in Dimmitt.

DR. W. L. BOTKIN, father of Mrs. Jimmie Benton has been quite ill in the Ralls Convalescent Home. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edd Benton visited with him over the weekend.

A ladies' "Bowler of the Year" tournament started Friday evening at the Olton Bowling Lanes. Mrs. Faye Smith, Mrs. Ozema Hill from Hart and Dixie Peterson, Prude Jeffrey and Odessa Mitchell of Olton qualified for the tournament, which will last for two weekends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vance, Kirk and Sherri Daubert were in Fort Sumner, N. M., visiting friends and relatives over the weekend.

JUNIOR I and II girls of the First Baptist Church had an outing last Thursday at noon. Girls met at the church, then traveled to the home of Warren Lemons to have hot dogs in their backyard.

Mrs. Margaret Lacy, Mrs. Wilma Lemons and Mrs. Perry Bar-

ham, Sunday School teachers of the girls, took them to the bowling lanes in Olton.

Debbie Lacy, Sherri Daubert, Terri King, Vivian Davis, Jana Mapp, Melanie Upshaw, Lesa James, Diane Davis, Lesa Higgins, LeAnn Friday, Ladonna Hart, and special guest, Staci Averitt, bowled two games and then returned home.

ZEALOT CLUB had its annual luncheon at noon Wednesday last week in the Alcove Restaurant in Plainview.

Mrs. Preston Upshaw, President conducted a business meeting, and the program was given by members on "Household Hints." Twenty members were present. Special guests were Mrs. Ike Bennett and Dee Clevenger.

JERRY L. ALLEN had a minor car collision Friday at 9:15 a.m. in the 800 block of Houston Street in Plainview. The other car was driven by Evelyn Hueant Milloway of Plainview.

Mrs. Fred Popejoy, Mrs. Connie Farris and Kirk visited relatives in Snyder Friday through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Featherston were in Hico over the weekend.

John Rice is getting to stay home, but will have to go back to Amarillo for therapy three times a week.

MR. AND MRS. Cecil Ray Jones and family honored Mr. and Mrs. Doc McLain of Porterville, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ira McLain, Mr. Tump McLain and Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. John McLain, and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McLain with a fillet cook-out at their home Friday night.

Little Jeff Ewing was dismissed from Amarillo's High Plains Baptist Hospital last week.

THE HART Junior Riding Club won second place in the downtown parade, featured before the first night of the 24th Annual Bar None Rodeo at Plainview last Thursday afternoon.

The RA's and the Junior boys of the First Baptist Church will attend the Baptist Camp at Floydada July 7 through 9.

Mrs. D. A. Bass is home after having major surgery at Baylor Hospital.

A VERY interesting visitor at the Farmers Grain this week at Hart is "Rosco," a myna bird. He is four years old. Friends drop by to talk with him. He is one of the various Asiatic birds of the starling family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilke and family of Dimmitt taught Rosco to talk. He talks with different tones of voice mimicking the different members of the family who talk to him. He says "What's your name?" "You want to go outside?" "My name is Rosco," and gives wolf whistles, coughs (he's been smoking too much) and he says other things.

LEARNING to swim is important to youngsters. Parents in the Hart area are making it possible for 15 boys and girls to take lessons for two weeks at the Olton Country Club. Mrs. Buster Nicholas is their instructor.

Swimming students are: First Class: Debbie and Robert Lacy, Sherri Daubert, Keith and Leslie Reed, Brad Hill, Russell Clevenger and Tracy Rich.

Second Class: Melanie Upshaw, Diane Davis, Terri, Kelly and Matt King, Janna Mapp and Stacy Averitt.

MR. AND MRS. Jerry Kittrell and family and Jerry's mother, Mrs. O. C. Kittrell, went to Hot Springs, Ark., recently. They spent their time with relatives, and Mrs. O. C. Kittrell remained to visit longer.

Ricky Bearden of Coahoma visited three weeks in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popejoy.

Hart Volunteer Fire Department was called out to the Melvin Aven farm Wednesday. A hay-stack close to their barn was a total loss.

MEMBERS of the Women's Society of Christian Service of Hart met at the church last Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

The program was presented by Mrs. Sue Bennett. The group discussed the devotion people have for one another.

MR. AND MRS. Jerry L. Allen are the proud parents of a girl, born in the Plainview Hospital last Thursday at 12:59 a.m. She weighed 7 pounds. The Allens have a son also.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill went to Waco to attend the wedding Saturday of Mrs. Hill's niece, Vicki Stork. Mr. and Mrs. John Stork of Nazareth accompanied their daughter to the wedding.

CUB MASTER Weldon Jones hosted a pack meeting at his home last Thursday night.

The boy's achievements were recorded for the month of June. Cubs present were:

Den 1 - Barry Billingsley, Kelly King, Johnny Newsom and Kent Hill, and den mothers, Mrs. Melvin Aven and Mrs. Clinton Billingsley.

Den 2 - Robert Lacy Jr., Glen

Black, Keith Reed, Kelly Jones, Jackie and Russell Davis and J. D. Garrity and den mothers, Mrs. Bob Lacy and Mrs. Jim Black. Den 3 - Bruce McAdams and Bart Bruington and den mother, Mrs. Doyce McAdams. Den's discussed having a float for the Hart Day Parade. The next pack meeting will be Thursday, July 24, and will be family night.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jones served cookies and Cokes. The boys played baseball, then were dismissed.

Hart lady's brother dies

Services for J. B. "Jcke" Fletcher, 51, of Amarillo, were held Saturday in Schooler-Gordon Colonial Chapel. Mr. Fletcher was the brother of Mrs. Betty Brown of Hart.

THE REV. Vernon O'Kelly, pastor of Forest Hill Methodist Church in Amarillo, officiated. Burial was in the Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mr. Fletcher was born at Lubbock and moved to Amarillo from Tulsa, where he graduated from high school in 1935. He was a commercial photographer and a US Navy veteran of World War II. He died Friday in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Reba L.; a son, Thomas Michael of Amarillo; a daughter, Mrs. Barbara McDowell of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Simpson of Tulsa and Mrs. Brown; three brothers, Thomas of Tulsa, Walter of Sunnyvale, Calif., and Charles of Spearman; and his mother, Mrs. Dora Fletcher of Tulsa.



Square Dance Tips

By BILL HARMAN The usual fine time was had Tuesday night at the Dimmitt Promenaders regular weekly square dance at the American Legion Building. Sid Perkins, the club caller, used all singing calls the entire evening. A singing call is a pattern of commands set to music.

USUALLY a caller will call one singing call and one hash call. A hash call leaves it up to the caller what commands he will use to the music selected. Sid is well known for his fast hash calling, which delights the square dancers of this area.

Host couples for the evening were Joe and Glenna Newman and David and Shirley Nelson, both couples are from Hart. Door prize was won by Verna Griffith. Our visitors were from Dimmitt, Earth, Nazareth and Lubbock. A few Promenaders traveled to Plainview Saturday night and enjoyed dancing with the Plainview Promenaders. Sid was the caller for the Plainview dance.

SID PERKINS will be on vacation for the next two weeks, and in his absence, Roy Johnson from Amarillo and Jack Thompson from Tulsa will be the guest callers.

The Dimmitt Promenaders will hold their annual street square dance during Western Week in August. All area square dancers have a special invitation to this annual affair.

Square-em up! Square dancing is fun! Visitors are welcome to all our promenader dances.



Mrs. Powell wins Tops Club prize

Mrs. Patricia Powell won a \$9.50 cash award at the most active member of last week's meeting of the Dimmitt SOS Tops Club.

MRS. POWELL was the high-point winner in a contest that required calling a fellow member each day, counting calories, giving tips for reducing, attending each meeting, being on time, and losing weight.

Mrs. Shirley Wise was crowned as "Queen of the Week" with a total weight loss of 2 1/2 pounds during the preceding week. Twelve members weighed in, recording an aggregate weight lost of 14 1/2 pounds.

Mrs. Jeanie Johnson gave the program, explaining the different divisions of the Tops Club organization, the meaning of 'Tops' (Take Off Pounds Sensitoly), and how to win charms.

AMONG those attending were a new member, Mrs. Joyce Davis, and a guests, Mrs. Jo Land.

The SOS Tops Club meets at 8 p.m. every Monday in the Plainview Production Credit Association office on the south side of the courthouse square.

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Mrs. Cartwright's brother is killed

James Owen Miller, of Gardena, Calif., brother of Mrs. Jack Cartwright of Dimmitt, was shot to death June 24.

THANKS

We wish to publicly thank the following Dimmitt businesses that have subscribed so far to our holiday flag service. Your response has been very encouraging, and we feel it shows a public desire to make Dimmitt the "best-dressed" city in the Panhandle on holidays:

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- Brown's Texaco
- Pioneer Natural Gas Co.
- Bobcat Drive Inn
- Colonial Inn Restaurant & Motel
- Wright's Grocery
- Garza Fina Station
- Kenneth Jackson Ditching
- Dimmitt 66, Inc.
- Taylor & Sons
- Ann's Truck Stop Cafe
- D&D Aerial Spray
- Wall Cleaning Service
- Roy's Auto Sales
- Dimmitt Veterinary Clinic
- Whitfield Tank Lines, Inc.
- Arrow Package Store
- Dimmitt Welding
- Cyanamid Farm Supply
- Maple Welding Service
- Panhandle Compress
- Earl's Garage
- Pat's Electric Appliance Service
- Floyd's Tire Shop
- Bruegel & Sons Elevator, Inc.
- Kittrell Electronics
- Parsons Drug
- Bob Goss Ford
- Dimmitt Motor
- Dimmitt Parts & Supply
- Dimmitt Engine Service
- Harley's Gulf
- Cy's Downtown Liquor Store
- Dimmitt Consumers
- Dimmitt Ready Mix
- Chem-Tex Farm Supply
- Taylor's Garage
- A-1 Mechanical
- Sally's Steak House
- C. R. Anthony
- Castro County Grain Co.
- Northern Propane Gas
- Polson's White's Auto
- Cobb's
- Green's Liquor
- Harman's Dept. Store
- T. G. & Y.
- Highway Auto Sales
- Taylor-Harrison
- Plainview Production Credit
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- Castro County News
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- Dr. Vandiver
- Dr. Wohlgemuth
- Schaeffer & Ratcliff
- Carver Pharmacy

Dimmitt Jaycees

"Young Men in Action"

Tricky timing is US Senate could revive subsidy limits

Big guns are being rolled out for a continuation of the battle over individual payment limitations on 1970 government farm programs.

THE FIGHT broke out in the House of Representatives a few weeks ago when Congressman Silvio Conte (R-Mass.) and Paul Findley (R-Ill.) introduced an amendment to the Agriculture Appropriations Act which would limit it payments to any one farmer to a maximum \$20,000. When the smoke settled May 27, the House had adopted the Conte-Findley amendment on a roll call vote, 224-142.

On the same day, the House passed and sent to the Senate the Appropriations Bill in toto by a vote of 321 to 50.

The bill last week cleared the full Senate Appropriations Committee, but without the limitations feature.

And word came down from Washington last Thursday that Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield (D-Mont.) had secured unanimous consent in the Senate for debate to be held July 1 and 2 and the vote to be taken July 7.

Appropriations Subcommittee Chairman Spessard Holland (D-Fla.), who will manage the bill on the Senate floor, had previously said debate was to be on July 7 and 8 with a vote following about July 9.

The new schedule is apparently a strategy move toward passage of a payment limitation amendment. Sen. Mansfield has favored limitations in the past, and by his failure to go along with Sen. Holland's recommended schedule he has indicated that he will continue that stand.

Key to the strategy is to have both the debate and the vote on the Appropriations Bill come at a time when many senators will be absent — a condition almost certain to prevail on the days im-

mediately preceding and following the July 4 recess.

Not only is July 7 the first day of work for the senators after the Independence Day recess, it is also a Monday. And the old saying that goes around in Mexico that "even the hens don't lay on Monday" is also true in Washington.

When the payment limitations question was called to a standing vote in the House on Monday, May 26, only 177 of the 436 representatives were present. It carried by 93 to 84. By the next day, Tuesday, when the roll call vote was taken, 366 congressmen were on hand. And many of those who were absent on the Monday vote were "friends" of agriculture who subsequently voted against limitations.

It is for this reason, according to Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., that "Everyone with an interest in sound farm programs should contact his senator and urge him to be on hand for the debate and the vote that is coming in the Senate."

While the bill will be "clean" when it hits the Senate floor, it won't stay clean for long. Senator John J. Williams (R-De.) offered a twenty thousand limitations amendment when the bill was in committee, and he will introduce it again from the floor.

Even if Sen. Williams has to settle on a limit of \$50,000, \$100,000, or even higher, if he is successful in getting a limitations amendment passed, at any figure it will force the House-Senate Conference Committee to negotiate some sort of limit on payments.

An unofficial poll of senators reveals 47 commitments to vote against a \$20,000 limitation. And if all these are present for the vote, such an amendment would be defeated. Heavy votes in the Senate seldom exceed 80. What isn't known is how many of these senators will "stay hitched" if the limiting amendment is moved up to a higher figure.

Also expected on the Senate floor is an amendment along the lines of a proposal by former Undersecretary of Agriculture John Schnitzer.

His idea is to limit payments under 1970 farm programs to \$10,000, repeal the "snap-back" clause for cotton, and permit overplanting of allotments by those producers whose payments are reduced 20 percent or more by the limitation.

Such an amendment, however, or any amendment which repealed the cotton "snap-back" clause, would be enacting new legislation as an amendment to an Appropriations Bill. Precedent would indicate that this procedure is not permissible in the Senate unless approved by a two-thirds majority vote.

If too many are caught at home on July 7, the date could well become known in farm circles as the "black Monday" when agriculture's friends in the Senate fiddled away the present farm program.



JAYCEE TAKE A SEZ . . .

The Dimmitt Jaycees' flag service is proving to be very popular with downtown business people.

WADE MAYNARD, chairman of the project, reports that 56 merchants have been contacted during the first week of sales, and that 50 of them have bought the service.

If we haven't contacted your business yet, you'll be hearing from a Jaycee with a sample flag and a contract within the next week.

Starting with Roundup Parade Day on Aug. 14, the Jaycees will set out flags in front of all participating businesses on the 10 flag-flying holidays and other special occasions. We'll take them up at the end of the day and store them in dust-proof containers between holidays. The service costs \$15 a year — or \$1.50 per holiday — and will result in the city being well-dressed every holiday, whether you're in town or not. All the flags are 4x6-ft. "Storm King" models of Old Glory, and are on 12-ft. staffs so they'll really show up, whether flown at full or half mast.

If you buy the service and have no flag-staff hole in front of your store, the Jaycees will drill you one.

We originally had hoped to sell the flags in time for July 4, but sales were delayed when shipment of our samples took longer than expected, so we decided we'd better not promise flags for July 4 and then trust the shipping schedules between Boston and Dimmitt.

JAYCEES in charge of sales are Wade Maynard, east business district; Lynn West, west; Jerry Stelter, south; and Fred Lemme, north.

Next month, the Jaycees will sell smaller, residential size flags with mounting brackets to homeowners.

If public acceptance of our flag project continues to be as good as it was the first week, Dimmitt will be the best-dressed city in the Panhandle on holidays.

BARBARA HANSEN, our reigning "Miss Dimmitt," will compete Friday for the title of "Miss Firecracker" in Hale Center's big Fourth of July Celebration.

She'll ride in the parade at 10

a.m., in a convertible provided by Roy's Auto Sales, then will give her talent act at 2 p.m. and compete in swimsuit competition at 5 p.m. The new "Miss Firecracker" will be crowned after the swimsuit competition.

Hale Center is planning a big, full day of activities Friday, including a barbecue and fireworks display. We'd like to see you there with us to back Barbara in her bid for "Miss Firecracker" and enjoy the holiday celebration.

AT LAST Thursday's Jaycee meeting, Delores Wilke gave us a good report on Bluebonnet Girls State. She was Dimmitt's delegate, and was co-sponsored by the Jaycees. She said Girls State was the best lesson she's ever had in the everyday practice of democracy.

At today's meeting Edwin Cartwright, son of Sheriff and Mrs. Jack Cartwright, will tell about the treatment and physical therapy he received at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation.

Edwin was a top athlete in Dimmitt High School until a spinal injury he received in a car wreck left him paralyzed. But through therapy and training at Gonzales — and his own determination — he regained partial use of his arms and hands, and for years has been the night radio dispatcher for the Sheriff's office, Police Dept. and Highway Patrol.

The Gonzales Foundation has had to close one of its buildings because of a lack of funds, and the Jaycees of Texas are attempting to raise enough money to re-open and operate the building so more people can receive the care that Edwin received there.

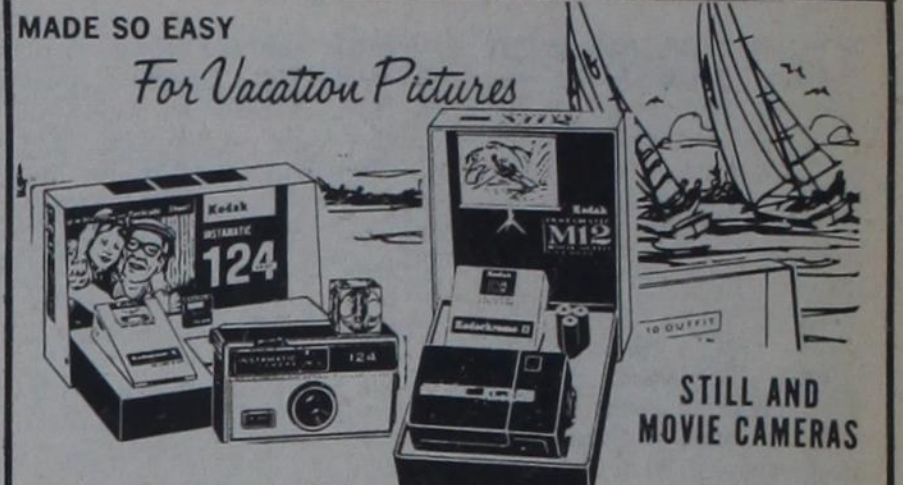
DON NELSON, president of the Dimmitt Jaycees, helped judge the "Miss Muleshoe" pageant Friday night. The new "Miss Muleshoe" is Treena Bryant, 17-year-old senior. She's the cousin of Diane Bryant, who was "Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation" in 1967-68. Treena will compete in the "Miss Grain Sorghum" pageant here Aug. 9.

New members of the Dimmitt Jaycees are Bill Stevens, city policeman; John Quinby, Dimmitt High School vocational agriculture teacher; Kenneth Hollums of Dim-

mitt Motor Co.; and Howard Smithson of the sales department of Elcor Corp. Welcome to the Jaycees, fellows!

—JAKE

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Bus pulls out without Monica

Forty-one AFS students spent three nights in Dimmitt last week, but only 40 of them left on the AFS bus Friday morning.

MONICA THOMPSON, an AFS student from Argentina, spent four unscheduled days here with the Walt Hansen family. She had developed tonsillitis and complications, and was unable to travel.

Monica left Texas from the Amarillo Air Terminal Tuesday morning on her way to Kansas City, where she rejoined the American Field Service students of Bus 19. She will complete her tour of the United States, but she said Monday that she "would love to stay in Dimmitt."

Asked what it was she liked about Dimmitt, Monica replied "Everything—the people, the town, and dragging Main."

DURING her four extra days here, she had an opportunity to ride horses, and she made a trip to Hereford with Barbara Hansen, her teen hostess.

Hospital news

PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL:

- J. C. Holbrooks
- Mary Tolleson
- Virginia Moss
- A. B. Lueb
- Evvie Odom
- Lydia Soria
- Clara Belle Adams
- Genevieve Howe
- Mattie Briscoe
- George Behrends
- Ethel Westfall
- Raymond Gonzales
- Zoila Langford
- W. E. Loudder

PATIENTS DISMISSED:

- Marion Martinez
- Mareta Smithson
- Rosa Montel
- Agnes Garcia
- Sammy Reyes
- Norma Gonzales
- Euna Cook
- Socorro Saldana
- W. R. McElroy
- John M. Hunt
- Willie Goldsmith
- Opal Bearden
- W. T. Sanders
- N. B. Stokes
- Ann Sims
- Janice Killough

Presbyterians set camp dates

A weekend camp for Presbyterian families of the Plains Presbytery has been set for July 11, 12 and 13.

THE MEETING will be held at Ceta Glen Christian Camp, and registration fees are \$1 in advance, \$5 for adults (over age 12) and \$3 for children.

The program offers relaxation, family fun, inspiration, fellowship and discussion. Children's programs and child care will be provided while mothers and dads are in meetings. The speaker will be Dr. Samuel Fine, Jewish layman from Amarillo. There will also be a showing of the Academy Award winning film, "Why Man Creates."

Registrations should be mailed to Fred and Rosama Olson, 1200 9th Ave., Canyon, 79015. Camp will begin Friday, July 11, at 4 p.m. and end after lunch Sunday.

Former resident is electrocuted

A 28-year old former Dimmitt man was electrocuted while working on a lake pump at his farm nine miles west of Hale Center Friday.

Jessie Everett Masters was pronounced dead after undergoing emergency treatment at Hi-Plains Hospital in Hale Center.

A WITNESS, Billy Cowart, said Masters was standing in the lake working on the pump when he apparently touched a live wire.

While in Dimmitt, Masters was the bookkeeper for Bruegel & Sons Elevator, Inc., and was a member of the Dimmitt Jaycees and the First United Methodist Church.

SERVICES were held Sunday in Hale Center.

Survivors include his wife, Jodie; two sons, Timmy and Michael; a daughter, Shanna Lee; his father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Masters of Cotton Center; a brother, Wesley of Amarillo; two step-brothers, James and Marvin Wilson, both serving in the US Army; and two step-sisters, Mrs. Jean Baynum of Houston and Mary Wilson of Houston.

Riley to speak to Young Farmers

The Dimmitt Young Farmers will hold their regular meeting tonight (Thursday) at 8:30, in the vocational agriculture building at Dimmitt High School.

Ray Joe Riley, president of the Castro County Water Users Assn. Inc., will show slides and discuss progress of the water importation plan.

Service wives may organize

Several wives of servicemen who are overseas are interested in forming a "Waiting Wives Club."

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