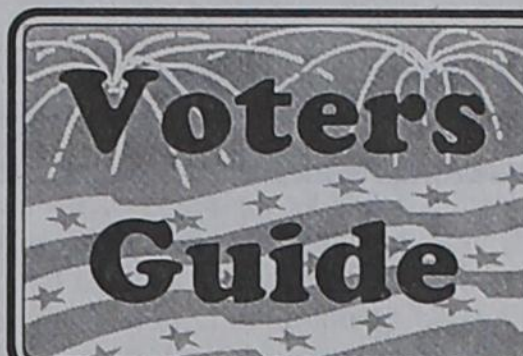


# FALL BACK!

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## 'Branch' voting set Friday, Saturday

Early voting is continuing in the Nov. 5 elections. In an effort to make the democratic process even easier, local voters may cast their ballots "on location" in Castro County Friday and Saturday.

Early voting is normally done at the County Clerk's office in the courthouse during regular business hours, but some voters might have

trouble getting there during those times.

So, the County Commissioners authorized three "branch" locations for early voting.

Friday, early voting will be set up at the Nazareth Community Center from noon to 2:30 p.m. In Hart, it will be held at the Pay 'N' Save Grocery Store from 3 to 6 p.m.

Saturday, ballots can be filled out at Dimmitt Market in Dimmitt from 1 to 6 p.m.

Anyone from any part of the county can vote at any of the three branch locations, but may only vote one time.

County Clerk Joyce Thomas said it would greatly simplify things if voters would bring their voter regis-

tration cards with them. However, if voters do not have their card with them they may execute an affidavit, affirming their identity and that they have not already voted.

Early voting at the Clerk's Office will continue through Nov. 1. Voters need to bring their voter's registration certificates with them.

Also, ballots can be sent to voters who will be out of the county on election day, such as college students or persons serving in the armed forces. However, the voter must call or write and ask for a ballot application. Call 647-3338 or write to the County Clerk's office, 100 E. Bedford, Dimmitt, 79027.

The application must be filled out by the voter and returned to the clerk

before a ballot can be mailed. The application asks for information such as name, date of birth, voter registration certificate number, the voter's legal residence address and the address to which the ballot should be sent.

The last day for accepting applications will be Oct. 29. The completed ballots must be returned by Nov. 5.



**FROZEN COWBOY**—This snowman in the yard of David and Cindy Lerner on West Bedford in Dimmitt was built from the two-inch snow that fell Monday, bringing .15-inch of moisture, accompanied by a high of 43 on Monday and a low of 26 on Tuesday morning. After temperatures in the 50s and 60s on Tuesday and Wednesday, another cold front is expected Friday and through the weekend. Photo by Linda Maxwell

### City council spot

## Candidate filing to open Nov. 4

Nov. 4 is the first day a candidate may file to run for the unexpired term on the Dimmitt City Council.

Vacated by council member Johnny Ethridge, who moved away, the position has a five-month term remaining before it expires. The council ordered a special election for Jan. 18 to fill the unexpired term.

City Attorney Jack Edwards said that Jan. 18 is the next general election day available for a city election, according to state and federal election codes.

As set by law, the last day a candidate may file for the position is Dec. 4, and the drawing for the order of names on the ballot will be held Dec. 9.

Early voting by personal appearance will begin Dec. 30 and continue through Jan. 14. The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Jan. 18, a Saturday.

The council decided to call for the election after four people applied for the position, including Reeford Burrous, Rosa Jimenez, Charles

Richard, and Lyman Schroeder. The city charter would not allow the position to be left vacant until the regular city election in May.

Council members said it was regrettable that the extra expense of the special election would have to be paid, but they felt the decision should be left up to the voters, since there was more than one applicant for the position.

### First Snow

	High	Low	Pr.
Thursday	83	46	
Friday	62	27	
Saturday	64	26	
Sunday	79	44	
Monday	73	40	
Tuesday	43	27	15
Wednesday	52	26	
September Moisture			3.57
1996 Moisture			12.70

Temperatures and moisture are recorded each day at 7 a.m. at KDHN Radio, official National Weather Service reporting station.



**LIONS AND TIGERS, OH MY!**—An unidentified youngster looks fearful as the ringmaster announces the wild animal act at the Allen Bros. Circus, which visited Dimmitt last Thursday night. Sponsored by Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Dimmitt, the circus contributed about \$500 of the ticket sales to the church. Attendance at both performances totaled close to 300 adults in addition to numerous children. Photo by Linda Maxwell

## 1:1

By Don Nelson

Before last Wednesday night's presidential debate, the Lubbock *Avalanche-Journal* invited readers to take part in a call-in poll—dial one number if you thought President Clinton won it and another number if you thought the winner was Bob Dole.

Last Thursday morning the A-J published the results.

Surprise, surprise. 64% said Dole won; 36% said Clinton.

Meanwhile, nationwide polls conducted by professional pollsters showed about the opposite result.

Didn't I tell you that Republicans know how to use the media better than Democrats?

It reminded me of a similar call-in poll conducted in 1988 by KAMR-TV in Amarillo, when Democratic vice-presidential candidate Lloyd Bentsen debated Sen. Dan Quayle. It was obvious that Bentsen creamed him. ("You, Senator, are no Jack Kennedy.")

Yet the call-in poll from throughout the conservative Panhandle picked Quayle as the winner!

You'd think these metro newspapers and TV stations which are run by such bright people would know better than to run call-in polls. They're meaningless.

It must have been time-consuming for the real pollsters to get a read on the presidential debate through the customary blind-call method. The ratings samples showed that midway through the debate, more people were watching "The Life of the Manteec" on the Discovery Channel than were

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### HOLIDAY CALENDAR

**SATURDAY:** Beta Zeta Upsilon will sponsor a Halloween Masquerade Party and Dance Saturday from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. behind Video Magic. Admission is \$15 per person or \$20 per couple. Music will be provided by Southern Sky. For more information or for tickets, contact Lisa Gunstream, 647-2150, Lisa Mixson, 647-3233 or Krystal Clearman, 647-4284.

**SUNDAY:** The Nazareth Band Parents will sponsor a Halloween Carnival Sunday from 5 to 8 p.m. in the Nazareth Community Hall. Admission to the carnival is free, but tickets will be required for all games. There will be a variety of game booths as well as a "Cemetery Stroll" Cake Walk and Spook House. A new attraction this year will be a costume contest, and prizes will be awarded. A concession stand will be open throughout the carnival, and will feature baked potatoes, Frito pie, caramel apples, homemade pies and more.

**NOV. 5:** The United Methodist Women will hold their annual turkey dinner and holiday bazaar on Election Day, Nov. 5, at the First United Methodist Church's Fellowship Hall. The turkey dinner, featuring turkey, dressing and all the trimmings, will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

**NOV. 14:** Canterbury Villa will hold their annual cake auction and Thanksgiving dinner on Nov. 14. The turkey dinner will be served free to residents and family members at 5 p.m. The auction will start at 6:30 p.m. Proceeds from the event will benefit the residents' activity fund.

## Thornberry wants to continue reforms

US Representative Mac Thornberry (R-Amarillo) is seeking a second term to work for the voters of District 13.

In a visit to Dimmitt Tuesday morning, Thornberry told a crowd of 48 people, "There are fewer and fewer people in Congress who even have a clue as to where food and fiber come from."

He said there are too many bureaucrats in Washington "who think they are smarter than anyone and can tell us what to do, and that they know more than the people who are making their living on the land."

He told the crowd that a big concern for him in the Congress is implementation of The Endangered Species Act and the affect it has on private property rights.

In introducing Thornberry, Castro County Republican Party Chairman Deanne Clark said, "I want to introduce him first of all as a promise keeper. He has worked hard to keep his promises and to be a cost cutter. He is a conservative, a rancher and a lawyer. . . He is a reformer. Some of his plans are starting to happen. He plans to limit the costs of government, including the cost of Congress-

men."

"In my first campaign, we heard from a lot of people who think that no one listens to them, particularly people in Washington," Thornberry said. "One of the first things I've tried to do is to earn back the trust of the voters."

"One way Congress has tried to do this is by making the laws we pass apply to us, just as it does to the rest of the country. They haven't in the past."

"A couple of months ago I had in my office the first OSHA inspection I have had since I came to Washing-

ton. "Making Congress subject to the same laws gives the legislators a

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## Four are indicted

Five indictments were handed down against four individuals by the 242nd District Court Grand Jury in a session last Thursday in Dimmitt.

Two indictments were issued against Juan Carlos Rodriguez, 20, of Dimmitt. He was charged with burglary of a habitation with intent to commit aggravated assault. The indictment alleges that he entered the habitation of Pablo F. Vasquez without his consent on Oct. 6. The second count charges Rodriguez with aggravated assault, alleging that he caused serious bodily injury to Gabriel Hinojosa by striking him about the body and face. Bail was set at \$5,000 on the burglary charge and \$7,500 on the assault charge.

Lupe Hernandez, 37, of Tulia was indicted for endangering a child. The charge alleges that on Sept. 29 Hernandez endangered a child under the age of 15 by driving while intoxicated. Bail was set at \$4,000.

Rodney Kirk Ball, 40, of Dimmitt was indicted for unauthorized use of a vehicle. The charge alleges that on Sept. 30 Ball took a 1981 Oldsmobile belonging to Randy Popejoy without the owner's consent. Bail was set at \$3,500.

Daniel Lee Silva, 21, of Dimmitt was indicted for DWI, third offense, and bail was set at \$2,500. The incident is alleged to have happened on Sept. 27.



**THORNBERRY VISITS**—US Congressman Mac Thornberry (R-Amarillo) visits with voters in Dimmitt Tuesday morning at a reception in his honor at the City Hall meeting room. Shown are (from left)

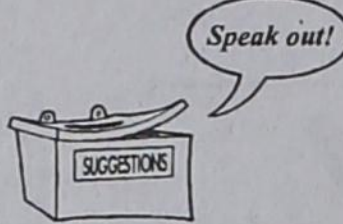
Fred Bruegel, Jimmie George, Thornberry, and Wayne Collins. A crowd of 48 came out to meet Thornberry, who is seeking reelection as the representative of the 13th Congressional District.

Photo by Linda Maxwell



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## Letter

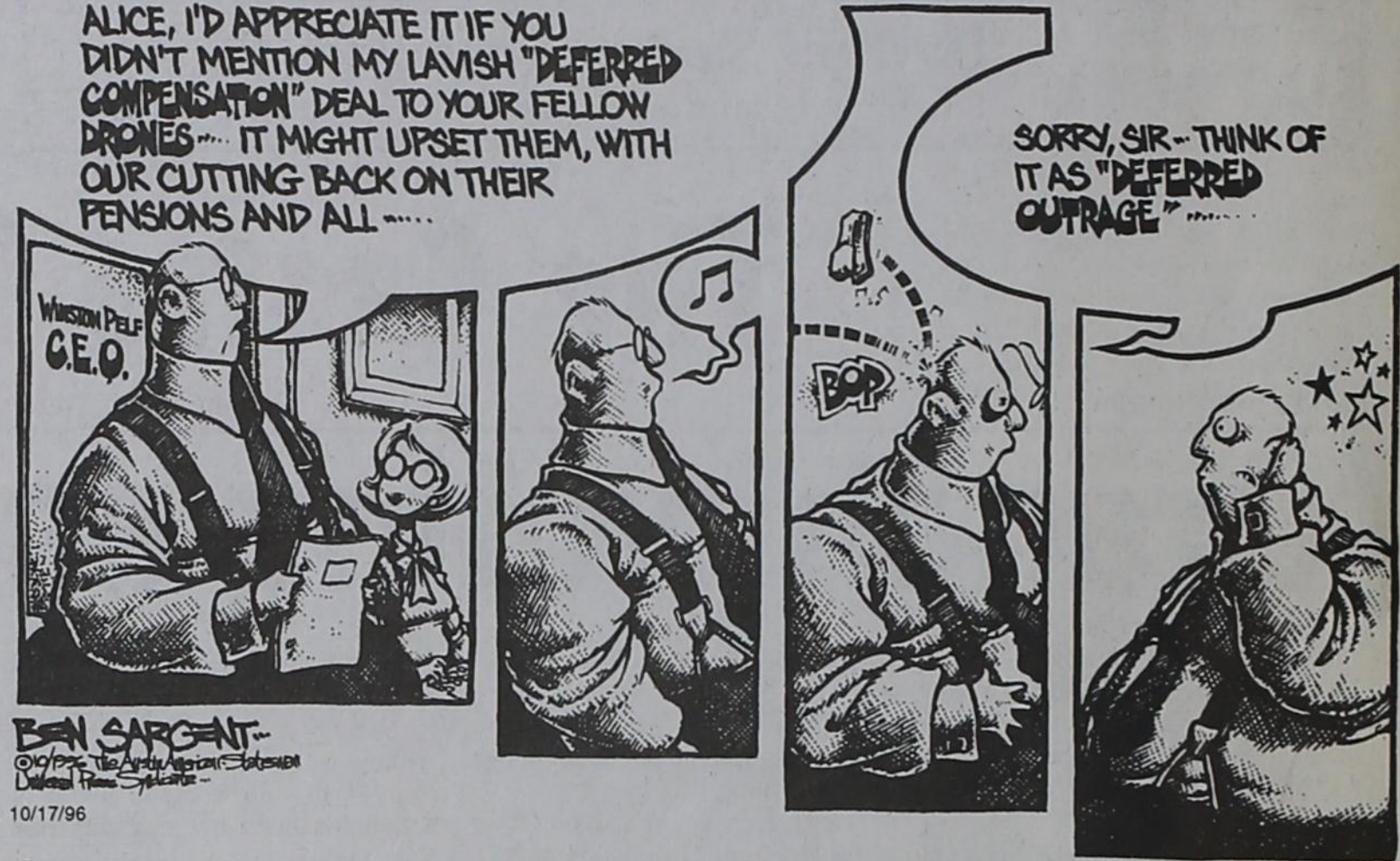
### Football and politics . . .

**Dear Editor:**  
First of all, I would like to say that for 11 college football games this season I do have some burnt orange blood running through my veins, much like I'm sure you do. But for that one game on Oct. 12, the burnt orange blood was clotted, and crimson and cream blood took over. I don't want to rub it in, but I do have some choice words to conclude my point: **Oklahoma 30, Texas 27. BOOMER SOONER!**

Now for more pressing issues, namely politics. I've been reading the many letters concerning Bob Dole and President Bill Clinton (and I will address him as President Clinton, unlike some Republican readers), and Pete Laney and Hollis Cain. First I will discuss the presidential campaign. I have noted that some readers have called President Clinton's 1993 tax increase as the largest tax hike in history. This is not necessarily true. If you consider the increase in current dollars, it is indeed the largest tax increase in history. But focusing on the percentage of Gross Domestic Product (GDP), it is historically a very small tax increase. By the way, Dole's 15% tax cut will ruin the deficit in much the same way Reagan did in the 80s. Of course, everyone already knew

that. Now I shall discuss Laney and Cain. In my opinion it would be preposterous for the voters of District 85 to vote for Hollis Cain. Why would someone want to unseat a successful Speaker of the House for an unproven, inexperienced candidate? Pete Laney has done more good than bad for Castro County, District 85 and the state of Texas. I know that everytime my family and I visit the state capitol, Pete Laney's office door is always open. You never hear anything bad about Pete Laney until a rival rakes mud from the bottom of the proverbial red tape of the Texas House of Representatives during an election year. By the way, I didn't know the exact details of the Robin Hood plan, but I'm glad Laney supports it. Some rich school districts, most conveniently located around oil drills, have more money than they need. It would not hurt them to share the wealth. This is a plan in the right direction for equality in school funding.

In conclusion, *Boomer Sooner!*  
SCOTT BROCKMAN  
University of Oklahoma



## Letter

### 'We should attempt to learn from history'

**Dear Editor:**  
I finally got challenged on a premise I made in a letter to the editor. I said that "History shows it won't (work)" when writing about Bill Clinton's (the Democratic Party's) dream or hope for the future of the United States of America. I realize that we can roam through history books and prove nearly any point we want to make, but we should also attempt to learn from history. One of the things that happens to governments, especially when one party becomes too entrenched, is that they over-tax and over-regulate. It's the story that caused the new states in North America, 220 years ago, to write the Constitution and form the United States. Another easily accessed source for this kind of information is the Bible. King Solomon, the Roman Empire, and other governments experienced the problems of over-regulation and over-taxation. More recently, the USSR was unable to hold its union together because of over-regulation and over-taxation. The history I'm referring to extends back more than 2,000 years, not to just 1930. Other resources are the

local library and the Internet, if you can wade through the trash on the Internet. This democracy is very old, in comparison with others, and will require all the character we can muster from both its leaders and its citizens to survive. We cannot allow perversion and deceit to control our destiny, if we expect to keep our freedom and continue to enjoy the best government the world has ever known. When you are looking for "action" and not just "words" to correct this 40-year-old trend to tax and spend, take a close look at what the 104th Congress did and read the book, *Trusting the People* by Bob Dole and Jack Kemp. Why not now? What is the excuse for not doing it right now? In Texas we can stop the perverted procedure of making a "budget" and then looking for the money to cover all the "new, innovative" rules and regulations, by electing Hollis Cain as State Representative from District 85. His "Taxpayers Protection Act" will be submitted to the voters on Nov. 4, 1997.

WILLIAM P. DANNEVIK

## Letter

### 'If the silent majority will vote, we will all be better off'

**Dear Editor:**  
This is a letter to the editor from a member of the silent majority. I hope it helps to offset the flood of letters from the radical right. Have you noticed that most are radical, belligerent and arrogant? If he had any more daughters, you would have to enlarge your paper. Mostly they are one or two issue people. They cannot see the whole picture. Why would anyone want to defeat Pete Laney? If this should happen, perish the thought, the House would elect another Speaker. I assure you that the next Speaker will come from I-35 South. Don't complain that South Texas has all the power in our state and they treat the

High Plains badly. Their candidate has inherited most everything he owns—farm, ranch, etc. My father was in the rest home in Littlefield. He and Mr. Gibson's daughter put Mr. Gibson in the same rest home. My mother was there Monday through Friday. I went Saturday and my sister stayed Sunday. Very seldom did he or the daughter ever show up to visit Mr. Gibson. Would you vote for someone who would be nothing in the House of Representatives of Texas? If the silent majority will come out and vote we will all be better off. Please vote.

DOUG HIGGINS  
Hart

## Letter

### The campaign's not over, yet

**Dear Editor:**  
O! Raisin' Cain has blamed Pete Laney for everything that has happened the last 20 years except for the eruption of Mount St. Helens, the war in Bosnia and the crash of TWA Flight 800. But the campaign's not over yet! Hard to figure what Raisin' favors, but apparently he wants to cut educators' salaries 20% and eliminate both vocational and technology training in our high schools. I guess that he would really like to see teacher salaries cut back to 1971 levels of \$6,000 per year. Talk about a bridge to the past!

Pete Laney's leadership in the House has resulted in improvements in our schools, strengthened our justice system and promoted business and industrial development in our state. The Speaker's bipartisan leadership of the House has been a positive not only for rural Texas, but for all the State of Texas. Pete has earned the support of his constituents.

I notice Bill Dannevik is all excited about the President's targeted tax relief for families with children and those who are paying for college tuition. He hasn't figured out yet that all taxes and tax relief are "targeted." For instance, property taxes to those who own property, income taxes to those with income over a certain level, gasoline taxes to those who drive on our roads and highways, as well as relief for some property taxes for certain property owned by farmers and ranchers. The list is endless. I suppose one could get a lot of tax relief by reducing their income, selling their property and staying at home!

And isn't Gramm's campaign shameful? If a person spends 12 years in the Senate and can't carry on a positive campaign based on his accomplishments he has earned defeat at the polls. One accomplishment Phil can claim is that he has the worst attendance record of any Senator during 1995. Not only should he be defeated at the polls, but he ought to return the salary he received while he was AWOL (absent without leave).

With unemployment down, inflation at low levels, lower interest rates, the deficit going down and the economy on a four-year growth pattern, Democrats have a lot to cheer about in this election. But if our President is going to continue his successful efforts to eliminate the deficit and balance the budget he will need a Democratic Congress to support him. Every Democratic voter will have to cast their vote for this election effort to be successful.  
DON NEWMAN, Chairman  
Castro County Democratic Party

## Letter

### Community diminished with loss of Frank Wise

**Dear Editor:**  
Our community has been diminished because of the loss of Frank Wise. Frank was a leader in many fields of endeavor and made significant contributions to our community through his participation as a school board member, hospital board member, co-op board member and a leader in his church. Frank was a person who gave of himself, completely without the thought of anything in return. Frank Wise personifies the type of person

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that made America a great nation—unselfish, honest, hard working, strong family man, always seeking to do what was right and fair, and always willing to give more than was asked. I had the opportunity to serve on a jury with Frank a few years ago and his main concern was to do what's right and to be fair to everyone concerned. Yes, our community and our nation have surely been diminished because of the loss of Frank Wise.  
WAYNE COLLINS

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## DHS to honor veterans

The social studies department at Dimmitt High School plans to make students aware of the significance of Veterans Day by having students research their own families to find relatives who have served in the Armed Forces.

Anyone who would like to honor a veteran, living or deceased, should call Danna Beck at Dimmitt High School, 647-3105. The group also plans to recycle campaign yard signs after the election by inverting them and writing

pertinent information about veterans in the students' families.

On Nov. 6, DHS students will pick up yard signs throughout the city. If you do not want your yard signs removed, contact Beck and give your name and address.

Students won't remove signs until the election is over. The yard signs will be placed on the high school lawn on Nov. 11, and the group invites everyone in the community to stop by the "stake out" that day. At 12:30 p.m. the Dimmitt High School Student Council will offer a tribute to veterans in the high school auditorium. All veterans will be honored during that assembly, and all veterans, veterans' families and others are invited to attend.

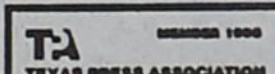
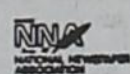
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**ACROSS**

- 1 honky tonk bills
- 5 Balmorhea State Recreation
- 6 Huntsville (newspaper)
- 7 Nocona Boot Co. slogan: "rodeo!"
- 8 Gov. Smith (init.)
- 9 "Wal" or "K"
- 13 TXism: "in the of luxury" (rich)
- 16 to Texans, it's "two"
- 17 TXism: "if it ain't true, there ain't in Texas"
- 18 what Aikman is (2 wds.)
- 20 panhandle gorge
- 25 they make nachos hot
- 30 TX Detmer who won Heisman in '90
- 31 Willie's concerts did this for farmers
- 32 TXism: "spittin' of" (identical)
- 33 TX Gene Roddenberry's "Star Trek" genre: \_\_\_-fi
- 35 San Antonio street: Ben \_\_\_
- 36 TXism: "that gets my dander"
- 38 TXism: "can't \_\_\_ silk purse out of a sow's ear"
- 39 vat for Sat. night
- 40 sixth sense
- 41 TX-born actress Burnett (init.)
- 42 north of Laredo on I-35 (LaSalle Co.)
- 45 Gov. \_\_\_ Ferguson was impeached
- 47 puts in office

**DOWN**

- 1 inspected yearly on TX cars (2 wds.)
- 2 Marlin boasts hot \_\_\_ well water
- 3 "red as a \_\_\_"
- 4 Houston & Rayburn
- 9 TXism: "\_\_\_ as a red-eyed cow"
- 10 TXism: "bellered like \_\_\_ bull"
- 11 this Calhoun was a Texan in "The Domino Kid"
- 12 Texas film: "Rode Together"
- 13 Coleman slogan: "\_\_\_ of Lakes"
- 14 ex-SMU president: Kenneth \_\_\_
- 15 TX manufacturer items
- 19 TXism: "thick as ants \_\_\_ a dead worm"
- 21 TXism: "\_\_\_ bundle" (financial setback)
- 22 fancy word for TXism "lip lock"
- 23 Corpus Christi bridge: JFK \_\_\_
- 24 it lands at DFW
- 25 Alamo hero Bowie
- 26 "I \_\_\_ Texan, first and last!"
- 27 panhandle pond: \_\_\_ Meredith
- 28 Border Patrol person
- 29 TXism: "bury the hatchet" (make \_\_\_)
- 34 lyricist Berlin of TX Giger's "Follow the Fleet" (init.)
- 35 TX Phillips' book: "Ain't No Bum \_\_\_ to the metal"
- 37 network of "Austin City Limits"
- 43 TXism: "honest as the day \_\_\_ long"
- 44 ex-Cowboy coach Norv (init.)
- 45 TX eatery: "\_\_\_ Folks"
- 46 TX moonwalker (init.)
- 48 Gen. Robert \_\_\_
- 49 Cloris of "The Last Picture Show" (init.)
- 52 TXism: "\_\_\_ as a stump" (stupid)
- 53 biggest issue in TX Bush's '92 defeat
- 57 TX truckers "put the \_\_\_ to the metal"
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# On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

A large crowd attended the Lions Club's annual pancake supper at the Dimmitt High School cafeteria Friday evening. Don Newman and Chet Braafladt were at the door to take our tickets. (Fred Bruegel had encouraged us to buy tickets earlier in the week.) Max Newman and J.R. Brown were serving the good pancakes, sausage and bacon; George Rasor was the batter-maker for the pancakes; Joe Josselet and Phillip York were the pancake flippers; Chuck Braafladt was the bacon and sausage cooker; Tim Farris, Jerry Stump and Ron Gruhlke (Mr. Alco)

were the dishwashers; Walt Hansen was the go-fer (he kept going for all the kitchen needs); Don Nelson and Don Graham served the drinks; Fred Bruegel served the tables (giving everyone all they wanted to eat); Becky Stovall and Brenda Miller cleaned the tables; and Sandra Bagwell and Charlene Howell told me they were the "flunkies."

Our sympathies to the family of Frank Wise, who died Sunday morning.

The farmers who raise cotton

enjoyed a fun time on Tuesday evening, Oct. 15, with a delicious meal of fish and chicken, beans, coleslaw, potato salad, and pecan pie, catered by "Hens and Fins." Jackie Clark was the master of ceremonies. Several door prizes were given, and it was good to visit with friends.

Out-of-town visitors at the museum last week were Decima Dennis of Midland and her aunt, Jauvada Curtis of Garland, who were in Dimmitt for the funeral of Elouise Dodd, mother of Leta Dennis.

Since Bro. Paul Kenley has moved to be pastor of the Baptist Temple Church in Houston, Dr. Cecil Golden brought the morning message at the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt. Dr. Golden is the father of Linda Rasor, and he was the interim pastor at FBC about 10 years ago. It was good to hear him preach again. Freddy and Cheryl Upshaw sang a special, *Who Am I?*

I went with Ed and Betty Freeman and Tonya Linsky's mother, who is here visiting Alex and Tanya, to the first Community concert in Hereford on Sunday afternoon. The "Little Eagles of Siberia" is a children's choir and Balalaika ensemble of Krasnoyarsk. There are 30 children in the choir, with Vladimir as the pianist and Ludmilla Stebenkova as the director and conductor.

The children all wore colorful costumes, black and white, casual colored shirts and shorts, and then the very colorful costumes in the last act. Their voices were beautiful! Some of the songs they sang (some in Russian and a few in English) included *Russian Patriotic Song*, *Waltz of the Flowers*, *We Will Praise the Lord*, *Old McDoodle Had a Band*, *Lullaby*, and a group of Russian folk songs.

Tonya's mother enjoyed visiting with those who could speak Russian. There were 14 girls, juniors and seniors in high school, who were ushers. They wore pretty black dresses.

The Birthday Club honored Leander Reinart on Sunday at the Amigo Restaurant in Hereford. Others enjoying the celebration were Clara Reinart, Clyde and Bobbie Damron, Andy and Oleda Schumacher, Charles and Rena Richard, Florene Leinen, Edna Reinart, Donald Schilling and Rosetta Bellinghausen. Heidi and Jed Thompson went last

weekend to Las Cruces, N.M., for the wedding of Heidi's brother, Chad Riopelle, who married Stephanie Lucero. Heidi helped coordinate the wedding and reports that there was a fabulous reception. The couple honeymooned in Tahiti and will be coming through Dimmitt to see the Thompsons today (Thursday).

The Republican Women met Wednesday at K-Bob's for their monthly meeting. Attending were 18 members, two guests and the speaker, Katy Ivey, who gave an informative presentation about the Constitution. Campaign activities were discussed, and the nomination committee presented the slate of officers for 1997. They are: Kathy Hill, president; Doris Flynt, vice president; Michelle Bailey and Mitzie Brockman, secretaries; and Frances Duke, treasurer. The election of officers will be in November.

The Methodist congregation has had the news of three babies born recently—to Kim and Robert Boozer, Todd and Kim Hatla, and Mike and Cindy Bain—and they all were boys.

In September, G.T. and Lequetta West drove to Kirtland, N.M., to visit with their daughter, Angie Hazzard and family, and wait for the arrival of the new baby for their son,

Mike, and daughter-in-law, Linda. Aunt Angie and Memaw went up Monday to get the nursery ready.

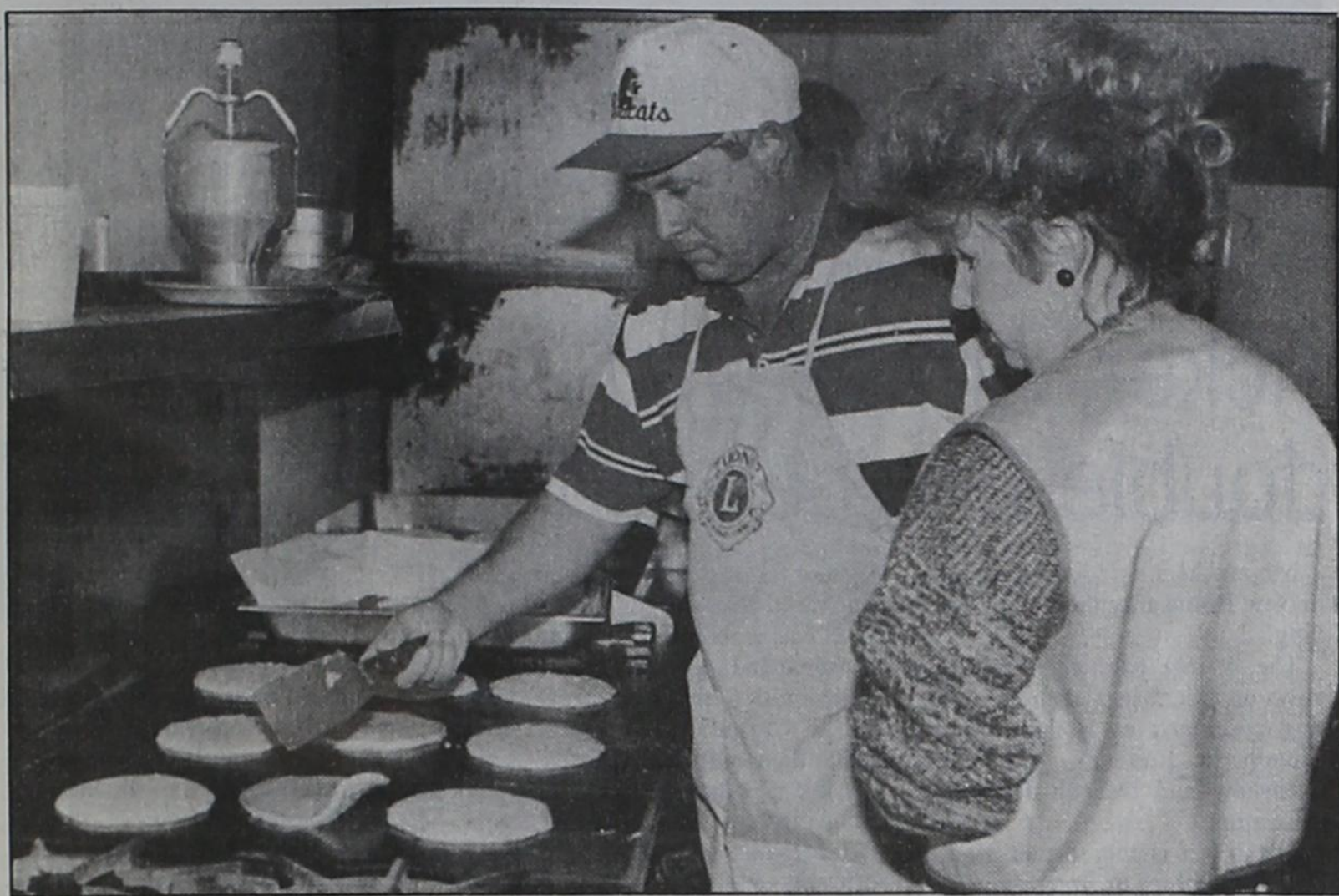
Angie started moving Mike's hunting and fishing gear out of the spare room and said, "He may never find all of this stuff, but he's had nine months to empty this room."

They got the bed set up and curtains, diaper stacker, dust ruffle and etc., made. It looked like a nursery just waiting for a baby.

Morgan, Angie's youngest daughter, was hoping aunt Linda would have her baby on Morgan's fifth birthday, Sept. 27, so she would have a birthday buddy, but no such luck.

Papaw decided they weren't having a baby and so a little before 5 a.m. Sept. 28, suitcase in hand, he started to go home. But Paul, Angie's husband, was in the living room waiting for him. Mike and Linda had gone to the hospital around 3 a.m.

G.T. and Lequetta went flying to the hospital and Miss Delaney Hunter West made her appearance at 10:07 a.m., weighing 9 pounds and measuring 21-1/2 inches. She is a cutie, according to her grandparents. Papaw waited another day to come home. Memaw stayed two weeks to help out the new mom and dad. It was hard to leave them all, Lequetta said, but Memaw needed a rest.



FLIPPING PANCAKES at the annual Dimmitt Lions Club pancake supper is Phillip York. Waiting for the finished pancakes is table-waiter Becky Stovall. The

event, held Friday night at the Dimmitt High School cafeteria, attracted one of the biggest crowds ever, according to a club spokesman. Photo by Linda Maxwell

## First graders listed for honors

First graders at Dimmitt's Richardson Elementary School were honored recently for awards from the first nine-week grading period.

Those honored are listed by their classroom teacher.

**Villarreal**  
CITIZENSHIP: Yesenia Arellano, Jose Cardona, Daniela Neri, Ana Olmos, Cecilia Ornelas, Anna Reyes, Diocelina Rodriguez, Jose Silva, Victor Silva.

**HOMEWORK:** Erika Aguilar, Cardona, Julian Chavez, Thalia Chico, Neri, Ornelas, Cynthia Gomez, Reyes.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Arellano, Jose Aguero, Adriana Jaramillo, Ray Lopez.

**WRITING:** Chavez, Chico, Gomez, Neri, Almos, Reyes.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Aguilar, Yuri Aguilon, Cardona, Chavez, Chico, Gomez, Annia Lopez, Ornelas, Reyes, Rodriguez, Silva.

**Roberson**  
CITIZENSHIP: Laraine Aguero, Carrie Armstrong, George Dones, Nick Ellis, Joshua Gamez, Chris Gilliam, Jennifer Hiett, Amber Jones, Jonathan Lule, Ross Myatt, Eric Odom, Kamryn Steffens, Kasey Tijerina, Dennis Underwood, Valerie Villarreal.

**HOMEWORK:** Anthony Enriquez, Brad Lane, Myatt, Odom, Underwood, Villarreal.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Anthony Lopez.

**WRITING:** Aguero, Gamez, Gilliam, Myatt, Michael Rasor, Steffens, Underwood, Villarreal.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Armstrong, Lule, Gilliam, Hiett, Jones, Lane, Myatt, Odom, Rasor, Villarreal.

**McCormick**  
CITIZENSHIP: Kalan Steinle, Brittany Allen, Patricia Barrera, Ashley Cotter, Rosa Covarrubia, Grant Feaster, Shaira Gonzales, Andrew Larra, Heather Marquez, Jerry Martinez, Jesus Ortiz, Mackenzi Pigg, Sammy Sanchez, Cassidy Watts.

**HOMEWORK:** Nati Sias, Martinez, Steinle.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Toby Ward, Max Sandoval, Ryan Cordova, Nathan Hogan.

**WRITING:** Zack Starling, Watts, Gonzales, Cameron Cluck, Cotter.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Steinle, Cotter, Feaster, Larra, Martinez, Sanchez, Watts, Cordova, Houston Sutton.

**Feaster**  
CITIZENSHIP: Rocky Navarro, Ashley Patlan, Dustin Thomas, Leah Setliff, Tyler Cornett, Casey Enriquez, Haylee Evans, Callie Crum, Ally Oltivero, Luis Luna, Brittany Garcia, Natacia Sullivan-Ramos, Keili Laurent, Andrew Lafuente, Vanessa Reyes, Samantha Reyes, Ashley Fleeks, Chauncey Gilbreath.

**HOMEWORK:** Thomas, Setliff, Vanessa Reyes, Luna, Lafuente, Gilbreath, Garcia, Evans, Enriquez, Crum, Cornett.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Samantha Reyes.

**WRITING:** Evans, Cornett, Crum, Ryan Mixson, Gilbreath, Garcia,

Enriquez.  
**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Crum, Evans, Fleeks, Garcia, Gilbreath, Lafuente, Mixson, Patlan, Vanessa Reyes, Thomas, Samantha Reyes.

**Horton**  
CITIZENSHIP: David Gil, Patricia Quintana, Yoryina Carpio.  
**HOMEWORK:** Thania Chico, Quintana, Naoli Corral.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Mariel Alanis, Jason Martinez, Ilfonso Ramirez, Eva Aguero.

**WRITING:** Gil, Myra Olivas, Quintana, Corral, Carpio.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Alanis, Corral, Carpio.

**Keith**  
CITIZENSHIP: Matthew Almanza, Erin Black, Molly Bradford, Amanda Castaneda, Joey Cleaver, Gabriel Martinez, Lana Reinart, Curtis Thomas, Mary Garcia.

**HOMEWORK:** Black, Bradford, Castaneda, Michael Cline, Martinez, Nayeli Monsivias, Reinart, Kristin Tracey, Klay Clearman.

**MOST IMPROVED:** Matthew De La Paz, John Garcia, Isidro Rodriguez, Barry Watson, Garcia.

**WRITING:** Cline, Martinez, Monsivias, Chris Pompa, Reinart, Clearman.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Black, Bradford, Castaneda, Cleaver, Garcia, Gillian Gonzales, Kaden Griffith, Marcus Herrera, Martinez, Monsivias, Pompa, Reinart, Tracey, Clearman, Thomas.

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# People



## Aggie Moms plan upcoming activities, elect new officers

The Golden Spread Aggie Mothers Club discussed activities for the coming year and installed new officers at a recent meeting at K-Bob's Steakhouse in Dimmitt.

New officers installed include Shirley Wilson, president; Terri Johnson, first vice president for membership; Susan Sublett and Ginger Olson, vice presidents for projects; Eileen Alley, treasurer; Evelyn Lyles, recording secretary; and Jan Metcalf, historian-reporter.

Wilson presented a schedule of the coming year's activities and reminded club members that dues must be paid by Nov. 15 so each member's student attending Texas A&M at College Station will receive a package before finals.

On Dec. 2 the club will meet to assemble the "care packages," which are sent to students at A&M before finals.

On Jan. 25, 1997, the club will host the federation meeting, which will consist of the area Aggie Mom's Club's meeting in Hereford.

The club will meet on April 28, 1997, to discuss scholarships for graduating seniors. The scholarships will be presented in May to one or two students planning to attend Texas A&M in the fall of 1997.

There will be an ice cream social in May for graduating students in the area planning to attend Texas A&M next fall.

The club also voted to have the senior scholarship named the "Con-

nie Nelson Memorial Scholarship" in honor of the late Connie Nelson, an Aggie Mom from Dimmitt.

The next Golden Spread Aggie Moms meeting will be held Monday at 7 p.m. at K-Bob's Steakhouse in Dimmitt.

Members attending the last meeting were Diane Townsend and Rita McDaniel, both of Dimmitt; Tricia Carr of Friona; and Terri Johnson, Denise Teel, Eileen Alley, Evelyn Lyles, Shirley Wilson, Virginia Artho, Beverly Davis, Susan Sublett, Ann Reiter, Carla Scott and Jan Metcalf, all of Hereford.

## Turkey dinner set in Bovina

St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina will hold a turkey dinner with all the trimmings Sunday, Nov. 3, from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the church's parish hall, located at 401 Third Street in Bovina.

Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 6 and under.

A hidden circles quilt will be raffled off at the dinner and tickets for a chance on winning the quilt can be purchased at the dinner for \$1 each.

## Sandhills bazaar set in Olton

The annual Sandhills Arts and Crafts Show, sponsored by the Olton Young Homemakers, will be held Saturday, November 30.

All crafters are invited to participate in the show.

For more information or to reserve a booth, contact DeAnn McGill, 2604 Kermit, Plainview 79072 or call (806) 296-0736.



MRS. JEFF ARMES  
... nee Katrina Acker

## Acker, Armes wed in double-ring ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Armes are home in New Home after their Oct. 5 wedding.

The couple exchanged wedding vows on Oct. 5 in a formal, double-ring ceremony at Bellaire Baptist Church in Lubbock with David Crenshaw and Deacon John Nino officiating.

The bride is the former Katrina Acker, daughter of Francis and Bea Acker of Dimmitt. Parents of the groom are Johnny and Teresa Armes of Lubbock.

The altar was decorated with two spiral candelabras flanking an arch candelabra. Each was accented with greenery and white bows.

Music was provided by pianist Courtney Hoelting and flute player Wendi Wuensche.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and she wore an elegant gown by the designers of Private Lable.

The white bridal satin gown was accented with Schifflil lace. The bodice featured a soft sweetheart neckline with full-length tapered sleeves accented with beaded lace. Delicate beading of pearls and iridescent sequins complimented the gown. The back was accented with heart-shaped keyhole back, embellished with a lace edge and drip pearls. The basque waistline allowed the satin

skirt to fall to the hemline and sweep into a cathedral-length train. The lace inset was embellished with iridescent sequins and pearls. The hem was edged with Schifflil lace.

She carried a bouquet of white calla lilies and white roses.

Maid of honor was Stacy Griffith of Amarillo, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Carmelita Acker of Lubbock, the bride's sister-in-law, Gretchen Gray and Chris Pulliam, both of Lubbock, friends of the bride, and Nadine Schulte of Canyon, cousin of the bride.

The bridal attendants wore full-length crepe evening dresses of hunter green with puffed sleeves. Designed with a sweetheart neckline and vee back, the gowns were accented with ivory buttons and a satin bow with waterfall drape in the back.

Each attendant carried two calla lilies in an arm bouquet.

Best man was Greg Armes of New Home, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Scott Acker of Lubbock and Heath Acker of Canyon, brothers of the bride; Danny Scroggins of New Home, cousin of the groom; and Jayson Dunn of Lubbock, friend of the groom.

Flower girl was Anna Brockman of Dimmitt, friend of the bride. She wore a full-length hunter green satin dress with a gathered skirt, puffed sleeves and a bow accenting the back.

Candlelighters were Amy Anderson of Cisco and Julie Herring of Belton, friends of the bride.

Ushers were Eric McFarland and Jason Tindell, both of Lubbock, and Travis Smith of New Home.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held at the Best Western Regency after the wedding. The tables were decorated with green candles in white floral candle rings.

The bride selected a black-and-white checkered tunic top with black slacks for her traveling attire.

She is a student at Texas Tech University and works for STS in Lubbock.

He is a student at Texas Tech University.

## Webbs attend crew reunion

Carroll and Waldine Webb of Dimmitt recently attended a reunion of former crew members of the *USS Uvalde* (AKA-88) at the Dogwood Inn in Branson, Mo.

The ship served in the Pacific Theater during World War II and in the Korean Conflict. After decommissioning in 1957, the *Uvalde* was reactivated for the Berlin Crisis in 1961, and continued to serve until final decommissioning in 1968.

Jim Cunningham of Columbia, Mo., a former chief petty officer, has coordinated the biennial reunions since 1986, when the group organized in Uvalde.

This year 115 men and their families arrived from 31 states to register for the reunion on Oct. 11 and 12.

Following an afternoon photograph session and reception, a dinner meeting was held featuring the following speakers: Leroy V. Botkin, an original crew member and officer in 1944 when the ship was commissioned; and Joseph Davison Jr., an officer when the ship was decommissioned for the final time in 1968.

The evening also gave former crew members time for visiting and retelling stories from their Navy experiences.

A memorial service for those who died since the last reunion was held on Oct. 12, and immediately following the service, the *USS Uvalde* held a business meeting and the men selected Colorado Springs, Colo., as the site for the 1998 reunion.

The *Uvalde* was commissioned in August 1944 and was named for Uvalde, Texas, in tribute to former vice president John "Cactus Jack" Nance Garner, a native of Uvalde.

## Choir plans dance, concert

The Dimmitt choirs will sponsor a fundraising dance Saturday from 9 p.m. to midnight.

Music for the "Monster Mash" dance will be provided by Treffco, a disc jockey from Hereford.

Admission will be \$3 for singles or \$5 for couples and money raised will help purchase new outfits for the high school choir.

Students 13 and older are invited to attend.

Dimmitt choirs will perform in concert Monday night at 7 at the Dimmitt High School Auditorium.

The sixth grade singers, and the junior high and high school choirs will present programs.

## Home tour, tea set Sunday in Tulia

The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Progressive Study Club of Tulia will sponsor a holiday home tour and tea Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m.

The tea and bake sale will be in the home of Dan and Susie Pair, 208 N. Dallas. The homes of Dr. Neil Bryson and Dan and Pat Byrd will be featured on the tour.

Dr. Bryson's home is at 800 Northeast Sixth Street and the Byrd home is located 2-1/2 miles east on Roll-A-Cone Road.

Tickets for the home tour can be purchased from any member or at the door. Price for each ticket is \$5.

The fundraiser enables the club to give a generous scholarship to a senior, donate to local groups such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Satellite School and Tulia Day Nursery as well as contribute to all scholarships on the state level. The club supports TFWC Endowment, TFWC Historical Foundation and TFWC Women's Library.

## Stuart Sheffy is recognized

Stuart Sheffy, son of Shawn and Scott Sheffy, has been named Student of the Week in Mrs. Dameron's and Mrs. Spring's rooms at Dimmitt Middle School.

Stuart Sheffy was born in Hereford on Aug. 5, 1986. His favorite foods are pizza and salad and his favorite book is *The Boxcar Children*. His favorite animal is the dog and he says he reads well. He wishes he were a better basketball player and when he grows up he wants to be a football player. He likes Dimmitt Middle School because "they treat you nice." He admires his dad.

In his free time he enjoys playing football.

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## Christmas bazaar set in Muleshoe

Applications for booth space for the Muleshoe Moonlight Extension Club's Christmas bazaar will be accepted until Dec. 1.

The annual holiday arts and crafts show will be held Dec. 6 and 7 at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum in Muleshoe.

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# Second graders win awards

Second graders at Dimmitt's Richardson Elementary School were honored recently for awards from the first nine-week grading period. Those honored are listed by their classroom teacher.

**Evan**  
**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Anna Brockman, Anthony Flores, Brittany Heard, Jason Hill, Jessie Lara, Thelma Medrano, Jessica Wagner, Daniela Zepeda, Omar Soto.  
**TOP SPELLERS:** Brockman,

Heard, Lara, Roxanne Martinez, Medrano, Roger Ramierz, Zepeda.  
**PENMANSHIP:** Yvette Arce, Brockman, Heard, Lara, Medrano, Ramirez, Soto.  
**HARDEST WORKERS:** Brockman, Heard.

**Luna**  
**HARDEST WORKERS:** Edith Velasquez, Gladys Ruiz, Jorge Quintana.

**SPELLING:** Isidro Villalba, Velasquez, Marisela Saucedo, Ruiz, Gerardo Reyes, Quintana, Dario Luna, Edgar Garza, Jaime Esqueda, Joshua Cano, Humberto Aguilar, Karla Agüero.

**PENMANSHIP:** Agüero, Arthur Castaneda, Ruiz, Velasquez, Garza, Quintana, Luna, Saucedo, Gadira Garza, Lorena Mendoza, Edgar Chico.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Villalba, Ruiz, Reyes, Carlos Ontiveros, Luna, Angelica Flores, Esqueda, Jacob Cardona, Cano, Abraham Alvarado.

**Matthews**  
**HARDEST WORKERS:** Jason Dones, Tabatha McAllister.

**SPELLING:** Jerry Acevedo, Kim Back, Dones, Marilyn Gill, Celena Gregory, Zane Matthews, McAllister, Carmen Pena, Clarissa Sanchez, Vikki Sanchez.

**PENMANSHIP:** Back, Dones, Matthews, McAllister, Pena, Kayla Saenz, Clarissa Sanchez, Vikki Sanchez.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Acevedo, Rudy Corrales, Dones, Jayme Flores, McAllister, Pena, Vikki Sanchez, Sabre Mason.

**Thames**  
**HARDEST WORKERS:** Arica Cisneros, Kirsti Edwards, Joslyn Harmonson, Samantha Howell.

**SPELLING:** Cisneros, Edwards, Harmonson, Howell, Seth McLain.  
**PENMANSHIP:** Edwards, Michelle Gonzales, Harmonson,

Johnny Ramirez, KaShondra Sherman, Isela Velo.  
**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Raul Casas, Edwards, Harmonson, Clynt Moyers, Eloy Salinas, Sherman, Velo, Stephen Hernandez.

**Brown**  
**HARDEST WORKERS:** Micaela Salinas, Scott Martinez.

**SPELLING:** Chelsea Buckley, Randi Cates, Martinez, Salinas, Eric Saenz, Dana Sandoval.

**PENMANSHIP:** Buckley, Martinez, Salinas, Sandoval.

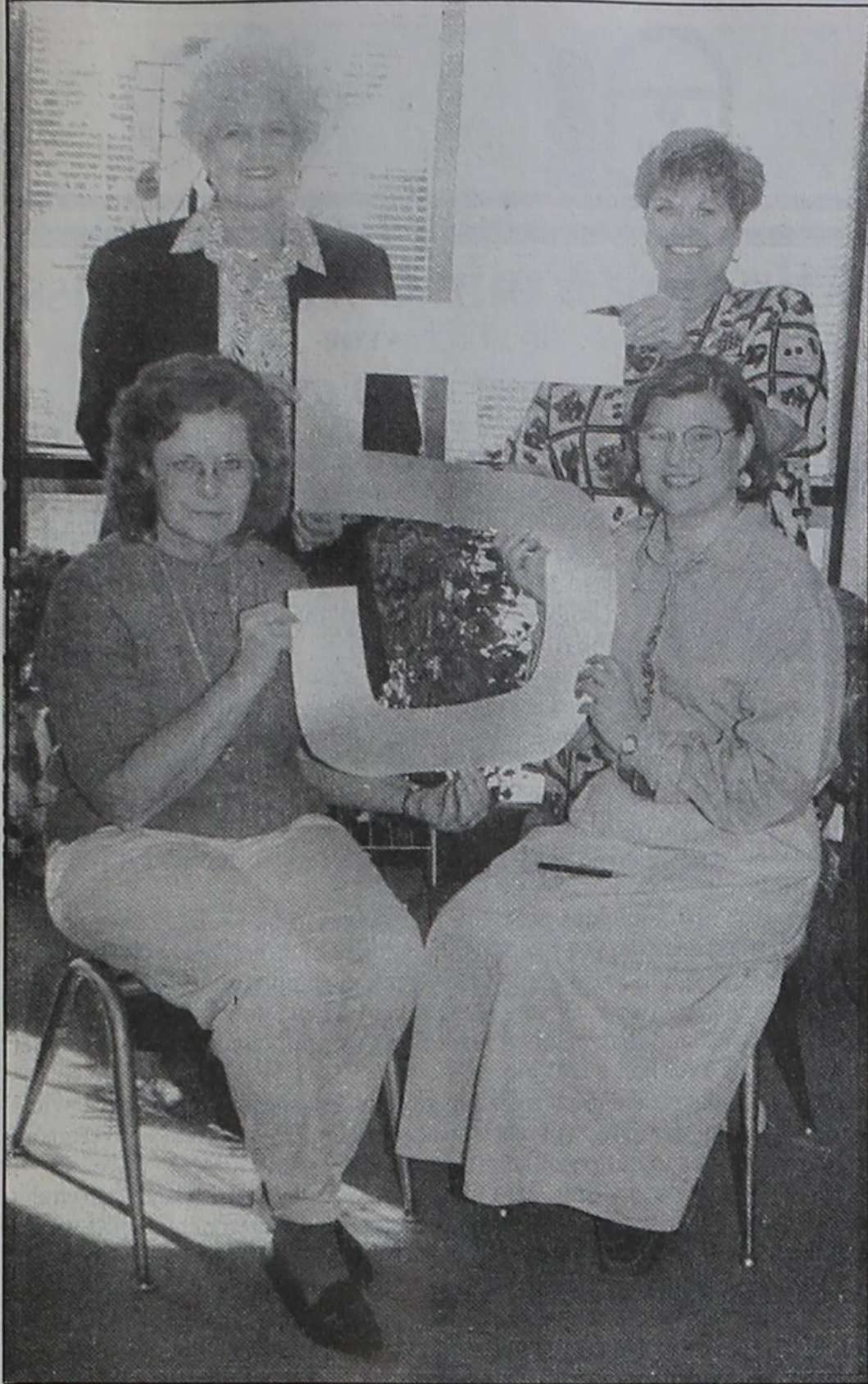
**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Buckley, Cates, Jessica Castillo, Rafael Gonzales, Beau Gonzales,

Salinas, Mary Sanchez.  
**Collins**  
**HARDEST WORKER:** Brandy Smith, Alfredo ByGoytia.

**SPELLING:** Smith, Alondra Castillo, ByGoytia, Jose Chavez, Ashley Fuentes, Bryce Parker.

**PENMANSHIP:** ByGoytia, Fuentes, Chavez, Smith, Haley Lunsford, Castillo, Julia Falcon, Natashia Jordan, Jorge Olmos, Jessica Arguijo, Parker.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE:** Aaron Arcos, Castillo, Chavez, Falcon, Fuentes, Jordan, Lunsford, Olmos, Parker, Diego Salinas, Justin Trotter, Manure Rodriguez.



**FIVE YEARS CANCER-FREE!** These four employees at Richardson Elementary School in Dimmitt underwent treatment for breast cancer within a few months of each other and are celebrating a milestone this year. The four have become unofficial spokespersons for the Breast Cancer Awareness campaign that is declared during October each year. They encourage all women to have a mammogram and other screening procedures. The American Cancer Society emphasizes that early detection is one of the best ways to fight cancer. The four are (seated, from left) Pat Evan and Maureen Foskey; and (standing, from left) Mary Jo Brown and Vicki Baldrige. Photo by Linda Maxwell

## Breast screening set Nov. 12

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Health Systems will conduct a breast cancer screening Nov. 12 at Medical Center of Dimmitt, 112 W. Jones.

The screening costs \$70. The Texas Dept. of Health will help pay for the exam for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. To schedule an appointment, call 1-800-377-4673 or 806-359-4673.

A minimum of 15 women need to register in order for the mobile mammography clinic to come to area towns.

Each participant at the screening will receive a breast exam and one-on-one instruction in breast self-examination by a registered nurse specially trained in breast cancer detection.

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## Auction to benefit church's carpet fund

An auction will be held today (Thursday) to benefit the carpet fund established by the First Assembly of God Church in Dimmitt.

The auction will begin at 7 p.m. in the Dimmitt Senior Citizens building at 218 W. Jones.

Marshall Young will serve as the auctioneer.

Items to be auctioned include an original oil painting by Southwestern artist Randy Follis, a quilt, antiques, and gift certificates, along with several "white elephant" items.

Follis, a resident of Ignacio, Colo., is a 1957 graduate of Dimmitt

High School. At first he painted "only when he had nothing else to do," but his interest in art increased after he moved to Bloomfield, N.M. in 1973.

## Childbirth classes to begin soon

Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt will be offering a series of prepared childbirth classes beginning the second week in November.

The classes will meet once a week for six weeks, and each class will be approximately two hours long. Classes will meet in the Ettie McDermitt Room at the hospital.

Those who wish to register for the classes should call the hospital at 647-2191.

Those who plan to deliver at Plains Memorial Hospital will not be charged for the classes, and those who wish to attend the classes but who plan to deliver their babies in another facility will be charged \$20.

## Food Show set Saturday

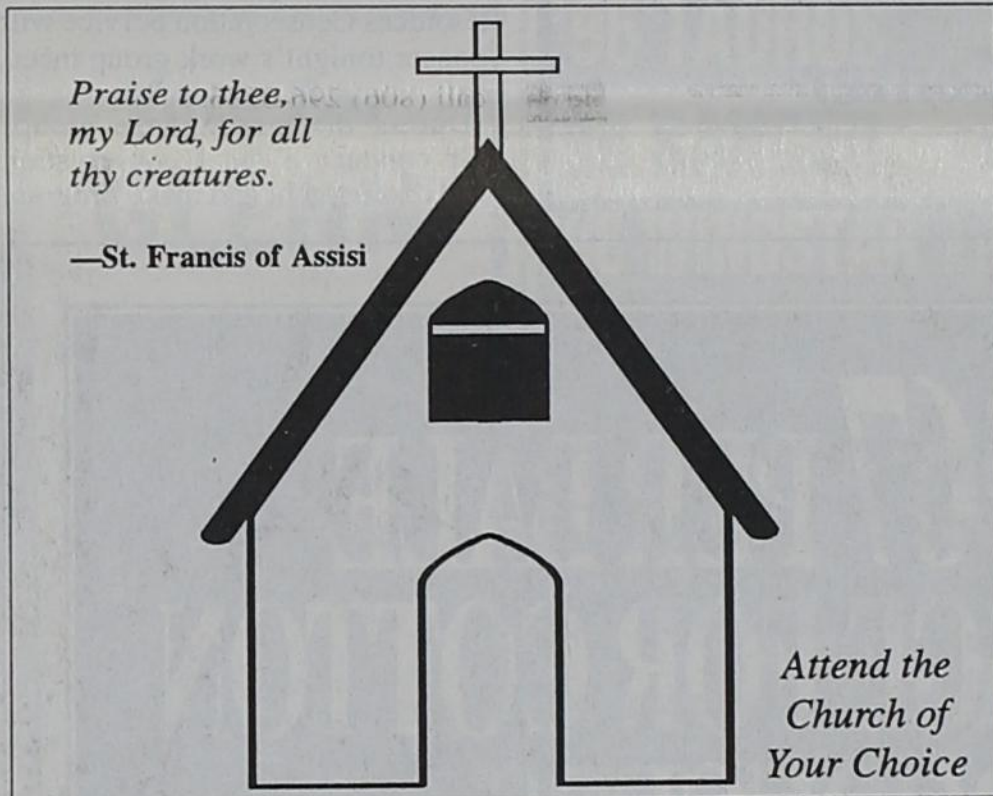
Entries for the County Food Show are due at 5 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Extension office.

The County 4-H Food Show will be held Saturday at Hart High School, beginning at 9 a.m. Call the Extension office for information on entering.

The District 2 Food Show will be Nov. 16 at Levelland High School.

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- First Christian**  
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## FSA plans committee elections

Eligible voters in LAA-2 will elect a representative to the Castro County Farm Service Agency (FSA) Committee in December.

All eligible voters in LAA-2 have the right to nominate a candidate of their choice by petition. Eligible nominees must be able to vote in LAA-2. Petitions will not be mailed. Those wishing to nominate a candidate should stop by the FSA office in Dimmitt and pick up a petition. If the form is completed by someone other

than the nominee the preparer of the form must sign the petition.

The last day to submit a nomination petition will be Monday and all ballots will be mailed to eligible voters by Nov. 18. The final date to return ballots to the County FSA office is Dec. 2, and all mailed ballots must be postmarked by that date.

The newly-elected committee member will take office on Jan. 1, 1997.

Ronald Gfeller is currently serving

as County Committeeman for LAA-2, Community C.

Owners, operators, tenants and sharecroppers of legal voting age can vote in the upcoming election if they are considered an eligible voter in LAA-2 or Community C. Farm owners, operators, tenants and sharecroppers of legal voting age can vote if they are eligible to take part in any FSA program.

The election of responsible agricultural producers is important to all farmers and ranchers in LAA-2,

Community C.

Duties of County FSA Committee members include the following:

- ◆ Informing farmers of the purpose and provisions of the FSA programs.
- ◆ Keeping the State FSA Committee informed of LAA conditions.
- ◆ Recommending needed changes in farm programs.
- ◆ Participating in county meetings, as necessary.
- ◆ Performing other duties as assigned by the State FSA Committee.

## Minding Your Own Business

By DON TAYLOR

*If it's mud . . .*



If it's mud you see flying, it must be election time again. I'll admit I am becoming more cynical about the political process each election year.

In my opinion, this year's presidential election may be the best example of having to vote for the evil of two lessors in recent history. I will vote, but Barry Goldwater and Hubert Humphrey are looking better all the time.

The disappointing issue to me is that both candidates from the major parties are sounding more and more alike. Because the promises and success claims are so similar, I can hardly tell which candidate is the Republican, and which is the Democrat. We may be moving toward a one-party system after all. Should we call it the Repocrats or the Democrats?

Let me list some of the similarities to prove my point. First, both candidates say they believe in small government. Their records promise that we'll get quite a lot of it.

Second, both candidates proclaim themselves to be leaders. They should look over their shoulders to see that the majority of Americans aren't following. More importantly, most Americans aren't even interested enough to vote. ok Next, both candidates say they feel our pain. They know how hard we work to pay our taxes and they can help us. I find this pretty amusing since neither candidate has ever had a real job.

Both candidates talk about reducing government spending. However, while they are talking, spending will reach an all-time high this year and government growth continues to out pace the private sector.

Both candidates say they care about our Social Security and retirement plans. However, their own government pensions and retirement benefits would care for more than 100 ordinary citizens in retirement. They care, we pay.

Both candidates say they want to help small businesses. However, both have voting records which make the federal government the highest-paid, non-productive senior partner of every small business owner in the country.

Both candidates are adept at making stirring political speeches. However, neither appreciates the importance of keeping the beginning of those speeches close to the end.

Both candidates are quick to point out their past successes. However, I would remind you that even a blind hog can occasionally find an acorn in an oak grove.

Both candidates want government to solve our problems. In truth, it never has and never will.

### I will vote anyway

Despite my cynicism, I will vote. You should, too. It is easy to be cynical. Anyone can criticize our leaders for all the ills big government creates. I am guilty. It is easier to complain than to get involved.

However, we must remember that we are the government. We have an obligation, a responsibility, to chart the course of our country for the future. We must not become complacent, we must involve ourselves in the process.

There is no freedom without obligation. It is our responsibility to be aware of the political environment and safeguard our freedom. The entire foundation of our free enterprise system demands a vigilant population. In order to preserve and protect our unique form of government, we must all be involved. This requires our attention every day, not just at election time.

We certainly must take the time to vote. When we select candidates who most closely represent our views, we help direct the course the nation takes in the coming years. Every vote is important.

On Nov. 5 we can choose to elect qualified men and women who will manage the affairs of our government in a business-like manner. The future of small business, as well as our nation, rests in our hands.

Don Taylor is the co-author of *Up Against the Wal-Mart's*. You may write to him in care of Minding Your Own Business, P.O. Box 67, Amarillo, Texas 79105.

## Soil Conservation Service to study needs assessment

The Running Water Soil and Water Conservation Service will hold a meeting tonight (Thursday at 7 in the Dimmitt City Hall meeting room in an effort to determine resource needs in the county.

"As a result of the 1996 Farm Bill, the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District, along with 3,000 other districts in the nation, has been given the charge to lead the way in developing programs and initiatives to improve soil and water resources at the local level," said Bob Phipps, chairman of the Running Water SWCD.

"After years of applying top-down program management approaches in federal conservation programs, the new 1996 Farm Bill establishes a locally-driven process, coordinated by conservation districts, to guide the state's and nation's agricultural conservation efforts," said Phipps. It provides tremendous opportunities for local people to become involved in assessing local resource needs."

According to Phipps, the process deals with developing a list of concerns for the long range Farm Bill program for fiscal 1998 and beyond.

To enact the Farm Bill on the local level, the Running Water SWCD and US Dept. of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service will sponsor tonight's work group meeting.

During the meeting, the groups will conduct a local conservation needs assessment and make program

recommendations on what problems the SWCD should address in future years. Local recommendations will be sent to the state level where the district's technical issues, resource priority areas and program policies will be reviewed and integrated into a state, regional and national program.

"We are really excited about the opportunities the new Farm Bill offers because Congress is seeking our leadership to assist our community in carrying out a cooperative, locally-driven, incentive-based conservation program that wisely invests public resources to protect local natural resources," Phipps said.

## 'Bottom Line' farming course to begin Nov. 4

Clarendon College will offer the "Bottom Line Farming" curriculum on financial management in agriculture in Tulia during November and the first week of December.

The class will be taught at the Swisher County Extension Building in Tulia. The class will start on Monday, Nov. 4, and will run from 6 to 10 p.m. The balance of the 36-hour course will be taught on Monday and Wednesday of each week during November and the first week of December. The class will not meet on November 27.

Registration will be held during the first class meeting on Nov. 4. Spouses are encouraged to attend.

The class meets the requirements for financial training of the FSA (formerly FmHA).

For more information, call (806) 874-2313 or your local FSA office.



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## Cattle producers set conference Nov. 8

The High Plains Cattle Producers Conference will be Nov. 8 at the M.K. Brown Memorial Civic Auditorium in Pampa.

Area cattle producers are invited to attend free of charge. Registration will start at 8:30 a.m., with sessions set for 9:30 a.m. to noon and 1 to 2 p.m. A complimentary luncheon and sponsor presentation will be held during the noon hour, and door

prizes will be given.

Those interested in attending should leave a message on voice mail at Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, 1-800-247-3183. For more information call 817-332-7155.

One continuing education unit will be offered for the final session, which will cover rangeland weed and brush management tips for the Texas High Plains.

Other sessions will cover topics of ranch performance comparisons, new programs and directions in the West Texas A&M University's Division of Agriculture, and a discussion of the new Cattleman's Carcass Data Service.

Ranchers may discover practical ways to manage during periods of drought and depressed cattle prices, according to Chance O. Thompson Jr., TSCRA president. TSCRA is sponsoring the meeting as part of a series of regional meetings, underwritten by Rolling Plains Production Credit Association and High Plains Federal Land Bank Association of Pampa.

## Mike Bain named TPRDC director

Mike Bain of Dimmitt is one of several directors named to the Texas Panhandle Regional Development Corporation.

The group named Terry Wright, vice president of the Herring National Bank, as its new president.

Joann Harwell, manager of the Oldham County Chamber of Commerce, was named vice president. Michael S. David, president of the Summit Financial Group, was elected secretary. Ross Glenn, senior vice president of First State Bank of Happy, was named treasurer.

Other directors, in addition to Bain, are Gary Beauchamp of Bovina, Nina Beth Hargrove of Perryton, Don Lee of Canyon and Larry D. Reed of Amarillo.

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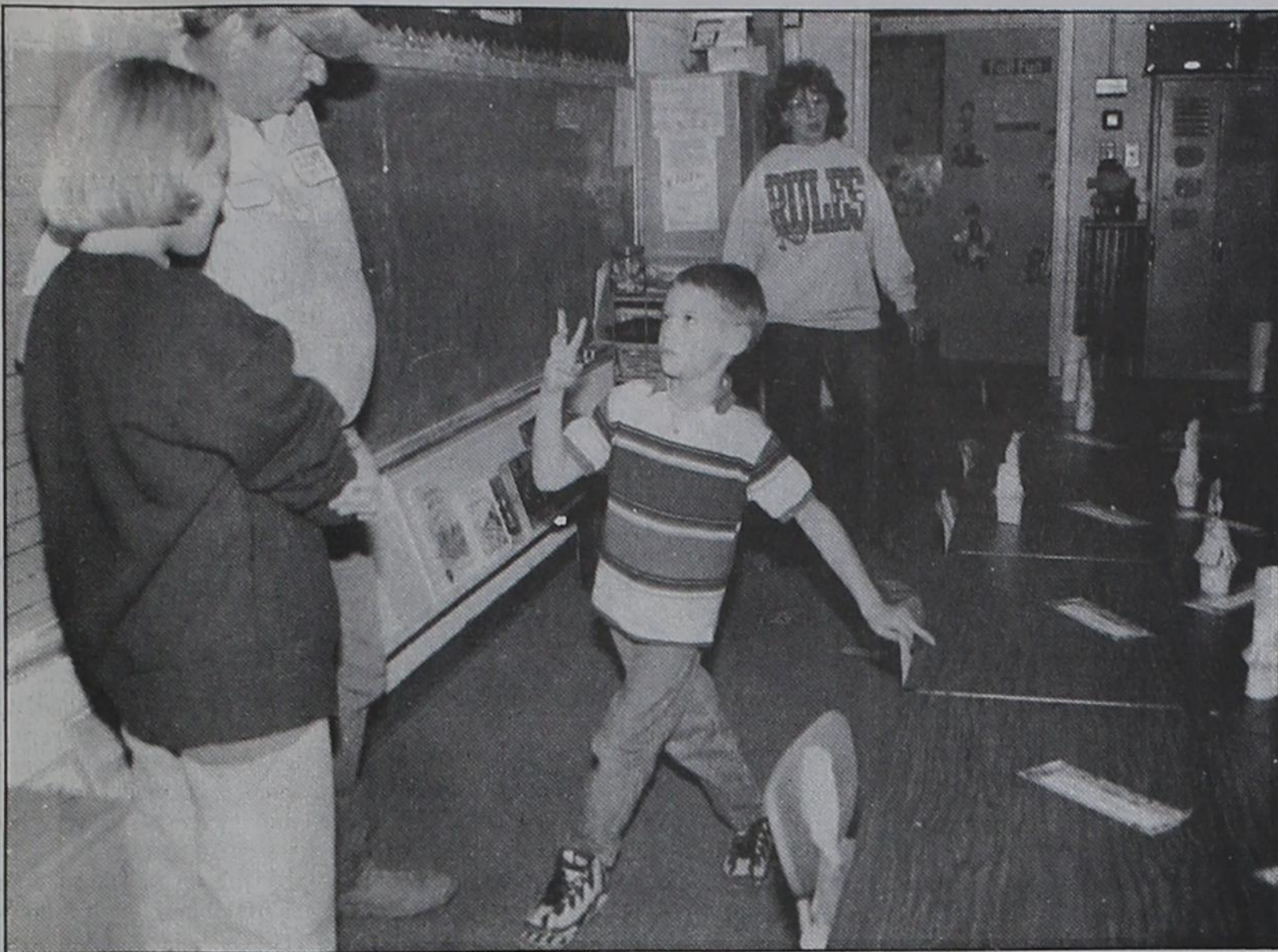
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**THE THIRD ONE MAKES THIS SOUND**—Bradley Lane (center) tells (from left) his sister, Holly, and dad and mom, Charlie and Alice, about the paper foot prints on the floor of the classroom that help students learn the sounds that letters make in combi-

nations. He is a student in Karen Roberson's first grade class at Richardson Elementary in Dimmitt, which held open house last Thursday night.

Photo by Linda Maxwell

## Sheep and goat producers to vote for board members

Ballots are available now through Tuesday for voting in the Texas Sheep and Goat Commodity Board (TS&GCB) biennial election, with one director being named in each district.

Producers can pick up a ballot in the County Extension Office in any

county within the 111-county area covered by the referendum. Ballots were mailed out to all known producers, but any who did not receive one by mail can pick one up.

Maps on the back of the ballots show the district lines for the referendum. Completed ballots should be mailed in the postage-paid return envelopes provided, and must be postmarked by midnight Oct. 29.

Candidates for the board positions that are expiring are Dwight Childress of Crockett County for District 1, Alfred (Mack) Gilliat of Real County for District 2, and Presley J. Arhelger of Gillespie County, Zane Reese of Crosby County and Bill Sneed of Coleman County for District 3.

Official canvassing of the ballots will take place Nov. 21.

## FHA asks help on family survey

Friday is the last day for turning in your response to the FHA/HERO family information survey.

The survey responses can be turned in at Dimmitt High School, 1505 Western Circle Dr., or they can be mailed to the same address, in care of Jackie Odom.

The survey is a project of Dimmitt High School's FHA/HERO members as a part of their involvement with "Families First," a national program sponsored by Future Homemakers of America, Inc.

Respondents are asked to write on a sheet of paper:

- ◆ A list of the three things you like most about being part of a family.
- ◆ A list of the three things you think are most challenging about being part of a family.
- ◆ Your age.
- ◆ What is/are your family role or roles? (For example, mother, father, daughter, son, sister, brother, etc.)

## Extension Service provides free opportunity for pesticide disposal

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will sponsor three free pesticide disposal sites in October as part of the Texas Country Clean-Up and farmers and ranchers from across the state are invited to dispose of unneeded waste pesticides and agricultural chemicals during one of the designated times.

The collection locations, one of which will be in Amarillo next Thursday, Oct. 31, also will recycle tires, batteries, waste oil and oil filters.

The first collection will be on Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Texas Instruments in Denton, a mile inside Loop 288 on US 77, northwest of Denton.

The second collection will be held on Monday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Hardcastle Agricultural Services, 5.8 miles west of US 287 on Highway 70 West in Vernon.

The third collection will be conducted next Thursday, Oct. 31, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Amarillo at the US Dept. of Agriculture Experiment Station, .7 of a mile west of FM 2381 on the I-40 Service Road.

All of these collection sites will be accepting empty pesticide containers for recycling.

Clifford Hoelscher, professor and Extension specialist at Bryan said the

Extension Service's goal "is to improve the environment by getting waste materials disposed of properly. This will be a good opportunity to help clean up trash in the community."

The Extension Service has contracted with a private pesticide disposal company to collect and dispose of the waste chemicals. More than 950 tons of waste pesticides have been collected through the program. A total of 168 tons were disposed of during the 1996 spring program alone. Only 66 tons were disposed of in 1995.

Hoelscher said containers must be triple rinsed and clean in order to be accepted. He added that farmers and ranchers need to secure and pack all materials so they do not spill or fall from a vehicle during transport. He said any specific questions on the transport of pesticides can be answered in the Regional Pesticide Disposal Bulletin, which is available in all county Extension Service offices.

Farmers and ranchers are reminded that the contractor working with the pesticide disposal project will not accept explosives, fertilizers, paint, 2, 4, 5-T or pentachlorophenol because they require special handling. All other agricultural chemicals will

be accepted for disposal. Extension agents will be coordinating the event and taking surveys to see how far people have traveled and how much pesticide they are disposing with the program.

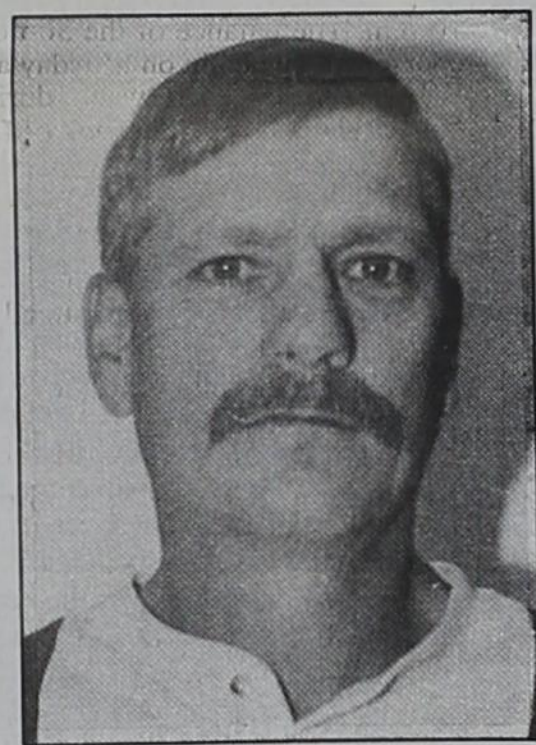
"We want to stress that it's free and there are no questions asked," Hoelscher said. "We do a survey, but it's just to check the success of the program."

Hoelscher said money for the project is coming from chemical companies in their registration fee that they must pay to sell their products in the state. He said no taxpayer dollars are being used for the program, and added that the budget is limited.

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## Johnny Gimble to perform here

Johnny Gimble, a fiddler of Country Music Hall of Fame renown, will be in Dimmitt Nov. 9, headlining the Carlile Country Showcase.

Gimble formerly played with the late Bob Wills and the Texas Playboys. Backing him for this performance will be a band comprised of Rusty Hudelson on the piano, Ed Marsh on bass, Joe Carr on lead guitar, Tim McCasland on steel guitar, and James Price on drums.

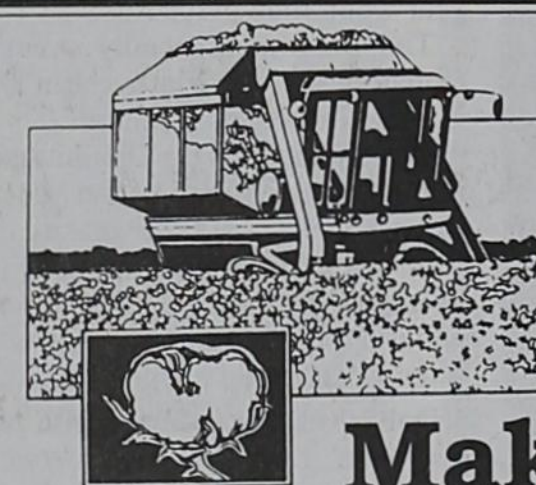
Larry Buchanan, a singer, songwriter, actor and entertainer, will be the opening act for Gimble.

General admission tickets for the

7:30 p.m. performances are priced at \$7.50 per person in advance and \$8.50 at the door.

Tickets may be purchased by calling 806-647-2091 or 806-385-5987; or send a check or money order to Carlile Theatre, 116 S. Broadway, Dimmitt 79027.

Gimble has been named "Fiddler of the Year" eight times by the Academy of Country Music, and has been nominated three times for a Grammy award. He won a Grammy in 1994 for his performance with the western swing band "Asleep at the Wheel."



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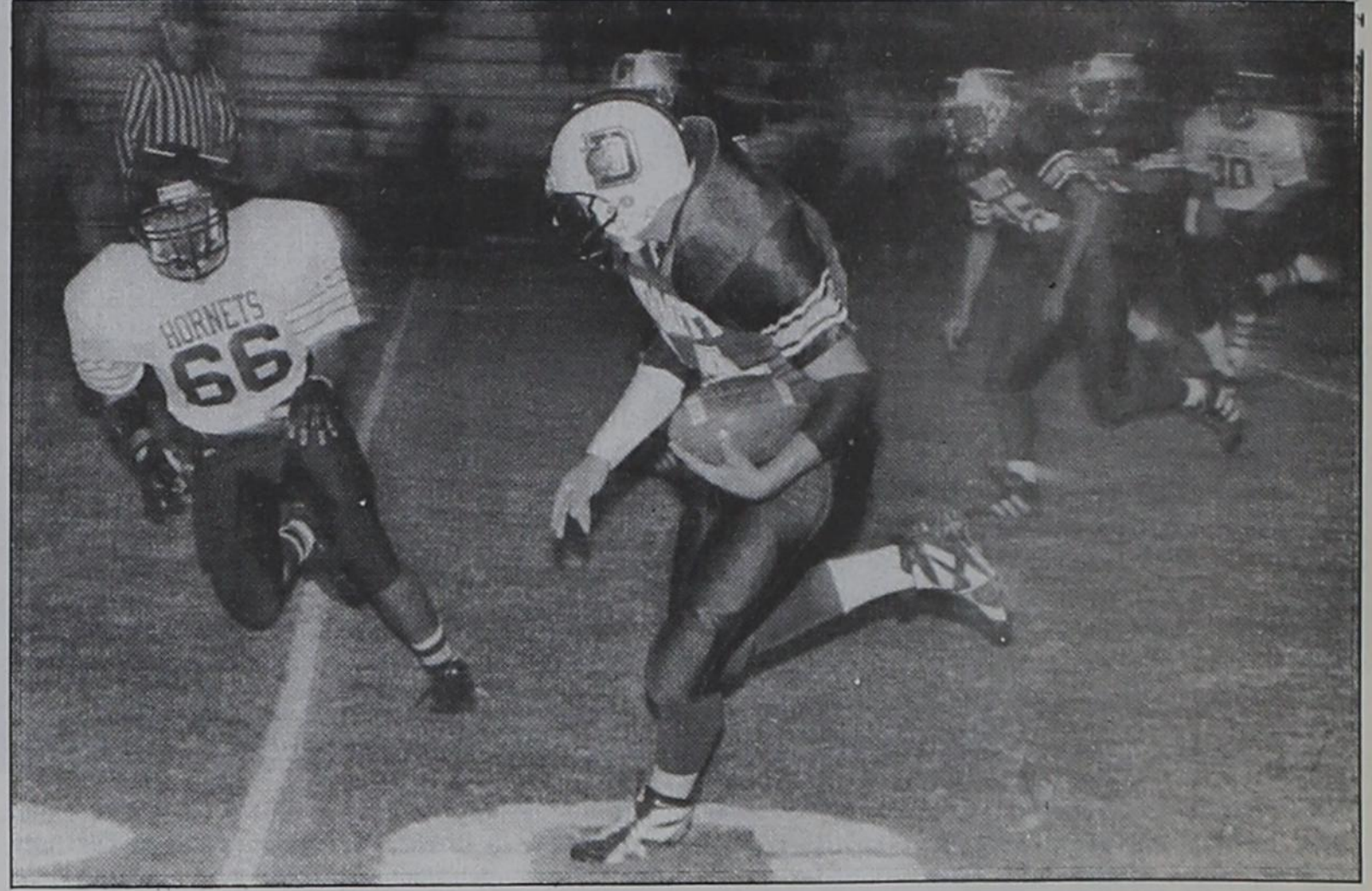
# Sports



First you catch it . . .

Dimmitt's Charlie Sanders (44) gathers in a screen pass from Derek Buckley at the Tulia 38-yard line in the first quarter of the Bobcats' District 1-AAA

game against the Hornets here Friday night. At left, Daniel Maxwell (78) screens out Tulia's Tim Brookins. Photo by Carter Townsend



. . . Then you take it to the end zone!

Sanders outflanks Tulia linebacker D. J. Carrasco (66) on his beautiful touchdown run. It was the first score of the game, and came with 6:36 remaining in

the first quarter. Serge Linskyi added the extra-point kick to give Dimmitt a 7-0 lead. The Bobcats went on to win, 16-10. Photo by Carter Townsend

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- Any entry form that does not contain a legible name, address, etc., will be disqualified.
- Entries that fail to forecast a winner from each and every game will be disqualified, as will entries that fail to distinguish between the Jets and Giants of New York and Pitt and Pittsburgh.
- No points are awarded on tie games or in case any game is not played for any reason during its scheduled week.
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- Limit: one entry per person per week. Each entry must represent the original work of one entrant; "group" entries, "systems" or other attempts to enter multiple entries will be disqualified. Filling out extra forms and putting your friends' and relatives' names on them violates this rule. Any such entries are destroyed prior to grading.
- Contestants must have reached the age of eight (8) years by the Sunday of any week's play.

Dimmitt used its area-best defense and a couple new wrinkles on offense to claim a 16-10 win over Tulia last Friday at Bobcat Stadium. The win moved Dimmitt to 5-2, 3-1 in District 1-AAA. Tulia is now 3-4, 2-2.

"It left us in control of our destiny, and was another great night for our offense, defense and special teams," said Dimmitt coach Bruce Dollar.

Dimmitt never trailed in the game, and kept Tulia out of the end zone for much of the contest. Tulia ended up with just 148 yards on offense, while Dimmitt had 220 yards.

The game was also the biggest night for the year for Oscar Rueda, who had 90 yards on 15 carries. Rueda was the feature back during the second half when Dimmitt's offense more closely resembled the I than the Wishbone.

"We had to get them out of a nine-man front, which is what they were doing to us in the first half," Dollar said. "We came out in the second half and ran twins (two wide receivers on the same side of the field) to get them to spread their defense a little."

Tulia also came out with some new wrinkles on offense. The Hornets had been running the split-six defense, but often had a defender over the center and some other flip-flops.

"It took us a while to figure out what they were doing on defense, but we figured it out," Dollar said. "It's a tribute to our kids to make those adjustments and play a good football game against a good football team. Tulia's not a bad team, but they played their toughest opponent of the year when they played us."

The win was especially sweet for Dollar; he had spent last year in Tulia as the offensive coordinator.

"I found out that the Dimmitt game is the biggest rivalry of the year for Tulia," Dollar said. "It makes their year when they beat Dimmitt. Folks over here may not feel that same way about Tulia, but that is the way the folks in Tulia feel about Dimmitt."

Dollar was also pleased with how his team bounced back from a disappointing loss the week before at Dalhart. Back was the big play Dimmitt defense, which limited the Hornets to only six plays over 10 yards. The Bobcats forced four turnovers, and two of those resulted directly in Dimmitt scores.

The field was swept by a 20 MPH south wind, and Dimmitt took the win in the first quarter. Tulia, going on offense first, moved to a first down at its 42 before losing the first of four turnovers. Dimmitt took the ball at the Tulia 40 and had to convert a

fourth down to keep the drive alive. Derek Buckley kept the ball on the option to get the first down, and a Tulia inadvertent face mask foul moved the ball to the Hornet 25.

At the Hornet 27, Buckley retreated from center and rolled out to his right. Just as Tulia defenders were getting in his face, he fired the ball across the field to tight end Charley Sanders. With two blockers in front and a smooth move, Sanders raced to the end zone with 6:56 to play in the first period. Serge Linskyi added the extra point to give Dimmitt a 7-0 lead.

Dimmitt took advantage of a 17-yard Tulia punt to get back in business at the Bobcat 46. Dimmitt drove to the Tulia 21, but Linskyi just missed a 38-yard field goal.

The teams traded back-and-forth much of the rest of the half. Tulia took advantage of the wind at its back in the second quarter to eventually pin the Bobcats deep in their end late in the first half. A misplayed punt

attempt late in the period gave the Hornets the ball at the Dimmitt 15. Tulia moved just five yards, but Daniel Gibson nailed a field goal with 32 ticks left in the half to make it 7-3 at intermission.

In the third period, after the Hornets decided to take the win, Dimmitt rumbled down the field for an eight-play, 65-yard drive for what proved to be the winning points.

Keeping the ball on the ground all the way, the Bobcats alternated between fullback dives by Beau Hill and outside dashes by Rueda. On first down at the Tulia 17, Hill busted a dive play outside and raced to the end zone with 8:47 to play in the third. Linskyi, kicking against the wind, saw his PAT kick veer to the left, leaving Dimmitt ahead 13-3.

Tulia lost another fumble, thanks to a big Dimmitt play. Sanders, at defensive end, was in the Hornets backfield as Tulia attempted a reverse. Sanders almost took the handoff from quarterback Jeremy Patton, but did manage to knock it free. D.J. Fleeks recovered to give Dimmitt the ball at the Tulia 23.

Dimmitt faced another fourth down conversion, with Rueda picking up an extra seven yards on a 10-yard jaunt to the six. Dimmitt was penalized for clipping on the next play, moving the ball to the 20.

This time, the Bobcats tried a field goal on fourth and goal from the 10. Linskyi's kick into the wind was good from 27 yards out, pushing Dimmitt ahead 16-3 with 4:42 to play in the third.

Dimmitt didn't do much offensively the rest of the night, at least as far as scoring, but Tulia had just one touchdown against the tough Dimmitt defense.

Tulia's TD drive began at its 49. The Hornets moved to the Dimmitt 25 where, on first down, Patton appeared to be stopped after a three-yard gain. He broke the tackle, though, and wandered to the three before he was stopped. Patton scored on the next play, and Gibson added the PAT to make it 16-10 with 5:58 left.

Tulia had just one more possession in the game, deep in its own end after snuffing out a Dimmitt drive at the Hornets' 10. That effort ended at the Tulia 23 after a big hit forced a fumble, and Dimmitt ran out the clock.

**Dimmitt 16, Tulia 10**

	Tul	Dmt		
First Downs	11	13		
Yards Rushing	109	207		
Yards Passing	39	27		
Total Yards	148	234		
Passes C/A	4/9	3/6		
Intercepted by	0	0		
Fumbles-Lost	5-4	2-1		
Punts-Avg.	3/33	2/49		
Penalties-Yards	5-35	8-96		
Tulia	0	3	0	7-10
Dimmitt	7	0	9	0-16

**Scoring summary**

**First Quarter:**  
DIMMITT—Charley Sanders 27 pass from Derek Buckley (Serge Linskyi kick)

**Second Quarter:**  
TULIA—Daniel Gibson 32 FG

**Third Quarter:**  
DIMMITT—Beau Hill 17 run (kick failed)  
DIMMITT—Linskyi 27 FG

**Fourth Quarter:**  
TULIA—Jeremy Patton 3 run (Gibson kick)

**Individual statistics**

**Rushing:** Oscar Rueda 15-90; Beau Hill 16-63; Derek Buckley 10-27; Stuart Sutton 4-18; Zack Matthews 3-9.

**Passing:** Derek Buckley 3/5, 27 yards; Stuart Sutton 0/1.

**Receiving:** Charley Sanders 2-27; Zack Matthews 1-0.

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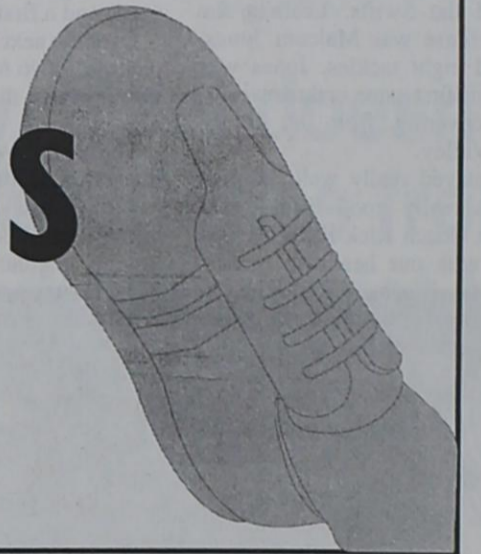
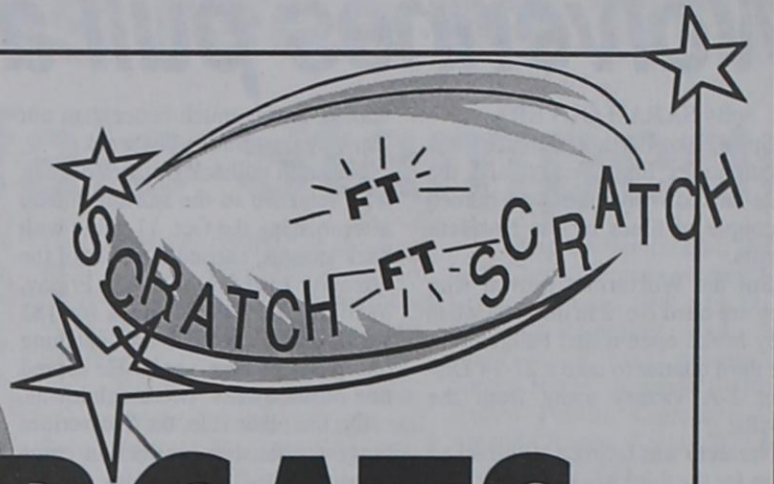
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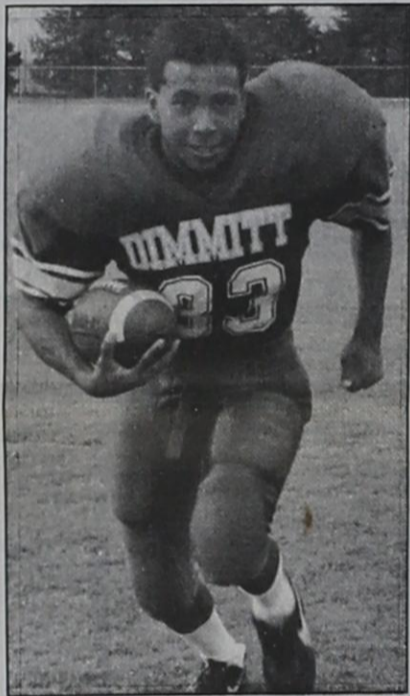
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#### VARSITY

	Bobcats 0, Lockney 13		
	Bobcats 24, Sundown 13		
	Bobcats 7, Canadian 0		
	Bobcats 21, Muleshoe 6		
	Bobcats 31, Sanford-Fritch 10		
	Bobcats 28, Dalhart 31		
	Bobcats 16, Tulia 10		
Oct. 25	Friona*	There	7:30
Nov. 1	River Road*	Here	7:30
Nov. 9	Perryton*	There	1:30
	Season Record: 5-2		



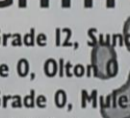
#### FRESHMEN

	Bobcats 26, Lockney 8		
	Bobcats 26, Friona 0		
	Bobcats 22, Valley 20		
	Bobcats 30, Muleshoe 0		
	Bobcats 22, Sanford-Fritch 6		
	Bobcats 20, Dalhart 6		
	Bobcats 28, Tulia 0		
Oct. 24	Muleshoe*	Here	5:30
Oct. 31	River Road*	There	5:30
Nov. 7	Friona*	Here	5:30
	Season Record: 7-0		



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	8th Grade 6, Sundown 26; 7th Grade 12, Sundown 0		
	8th Grade 24, Olton 6; 7th Grade 0, Olton 0		
	8th Grade 6, Muleshoe 27; 7th Grade 0, Muleshoe 13		
	8th Grade 30, Tulia 8; 7th Grade 24, Tulia 0		
	8th Grade 0, Friona 6; 7th Grade 14, Friona 8		
Oct. 22	Muleshoe*	There	5:00-6:30
Oct. 29	Tulia*	Here	5:00-6:30
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# Wolverines pull away from tenacious Swifts in third

By SARAH OLVERA  
Springlake-Earth's defense was tested to its limit Friday, and the state-ranked Wolverines were burned a couple of times by the Nazareth Swifts.

But the Wolverines proved why they are rated No. 2 in the state when they broke open a tied ballgame in the third quarter to take a 27-14 District 2-A victory away from the Swifts.

Nazareth was facing a state-ranked team for the third week in a row, and all three of the opponents are district rivals. The Swifts suffered their third district loss against the Wolverines Friday.

But the Swifts didn't go down without a tough battle.

Nazareth racked up 306 yards on offense and held Springlake to 302. The Swifts had more first downs, too, 15-13. The Wolverines just crossed the goal line two more times than did the Swifts. Leading the Swift defense was Malcom Jones, who had eight tackles. Jones was playing his first game in three weeks, after recovering from an injury against Valley.

"We played really well, we just played a really good team," said Nazareth Coach Rick Price. "I was pleased with our heads-up perfor-

mance. It was much better than our game against Sudan last week."

Nazareth tailback Coby Schacher, who returned to the starting lineup after missing the Oct. 11 game with back spasms, carried the bulk of the offensive load for the Swifts Friday, handling the ball 34 times for 181 yards on the ground and catching one pass for nine yards. He scored one of the Swifts' two touchdowns.

On the other side, the Wolverines biggest offensive production came from talented quarterback James Williams, who scored three of S-E's four touchdowns and carried 18 times for 117 yards.

"Williams was tough," Price said. "He's a really good quarterback."

Nazareth picked up a couple of first downs on its first series, but the drive stalled in Springlake-Earth territory. On the first play from scrimmage, Schacher gained 11 yards and a first down.

Over the next nine plays the Swifts picked up two more first downs, but averaged less than six yards on each play.

The Swifts were inside the S-E 30 when things got tough. On a fourth-and-seven play, Nazareth quarterback Mitchell Brockman, playing for injured regular Nathan Hoelting,

handed off to Matthew Kern, who was stopped short of the first down and S-E took over on downs at its own 24.

Williams went right to work attacking the Swift defense. He gained 29 yards to Nazareth's 44-yard line on the first play. A Nazareth penalty and a run by Chris Spencer moved the Wolverine's to the Swift 7. Two plays later Tony Longoria found the end zone on a two-yard run. Gabriel Garcia missed the extra point for a 6-0 S-E lead.

Nazareth struggled on its next offensive series and punted after three short gains.

Springlake didn't have possession for long, though. On the first play Williams mishandled the snap, the ball bounced loose and after a mad scramble for the ball, Marcus Brockman came up with it for the Swifts.

But one yard was all Springlake would allow the Swifts' offense and Brockman had to punt.

Jose Mendoza gained 11 yards and a first down before Justin Bingham and Brockman stopped the Wolverines. Three plays later the Wolverines were charged with a 10-yard penalty for illegal use of the hands and the extra yardage made the difference in S-E's attempts to gain a first down and the Wolverines had to

punt. After the punt, Nazareth started from its own 15, but the second quarter saw the Swifts' aerial attack come to life.

Working behind an offensive line that held the Wolverines at bay, Mitchell Brockman looked downfield until he spotted an open Bingham and completed the pass for a 34-yard gain. Two plays later Kern gained 11 yards and another first down.

A 10-yard holding call put a damper on the Swifts' momentum, but didn't extinguish their confidence. Mitchell Brockman went to the air again, this time finding Bingham for 15 yards. Schacher picked up seven on a third-and-10 play and Nazareth was faced with a tough decision from deep in Wolverine country.

Price decided to go for the first down and the handoff went to Schacher. He easily picked up the first down on a seven-yard effort and Nazareth had new life at the S-E 19.

Nazareth wasted little time, going to the air again. With 8:05 left in the half, Mitchell Brockman drilled a perfect pass to Barry Hoelting in the end zone for the Swifts' first score. Cody Annen put the Swifts up 7-6 with his extra point.

Annen onsid the ensuing kick-

off, but the Wolverines recovered the ball on their own 35.

Over the next three plays, the fired up Swift defense gave up nothing.

Schacher and Jerad Birkenfeld pulled Williams down for a three-yard loss. Then Schacher tripped up Williams for another two-yard loss and James Wilhite got in on the action, stuffing Williams for a third-straight loss, this time for four yards. The Wolverines punted on fourth-and-19.

The Swifts carried their momentum from the big defensive stand over to offense.

On the first play of the series Mitchell Brockman passed to Hoelting for nine yards. Four plays later Schacher gained 18 yards on a long run before Russell Verden tackled him. Then with 2:07 left in the half Schacher broke loose and ran 11 yards for the touchdown. Annen's extra point was good and the Swifts led, 14-6.

The Wolverines silenced Nazareth's cheers in the final two minutes of the first half.

Spencer gained 62 yards on the first play after the kickoff, eluding several Swift defenders before they were able to pull him down at the Nazareth 17. The Wolverines gained 10 yards on the next three plays for a first down, then Williams scored from 7 yards out. The pitch to Longoria was converted into two points to tie the game at 14.

"We really had momentum going in the second quarter," said Price. "We were up 14-6 and were looking good, but with a minute left in the half we let them score. That really hurt us. We would have liked to have been ahead by eight at half."

A second onside attempt by the Swifts again was recovered by Springlake at the Wolverine 38.

Two plays later Nazareth was flagged with a five-yard penalty, giving S-E a first down. With 10:05 left in the third quarter Williams fumbled the ball, but managed to recover. A loss on the play forced Springlake to punt. The kick went into the end zone, resulting in a touchback at the Swift 20.

Four plays later Nazareth punted back.

Robert Mendoza ran the punt back five yards to the Wolverine 48 and he led the next drive, carrying the ball on every play except the final play of the drive.

That honor went to Williams. With 3:50 left in the third he broke loose for a 17-yard touchdown to put the Wolverines on top. Garcia's extra point was good and the Wolverines led 21-14.

Bingham returned the kickoff to Nazareth's 15 before he was met by Andy Wilhelm and Rey Paz. Schacher carried for 12 yards on the next play, but that was all the Swifts could manage against a stingy Wolverine defense.

Marcus Brockman's punt was partially blocked by Springlake-

Earth, resulting in a 10-yard kick and an S-E possession at Nazareth's 35.

Two plays later Williams eluded four Swift tackles and ran 38 yards for the game's final touchdown as time expired in the third quarter. Garcia missed the extra point, leaving the score 27-14.

Nazareth drove 50 yards in 22 plays, eating up five minutes off the clock to open the fourth quarter.

Mitchell Brockman hit Bingham for a 19 yard gain. Two plays later Schacher picked up 15 yards. That's when the yards started getting longer. Facing fourth-and-five, Mitchell Brockman dropped back to pass, but was swamped by four Wolverine defenders. He was able to dodge the sack and found Schacher across the middle for a nine-yard gain and a first down.

The Swifts lost 15 yards when Frank Toscano pulled Mitchell Brockman down in the backfield. Then an incomplete pass on fourth-and-11 ended Nazareth's chance at another touchdown and the Wolverines took over on their own 40.

S-E harnessed the ball for almost five minutes on a slow and easy drive. They lost 10 yards on a penalty, but gained 15 as the Swifts were flagged for facemask. Over the next four plays S-E gained just enough yardage for a first down to keep the drive alive. Williams attempted a pass to Mendoza on fourth-and-seven with 2:14 left in the game, and the pass fell incomplete, giving Nazareth the ball.

The Swifts were unable to score in the final two minutes.

"We moved the ball in the second half, just not as well as we had earlier in the game," Price said. "They really got their option going after half, too."

### Swifts 14, S-E 27

	NAZ	S-E
First Downs	15	13
Yards Rushing	208	298
Yards Passing	98	4
Total Yards	306	302
Passing Att.-Comp.	6-11	1-4
Interceptions By	0	0
Fumbles Lost	1-0	3-1
Punts-Avg.	4-23.3	3-37
Penalties-Yards	4-35	3-25

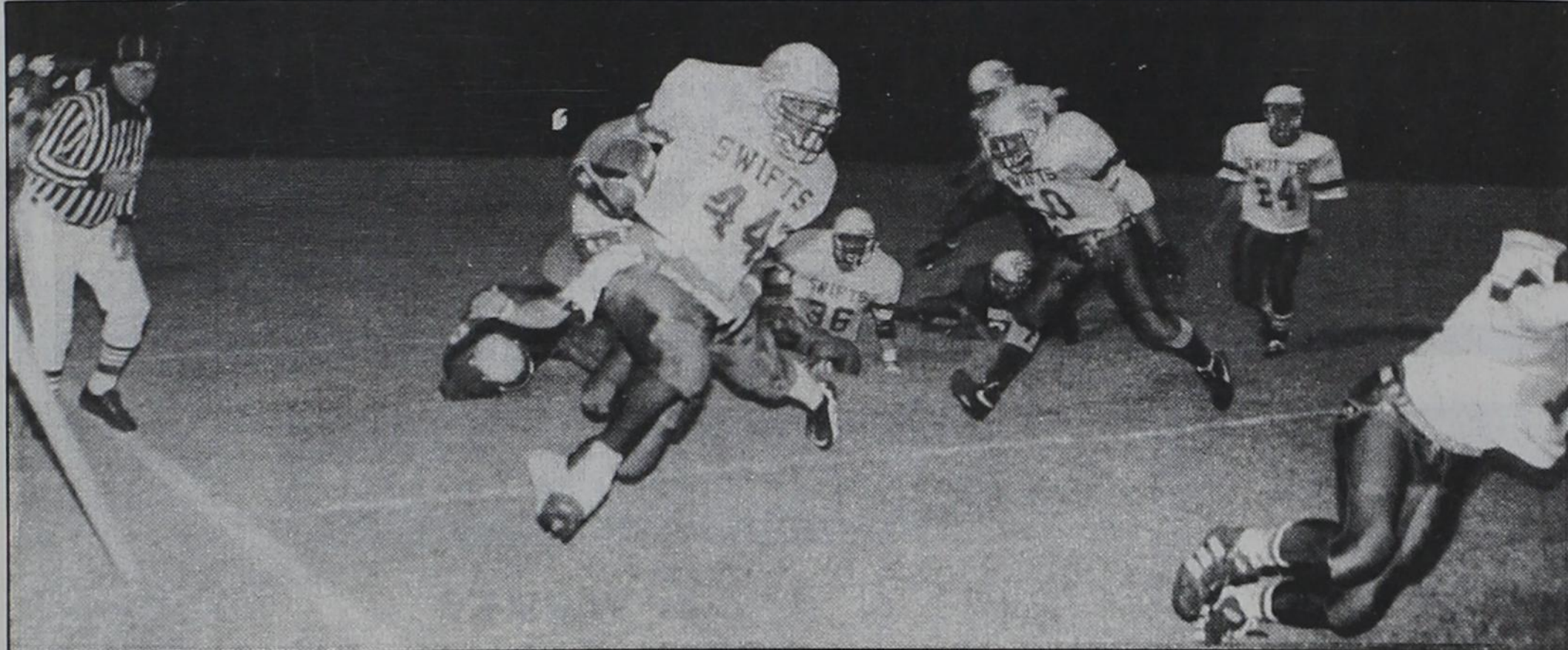
Nazareth	0	14	0	0	—	14
S-E	6	8	13	0	—	27

### SCORING

**First Quarter:**  
S-E—Tony Longoria 2 run (kick failed)  
**Second Quarter:**  
NAZ—Barry Hoelting 19 pass from Mitchell Brockman (Cody Annen kick)  
NAZ—Coby Schacher 10 run (Annen kick)  
S-E—James Williams 7 run (Longoria run)  
**Third Quarter:**  
S-E—Williams 17 run (Garcia kick)  
S-E—Williams 38 run (kick failed)

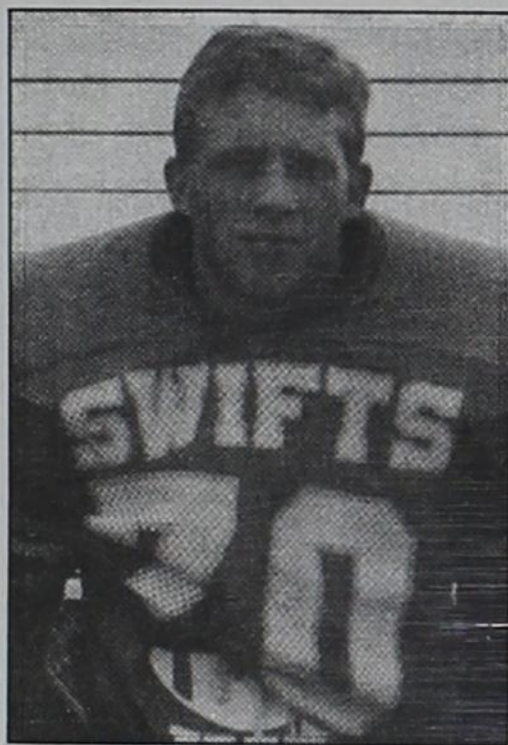
### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**Rushing**—Coby Schacher 34-181; Matthews 6-27; Josh Merritt 6-12; Justin Bingham 1-4; Mitchell Brockman 4-(-16).  
**Passing**—Mitchell Brockman 6-11-0-98 and 1 touchdown.

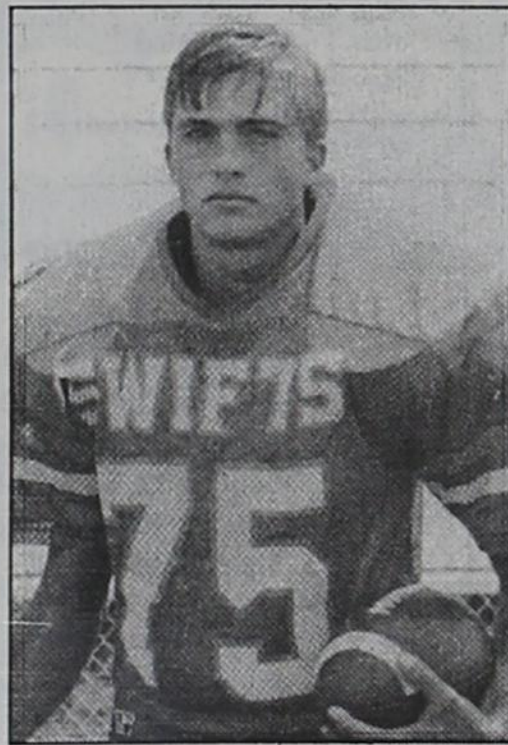


**ROOM TO RUN**—Nazareth's Coby Schacher turns upfield and finds open territory down to the Springlake-Earth 19 Friday night in a District 2-A game at S-E. Schacher picked up seven yards on the first down play with 8:31 left in the second quarter. A few plays later he scores to give the Swifts a 14-6 lead over the No. 2-ranked Wolverines. Other Swifts

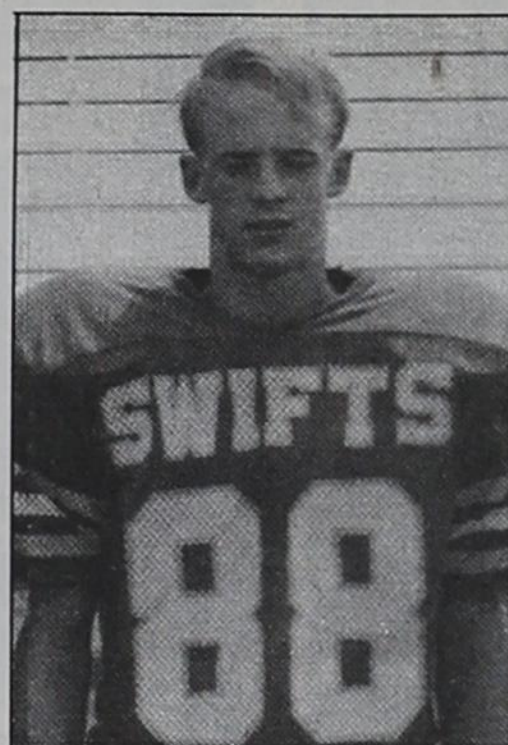
in on the play include Matthew Kern (36), Malcom Jones (50), Mitchell Brockman (24) and Barry Hoelting (11). Schacher rushed for 181 yards and a touchdown to lead the Swifts' offensive attack, but it wasn't enough, as the Wolverines came back in the second half to post a 27-14 win. Photo by Anne Acker



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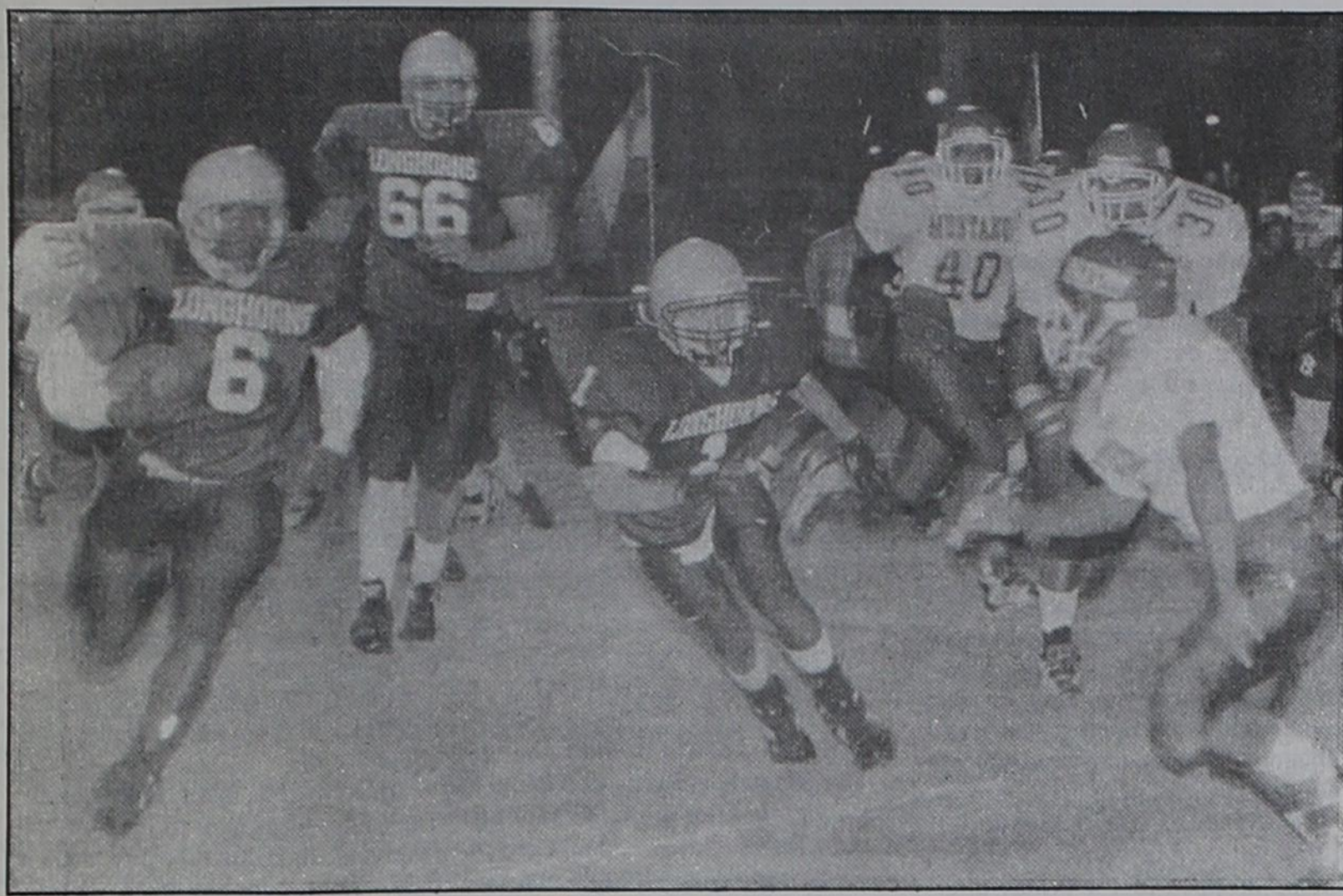
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HART'S J.J. FINCH (6) gains enough for a first down Friday against the Olton Mustangs. Finch gets help on the play from teammates Dusty Ortiz (66)

and Jared Aven (1). Hart had no problems handling the Mustangs, posting an easy 28-6 victory after going on top 22-0 in the first quarter.

Photo by David Knox

# Big first quarter lifts Hart over Olton, 28-6

Hart's offense exploded for 22 first-quarter points, then held the Olton Mustangs scoreless until the fourth quarter to claim a 28-6 District 3-AA victory Friday night at Longhorn Stadium.

Hart improved to 3-4 overall and 1-1 in district play. Olton dropped to 1-6, 0-2.

The victory keeps Hart's playoff hopes alive with three weeks left in regular season play. This week the Horns will take on Bovina in another 3-AA matchup.

Hart welcomed back runningback J.J. Finch, who missed last week's game. Finch made a big impression on the Mustangs, rushing for 210 yards and two touchdowns on nine carries. One of those touchdown runs was an 88-yarder in the third quarter that virtually nailed shut the door to a comeback for the Mustangs.

Hart's offense, led by Finch, was virtually unstoppable Friday, racking up 454 yards, including 375 on the ground.

The Longhorn defense was as stingy as their offense was strong, allowing Olton a mere five yards passing and 210 yards rushing. The Longhorns recovered two Mustang fumbles and stopped Olton on two big fourth down plays.

Leading the defensive effort was Armondo Minjarez, who recorded 21 tackles and two sacks against Olton.

Dusty Ortiz was in on 10 tackles and also added two sacks to his numbers on the season.

Hart lit up the scoreboard in the first stanza.

Finch opened the scoring with a 22-yard run and Lucas Anzaldua booted the extra point for a 7-0 Hart lead.

After stopping Olton's offense cold, Hart scored its second touchdown of the quarter and the game.

This time it was Sergio Martinez who cashed in for six points, scoring on a seven-yard run. The two-point conversion was tacked on when Armondo Minjarez hauled in a pass from Jared Aven, who took over at quarterback for Martinez, and Hart was on top, 15-0, in the opening period.

The Longhorns weren't through, yet.

Martinez broke for a 28-yard touchdown scamper before the quarter ended and Anzaldua kicked another point-after to put Hart up by a commanding 22-0 advantage.

The Mustang offense never got untracked in the first half and couldn't get anything going in the third quarter, either.

After the Longhorns' brilliant first-quarter offense assault, Hart settled down, too, and couldn't add to its total before halftime.

Hart added one final touchdown in the third quarter when Finch saw daylight, dodged a couple of defenders and outran everybody, 88 yards to the end zone. After a failed extra point, Hart was on top, 28-0.

Olton avoided a shut-out in the fourth quarter when Geraldo Arroyos capped off a drive with a four-yard TD run.

## Horns 28, Olton 6

	HART	OLTON
First Downs	21	10
Yards Rushing	375	210
Yards Passing	79	5
Total Yards	454	215
Passing Att.-Comp.	4-12	1-8
Interceptions By	0	1
Punts-Avg.	1-35	6-31.8
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	2-2
Penalties-Yards	7-70	8-65

Hart	22	0	6	0	—	28
Olton	0	0	0	6	—	6

### SCORING

**First Quarter:**  
HART—J.J. Finch 22 run (Lucas Anzaldua kick)  
HART—Sergio Martinez 7 run (Mondo Minjarez pass from Jared Aven)  
HART—Martinez 28 run (Anzaldua kick)  
**Third Quarter:**  
HART—Finch 88 run (kick failed)  
**Fourth Quarter:**  
OLTON—Gerald Arroyos 4 run (kick failed)

*I do not want people to be agreeable, as it saves me the trouble of liking them.*  
—Jane Austen

# Bobbies race to title in Buffalo Stampede

Dimmitt's girls posted their best finish of the 1996 cross country season Saturday when they bested the Division I field to claim the championship in the Buffalo Stampede at West Texas A&M University in Canyon.

Leading the pack of Dimmitt runners were Shawna Kenworthy and Lindsey Welch, who finished first and second, respectively.

Kenworthy's top time of 13:40 would have been sixth in the Division II race, which featured Class AAAA and Class AAAAA schools.

Teammate Welch was hot on Kenworthy's trail, finishing second in 13:53.

Their efforts helped Dimmitt to the team gold with 24 points, far ahead of Wolfforth Frenship, which had 59 for second. The Hart Lady Horns were third with 88 points.

Dimmitt placed two other runners in the top 10, including Carol Summers, fifth, 14:10; and Taryn Hays, sixth, 14:15. Rounding out the Bobbies' roster were Amy Matthews, 11th, 14:28; Stephanie Hinojosa, 13th, 14:29; and Jessica Flores, 30th, 15:22.

For the Hart girls, Lisa Rincon posted a team-best time of 14:23 for eighth place. Other Lady Horns running were Valerie Key, 14th, 14:29; Nikki Burress, 22nd, 15:00; Tylene Garcia, 24th, 15:04; Angelica Perales, 29th, 15:17; Veronica Gonzales, 45th, 16:16; Veronica Guerrero, 51st, 16:43.

## In the varsity boys' division, the Byrnes gets scholarship

Rala Byrnes of Dimmitt was one of 11 students at West Texas A&M University who received academic achievement scholarships.

A senior majoring in finance, Byrnes is the daughter of Stan and Jackie Byrnes. She is a member of the Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, which awards the scholarships to its members who surpass the median female grade point average of 2.787 at WTAMU in the spring and who return as students in the fall.

Thirteen students met the grade point average, but only 11 returned to classes this fall.

Hart Longhorns got a strong showing from Eric Montemayor, who medaled with a seventh place finish in 18:52. The team finished eighth overall.

Longhorns competing were Roberto Yebra, 32nd, 20:47; Adrian Rios, 39th, 21:30; Angel Pantoja, 40th, 21:37; Jeremiah Velasquez, 44th, 22:53; Michael Garcia, 46th, 23:06; and Tony Ayala, 50th, 23:48.

Junior varsity runners from Hart and Dimmitt also competed in Saturday's race.

The Dimmitt Junior High finished with 56 points, second only to Amarillo High's junior varsity, which totaled 29. Hart's JV was eighth with 194 points.

Leading the junior high Bobbies were Cherie Norman, second, 13:56; Crystal Garcia, fifth, 14:15; and Veronica Rodriguez, sixth, 14:18. Other junior high runners were Sandra Reyes, Amanda Rodriguez, Rachel Fabela, Cassandra Casas, Amanda Rivera, Kelsey Welch and Sharla Kenworthy.

JV runners from Hart were Lindsey Montemayor, 46th, 16:23; Amanda Ethridge, 52nd, 16:38; Ysa Rodriguez, 61st, 16:55; Selina Carrasco, 73rd, 17:19; Denise Moroles, 82nd, 17:39; and Becky Guzman, 88th, 18:05.

JV runners from Dimmitt included Stephanie Flores, fourth, 14:12; Julie Merritt, 24th, 15:41; and Courtney Joplin, 78th.

# Snow, sleet doesn't stop Swiftettes from defending district title

The snow fell and wind whipped as the Nazareth Swiftettes lined up at the starting line Monday morning for the District 2-A cross country meet.

The adverse conditions didn't bother the Swiftettes, though. Their times may have been a little off, but they were still good enough to capture the district championships in junior varsity and varsity divisions.

The two-mile race was run at Thompson Park in Amarillo and Nazareth Coach Kathy Lane said the course is a little slow in normal conditions, and Monday's freezing, wet weather was a little bit of a hassle for runners.

The gun signaled the beginning of the junior varsity race at 10:30 a.m., and snow was moderate at that point. By the time the varsity girls started their race at 11, the snowfall had become heavy, Lane said.

The varsity Swiftettes still captured the district title with ease, posting 27 points, just ahead of Farwell, which finished with 45.

Misti Ball captured the silver medal for the Swiftettes, finishing

second to Valerie Mace of Farwell by six seconds. Ball's time was 13:51.10. The rest of the Swiftettes placed in the top 10, including Tanya Wethington, fourth, 14:13.60; Trina Johnson, sixth, 14:23.45; Sara Birkenfeld, seventh, 14:27.38; Tiffany Schmucker, eighth, 14:29.78; Amy Pohlmeier, ninth, 14:31.81; and Celina Braddock, 10th, 14:33.78.

The varsity Swiftettes, who were second at state a year ago, advance to the Region 1-A meet, which will be held Nov. 2 at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

The Swiftettes also dominated the JV race, paced by Bridget Hochstein's gold medal performance. Her time of 14:59.90 was fastest among the field of JV runners. Other JV competitors from Nazareth were Kira Ball, third, 15:02.63; Lori Maurer, fifth, 15:08.30; Sara Schulte, sixth, 15:21.64; Mindi Ethridge, 10th, 15:44.78; Jayme Schmucker, 13th, 15:56.91; Andrea Braddock, 15th, 16:18.55; and Ann Wilhelm, 20th, 17:03.14.



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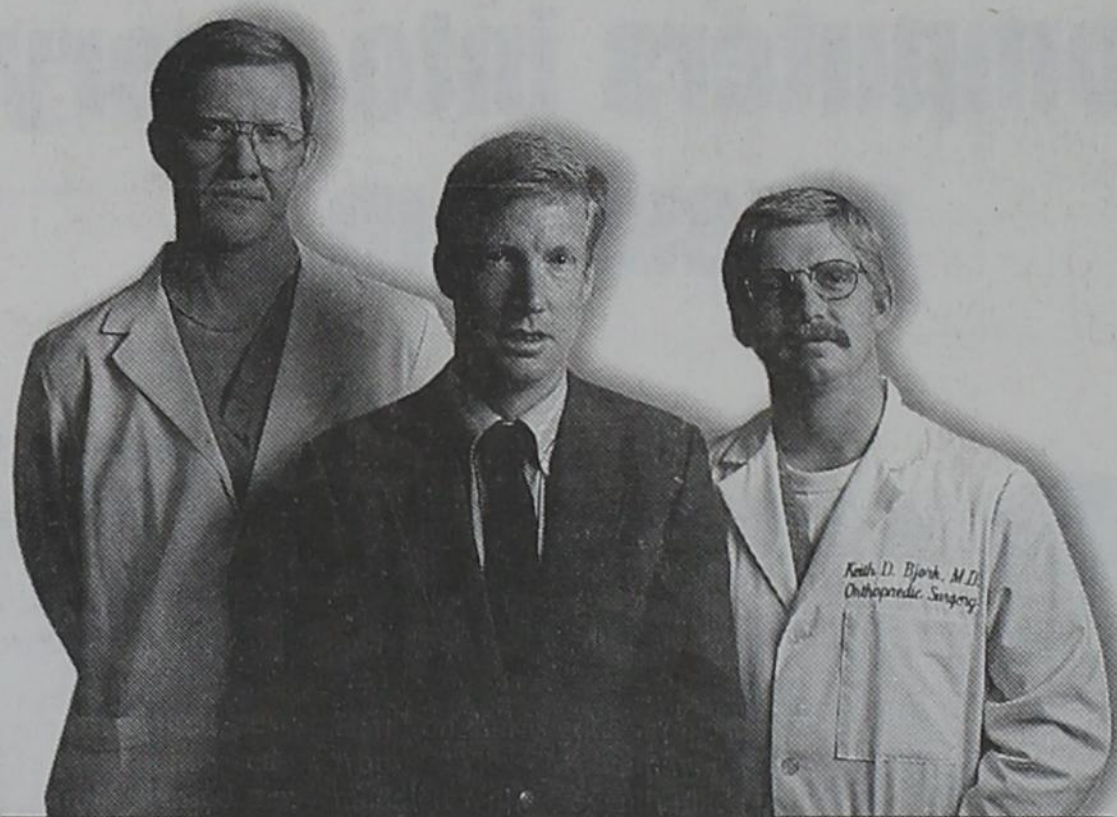
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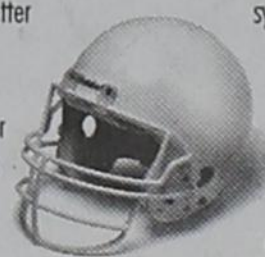
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# Bobcats, Longhorns to battle for survival

Dimmitt and Hart cars, vans and buses will stream west Friday night along Highway 86 into Parmer County, where the Bobcats and Longhorns will battle for survival in district games.

The Bobcats will do it at Friona; the Longhorns will do it at Bovina. With one loss apiece in district play, neither Castro County team can afford another setback in their quest for the playoffs.

Kickoff times for both show-downs will be 7:30.

## Dimmitt at Friona

Not that a Dimmitt-Friona game is ever unimportant for either team, but the longest rivalry going for both teams will mean a lot Friday when the Bobcats travel to meet the Chieftains.

Friona is 6-1, 4-0 in District 1-AAA. Dimmitt is 5-2, 3-1. The game will be for first place in the district, with the winner likely (but not assured of) going to the playoffs.

"One of our goals before the season was to make sure this game will really mean something," said Dimmitt coach Bruce Dollar, who grew up and later coached for another old Friona rival, Farwell. "We've accomplished that, and now we need to go over there, play our best and see what happens."

The best is likely what it will take to beat the Chieftains, whose only loss was in the season's first game to Littlefield.

"I think if Friona were to play Littlefield again, Friona would win," Dollar said. "I also believe that, at this point in the season, we are the best team Friona has played this year."

Friona coach James Morton, who turned down several job offers to stay in Parmer County, welcomed back 15 seniors. Most of his offense is intact from last year's 7-3 squad which squashed the Bobcats by four touchdowns in the ninth game of the 1995 season, also in Friona.

Kyle Grimsley is back at quarter-

back for the veer attack of the Chieftains. Also returning are running backs Andy Kendrick and Shane Blackburn. Friona will try to control the flow of the game with a good ground game, but Grimsley has a good arm and a covey of receivers who can catch the football. The receivers include tight end Quint Ellis, who went out of the Dimmitt-Friona matchup early last year with a knee injury. Ellis is back and can be a big weapon for the Tribe.

Morton also welcomed back much of his line, which has opened gaping holes throughout the year for the runners. The top linemen include tackles Charlie Milner (6-4, 270) and Landon Wiseman (6-0, 240) and center Juan Santiago (5-9, 190).

Santiago may be even more valuable on defense, where he returns at linebacker in the 4-3 set. He's one of nine starters returning. The entire secondary, including Kendrick, Blackburn, David Shelby and Angel Vega.

Fidel Rodriguez and Daniel

Cuevas are back at linebacker, while Hugo Santiago, Ellis and Cecil Cooper return in the line.

"We came through the game last week in really good shape, and I think we will have a good week of maintaining our focus and getting ready to play Friona," Dollar said.

## Hart at Bovina

Hart will be playing one of its biggest games of the 1996 football season Friday night.

The winner of Friday night's District 3-AA showdown between Hart and Bovina won't be assured of advancing to post-season play, but the winner will be headed in the right direction. Action in the game will get underway at 7:30 p.m.

Hart evened its district mark to 1-1 Friday with a big win over Olton. Bovina dropped to 1-1 Friday after losing to undefeated Lockney, the same district foe Hart lost to two weeks ago.

Bovina fields an experienced squad that is enjoying moderate success this year after suffering through several dismal seasons, including a 1-9 performance a year ago. The Mustangs are 5-2 overall this season headed into Friday night's game, and have outscored opponents 223-135.

Bovina returns starters at every position this season, and the biggest offensive threat Hart must contain is quarterback Tony Beauchamp, (6-0, 165) who completed 50% of his passes for 110 yards and a touchdown against Lockney. He also ran in a two-point conversion. Joining Beauchamp in the Mustangs' Wing-T offense are fullback Joe Villarreal (5-9, 160), tailback Albert Larrea (5-10, 165) and split end Francisco Neito (6-2, 210). Among Beauchamp's leading receivers is Luke Steele, who caught a 20-yard touchdown pass Friday night.

Offensive linemen include Lupe

Rivera (5-9, 250) and Santiago Serna (5-10, 185) at tackles, Derrick Sadler (5-10, 255) at center and Pablo Martinez (5-11, 175) and George Villarreal (5-8, 150) at guards.

On the other side of the ball, Bovina defends with a 5-2 lineup and Beauchamp is a cornerback, Joe Villarreal is linebacker, Albert Larrea is rover, Robert Perez is noseguard and Nieto and Martinez are defensive ends. Steele returns to end while Juan Martinez (5-9, 170) and Hector Larrea (5-9, 185) are tackles.

## Motley County at Nazareth

The Nazareth Swifts are hungry for a victory after going without for three weeks.

That could spell trouble for the struggling Motley County Matadors.

The Swifts will host the Matadors Friday night in a District 2-A game at Swift Field. Kickoff will be 7:30 p.m.

After starting off the season 4-0, the Swifts have suffered three straight losses to three state ranked teams—Kress, Sudan and Springlake-Earth. Unfortunately for Nazareth, all three of those teams are district opponents.

Motley County is 2-5 on the year and one of their victories came over Valley, 28-20, in district. The Matadors have managed to put just 74 points on the board this season and have allowed 233.

Motley County likes to throw the football, and that has forced Naza-

areth Coach Rick Price to make some defensive adjustments for this week's game.

"We'll change our defense up and go with five secondary guys," Price said. "They run a single back set with four receivers and no huddle. They get to the line and go."

Price hopes one of his secondary standouts, Nathan Hoelting, will be ready for action Friday. Hoelting, also the Swifts' quarterback, was injured two weeks ago against Sudan and didn't play last week against Springlake-Earth. Price said he hopes Hoelting will be ready, at least for defense, this week.

Although the Matadors do run the ball, Price said run and pass plays are about 50-50.

"They've got a lot of different sets. They like to get you to back off of receivers, then hit that guy with a pass. Their running back, Aaron Binder (5-10, 155), also is a threat. He runs hard," Price said.

Sophomore quarterback Keane Cruse (6-1, 155) directs the Matadors' offensive attack and one of his favorite receivers is Tyler Decker (5-10, 145).

The line features Quinton Brandon (5-6, 200), Kyle Brandon (6-4, 205) and Joe Mangram (6-2, 220).

The Matadors like the Split-6 on defense and they "pretty well stick to that," according to Price.

"They have stacked the outside linebackers behind the ends and run stunts, or they may take the middle linebacker and line him up over center," he said. "In the secondary, they go with a zone coverage."

The Brandons and Mangram anchor the defensive front and Dayton Grundy (5-10, 145) is one of the linebackers.

## Chili supper set in Friona

The Friona sophomore class will sponsor a chili supper Friday prior to the Friona-Dimmitt game.

The meal will be served from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the Friona High School cafeteria.

Tickets will be \$4 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

## NACCCA schedules reunion

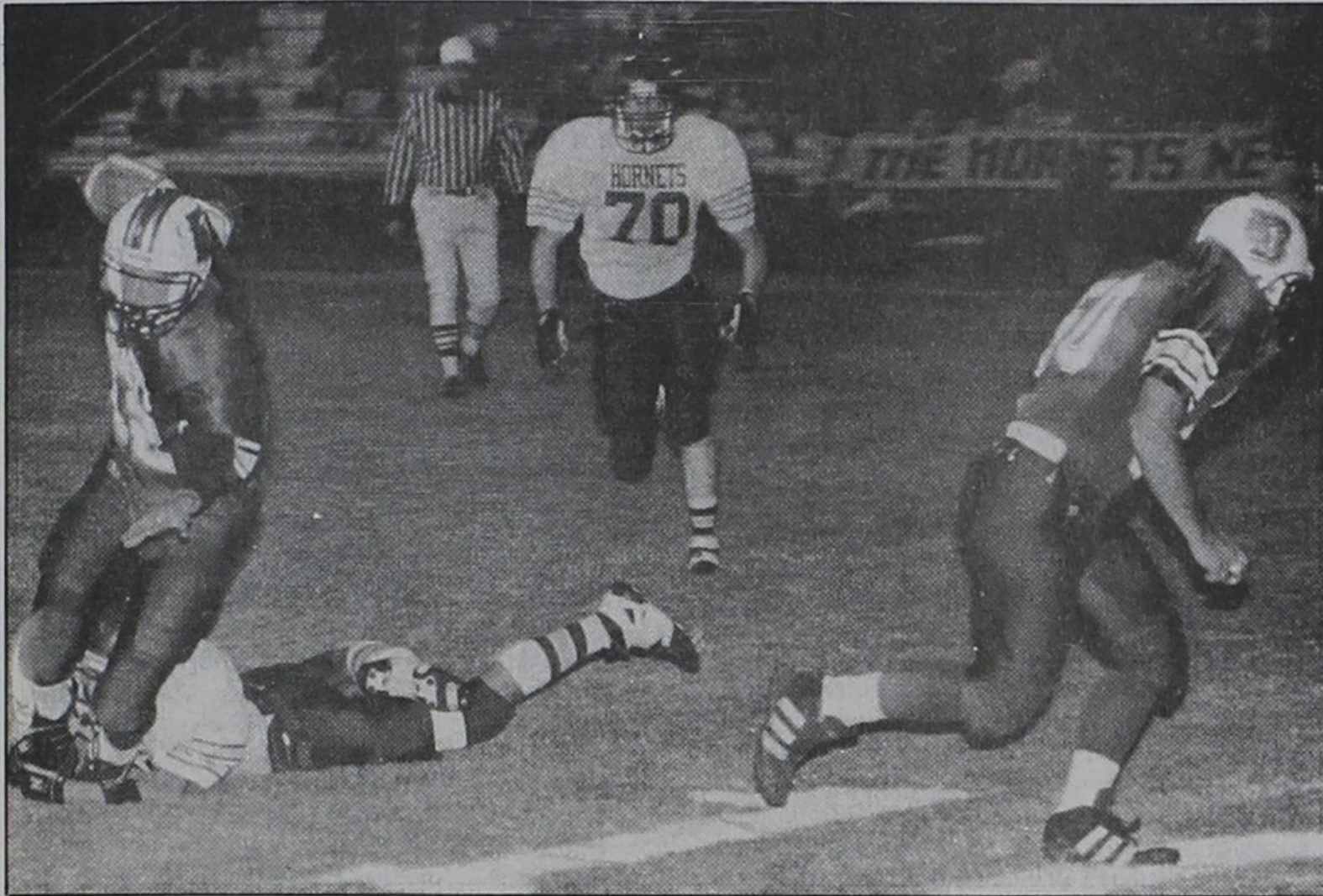
The National Association of Civilian Conservation Corps Alumni will hold its ninth annual reunion Saturday and Sunday at Lake Brownwood State Park at Brownwood.

The Civilian Conservation Corps served from 1933 to 1942. Approximately 3 million young men enrolled during the years of the program. The workers received a dollar a day, but most of the money was sent to their families, while the youths were given \$5 to \$8 per month.

Work performed by the corps members included building of parks, soil erosion control measures, roads, bridges and planting of trees.

The president of the alumni association of the CCC recently spearheaded a petition drive to bring back the CCC Camps.

Further information on the reunion can be obtained by contacting William McDonald at 512-453-1291 or Curtis Greer at 817-534-9793.



BY THE SHOELACES — Dimmitt runningback Zack Matthews (12) is tripped up by a shoelace tackle after catching a screen pass on third-and-goal at the Tulia 10-yard line in the third quarter of Friday night's District 1-AAA game here. At

right, Dimmitt's Luis Nino (50) goes after a defender while Tulia's Will Wheeler pursues. On the following play, Serge Linskyi kicked a 27-yard field goal to give the Bobcats a 16-3 lead with 4:42 remaining in the third. Dimmitt won it, 16-10.

Photo by Carter Townsend

## Freshman Cats blank Tulia, 28-0

Dimmitt freshmen enjoyed two big offensive quarters and a solid defense the entire game to shut out the Tulia Hornets, 28-0, in a district meeting last Thursday.

Dimmitt started off slow, losing three fumbles in a flat first quarter offensive effort.

But once the Bobcats got on track it didn't take long for them to blow the game open.

Daniel Flores scored on runs of 30 and 25 yards in the second stanza to put the Bobcats up 12-0 at halftime. Both extra point attempts failed.

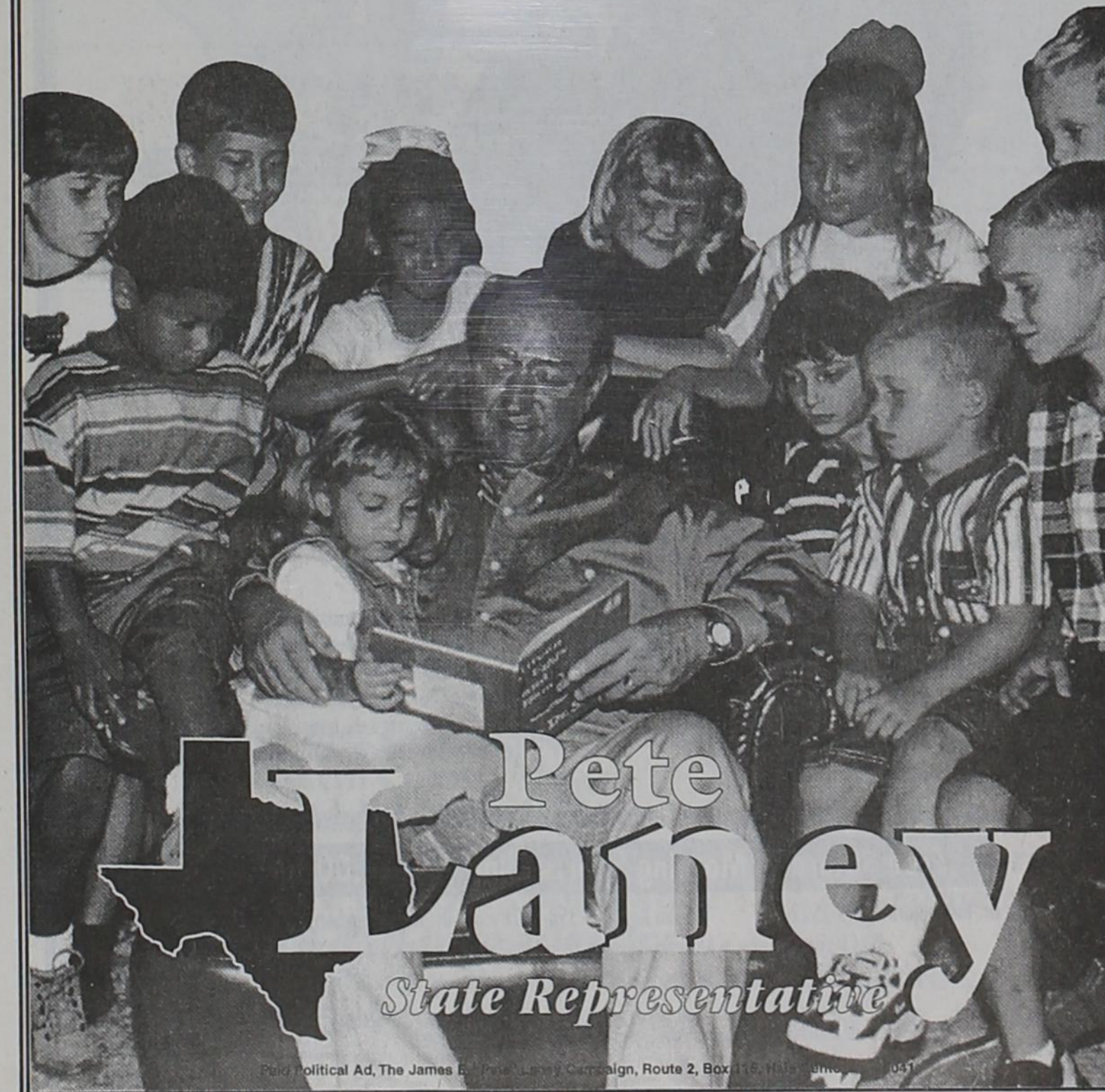
In the third quarter Justin Sutton broke for a 4-yard touchdown run and picked up the ensuing two-point conversion and Dimmitt was on top by a commanding 20-0 lead.

Later in the third Randy Porter barreled in from two yards out and Sutton found Taylor Matthews in the end zone for a two-point conversion pass to make it 28-0.

Flores and Porter were recognized by coaches for their "great games at running back," and Armondo Castaneda received mention for his work on the offensive line.

Coaches also credited the Bobcats' defense for causing several turnovers. Frederick Traylor intercepted a pass. Ruben Lopez made the "big hit" of the game, according to coaches.

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Daniel L. Matthews, son of Debbie and Jackie D. Matthews of Dimmitt, has joined the US Army under the Delayed Enlistment program at the US Army Recruiting Station in Amarillo.

A 1996 graduate of Dimmitt High School, Matthews reported to Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, Mo., on Oct. 8 for military basic training.

The Delayed Enlistment Program gives young men or women the opportunity to delay enlistment into the Army for up to one year before reporting to basic training.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and become eligible to receive as much as \$30,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career specialty.

Army Pvt. Claudia D. Medrano has entered basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. She is a 1996 graduate of Dimmitt High School and the daughter of Juana M. Corbet of Hereford and Bartolome M. Medrano of Dimmitt.

During the eight weeks of training, the soldiers will study the Army mission and will receive instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, Army history and traditions, and special training in human relations.

Army Pvt. Harlan W. Dizmang has graduated from basic military training at Fort Leonard Wood. He is a 1996 graduate of Canton High School and is the son of Gayle D. Dizmang of Dimmitt and Harlan E. Dizmang of Plainview.

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 better feel for what it is like to live under the laws they pass," Thornberry said.

Thornberry said the Republican Congress kept its promise to bring 10 key issues to a vote within the first 100 days of the beginning of the session.

One of the most significant pieces of legislation this term, according to Thornberry, was the welfare reform bill. He said it established that welfare is not an entitlement and sets limits on how long a person can receive welfare. It also makes provision for recipients to work for their benefits.

He said the reform bill is designed to help people get out of the dependency that had been fostered under the old welfare programs.

Other legislation from the current session Thornberry pointed to included illegal immigration reforms; an adoption fee credit on income taxes; limitations on the number of

attempts to cut down on frivolous lawsuits filed by prisoners.

Some things that disappointed Thornberry were the failure of the tax cut proposal and the Medicare reform bill. He said if Medicare continues at the rate it is going, it will be bankrupt by the year 2001.

He has proposed legislation to stop automatic pay raises for congressmen and to limit their pensions. He also supports legislation that would encourage less dependence on foreign energy sources, such as oil, etc.

Thornberry said that even though term limits failed in the last session, that will be one of the first things brought before the new session of the legislature. He said it would be a step toward putting trust back into government.

Also, he said he favors campaign reform legislation that would require politicians seeking election to get at least half of the money they spend on

campaigns from their home district, rather than from lobbyists in Washington.

In response to a question, Thornberry said he voted against increasing the minimum wage.

He said every time minimum wage goes up, unemployment goes up, particularly among minority, economically disadvantaged urban kids.

Thornberry said a spokesman from Amarillo College told him that they have had to cut the number of students on the work-study programs, because the higher wage rate cuts more into the available money.

Thornberry gave an example of efforts to cut waste in the current session of the legislature.

He said Congress had been receiving delivery of buckets of ice for

each Congressman's office—two buckets each morning and two buckets each evening, despite the fact that each office now has its own refrigerator.

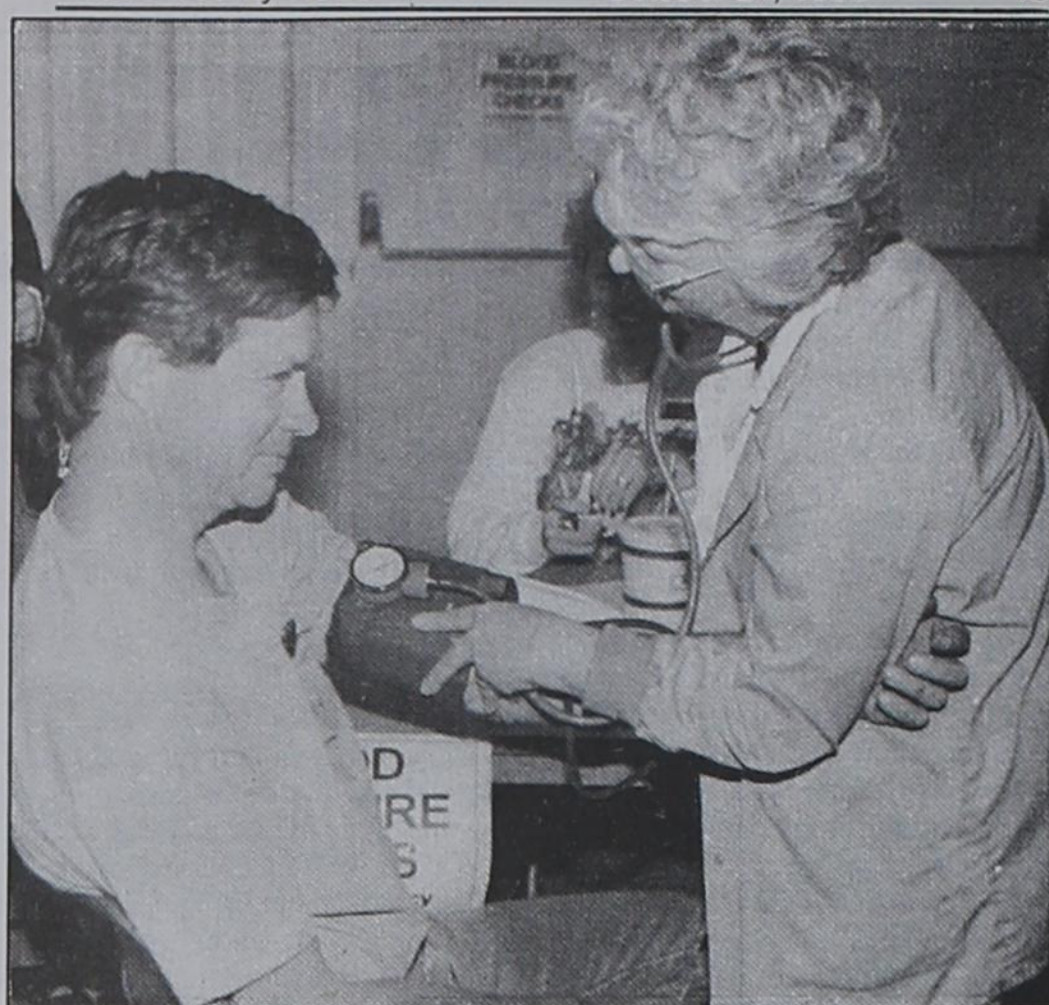
He said the cost of the deliveries was estimated at \$500,000 per year.

"Some said that wasn't enough to worry about," Thornberry said. "I think that statement shows something about the 'Washington mentality'."

Thornberry said the subsidized haircuts and shoeshines for legislators have been eliminated, too, along with the ice deliveries.

"A lot of 'little' things do add up, but there is still a lot left to do," Thornberry said.

"If you don't get out and exercise your vote, then someone else will be making the decisions for you. Every vote does count," he concluded.



**THIS WON'T HURT A BIT**—Mary Braddock, a nurse's aide with Plains Memorial Hospital Home Health, takes Darrell Buckley's blood pressure at the Health Fair held in Dimmitt Oct. 16 at the Expo building. The fair, sponsored by the Castro County Hospital District, "had a real good turnout," according to Linda Rasor, R.N. She said 350 people got flu shots, 221 had their blood pressure checked, and 148 had blood sugar and cholesterol testing. There were 12 booths at the fair, which was open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
 Photo by Linda Maxwell

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 watching the debate on most of the other channels.

Is this an exciting presidential campaign, or what?

◆  
 If you read nothing else in this issue, read Wayne Collins' tribute to Frank Wise among the letters to the editor on Page 2. And thank God that we had this man among us.

Frank was a man of many accomplishments. Yet his characteristics that have been cited the most since his death Sunday morning were that he never cursed, and that he always looked for something good in everybody and pointed it out.

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◆  
 A coffee mug on Paul Wayland's desk at the Dimmitt Agri-Industries Fertilizer Center proclaims:

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Paul's daughter, Paula, gave it to

him when he moved here from Minnesota.

But the mug that Paul is proudest of is a cobalt-blue one with the seal of the President embossed on it in gold. It's a souvenir from Air Force One, and was a gift from his son-in-law, who supervised the wiring installation on the presidential Boeing 747.

I toured the Boeing plant in Seattle when they were building the first 727s, and was amazed at the amount of wiring and tubing that ran through the walls of that "little" plane.

Paul said that the technology built into the huge Air Force One staggers the imagination. It has literally millions of miles of wiring in it, contains almost 300 telephones, carries enough fuel to go around the world three times, can be refueled in flight, and has the capability of refueling its support fighter planes.



★ **Power Points Football Contest** ★

## Cerestar tekkies strike again

For the second straight week, a tekkie from the Cerestar plant has won the local pot in the Texas Power Points Football Contest.

Milas Cline Jr., 44, of Dimmitt racked up 121 points in the Week 8 contest to outscore almost 80 other local entrants. He wins a \$20 cash prize from the News.

Cline is an instrument technician in Cerestar's maintenance department.

"Hey, that's cool," Cline said when notified that he was the best football picker of the week here. "This was only about my third time to enter. Mainly, I just tried to beat out Debbie Fewell—she's been making it tough on us out here since she won last week."

Fewell is Cerestar's safety, health and environmental coordinator.

Statewide, the race for the \$1,000 weekly cash prize ended in a three-way tie and came down to a four-point difference in the tiebreaker score.

Finalists with 132 points each were Scott Oldenburgh of Burnet, Frank Palmer of Big Spring and Terry Lewis of Millsap.

In the tiebreaker—guessing the total points in the Houston Oilers' game—Oldenburgh guessed 43, Palmer 41 and Lewis 37. There were 36 points scored in the Oilers' game, so the state winner was Lewis, a self-proclaimed "sports fanatic" who works in the manufacturing department of Acme Brick. He entered the contest through the Mineral Wells Index.

Nine weeks still remain in the 1996 contest. If you haven't entered before, don't be bashful—your chances are as good as anybody's. This week's Power Points Football Contest is on Page 8. Try your luck—or skill—and turn in your entry at the News office by 2 p.m. Friday.

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# Nazareth with Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

The 60th annual Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's fall convention was held Friday and Saturday in Tulia. Hosted by St. Williams Church of the Holy Spirit, the conference's theme was "Woman—Instrument of Peace" and President Matilda Baca of Friona presided.

The keynote speaker, Father Ken Keller of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Amarillo, presented an enjoyable program. There were nine "Woman of the Year" nominees recognized with Romilda Friemel of Hereford being selected as winner. She also is the new president of DCCW.

During the afternoon, Bishop Leroy T. Matthiesen of Amarillo was honored with a "This is Your Life" segment, emceed by Chris Albracht of Amarillo. Also recognized were Father John Salazar-Jimenez, the DCCW moderator; Msgr. Francis Smyer of Amarillo, assistant diocesan moderator; and a group of priests from the surrounding area.

Attending from Nazareth were Matilda Anderle, Lucille Drerup, Ethel Schmucker, May Hochstein,

Aurelia Schoenenberger and Virgie Gerber.

Vera Hoelting spent a week in Dimmitt with her mother, Ida Gibson, who recently returned home from the hospital in Amarillo. Ida really enjoyed having Vera with her during her recuperation.

Charley and Bev Hill drove to Wichita Falls for the weekend to visit Traci, Kevin and Anni Scholl. Charley was injured Saturday evening during a hayride and was taken to Wichita Falls General Hospital. She was moved out of intensive care this Monday afternoon. His Room No. is 337. His address is 1800 8th, 76301.

Our sympathy to the family of Denis Huseman, who died after a short illness Sunday evening. Services will be today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at Holy Family Church.

Catherine Huseman (Arnold's wife) is home to recuperate after having surgery at Plains Memorial

Hospital in Dimmitt. She is doing well.

Bob and Linda Kendrick of Desoto spent the weekend here with parents, LeRoy and Dorothy Pohlmeier.

Meta Stork is patient at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She is doing well with treatment.

Lillian Carson is home from the hospital to recuperate. Her daughter, Anita of Denver, Colo., is here with her. She is doing well.

Carl and Mary Kleman spent last weekend with Esther Braddock and her family in McKinney. On Saturday they met Jim, Bobbie and Robby Schmucker in Stephenville to watch Michael Schmucker play football with West Texas A&M University.

Carl and Mary went on to Austin for an insurance agents' computer update class with Hochheim Prairie Insurance.

Many relatives attended the beautiful wedding of Carol and Marvin Hoelting's daughter, Jill, to Don Carpenter in Holy Trinity Church in Westminster, Colo., on Saturday.

Special guests from Nazareth were the bride's grandparents, Greg and Christina Hoelting. Also present were Mary Lou and Natalie Schmucker, LaDawn Schulte, Gilbert and Dolly Schulte, Floyd and Dorothy Schulte, Cecil and Norita Hoelting, Vincent and Toby Gerber, Marty Gerber, Joan and Denia Durbin, Edith, Kendra and Carl Huseman, Sharon Hampton, Keith, Karleen, Mandy, Brett and Kyle Hoelting, Doyle, Rosie, Shane and Holly Kleman, Leroy and Jenny Schulte, Betty and Francis Wilhelm, Dianne Wilhelm, Martha and Darlene Schulte and Raelene Hoelting.

Dana and Anthony Johnston, Gwen Schmucker, Kim Huseman and Leland Hoelting of Amarillo, Johnny and Kim Schmucker of Dumas and Chris Kleman of Lubbock also attended.

The Schulte gang enjoyed visiting with relatives including Claude, Loretta, Frances and Freida Schulte, who came from Hartington, Neb., to attend the wedding.



I CAN'T DECIDE WHAT TO GET—Valerie Martinez talks with her dad, Rudy Martinez, about the books on display at Parents' Night at the Book Fair, being held this week at Dimmitt Middle School. Parents' Night was held in conjunction with the school's Open House Monday night.

Photo by Linda Maxwell



## We Salute

# Joe Carver, R.Ph.

for his 31 years of service with Plains Memorial Hospital

A native of Swisher County, Joe graduated in 1949 from the University of Texas School of Pharmacy in Austin, and has been a Registered Pharmacist for more than 46 years.

He came to Dimmitt in 1963, when he opened Carver Pharmacy, which he sold to Garland Coleman in 1977. Since 1977 he has devoted full time to consulting. He has been the consulting pharmacist for Plains Memorial's Pharmacy Department

for 31 years.

Also working in the pharmacy department are Brenda Seely, LVN, Registered Pharmacy Technician, and Wanda Murdock and Rae Casey, Pharmacy Technicians.

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## National Hospital Pharmacy Week

Oct. 20-26, 1996

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# DMS honor students named

Dimmitt Middle School students were honored for top achievements in several subjects and for making the "A" and "A-B" honor rolls during the first grading period.

Seventh graders recognized as top students include Chris Reynolds in English; Ryan Hays and Kelsey Welch in history; Jeremy Bishop, Gabriel Garcia, Tanner Self, Sally Stahl and Cliff Wright in pre-algebra; Isela Loeza in math 76; Miguel Neri in math 87; Welch in band and reading; Thomas Brockman in science; Benny Pompa in Industrial Arts; Bishop in mechanics; Melissa Maldonado in food production; Dorothy Gil in choir; Sharla Kenworthy in life management skills; Lyndee Behrends in computer and Welch and Wright in health.

Eighth grade honor students are Rachal Harman, English; Jaime Rios and Lori Schulte, history; Stephanie Casas, algebra; Eric Enriquez, pre-algebra; Josh Hardwick, reading; Schulte, Wesley Harkins, Hardwick and Harman, science; Laura Gil and Casas, computer; Alex Ontiveros, Industrial Arts; Corey Lane, mechanics; Gil, food production; Harman, band; Lupe Fierro, choir; Lillian Stewart and Ernesto Olmos, health; Casas, life management skills; and Hardwick and Gina Arredondo, Spanish.

Students earning mention to the first nine weeks honor rolls include:

### FOURTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll:** Kayla Acker, Lilia Aguilar, Jorge Alvarado, Corrie Black, Raynee Bradley, Shelley Paxton, Carlos Cruz, Lori Garza, Holly Gilliam, Matthew Larra, Megan Lemons, Nyssa Martinez,

Kristin McClure, Callen Mixson, Maribel Montiel, Layne Penney, Nallely Reyes, Ignacio Sifuentes, Yvonne Sifuentes and Salud Zepeda.

**A-B Honor Roll:** Jesus Alvarado, Jared Bell, Steven Caballero, Christopher Casas, Jaime Cavazos, Kelvin Clark, Cody Clayton, Angelica Covarrubia, Jessica Delgado, Carlos Escamilla, Ruby Espinosa, Apolonia Flores, Marisol Fuentes, Andres Garcia, Estella Garcia, Amber Heard, Antonio Lopez, Rosa Marrufo, Ryan Miller, Viktorya Navarro, Jose Ontiveros, Susana Ornelas, Omar Pena, Rigo Presas, Kelly Reyes, Maribel Rivera, Charley Saenz, Rodolpho Salinas, Roy Sanchez, Stuart Sheffy, Felisha Starling, Alejandra Velasquez, Natasha Williams and Adam Zambrano.

### FIFTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll:** Erica Abrego, Caleb Dickerson, Sheena Ehly, Alicia Heard, Todd Jansa, Shayla Kenworthy, Angelica Lara, Amy Laurent, Katy Louder, Tyler Myatt, Kami Sanders, Matthew Sanders and Shantell Self.

**A-B Honor Roll:** Delia Arredondo, Cynthia Barrera, Christina Campos, Samuel Cavazos, Nicky Gauna, Lizbeth Gonzalez, Christy Hernandez, Maria Ibarra, Tabitha Laurent, Chris Lindsey, Kayla Luna, Kendra Martinez, Mindy Maxwell, Reynaldo Medrano, Justina Navarro, Shae Odom, Kimberly Paz, Marcella Salinas, Lisa Sears, Edna Stewart, Chrisanta Trotter, Adam Wright and Anthony Zambrano.

### SIXTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll:** Jaelyn Bishop, Caitlin Buckley, Jaci Hardwick, Ashley Irons, Natalie Jimenez,

Valerie Martinez, Melissa Rueda and Heather Sniker.

**A-B Honor Roll:** Amber Bell, Elizabeth Cartwright, Juan Diaz, Keenon Doss, Dalton Fisher, Isabel Garcia, Brett Grogan, Ray Lopez, Jill Merritt, Ricardo Ramirez, Ramey Rice, Leticia Rodriguez, Roxie Saenz, Jenna Steine, Jody Stovall, April Torres and Colby Williams.

### SEVENTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll:** Lyndee Behrends, Jeremy Bishop, Thomas Brockman, Ryan Hays, Brent Josselet, Alexis Proffitt, Chris Reynolds, Tanner Self, Kelsey Welch and Cliff Wright.

**A-B Honor Roll:** Deacon Buckley, Albert Campos, Angela Cartwright, Jennifer Fuentes, Gabriel Garcia, Jose Garcia, Dana Gonzales, Adam Guzman, Sharla Kenworthy, Jake Laurent, Kody Laurent, Melissa Maldonado, Saul Medrano, Charley Nutt, Rae Odom, Biane Saucedo, Sally Stahl, Omar Torres, Jace Weaver and Matthew Wright.

### EIGHTH GRADE

**A Honor Roll:** Stephanie Casas, Joshua Hardwick, Daniel Proffitt and Lori Schulte.

**A-B Honor Roll:** Georgina Arredondo, Buddy Birdwell, Heather Black, Mary Bradley, Casandra Casas, Salvador Diaz, Eric Enriquez, Guadalupe Fierro, Jeremy Furr, David Garcia, Laura Gil, Olga Gonzales, Rachal Harman, Lyndsey Heard, Cynthia Hernandez, B.J. Hill, Alissa Jackson, Emanuel Jaramillo, Marcus Larra, Cherie Norman, Ernesto Olmos, Isaias Olmos, Alejandro Ontiveros, Debbie Peralez, Carmen Pineda, Jamie Rios, Amanda Rodriguez, Cynthia Rodriguez, Ben Ruiz, Leticia Sanchez, Lillian Stewart, Jade Vick and Kylie Webb.

## What's cooking? In Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth Schools

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for Oct. 24 to Nov. 1.

### DIMMITT

**Preschool-First Grade Lunch**  
**THURSDAY:** Nachos with cheese and peppers, Mexipinto beans, cantaloupe and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Fish nuggets, baked potatoes, fruit fantasy and milk.

**MONDAY:** Barbecued beef on a bun, potato salad, watermelon and milk.

**TUESDAY:** Poor boy steak, parsley green rice, cantaloupe, hot cheese rolls and milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Cheeseburger on a roll, potato rounds, tossed salad with dressing and milk.

**THURSDAY:** Beef enchiladas, refried beans, Arroz Mexicano and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Fish burger, onion rings, fruited gelatin and milk.

### Grades 2-12 Lunch

**THURSDAY:** Choice of beef stir fry, grilled chopped steak or nachos with cheese and peppers; Chinese-style vegetables, lyonnaise carrots or Mexipinto beans; tossed salad with dressing, taco condiment salad, cantaloupe or plums; assorted muffins, hot cheese rolls, Arroz Mexicano, flour tortilla or crackers; and chocolate, lowfat or skim milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of fish nuggets, Chinese plate or enchiladas; baked potatoes, tomato and okra gumbo or refried beans; tossed salad with dressing, taco condiment salad, fruited gelatin or broccoli and cauliflower salad; assorted muffins, hot wheat rolls, Arroz Mexicano, tortilla chips or crackers; and chocolate, lowfat or skim milk.

**MONDAY:** Choice of barbecued beef on a bun, lasagna with ground beef or taco pie; potato salad, creole green beans or Mexipinto beans; tossed salad with dressing, taco condiment salad or coleslaw; garlic bread, white rolls, Arroz Mexicano, tortilla chips or crackers; and lowfat, chocolate or skim milk.

**TUESDAY:** Choice of poor boy steak, chef's salad or monterrey casserole; parsley green rice, cantaloupe or refried beans; tossed salad with dressing, taco condiment salad, watermelon or cucumber and tomato salad; assorted muffins, cheese rolls, Arroz Mexicano, flour tortilla or crackers; and chocolate, lowfat or skim milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Choice of salmon patties, cheeseburger on a roll or chicken taco with hot sauce; savory peas, potato rounds or

Mexipinto beans; tossed salad with dressing, waldorf fruit salad, taco condiment salad or pea salad; assorted muffins, hot wheat rolls, Arroz Mexicano, flour tortilla or crackers; and chocolate, lowfat or skim milk.

**THURSDAY:** Choice of shepherd's pie, chicken tomato bake or beef enchiladas; southern collard greens, scalloped tomatoes or refried beans; taco condiment salad, macaroni salad or pears; cornbread, hot rolls, Arroz Mexicano, tortilla chips or crackers; and chocolate, lowfat or skim milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of turkey and dressing, fishburger or fajitas with sauteed onions; candied sweet potatoes, onion rings or Mexipinto beans; tossed salad with dressing, taco condiment salad, fruit fantasy or carrot-raisin salad; cornbread, cheese rolls, Arroz Mexicano, tortilla chips or crackers; and lowfat, skim or chocolate milk.

### HART

#### Elementary School

**THURSDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or chicken fajita; salad, refried beans, gelatin dessert, pineapple, vanilla ice cream, ranch dressing, picante sauce and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of pizza or hamburger basket, macaroni and cheese, dill pickles, gelatin dessert, royal brownies and milk.

**MONDAY:** Choice of steak fingers, pizza or hamburger basket with sauteed potatoes, green beans, salad, gelatin dessert, rolls, fresh fruit and milk.

**TUESDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or beef stew; cornbread, salad, dill pickles, gelatin dessert, ginger cookies, peaches, vanilla ice cream and milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or enchilada casserole; tortilla pieces, salad, gelatin dessert, pineapple, corn, vanilla ice cream and milk.

**THURSDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or fish nuggets; cornbread, gelatin dessert, corn on the cob, peaches, whole wheat sugar cookies, vanilla ice cream, tartar sauce and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket, hot dog on a bun or chili; potato chips, pinto beans, dill pickles, gelatin dessert, fresh fruit, whole wheat sugar cookies and milk.

#### Junior High and High School

**THURSDAY:** Choice of chicken fajitas, pizza or hamburger basket; salad, refried beans, picante sauce, pineapple, ranch dressing, vanilla ice cream and punch, tea or milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of steak, pizza or hamburger basket; salad or baked potato; broc-

coli and cheese, fresh fruit, peanut butter bars, rolls, ranch dressing and picante sauce and tea, milk or punch.

**MONDAY:** Choice of hamburger basket, pizza or chicken strips; rolls, mashed potatoes, green beans, fresh fruit, apricots, carrot sticks, gelatin dessert, vanilla ice cream and milk, punch or tea.

**TUESDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or beef stew; cornbread, salad, dill pickles, gelatin dessert, ginger cookies, peaches, vanilla ice cream and milk, punch or tea.

**WEDNESDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or enchilada casserole, tortilla pieces, salad, gelatin dessert, pineapple, corn, vanilla ice cream and milk.

**THURSDAY:** Choice of pizza, hamburger basket or fish nuggets; cornbread, gelatin dessert, corn on the cob, peaches, peanut butter bars, vanilla ice cream and milk.

**FRIDAY:** Choice of brisquet, baked potato or pinto beans; salad, peaches, Longhorn cookie and milk, punch or tea.

### NAZARETH

**THURSDAY:** \*Chicken or corn dogs, salad, corn, pineapple, peaches and milk.

**FRIDAY:** \*Spaghetti with roll or hamburger and French fries, lettuce, beans, applesauce, fruit and milk.

**MONDAY:** \*Chili dogs or baked potatoes, salad, broccoli, pears, fruit cocktail and milk.

**TUESDAY:** \*Fried chicken and roll or corn dogs, potatoes and gravy, salad, pineapple, pudding and milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** \*Beef stew with cornbread or hamburger and French fries, lettuce, corn, peaches, applesauce and milk.

**THURSDAY:** \*Chalupas or pizza, salad, beans, Halloween cookies, fruit salad and milk.

**FRIDAY:** \*Chicken spaghetti with roll or hamburger and French fries, lettuce, green beans, pineapple, peaches and milk.

## Cake auction is scheduled

Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt will hold their annual cake auction and Thanksgiving dinner Nov. 14.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the residents' activity fund, which is used to buy bingo prizes, Christmas presents, and other items for the residents.

The meal of turkey and all the trimmings, which is served free of charge to the residents and their family members, will begin at 5 p.m.

The auction will start at 6:30 p.m., with Jack Howell serving as auctioneer. The public is invited to come out and bid on the cakes.

"We always have a lot of fun and some very delicious cakes," a spokesperson said.

Those wanting to donate a cake may drop it by the home or bring it with them to the auction.

Contact Deborah Robertson at 647-3117 for more information.

## SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

If you reside in Precinct 4 of Castro County, please take time to complete the write-in portion of your ballot:

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# Third grade honors are listed

Third graders at Dimmitt's Richardson Elementary School were honored recently for awards from the first nine-week grading period. Those honored are listed by their classroom teacher.

**Bain**  
HONOR ROLL: Sergio Cuevas, Ross Hunter, Sean Hunter, Bryan Hall, Laura Rasor, Brittany Williams, Desiree Sanchez.

BEST WORKERS: Ross Hunter, Williams.

BEST CITIZENS: Stephanie Enriquez, Ross Hunter, Sean Hunter, Rasor.

**Axtell**  
HONOR ROLL: Tucker Self, Kristy Reyes, Fabian Diaz, Kathy Amador.

BEST CITIZENS: Reyes, Amador.

HARDEST WORKERS: Chris Velasquez, Julian Ortiz, Jennifer Montes.

**Upshaw**  
HONOR ROLL: Garrett Behrends, Clarissa Herrera, Daniel Jackson, Sarah Lopez, Ryan Hunter.

GOOD CITIZENSHIP: Jackson, Yvette Ellis, Marisa Allison.

HARDEST WORKERS: Jackson, Ellis.

**Koch**  
HONOR ROLL: Hayli Wise, Nicholas Ortiz, Kendra Puente Shelley York, Mandi Ebeling, Darcy Fisher, Bo Sifuntez, Vincent Casas, Aaron Herrera, Monica Dozal.

BEST CITIZENS: Fisher, Wise.

HARDEST WORKERS: Ortiz, Puente, York.

**Merritt**  
HONOR ROLL: Vanessa Cabalero, Billy Dollar, Jennifer Fuentes, Jonathan Flores, Haley Heard, Ashlee Nino, Kimberly Saenz, Sergio Saucedo, Shenea Wright.

CITIZENSHIP: Fuentes, Heard, Nino.

HARDEST WORKERS: Jordan Bell, Josue Chavez.

**Stanton/Sepeda**  
HONOR ROLL: Sergio Ontiveros, Maria Quintana.

CITIZENSHIP: Faviola Favela, Quintana, Alejandra Silva.

HARDEST WORKERS: Angelica Reyes, Kelly Ruiz.



TAKING THE PLEDGE—Those attending the Red Ribbon Week kick-off ceremony Sunday afternoon at the gazebo in Dimmitt are signing a poster showing their support for the pledge to be drug free. Those signing are (from left) Rev. Frank Travis, Joshua Hardwick and Debbie Annen, as others wait their turn. An estimated crowd of more than 130 attended. Photo by Linda Maxwell

# Federal credit activity in county increased 36% for fiscal 1995

By T.P. CRUMP  
Federal credit activity in the form of direct federal loans, federally guaranteed loans, and liabilities under federal insurance programs increased very sharply in Castro County from fiscal 1994 to fiscal 1995.

According to the Department of Commerce, total federal financial activity in Castro County had grown from \$26,828,000 during fiscal 1994 to \$36,486,000 during fiscal 1995 or by 36.0%. Federal credit activity has a definite impact on the local economy.

These sums were not included in any totals of direct federal expenditures in Castro County. However, they were equal to 107.5% of total direct federal spending during fiscal 1995.

Nationally, federal loans and guaranteed loans and liabilities under federal insurance programs amounted to \$487.2 billion during fiscal year 1995. Federal credit activity was equal to 35.6% of total direct federal spending during this same period. These had increased by 4.2% from \$467.7 billion during fiscal 1994.

Federal loans and federally guaranteed loans and liabilities insured by federal insurance programs in Texas were \$34.9 billion during the period or equal to 42.5% of total direct federal expenditures in the state during fiscal 1995. These had declined by 4.4% from \$36.6 billion during fiscal 1994.

The federal government provides a source of credit for almost every sector of the economy according to the Office of Management and Budget. Those borrowing money through the federal government include students, homeowners, small businesses, utilities, exporters, and state and local governments among others.

During fiscal 1995, total direct loans made by the federal government amounted to \$25.9 billion while federally guaranteed loans and federal insurance liabilities were \$461.2 billion. Direct federal loans in Castro county were \$7,718,000 during fiscal 1995 while federally guaranteed loans and

federal insurance liabilities were \$28,768,000 during that year.

Direct federal lending in Castro County had declined by 16.0% from \$9,193,000 during fiscal 1994 while federally guaranteed loans and insurance liabilities had increased very sharply by 63.1% from \$17,635,000 during fiscal 1994.

Direct federal loans in Texas had increased by 20.6% from \$855,008,000 during fiscal 1994 to \$1,031,050,000 by fiscal 1995 while federally guaranteed loans and insurance liabilities had declined by 5.0% from \$34.7 billion during fiscal 1994 to \$33.9 billion during fiscal 1995.

The national total of federal credit activity was not substantially greater during fiscal 1995 than it had been in fiscal 1994. At the same time there were significant fluctuations in the level of federal loans and guarantees. Changes in local and national levels of federal credit activity are often strikingly different, sometimes even more so than differences in local and national economic conditions.

Most federal disaster relief programs are funded through direct loans and guaranteed loans. Additionally, many federal insurance programs are specifically designed to insure against natural disasters. Federal financial activity whether direct or indirect is clearly responsible for a significant amount of economic activity nationally, in Texas, and in Castro County.

Some of the better known direct federal loan programs include commodity loans to support farm prices, rural housing loans through the Farmer's Home Administration, and housing loans for the elderly and handicapped. These programs accounted for \$13.5 billion or 52.0% of all direct federal loans during fiscal 1995. Direct student loans amounting to \$5.2 billion during fiscal 1995 accounted for another 20.1% of direct federal lending.

However, federally guaranteed or insured loans and federal insurance programs are responsible for the overwhelming majority of federal financial activity. These programs do not necessarily involve any outright federal expenditures. Instead, the

federal government agrees to guarantee payment of these loans in the event that the borrowers fails to repay them.

In the case of federal insurance programs, the federal government provides a direct guarantee against loss. Total federal guarantees of this type amounted to \$359.6 billion during fiscal 1995 up by 22.7% from \$293.1 billion during fiscal 1994.

Federal flood insurance guarantees were \$325.8 billion during fiscal 1995 having increased by 18.5% from \$275 billion during fiscal 1994. The Federal Flood insurance program accounts for 90.6% of direct federal insurance guarantees.

The total volume of loans guaranteed by the federal government was \$101.7 billion during fiscal 1995 down very sharply by 36.0% from \$159.0 billion during fiscal 1994. Federal guaranteed loan programs include mortgage insurance for homes, various veterans loan programs, guaranteed student loans, Small Business Administration loans, Farmers Home Administration loans and Rural Electrification and Telephone loans.

Federally guaranteed mortgages for homes declined even more sharply by 54.9% from \$92.7 billion during fiscal 1994 to \$41.8 billion during fiscal 1995. Veterans' home loan guarantees also fell sharply by 51.9% nearly from \$18.3 billion during fiscal 1994 to \$8.4 billion during fiscal 1995. Guaranteed student loans declined by 10.8% from \$23.1 billion during fiscal 1994 to \$20.6 billion during fiscal 1995, while Small Business Administration loans increased very sharply by 65.1% from \$6.3 billion during fiscal 1994 to \$10.4 billion during fiscal 1995.

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# Sunnyside with Teeny Bowden

Branpon Byers brought in the first bale of cotton to the Sunnyside Gin Company on Monday. Others followed and over 100 bales were ginned last week. Harvest looks good so far.

Sugar beet harvest also has started in the community. The Gilbreaths started this week.

Jack and Heather Bradley moved from the Gilbreath place to Dimmitt this week.

Rev. Bennie and Joyce Wright attended the annual Llanos Altos Associational meeting at Bovina Sunday afternoon and evening as messengers from the Sunnyside Baptist Church.

David and Gay Sadler joined Ezell and Verba Sadler at Hubbard Creek Lake Saturday to help out with a fish fry. Ezell and Verba had planned for those who helped pour concrete at the lake house in recent months.

Glenn and LaWanda Wilson left Oct. 11 for the balloon festival in

Albuquerque. They attended the special shaped balloon show when they arrived, then later attended the regular balloon and balloon glow show.

During the day on Saturday they saw the Navy sky divers, then rode the longest tram-way in the world to Sandia Peak and back. They came home Sunday.

Teeny Bowden visited with Bess and R.V. Bills in their new home in Dimmitt Wednesday morning. Bess and R.V. were back for the church services on Sunday.

Stacy Norman and boys visited with Larry and Sharon Saturday afternoon. After they had gone back to Muleshoe, Tex and Norma Conard came and visited with them for awhile.

It was 30 degrees Friday morning at 5:18 with a frost.

Teeny Bowden talked to Naomi Brown of Hale Center Saturday night. She had been to see Lynn

Brown at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Saturday, and she said his foot is still healing but he has a long hospital stay ahead of him, yet. She is doing well.

Bobby and Betty Sutton and children of El Paso spent the weekend with Billie and Emma Jean King. Emma Jean attended the R.O.W. meeting in Dimmitt last week.

Robert and Frances Duke went to Canyon after church and picked up Sandra and went to Amarillo where he took his aunt, Lucille Gilly, out to dinner. He visited with her for awhile.

Frances Duke went to Lubbock Thursday and Friday to stay with Ashlee and Alyssa. She came home Friday evening.

Hershel Wilson is doing better. He went to church Sunday but did not attend Sunday school.

The Ron Morgans of Muleshoe came Sunday night and brought supper. Others have visited this week.

# Building a Better Dimmitt



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J&H Equipment Co. in Dimmitt is one of the area's leading John Deere dealerships, offering new and used equipment for sale, along with parts and service.

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The shop is able to keep down-times to a minimum for their customers by maintaining an inventory of more than \$750,000-worth of parts, and by having overnight delivery capability for most parts.

"We have even had parts flown in to Amarillo or Lubbock and gone to pick them up as a service to our customers," Cornett said.

The Dimmitt establishment is owned by Joe and Harold Thompson of Abernathy and is a joint operation with the J&H Equipment Co. in Friona. There are 35 full-time employees between the two establishments, with 25 of them here and 10 in Friona. Tad Cornett is the manager of the Friona store, with Don serving as general overseer.

In the Dimmitt store, Mike Cornett and Gerald Summers staff the sales department. Manager of the service department is Cary Acker. He supervises 15 employees, aided by service clerk Daphne

Reed. Parts department manager is Curt Summers, who works with Randy Schilling and Gary Phillips. Bookkeeping personnel include Leta Dennis and Tonya Ethridge.

After building at its present location in 1986, the Dimmitt operation added a combine shop onto its original shop area last year, doubling the space available for working on machinery.

"I don't know of anyone else who has a combine service department like ours," Cornett said. "We work on so many combines, we have to do it all year or we couldn't get through with them all before the next harvest."

The Dimmitt store has been named to the John Deere Manager's Club for 1993, as well as this year. The club consists of the top 20 dealerships in an eight-state area, and Dimmitt is in the top 15 of those. The honor is based on sales volume, parts volume, service and customer satisfaction.

"I hope our business is built on service. Our aim is taking care of these people," Cornett said. "They are the ones who make us what we are."

J&H is a staunch supporter of the community, contributing to club, school and youth organizations and activities. Fittingly, the company sponsored the tractor pull at this year's Harvest Days celebration.



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**NICE**, three bedrooms, 1-1/2 baths, two living areas. Assumable loan. \$48,000.

**OWNER FINANCE** on three bedroom. Needs work inside. \$20,000.

**FARMS**  
**JUST EAST OF SPRINGLAKE**, 148 acres, priced to sell at \$725 per acre. Land and good brick home. \$142,000.

**GOOD FARMS NE OF HART**, three wells. \$900 per acre.

**320 ACRES**, one well, NE of Hart. \$275 per acre.

**800 ACRES**, six wells, NE of Hart, good terms. \$350 per acre.

## GEORGE REAL ESTATE

S. Hwy 385 647-4174

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647-3274

Mary Lou Schumcker.....945-2879  
Reta Welch.....647-5647

**FOR SALE:** Three bedroom, 1-3/4 bath, 720 W. Grant. Call 358-0465. 1-26-4tc

## 3 -- Real Estate For Rent

## 1 -- Real Estate, Homes & Land

### MORRIS REAL ESTATE

C.W. George, Broker

**THREE BEDROOMS**, one bath, kitchen and dining area, hardwood floors, storage building, in great shape. \$30,000.

**REDUCED—RUSKIN CIRCLE—** Three bedrooms, two baths, fireplace, nice size kitchen, closed in patio, large backyard. \$59,000.

**FIVE BEDROOMS**, two baths, extra large kitchen, office, game room, one car garage, cellar inside, carpet through, apartment in back with one bedroom, one bath, large living area, nice kitchen, 3075 total living area. \$55,000.

**SUNSET CIRCLE—**Three bedrooms, two baths with vanity for each room, updated kitchen, living room with fireplace, central heat and air, two car garage, patio. \$70,000.

**LEE STREET—**Extra, extra large living area, three bedrooms, four baths, game room, dining room, fireplace, two car garage, circle drive, basement, 4197 sq. ft. living area. \$145,000.

**DARLING** two bedroom, one bath, one car garage, nice size kitchen, approximately 1300 sq. ft. \$30,000.

**CLEVELAND STREET—**2/2/2, large kitchen, fireplace, sprinkler system, 2248 sq. ft. Could be made into three bedroom. \$82,000.

**HART**  
**THREE BEDROOMS**, 2 baths, kitchen and dining combo, one-car garage, large shop with heat and air, one garage door, concrete floor. Rent house, one bath, kitchen, living room and bedroom combo. \$65,000.

**TWO BEDROOMS**, 1-1/2 baths, hardwood floors, one-car garage, 10x12 cellar, attached beauty shop with all the extras. 1,880 sq. ft. \$50,000.

**FARMS**  
**300 ACRES** close to town, two wells, one quarter mile pivot, perfect cattle farm. \$425/acre.

**160 ACRES** in the Sunnyside area, sprinkler, good water. \$850/acre.

**626 ACRES** west of Dimmitt, six wells. \$350/acre.

**640 ACRES** south of Dimmitt, four wells, four 1/4 mile pivots, all tied together. \$625/acre.

**640 ACRES** in the Bethal area, five wells, one 1/2 mile pivot, one 1/4 mile pivot. \$725/acre.

**106 ACRES** south of Dimmitt on Hwy. 385, one sub, one well, city water available. \$1,000/acre.

**COMMERCIAL**  
**OFFICE SPACE—**1200+ sq. ft., three offices, receptionist area, two bathrooms, coffee bar, easy access to a bank, lots of parking. \$45,000.

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## 3 -- Real Estate For Rent

## 1 -- Real Estate, Homes & Land

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## 3 -- Real Estate For Rent

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## 5 -- For Rent, Misc.

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NEW TV'S, VCR'S & APPLIANCES  
No credit checks.  
KITRELL ELECTRONICS  
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**ROUND BALE HAULING.** Donald Shelton, 647-3558; 647-7568, mobile. 10-31-tfc

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## 11 -- Feed, Seed and Grain

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## 14--Automobiles

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**1990 FORD XLT S/W 1/2 T**  
All equip, 40,000 miles, one owner.

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✓ A Card of Thanks will cost \$7.50.

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- Agricultural services
- Feed, seed and grain for sale
- Farm produce for sale
- Livestock and pets
- Automobiles for sale
- Recreational vehicles
- Auto parts and supplies
- Business opportunities
- Services
- Insurance
- Students seeking work
- Help wanted
- Notices
- Lost and found
- Cards of thanks
- Legal notices

## 14--Automobiles

### Kent's Auto Sales

116 E. Jones St., Dimmitt, TX 79027  
(806) 647-3427 or Night (806) 647-5561  
FAX (806) 647-2810

**1994 Chev. Lumina**, 4-Dr, V-6, loaded, 26,000 miles.

**1993 Chev. Corsica**, 4-Dr, V-6, loaded, 50,000 miles.

**1993 Ford Tempo GL**, 4-Dr, 4 cylinder, AT, PS, PB, AC, 31,000 miles.

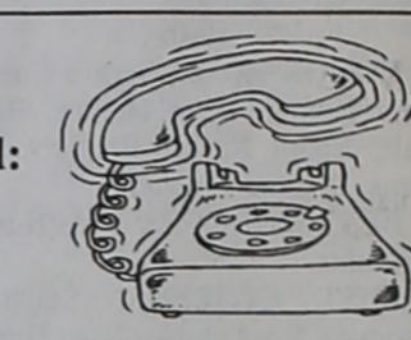
**1990 Dodge D150 1/2 ton Sweptline LB Pickup**, nice, one owner.

**1988 Oldsmobile Delta 88 Brougham**, 4-Dr sedan, V-6, loaded, extra nice.

**1984 Buick LeSabre LTD**, loaded, V-8, 68,000 miles.

**1984 Chevrolet 4-Dr Impala**, V-6, PS, PB, AC, tilt, cruise, 48,000 miles, nice.

**1986 Chev. Celebrity**, 4-Dr, V-6, elec. windows, seats, locks, wire wheel covers, tilt, cruise, local owner.



14. Automobiles for sale  
15. Recreational vehicles  
16. Auto parts and supplies  
17. Business opportunities  
18. Services  
18A. Insurance  
19. Students seeking work  
20. Help wanted  
21. Notices  
22. Lost and found  
24. Cards of thanks  
25. Legal notices

## 17 -- Business Opportunities

**YEAR-ROUND BUSINESS** opportunity. Ruskin Racquet Club in Dimmitt, Texas. Indoor heated swimming pool, sauna, hot tub, weight/exercise room and equipment and tanning bed. Three outdoor lighted tennis courts and playground. All on 2-1/2 acres of land. Interested parties call (806) 647-3633 for appointment. 17-29-1tc

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### REAL ESTATE

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**18- Services**

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Nazareth

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**20-Help Wanted**

TAKING APPLICATIONS for RN, LVN and CNA. Come by Hereford Care Center, 231 Kingwood, Hereford, Texas. 20-12-ttc



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**Play Power Points Football every week in the News**

**Hollis Cain Receives More Support from Folks in the District than his Opponent! Here's Why:**

Hollis Cain has raised more money from more supporters in the district than his opponent.

James E. "Pete" Laney received over 80% of his campaign cash from lawyers, unions and lobbyists outside the district, including \$25,000 from the liberal NEA Texas affiliate.

Laney got more money from out-of-state than from inside the district.



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Hollis Cain Will Work For:

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To Do What Is Right  
For Rural West Texas Families!



**Vote for Hollis Cain for State Representative**

Pol. Ad. by Hollis Cain Campaign, Cathy Hill, Treasurer, P.O. Box 158, Springlake, TX 79082

**21-Wanted, Misc.**

WANTED TO BUY—Siamese twin LP tanks. 647-2621. 21-29-1tc

**22-Notices**

**Political Announcements**

The News has been authorized to list the names of the following candidates for public office in the November general elections. Candidates are listed in alphabetical order. Incumbent office holders are designated by an (I) following their names.

**DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES:**  
For County Tax Assessor/Collector:  
Billy Hackleman (I)

For Commissioner, Pct. 3:  
W.A. (Bay) Baldrige (I)

For County Treasurer:  
Janice Shelton (I)

For County Constable:  
James Dobbs (I)

For Commissioner, Pct. 1:  
Newlon Rowland (I)

For County/District Attorney:  
Jerry Matthews (I)

For County Sheriff:  
CD Fitzgeard (I)

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS, 945-2553. 22-26-5tc

**24-Card of Thanks**

**CARD OF THANKS**

Donald and I would like to express our gratitude to a great community for all the prayers, cards, phone calls, flowers, food, visits and expressions of concern during the past weeks since my accident. Also to all the churches, Pybus Christian School and Marlene and Lydia's Child Care, who put me in their prayers.

We are very appreciative to Dr. Hardee and all the hospital staff for being so caring and helpful to all the family.

Many thanks also to the EMTs, firemen and DPS officers who were at the scene of the accident.

We especially want to thank our family and friends for completing our corn harvest, and for the many things they have done through these weeks of recuperation.

May God bless each and every one of you.

DONALD AND AGNES SCHILLING 24-29-1tc

**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to express our gratitude to everyone for the cards, visits and words of support and encouragement given to both Daddy and ourselves since the loss of our Mother. A special thanks to those who cared for mother on the way to and at the hospital.

We are so thankful to have so many caring friends and family.

THE FAMILY OF ELOUISE DODD 24-29-1tp

**24-Card of Thanks**

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank everyone for prayers, cards, food, calls, gifts and acts of kindness during my illness. We especially want to thank Kelly and B.J. Jones and Kerry George for helping out with the farming. God bless you all.

ROBBIE AND LETA HAWKINS 24-29-1tc

**25-Legal Notices**

LAMB COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

**NOTICE OF NEW LARGE GENERAL SERVICE-PRIMARY VOLTAGE RATE**

Notice is hereby given that Lamb County Electric Cooperative, Inc., (the "Cooperative") intends to offer a rate for three-phase primary (approximately 12,460 volts) phase-to-phase electric service supplied at one point of delivery and measured through one metering point, where facilities of adequate capacity and suitable voltage are available.

This rate is a new rate, and has not been previously offered by the Cooperative.

This rate could increase the total revenues of the Cooperative by approximately \$300,000, however, this amount cannot be accurately estimated, because the extent of usage of this rate by the customers cannot be predicted.

The proposed rate will be effective on Jan. 17, 1997, or as soon thereafter as may be permitted by law.

There are four (4) customers in the Large Commercial class and seven (7) customers in the Oil Well Class that may be affected by the proposed rate. The rate will not cause an increase in the rate of any of these customers. No other class of customers is affected by the proposed rate.

Information concerning this new rate is available at the General Office of the Cooperative, located at 2415 South Phelps Avenue, Littlefield, Texas 79339. Inquiries should be directed to Mr. Delbert Smith, General Manager, phone (806) 385-5191.

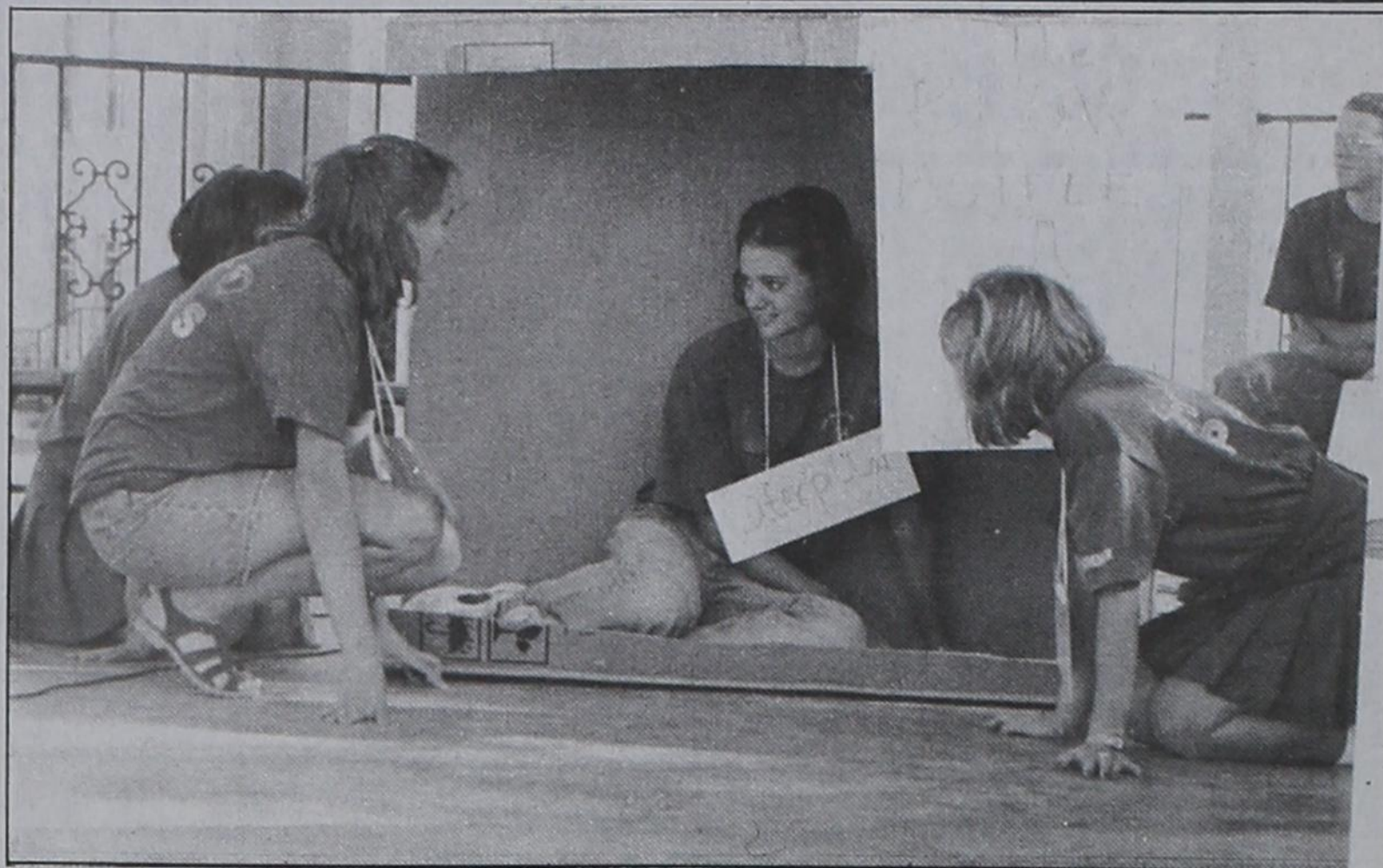
On or about Nov. 15, 1996, the Cooperative will file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas a Statement of Intent to Introduce a New Rate, setting forth the details of the rate. Requests to intervene must be filed no later than 45 days after the application filing date; thus, the Cooperative anticipates the deadline for intervening and objecting to the new rate will be Jan. 2, 1997. 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, 1701 N. Congress Ave., PO Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 936-7120 or (512) 936-7147 teletypewriter for the deaf.

25-29-4tc

**Jewelry show set at hospital**

Plains Memorial Hospital will sponsor a designer jewelry show on today (Thursday) in the East Wing Hall at the hospital.

The show is by Gold 'N Visions and will feature hundreds of name brand watches, bridal jewelry, new fashion looks, baby jewelry and sterling silver pieces. Also featured will be designer jewels from David Yurman, Peter Braum, Kabana and Jeep Collins.



A CAPTIVE OF THE BOTTLE—Carrie Bradley (center) portrays "Charly Caterpillar," who is captivated by the "warm glow" from the liquid in "The Brown Bottle," and withdraws from her caterpillar friends, portrayed by Amy Garcia, Crystal Stevens and Summer McLean. The skit, performed by mem-

bers of the PALs group at Dimmitt High School, was a part of the Red Ribbon Week kick-off ceremony Sunday at the gazebo on the courthouse square. An estimated crowd of more than 130 attended.

Photo by Linda Maxwell

**Holiday bazaar and turkey dinner planned in Nazareth**

The annual holiday arts and crafts bazaar and Thanksgiving dinner will be held in Nazareth on Sunday, Nov. 24.

The arts and crafts show will be open to the public from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Nazareth School Cafeteria that day. The annual turkey dinner, sponsored by the Christian Mothers Society, will be served at noon in the Nazareth Community Hall.

Reservations are being accepted now for the arts and crafts show, and those wishing to reserve space are asked to contact Lucille Drerup at Box 3, Nazareth 79063, phone (806) 945-2562; or Rose Mary Wilhelm, HC2, Box 13, Nazareth 79063, phone (806) 945-2583.

Booths are 8 x 10 feet and rent for \$20. A table and two chairs will be provided with each space. Exhibitors are asked to specify whether they

need the table and if they prefer a wall or center booth when they make reservations. Each exhibitor is asked to send information on what will be featured in their booth. Booths will be assigned on a first-come basis.

Reservations will be accepted until Nov. 16 and checks should be made payable to the Nazareth Art Club.

The cafeteria will open at 7:30 a.m. on the day of the show for exhibitors to arrange their products.

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## Obituaries



### Dennis Huseman

Dennis Huseman, 62, of Nazareth, died at 9:30 p.m. Sunday at his home after a lengthy illness.

A vigil service was held Wednesday evening at Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth. Funeral mass will be held today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church with Father Jerry Stein presiding, assisted by Father John Hickey. Burial will follow in Holy Family Cemetery in Nazareth under the direction of Foskey-Lilley-McGill Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Huseman was born June 11, 1934, in Nazareth and he lived there his entire life. He married Katherine Herring on Jan. 22, 1962, in Amarillo.

He was a farmer for 42 years. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus Council 2654, Catholic Order of Foresters Court 1795, and Holy Family Parish Council. He was on the Nazareth School Board from 1979 to 1985 and served as an associate board member for Dimmitt Agri Industries board of directors.

Survivors include his wife; five sons, Randy Huseman, Mark Huseman and Wendal Huseman, all of Canyon, Frankie Huseman of Amarillo and Scott Huseman of Nazareth; three daughters, Karen Mardones of Lewisville, Janet Wilhelm of Dumas and Peggy Ramaekers of Nazareth; four brothers, Louis Huseman and Alphonse Huseman, both of Nazareth, Alvin Huseman of Amarillo and Urban Huseman of Van Buren, Ark.; a sister, Corrine Dulsky of Wichita Falls; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Lonnie Huseman, Bruce Huseman, Greg Huseman, Paul Huseman, Billy Huseman and Raymond Huseman.

The family requests memorials be to Holy Family Cemetery, PO Box 100, Nazareth 79063.

### Oscar Warren

Graveside services for Oscar Edward "Speedy" Warren, 83, of Dimmitt, were held Tuesday in Idalou Cemetery with Bro. Calvin Gray of the First Baptist Church in Idalou, officiating.

Burial followed under the direction of White Funeral Home of Idalou.

Mr. Warren died Sunday at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt.

He was born in Hunt County and graduated from Wolf City High School. He married Johnny Beryhill on Dec. 28, 1966, in Antlers, Okla. He moved to Idalou from Lubbock in 1966. He farmed at New Home for several years. He was a salesman for Bell Dairy and Clover Lake, and he was a former caretaker at the Idalou Cemetery. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Idalou.

He was preceded in death by his wife.

Survivors include a son, Don Warren of Dimmitt; a brother, Raymond Lee Warren of Burlison; a sister, Faye Boyd of Van Alstyne; a granddaughter; and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.



### Frank S. Wise

Services for Frank S. Wise, 66, of Dimmitt, were held Tuesday afternoon at First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt with Rev. Rusty Dickerson, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Foskey-Lilley-McGill Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Wise died at 5:15 a.m. Sunday at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt after a lengthy illness.

He was born Dec. 4, 1929, in Rockwood, located in Coleman County. He married Shirley Jean Coleman on July 18, 1954, in Paducah. He was a farmer.

He attended school in Santa Anna and graduated from Coleman high school in 1946. He attended West Texas State College in Canyon and Texas A&M university in Bryan. He served as trustee and chairman of the board of stewardship. He was one of the first fertilizer salesmen in Castro County.

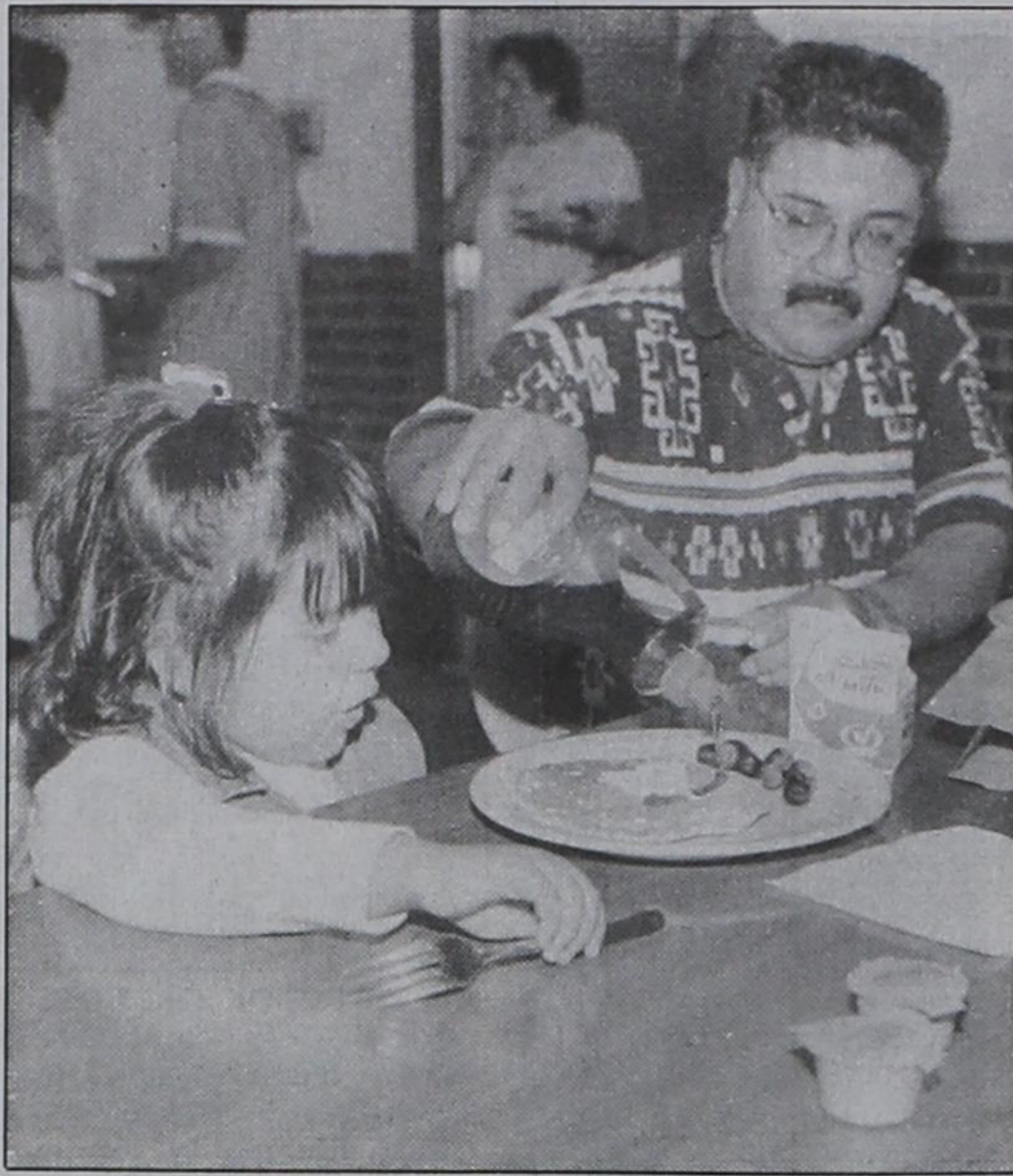
He was president of the Dimmitt School Board two of the nine years in which he served on the board. He served three terms on the Dimmitt Wheat Growers Board and was president when the corn milling plant was built. He served as director on the High Plains Underground Water District board.

Mr. Wise served two terms on the board of Castro Co-op Gin, two terms on the board of directors of Plains Memorial Hospital and six years as a director and chairman of the board of directors of Dimmitt Agri Industries. He served as County Committeeman for the USDA-ASCS, and was chairman from 1988-1990. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Gary Wise of Dimmitt and Kyle Wise of Midland; two daughters, Susan Cerday of Wimberly and Linda Welch of Friona; a brother, John Wise of Atlanta, Ga.; two sisters, Neta Lewis of Lubbock and Neva Parker of Midland; and 17 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Garland Coleman III, Ben Coleman, Daniel Coleman, Kelly Parker, Charles Brookman, Sam Brookman, Jay Wise, Ben Wise, Todd Hatla and Chad Davis.

The family requests memorials be to First United Methodist Church, 110 Southwest Third, Dimmitt 79027.



LOTS OF SYRUP, PLEASE—Selena Acevedo, 4, tells her dad, Henry, to pour it on at the Dimmitt Lions Club's annual pancake supper Friday night. It was one of the best turn-outs ever for the event, according to a club spokesman.

Photo by Linda Maxwell

## City council talks traffic and trash

The Dimmitt City Council voted Monday night to authorize Dimmitt Police Chief Ray Aleman to place stop signs and speed limits where he feels it is necessary to reduce traffic problems in residential areas of the town.

Aleman specifically asked permission to place stop signs on Northwest 12th and Northwest 11th where the streets intersect with West Andrews, in addition to the intersection of Northwest 11th and Howe. He also said he would like to put additional speed limit signs on the two streets.

Both streets already have reduced speed limits posted, but both are only posted at one end of the street, according to Aleman.

City Attorney Jack Edwards said that state law places the speed limit on residential streets at 30 mph, unless otherwise posted. He said city ordinances put any changes at the discretion of the Police Chief.

Aleman said he would like to make the proposed changes, monitor the traffic situation for about six months, and then evaluate whether things have improved. He added that his department will be stricter on enforcement of speed limits in residential areas.

At a previous council meeting, council member Henry Acevedo said he had heard complaints about speeders on the two streets.

In a summary report submitted to the council, Aleman said his department has given 288 traffic citations so far this year. He said the largest number of tickets came under the category of no driver's license (53), with another 42 issued in connection with accidents. Speeders accounted for 39 tickets, while 33 were cited for disregarding a red traffic light. Also, 18 were ticketed for failure to restrain a child, and seven for not wearing a seat belt.

In other business, the council postponed a decision on handling of large trash items left in city alley ways until the council can examine existing ordinances on the matter.

## Police Calls

Sheriff's deputies were called to a vehicle fire Saturday night three miles south of SH 86 on CR 522. The vehicle was a 1985 Jeep Wagoneer belonging to Rod Hales of Nazareth. Reportedly, the fire started in the engine compartment and traveled into the passenger compartment. Damage to the vehicle was heavy. No injuries were reported.

School teacher Sue Atchley reported to police last Thursday that someone broke the side cargo movable glass window in her 1993 Ford Aerostar van while it was parked at the school. Apparently a rock was used to break the window. Atchley estimated the damage at \$1,290.88. Investigation is continuing.

Jesus Oliviero of Dimmitt told police that on Sunday afternoon someone took his tool box and tools from his home on Southwest Third Street without his consent. He valued the missing items at \$200.

Laura Arguijo of Dimmitt complained to police about criminal mischief the evening of Oct. 15. She said someone wrote on her sidewalk with chalk.

Three people were booked into the jail during the past week, all on warrants.

A Plainview man, 23, was jailed last Thursday on warrants for speeding and failure to appear.

Theft by check charges were listed against a Dimmitt woman, 23, jailed on Friday.

Theft by check warrants out of Deaf Smith County were listed against a 60-year-old Summerfield man who was jailed Monday afternoon.

Three accidents were reported in the past week.

Last Thursday afternoon, a 1984 Buick Century driven by William

Donald Shipley, 82, of Dimmitt, reportedly failed to yield right of way at the intersection of West Etter and Northwest Second and struck a 1973 Ford pickup driven by Margarita Galan Alvarado, 32, of Dimmitt. Shipley was ticketed for failure to yield. A passenger in the pickup was listed with possible injury. Damage to both vehicles was rated moderate.

Friday night Donny McDaniel, 46, of Dimmitt, told police that someone drove or pushed his 1988 Ford pickup, causing it to strike a parked, unattended 1996 Ford pickup belonging to Matt and Alicia Bradley of Dimmitt. Both vehicles had been parked in the parking lot at Dimmitt High School. Damage was rated light to both vehicles.

Sunday night, Fernando Aguilar Garcia, 62, of Hereford, backed his 1985 Chevy pickup out of a parking space at Dimmitt Market and struck a 1992 Chevy Cavalier driven by Bertha Alicia Flores, 49, of Dimmitt. Damage to both vehicles was rated light and no injuries were reported. The report said Garcia backed without safety.

## Hart Red Ribbon events scheduled

Today (Thursday) is Pledge Day at the Hart schools for Red Ribbon Week. Students are asked to pair up and dress alike to "Buddy Up Against Drugs."

Friday will be Recognition Day. Winners of the essay contests for all classes will be announced at the Pep Rally, along with the winners from the elementary school projects.

The Student Council will hand out mints with the message, "You mean a mint to Student Council. Don't drink and drive."

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SHOWING HOW IT'S DONE—Todd Jansa, son of Jerry and Carolyn Jansa of Dimmitt, is playing the baritone during a performance by the Fifth Grade Band at the Dimmitt Middle School Open House

Monday night. Teachers were on hand to speak with parents, and also handed out report cards.

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