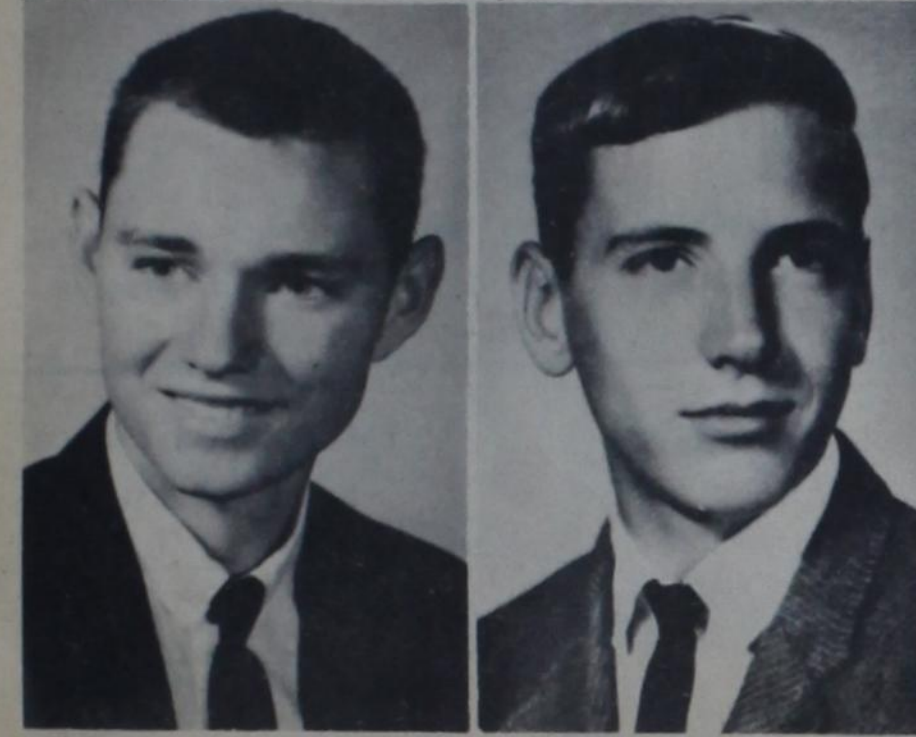


DHS Band judged tops in Buccaneer Festival



HEY, WHAT'S THAT? — It's the trophy Dimmitt High School's Bobcat Band won Saturday as the outstanding Class AA band in the Corpus Christi Buccaneer Days band festival, that's what! Proudly displaying the shadow-box trophy are (from left) Joan Braaflydt, assistant drum major; Patty Simpson, head drum major; and Janice Mooney, band president.



TERRY HUSEMAN
Valedictorian

HAL BROCKMAN
Salutatorian

Nazareth High's top grads named

Terry Huseman is the valedictorian of Nazareth High School's Class of 1969, and Hal Brockman is the salutatorian.

The two top scholars were announced this week by Supt. John Slavik.

HUSEMAN, who will be 18 in two weeks, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huseman. He has compiled a four-year grade average of 6.9, equivalent of a B-plus.

In addition to pacing his classmates in grades, Huseman has won honors at the county, district and state levels. He was named Castro County's Gold Star 4-H Boy last year, won the science competition in the district Interscholastic League meet this year, and was the state champion in 4-H fire prevention two years ago.

He has been active in Future Farmers of America, has served as treasurer and vice-president of the County 4-H Council, was a member of the senior play cast and is a member of the Catholic Youth Organization.

The NHS valedictorian plans to study mathematics at West Texas State University after graduation.

BROCKMAN, 18, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brockman. His grade average of 6.89 is just .01 of a point below Huseman's.

The NHS salutatorian also has had an active high school career. He was awarded a grant last summer to attend a math and science camp at Bethany College in Lindsburg, Kan.; was the district runner-up in the "Youth in Action" speech competition sponsored by the Texas Association of Electric Cooperatives, and placed fifth this year in district science competition.

A member of the Future Farmers of America, Brockman exhibited the grand champion lamb two years in a row in the Castro County Junior Fat Stock Show. He has served as vice-president of his class, has been the manager of NHS's football and basketball teams since he was a freshman, took part in the senior class play, and is active in the Catholic Youth Organization.

Brockman plans to attend Stephen F. Austin College in Nacogdoches and major in forestry.

200 attend Rotary feast for teachers

More than 200 attended the Dimmitt Rotary Club's annual Teacher Appreciation Banquet Monday night in South Elementary School cafeteria.

THE BANQUET featured no speeches — just "good food and entertainment," with a steak dinner and strawberry shortcake dessert.

Entertainment was provided by five musicians from the Texas Tech Music Dept., including Debbie White of Seagraves, first runner-up in last year's "Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation" pageant here.

Theme of the banquet was "Teachers — Our Future." Rotary President Ike Moore served as master of ceremonies, and Past President Ronnie Parker expressed the club members' appreciation for teachers and the work they do.

ATTENDING THE BANQUET were Rotarians, teachers, school board members and their spouses.

"The teachers really seemed to appreciate it," Moore said. "We've already received cards from each school building, signed by all faculty members, expressing their thanks for the banquet."



NO WHISKERS YET—Reggie Cathey of Quitaque's Troop 264 looks for signs of a stubble before attending church here Sunday morning, during the Haynes District Boy Scout camporee. Reggie was one of 219 Boy Scouts taking part.



Regional sweepstakes winner; outstanding Class AA band at Corpus Christi's Buccaneer Festival

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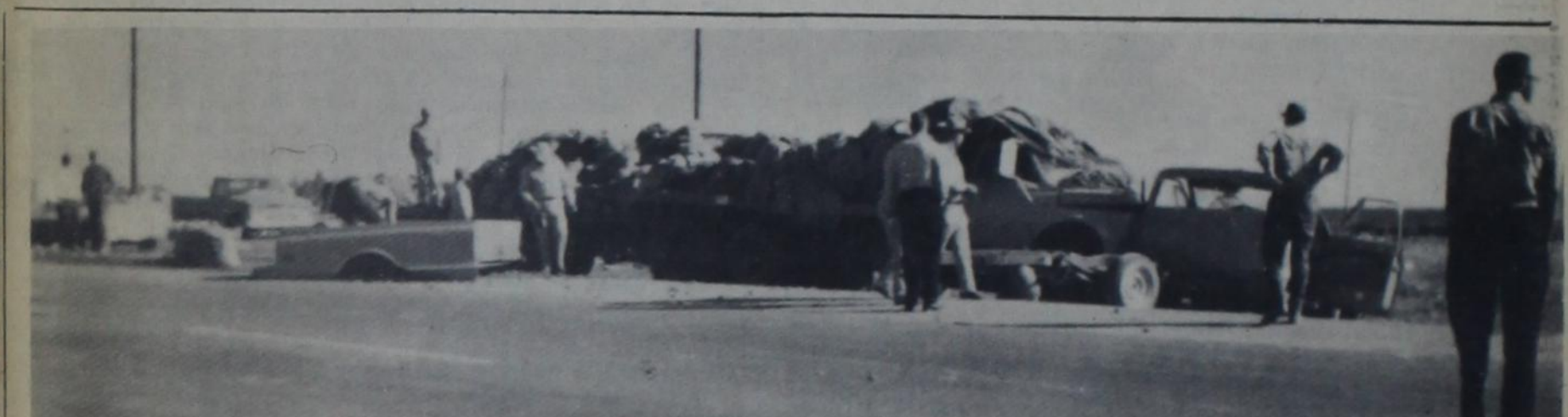
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Twisters whip around area

Castro Countians smiled at the rain-soaked ground but frowned at the funnel-bearing sky this week as the weather staged its spring ritual of Russian roulette.

A DOZEN or more tornadoes have dropped from heavy black clouds to dance around the county's borders during the last five days, but apparently no funnel cloud has touched down inside the county.

Meanwhile, the same clouds have dropped up to four inches of rain within the five-day period.



WRECK SCENE—This was the scene of the fatal accident at Hart last Thursday morning in which Otto T. Dinwiddie, Hart business and civic leader, was killed. Mr. Dinwiddie was crossing State 194 in his pickup (right) when struck by a flatbed truck loaded with planting potatoes. Note the bed of the Dinwiddie pickup, which was knocked off the frame during the accident. (Photo by Mrs. J. E. Hecker)

LARRY STARNES, soil conservationist who lives in Sunnyside, reported seeing six distinct funnels between 6 and 8:30 Tuesday night, "and there were several others reported that I didn't see," he said.

One of the funnel clouds that passed over Hart and Sunnyside struck Earth at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, causing heavy property damage but no injuries.

"I figure the main funnel was watching from Sunnyside was the one that was reported between Sudan and Earth," Starnes said. "It was a big funnel, dipping between a low-lying cloud and the horizon, and we saw it kick up dust several times. It was probably 12 to 15 miles away."

Hart leader dies in crash

Otto D. Dinwiddie, prominent Hart business and civic leader, was killed last Thursday morning when the pickup he was driving collided with a large flatbed truck at the intersection of State 194 and FM 145 at Hart.

MR. DINWIDDIE, 70, had just filled his gasoline tank at a service station and was crossing the highway when the truck smashed into the driver's side of his pickup.

The impact of the collision knocked the bed from the Dinwiddie pickup, and both vehicles skidded together 150 feet down the highway before coming to rest on the north side of State 194.

The flatbed truck, driven by Richard N. Garcia, 19, of Hart, was loaded with seed potatoes which scattered over the highway during the collision.

GARCIA was treated and released at Plains Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Dinwiddie was the second traffic fatality this year in the county, and the 43rd in the South Plains.

A former "Man of the Year" winner in Hart, Mr. Dinwiddie had had a hand in the town's growth since 1929. He was president of the board of Farmers Grain Co., one of the oldest busi-



Otto Dinwiddie

nesses in Hart, and was a vice-president of Farmers State Bank.

FUNERAL services were conducted Saturday afternoon in Hart's First Baptist Church, with Rev. C. T. Cunningham, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hart Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home of Tulla.

Born March 7, 1899, in Swisher County, Mr. Dinwiddie graduated from Tulla High School in 1918 and from Texas A&M in 1922. He married the former Sue Stewart in Canyon on Christmas eve, 1922.

After teaching school in Panhandle, Stratford and Happy, he moved to Hart in 1929 when he was 30 years old and joined his father, the late W. C. Dinwiddie, in the Farmers Grain Co., which was established that year.

AFTER operating Farmers Grain Co. more than 30 years, he retired four years ago, but remained as president of the board.

Mr. Dinwiddie was on the original committee that established the Castro County Co-op Hospital, now Plains Memorial, and aided the progress of his town and county in many other ways. He helped organize the Farmers State Bank

Fire damages Hawkins home

The Mason Hawkins home seven miles east of Dimmitt on US 86 was damaged Tuesday afternoon by a fire that apparently was touched off by faulty wiring in a bedroom closet.

THE FIRE did heavy damage to one bedroom, a storage closet and a clothes closet, and caused smoke damage throughout the Hawkins home, but Dimmitt volunteer firemen arrived in time to keep the blaze from spreading to other parts of the house.

Explosive

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

	Hi	Lo	Prec.
Thursday	86	52	
Friday	84	53	Trace
Saturday	86	53	Trace
Sunday	75	53	.75
Monday	68	42	.90
Tuesday	66	42	.07
Wednesday	64	48	
1969 Moisture			5.05

'Coronado Land' campaign starts

Fifty-three billboards are going up this week along area highways inviting tourists to stay in Dimmitt and 23 other communities participating in the "Land of Coronado" tourist promotion.

THE CAMPAIGN is coordinated with local chambers of commerce by Southwestern Public Service Co.

The Dimmitt advertising billboards invite tourists to the annual Castro County Roundup, the Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation pageant and the Jaycee Air Show, all in August.

Alleys are week's clean-up target

Alleys are the current target of the city-wide clean-up campaign and Police Chief W. W. Jones, chairman of the alley campaign, urges the rest of the city to follow the lead of East Dimmitt.

"**IN THE** east side of Dimmitt they're cleaning up the area real well," Jones reported, "and we want to thank the people who are getting into the spirit of this campaign."

Young weeds cut now will mean fewer weeds later, he said, and trash cleared away now will cut down on the future mosquito population.

The clean-up campaign is sponsored by the Dimmitt Garden Club. Mrs. Cecil Dennis is chairman, with Mrs. George Bradford and Mrs. Goodwin Miller as co-chairmen.

Accident victim dies in hospital

Wilson Riggins, 37, Lubbock man who was injured April 25 in a head-on collision of two station wagons at the "Y" intersection of US 385 and State 194 in Dimmitt, died Wednesday of last week in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

HE WAS the county's first traffic fatality of 1969.

Mr. Riggins was a passenger in a 1961 Rambler station wagon driven by his father, Martin Riggins, 55. The wagon was entering Dimmitt on US 385 when it collided head-on with a 1964 Chevrolet station wagon driven by Troy Rowell of Dimmitt.

Funeral services for Mr. Riggins were held Friday in Lubbock. His father is still in Methodist Hospital.



OH-HI!—Billy Holland of Tulla rides the "A Frame" while Boy Scouts on the other end of the ropes try to twirl him around and keep him upright. This was one of many contests conducted during the camporee Saturday and Sunday.

Nazareth wins 4-B meet

Nazareth Public Schools combined tennis and literary skills to win first place overall honors in both the high school and elementary school divisions of the District 4-B spring meet Saturday.

COMPETING against 13 other schools in the large district, Nazareth High School athletes and scholars racked up 117 points for the district championship, while Nazareth Elementary School students posted 75 points for the grade school trophy.

The championships were based on total points earned in literary events, track, tennis and golf.

Nazareth entered only literary and tennis events, but its victories in these two fields — especially tennis — led to the district titles.

Winning district championships in high school literary events were Terry Huseman in science, Harold Schacher in persuasive speaking and Leon Schulte in poetry interpretation. Bernita Schulte placed second in prose reading.

NAZARETH'S tennis players won 55 percent of all the net matches in the meet, including every doubles match.

Winning district tennis champ-

ionships for NHS were brothers Melvin and Bernard Wethington, senior boys' doubles; Jackie Book and Debra Hochstein, senior girls' doubles; Jocelyn Kleman and Patricia Gerber, junior girls' doubles; Barbara Kleman, junior girls' singles; and Nell Dobmeier and Gordon Wilhelm, junior boys' doubles.

In the grade school division, tennis winners were Glen Ehly and Richard Birkenfeld, boys' doubles; Patty Hochstein, girls' singles; and Delphine Wethington and Norene Kleman, girls' doubles.

Shelly's chatter

More than 200 Scouts take part in Dimmitt camporee

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
More than 200 Boy Scouts and their leaders of the Haynes District Patrol Method Camporee, which had boys from Hale Center (their leader is Bob Lotspeith) Lockney, Plainview, Dimmitt, Quitaque and Kress. They all camped out just west of Western Circle in tents last weekend with the boys doing the cooking and other camp duties. The Scouts had several projects and contests, which were judged by Billy Hackleman, R. D. Rogers, E. B. Noble and George Bradford. Other Dimmitt men working here with the Scouts are Redford Burrows, Jim Cleavinger, Ted Robb, Bill Birdwell and who else?

All the boys and their leaders attended the church services Sunday, May 4 were at the Methodist, 70 at the First Baptist and over 50 at the Bedford Street Church of Christ. Maybe others went to other churches, I couldn't find out.

SUNDAY afternoon the ladies of Nazareth and the Catholic Daughters of America were hostesses at an Ecumenical Tea at the community room of the bank. Mrs. Harry Birkenfeld and Mrs. Jake Ackers served punch, coffee and the best cookies to a large group of guests. The big cloud scared people off. Mrs. Eddie Drerup, Mrs. Leonard Wilhelm helped with hostess duties. Margaret Womack registered the guests. Fresh spring flowers were used.

Father Stanley Crochiolla is the pastor at Holy Family Church at Nazareth. He is Italian.

CECIL AND Blanche Ginn have bought the Bruce Waddell house on Jones Street. The Ginn's live south of the Flagg Ranch and plan to move in next fall after the maize harvest. The Wooddells are in Plainview.

Sheila Birkenfeld, who was a nurse at Plains Memorial Hospital is at Amarillo College and also is taking nursing training and Beth Wethington, who was my nurse last summer, is at WTSU. Her dad Tom Wethington of Nazareth, is very ill at the Veterans Hospital in Albuquerque.

Ted and Dorothy Shelly attended the parents appreciation tea Sunday afternoon at WTSU in Canyon. Their daughter Beth and her sorority were hostesses. They visited his brother Don and family and an aunt Mrs. L. F. Shelly.

Mrs. Cecil (Pauline) Masten, who lives near Hereford was a guest at the bridal shower for Stella Blanca Gutierrez Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Nino.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vega were in Lubbock Saturday to visit their daughters Dora Sulis and Mary Augularia.

Larry Gamble, Roger Henderson and Larry Young went to Dallas last weekend. They were summer job hunting and they visited Henderson's kin and saw the town.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Gregory were hosts at a dinner and bridge party on a recent Friday evening. Their guests were Messers and Mmes. Ike Moore, Jack R. Miller, Charles Hotel, Bill Murphy and Mrs. Anita Morris. Mrs. Frank Coleman and Mrs. Ronnie Parker came in later for coffee and conversation.

Jimmy Jack and Jerry Butler and children spent the weekend with friends Jim and Peggy Curtis over at Hobbs, N.M. Peggy is the daughter of Punk Gilbreath. Thelma Dewbre visited her daughter Joyce at Commerce a few days but had to come in by

way of Tahoka to attend the funeral of Pat McKibben, the father of her son-in-law. Kent and Carol Hance of Lubbock are the parents of a girl baby born Saturday evening. They have a three-year-old son Ron. Grandparents are Charlie and Nancy Hays and Raymond and Beral Hance. Kent teachers law at Texas Tech.

The V. C. Kirbys are grandparents for the second time. Their son Dean and Nancy have a new boy named Dennis Greg. The other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Loudder of Sunnyside.

GENE IVEY went to Springfield, Mo. to be with his brother Roy, who is very ill. Jeannine Wimberley and her brother have been there several days. Roy is their father.

Gene is staying in the home of Vern and Oma Simmons, who moved from the farm to Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shaw and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Tucuman, spent Sunday with Will and Irene Wright. Mrs. Smith is Irene's mother.

Grace D. Reger and sister Dorothy Holbrook of Albuquerque were in Dimmitt shopping and attending to Mrs. Reger's farm business. They visit Rayphard and Mary Lu Smithson too.

O. B. and Irene Winkle and J. M. and Grace Wright attended the funeral of their brother Bud Winkle of Norman, Okla., who was burned to death when the house burned.

Another brother Abe Winkle is in the Veterans Hospital at Wilcox, Ariz. The Wrights spent a night with Wesley Cook at Purcell. The Winkles stayed at her son Tommie and Judy's at Oklahoma City.

I met with my sisters Mrs. Roland Moore of Vigo, Mrs. Bill Sikes of Slaton, our younger brother Jack Knox and family of Winton, Ark. at the ranch place of our sister Mrs. George Gilliam. This is part of the old Luttrell Ranch south of Claude. The south edge drops off into the Palo Duro Canyon. It is a very interesting place with a canyon on each side of a point of grassland.

We had a carry-in lunch out there — and you guessed it — much talk.

LON AND BETTY Boothe and son Lonnie Joe and daughter Janie and friends the Garden Timms of Anton, spent the four-day holiday at Tres Ritos where they have bought a summer place.

Rev. J. C. and Maxine Gardner are going this week on a good trip east. Did you know that J. C. is pastor of the New Hope Baptist Church here? Well first they will go to Trenton, Ga., to visit their son David and family. He recently came home from service in Okinawa, off Japan, and little granddaughter Kimberly, then on to Williamsburg, Va. to visit daughter Elaine, Don and daughter Robin. Elaine was a little junior garden clubber 10 years ago. All of them will go on to Washington, D.C. for a sightseeing trip. They will come home by Shreveport, La. to visit her brother whose son was shot in the neck while serving the US in Vietnam. The Gardners daughter Mrs. John Phillips and Kris will go with them.

THE CHARMING and congenial Mrs. Sam Damewood of Borger, formerly of Dimmitt was a houseguest of Mrs. Vera Webb last week. It was like rush week in college. Her many friends were eager to show Brownie (as she is affectionately known) their appreciation of her return visit.

Mrs. Jack Cowsert entertained about 20 guests with a tea on Monday afternoon. Hostesses entertaining with a luncheon each day were Mmes. Ethel Womack, Nettie Graham, Ann Singer, Leola Haberer, Beulah Wright and Cletha George.

To climax the series of luncheons Mrs. Damewood entertained her hostesses at the Colonial Inn on Sunday. Mrs. Damewood is the mother of Mrs. Walter Myrick of

Borger, formerly of Dimmitt. Gary Young, son of Nolan and Lois, fell from a horse and injured a knee. Hope he will be good as new soon.

Belle McAfee spent the weekend in Lubbock with kin. Mrs. Eskridge, and attended the wedding of Mrs. Ron McAfee's brother.

Betty Gunn Smith and children of Lubbock were weekend guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gunn.

Nancy and Jimmy Ross and friends are home from a business and pleasure trip to Mexico. I heard they got weathered in trying to get home.

Did you see the picture of News Editor Don Nelson in Sunday's Amarillo Daily News? It seems Don is now vice-president of the Panhandle Press Association.

MRS. C. W. Boothe was the birthday girl Sunday when she reached 84 years. Their family brought dinner and gifts — Dan and Lois Becha and daughter Janet, little grandson Jeffrey of Hollis, Okla., Truett and Johnny, Dent and Bessie Mae Bradley of here. We wish for Mrs. Boothe many more birthdays.

Sammy and Jerry Don Lane of Summerfield and Kerry David Lane were Sunday dinner guests of Sammy's parents and David's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lane.

Frank and Josephine Latimer and daughter Ann visited their folks on the ranch at Higgins last weekend.

S. E. Shelly and his daughter Mary Schram of Palo Alto, Calif. and Mrs. Fannie Mahan of Amarillo visited a few days this week with his and Fannie's brother Sid and I and all the kids, also Mrs. Pearl Shelly and the John Merritts had the whole crowd in for coffee Tuesday eve-

ning. Edwin and Edgar Ramey and S. E. went to Clarendon College at the same time more than 50 years ago.

FRED WALKER of Altus, Okla. died Tuesday, April 22. Fred and Mrs. Walker and son Bill lived at Flagg for many years. He was 76-years-old and had been very ill in an Oklahoma City hospital. Bill finished school here and has many friends here.

Mrs. Doris Smiley invites you to come playing duplicate bridge each Monday evening at the community room at the bank. The new time is 7:30. There are always several tables of people having a good time.

Mrs. Smiley attended the mother and daughter banquet Saturday at WTSU in Canyon. Her daughter Mrs. Gary (Glenna) Heller, who is doing her practice teaching in Amarillo High School, her major is business. She and Gary will get their bachelor of arts degrees on May 18.

Jim and Linda Roberts and children, Jerry and Carolyn Watts and their children took Wolfgang Buschart to Ruidoso to see the mountains a while back. Wolfgang is a student here from Berlin, Germany. It was his 18th birthday. They stopped in Lincoln to see all the old artifacts in the old saloon museum and the old carthouse which was a one time mearison ranch house.

APPROXIMATELY 40 girls and boys of the eighth grade were guests at a fun party at the bank community room Saturday night when Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Elvon DeVaney, Debbie Hansen, Teresa Underwood and Shannon DeVaney were hosts. Piles of sandwiches, cookies, cakes and fruit punch were consumed by these 14 year old

Games were played, they danced to records and watched colored film of the beautiful eighth grade banquet.

Sunday, May 4, was the birthday of Othel Simmons of Spade and J. V. Messenger of here. There was a birthday cake with candles. The meal was at the Colonial Inn Restaurant and guests were Mrs. Othel Simmons, Mrs. Maurine Henderson, Mrs. Messenger, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bauer and girls of Lubbock, Peggy, or Mr. and Mrs. Joe Finn of Artesia, Ina Triplett of east of Canyon Mildred Simmons Tuner and Monday was the birthday of Dee Neumayer and Joe Shelly.

Sue and Roger Lancaster of Van Horn were up to visit her parents the Othel Simmons and his folks at

Hart. Also they attended the funeral of his grandmother Lancaster at Portales. Roger is with the Elcor Sulphur Plant there.

JACK AND Jo Gregory are home from a flying "to" trip to Mazatlan, Mexico. This is way down the Pacific Coast. They did some fishing. Jack caught one big marlin and three dolphins. He thought he didn't do so good, a few years ago he got five marlin. They saw many sailfish, but "no catch."

Laura Jean Nadolski, daughter Linda and son Ed, writes from Santa Maria, Calif., to say thank you to everyone, for the many kind acts for her mother Wirmie Cunningham, while she was so very ill and through the memorial service. The Nadolskis will always remember you all including the good nurses, Dr. Lee and all the folks at the hospital.

Bo and Carol Bryant and boys were Saturday supper guests of Carl Lee and Boo Kemp. Bo said he was being served deer or bear meat he didn't know which. It was given to Carl Lee by the Pittmans in Amarillo.

Belinda Bryant spent a few days with her aunt Jane Blackburn at Lubbock. She is the daughter of the Bo Bryants.

JOHNNIE BOOTHE was hostess Friday afternoon with a bridge party. She served a salad plate to Reba Touchstone, Ouida Willis, Anita Morris, Aural Davis, Myrtle-Shelly, Josephine Latimer, Dugan Butler and the Booth's daughter Sue Stewart who is here from San Antonio.

And the same Thursday Mrs. Horace Carlile was hostess at a luncheon at the Colonial Inn Restaurant with bridge at her home later. Her guests were Pearl Shelly, Edith Ramey, Edna Riley,

Eleven Jaycees convention-bound

Eleven members of the Dimmitt Jaycees will attend the annual convention of the Texas Jaycees in San Antonio Friday and Saturday.

THE DIMMITT delegation will leave Friday from Dimmitt Municipal Airport, and will fly home Saturday evening.

Attending the state Jaycee convention from here will be Don Nelson, Jim Ratcliff, Elvon DeVaney, Curtis Christopher, Roy Ellis, Harley Wilke, Johnny Kirtrell, Dr. David Bechtel, Lynn Polson, Harley Daniel and Quindred Oakley.

Convention headquarters will be the Gunter Hotel. Most of the convention activities will take place in San Antonio's HemisFair Plaza.

Margaret Wilson, Virginia Gili-breath, Maxine Tidwell and Jeanne Miller.

LAST WEDNESDAY night 120 band students of Ralph Smith's Eucbat Band and 35 parents and teachers went by four charter buses to Corpus Christi to enter the big contest at their Buccaneer Days Festival. Our band came in first by receiving a one rating from two judges and a one-plus

from one judge — Good, good. I asked Richard "How about swimming in the Gulf of Mexico?" He says no, the jelly fish sting. They sound like something to eat. James Bradford called in to say they were playing well and were having fun.

Ryan Gregory spent a week with his grandmother Mrs. J. M. Vernon at Abilene. Mrs. Vernon is the mother of Dalia or Mrs. Bill Gregory.

Bible Thoughts GOD'S BOOK THE FOURTH AND BEDFORD CHURCH OF CHRIST announces its annual summer Vacation Bible School June 9 - 13, 1969 Bible classes will be conducted for all age groups (18 months through adults) nightly from 8:00 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to study the theme "JESUS LOVES ME" in this Bible study program.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH C. E. Strickland, Pastor N.W. 5th at Halsell Sunday — Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday — Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m.

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

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

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

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

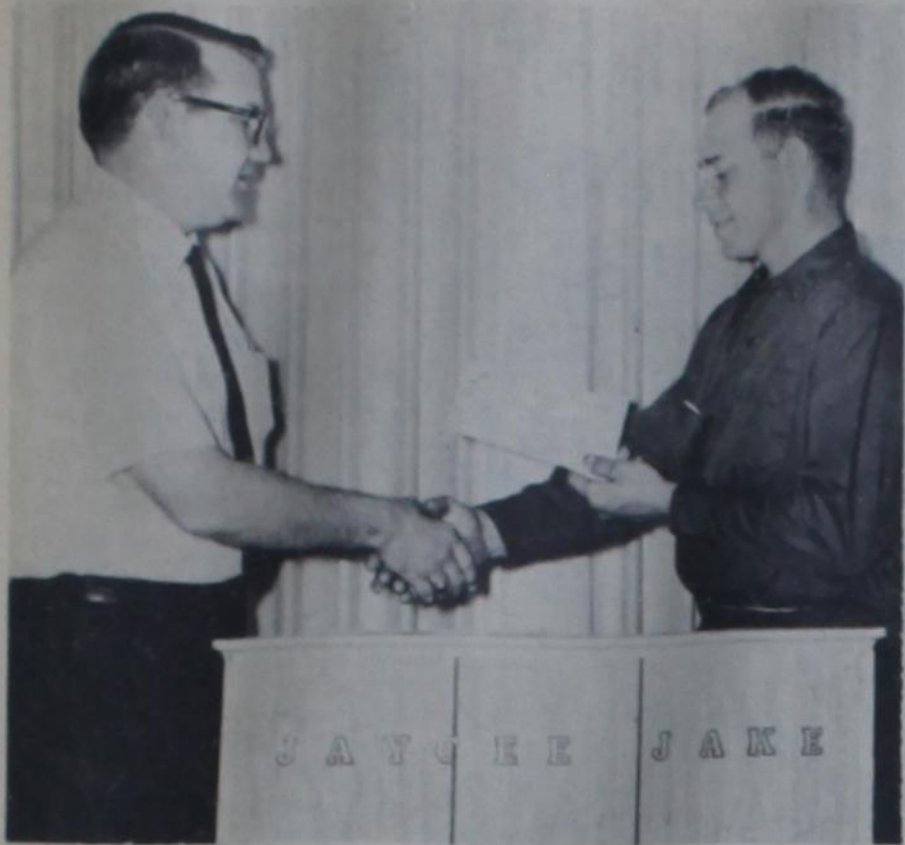
MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. H. Hancock, Pastor 412 North East Street Sunday — Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Monday W.M.U. 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Brotherhood 7:55 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Friday

...and God bless Mother This little one is aware of his mother's tender care, and responds with love. It would be wonderful if all of us showed our love for our Mothers all of the time. Even if we have been a little neglectful, we have an opportunity to go all out this Sunday, and express to her our love and appreciation for her goodness to us. The Bible tells us to "Honour thy Father and thy Mother." On this special Mother's Day attend church and share in celebrating this time with others. EVERYONE IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN EVERYONE The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God. ©Coleman Adv. Ser.

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JAYCEE OF THE MONTH—Quinfred Oakley (right) receives the "Jaycee of the Month" award certificate for April from Don Nelson, club president, during the regular meeting of the Dimmitt Jaycees last Thursday noon in the Colonial Inn. Oakley, a diesel mechanic with C&S Equipment Co., served as chairman of the Jaycee Easter Egg Hunt last month and has already completed most of his requirements for the "Spoke" award for first-year Jaycees, although he has been a member less than four months.

57 piano students in area to participate in auditions

Fifty-seven area piano students will participate in the National Piano Playing Auditions May 9, 10 and 12.

They are the students of Mrs. Leon Sanders, Dwight Joiner and Mrs. Howard Hershey of Dimmitt and Carol Varnell of Earth.

The auditions are sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, of which the four teachers are members. Young pianists passing their auditions will become members in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians and could qualify for local, district, state, national or international honors, depending upon their performance.

Adjudicator for the local auditions will be Mildred Klein of Lubbock, past president of the Lubbock Music Teachers Association and the Texas Music Teachers Association.

MISS KLEIN holds a bachelor of music degree from Baylor University and has done post-graduate study at the Eastman School of Music, Texas Tech, University of Colorado and the National Music Camp at Ann Arbor, Mich.

She has taught piano and organ in her private studio in Lubbock since 1953, and prior to that time



Mildred Klein, Adjudicator

she taught public school music in Lubbock. She was recognized as the "Teacher of the Year" in Lubbock in 1968.

More than 60,000 piano pupils will take part in the national auditions this year in 600 music centers of the country.

Country Club swimming pool hours listed

The swimming pool at the Castro County Country Club will open for the summer season May 23, but will be available for swimming parties beginning Saturday.

ANY CLUB member wishing to hold a swimming party should contact Kenneth Cleveland, pool manager.

Starting Friday, May 23, pool hours will be from 1:30 to 7 p.m. "These hours are flexible," Cleveland said, "and if the demand is there, the pool will stay open longer."

He said plans are being made to designate one morning each week as "Ladies' Morning."

"ALSO, we would like to establish one night a week as family night, if there is sufficient interest," Cleveland said.

The pool is for Country Club members and their guests. Members may use the pool without charge, but the swimming fee for guests is \$1 per person. Members bringing guests should check with the lifeguard before swimming.

LESSONS for beginning swimmers will start May 26, weather permitting. Beginners will receive 10 one-hour lessons from Kenneth and Libby Cleveland, and classes will be limited to 10 students. Class times will be arranged to avoid conflict with vacation Bible Schools, Cleveland said.

Parents wishing to enroll their children in beginner's class should call 647-4450 before May 23. Other classes will be formed during the summer as needed.

The snack bar at the pool will open at 11 a.m. each day and hamburgers, sandwiches and short orders will be available to golfers, swimmers and any member wanting to have lunch at the club.

Thursday night of each week will be steak night at the club, with serving hours 7 to 9 p.m.

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Cotton balloting deadline Friday

Castro County cotton growers are reminded that May 9 is the last day for voting on whether a farmer may sell or lease his farms cotton allotment for 1970; or transfer it to another farm outside the county.

BALLOTS were mailed May 2 to all cotton growers on the ASC mailing list. If any eligible voter does not receive a ballot they should request one from the ASCS office. To be counted the ballots must be voted and returned to the county office in person not later than the close of business Friday, and if mailed must be postmarked not later than the May 9 final date.

CERTIFICATION of wheat and barley acreage has been extended until May 15. There are still a number of farms that signed to participate in the programs that have not certified to their acreage. You are urged to take care of this at your earliest convenience.

Miss Davis due for BI degree

Linda Lee Davis of Dimmitt is among 114 students who are candidates for degrees at the May 31 commencement of the University of Texas School of Communication.

MISS DAVIS is the daughter of Mrs. Ernest Davis of Dimmitt, and is a former staffer of the Castro County News. After interning with the Fort Worth Star-Telegram last summer, she won a senior scholarship from The Newspaper Fund, Inc., as the outstanding woman intern in the state.

Miss Davis is to receive the bachelor of journalism degree, according to Dr. DeWitt C. Reddick, dean of the UT School of Communication.

Firemen attend district conclave

Five members of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. attended the annual district firemen's convention in Amarillo Saturday.

ATTENDING the convention were Fire Marshal Guy Waldrop, Shorty Barlow, Ned Smith, Merton Powell and Billy Scott. Barlow and Scott placed second in the district in water polo.

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JAYCEE LAKE SEZ . . .

Dimmitt's Jaycees are now compiling their work calendar for the coming year, and it looks as though we'll conduct 30 or more projects between now and next May 1.

WE HAD a two-hour work session Friday night at the First State Bank and adopted most of our community service and fundraising projects for the year.

The most important, of course, are our community service projects. They will include many of our standard ones, such as the Easter Egg Hunt next spring, Teen Club sponsorship all year, Student Loan Fund and Bosses Night Banquet.

We will also continue our highly successful Outstanding Young Farmer program, which has produced two state winners for Dimmitt — the latest being Donald Wright this year. We will conduct our Distinguished Service Award program again this year to honor Dimmitt's outstanding young man. (This title was won by Dr. J. D. Blackburn this year.) And to these two honor programs, we will add an Outstanding Young Educator program to recognize the top young teacher in the county.

THE JAYCEES will help the Chamber of Commerce tackle the problem of the "Y" intersection this year, in hopes of getting this dangerous intersection improved before anyone else is killed.

We have adopted another community service project which may stir up some controversy, but we

feel it's needed and we're going to push for it. It's a campaign to establish a community center — mainly for our teenagers — and it may require a bond election to finance it.

We will utilize the new golf course in June with another project for our teenagers — Junior Golf. The local winner will go to the state tournament in Arlington.

WE WILL expand our Girlstown USA support by bringing the girls to Dimmitt for a week's vacation this summer. We also may conduct a work day at Girlstown if it is needed.

As young men, we're concerned over the light voter turnout we've had here in past elections, so we will conduct a "Get Out the Vote" campaign before every election this year.

We thought about having a pheasant hunters' breakfast as a fundraising project on opening day of the season, but we decided that what is needed more is a pheasant hunters' education campaign on sportsmanship. So when pheasant season opens, you'll see Jaycee signs in our cafes urging hunters not to shoot hens, to get the landowner's permission before hunting, to stay within the limit and to chase down their crippled birds.

TO FINANCE these projects, we'll stage our annual Miss Dimmitt pageant, hold Jaycee Radio Day on May 17, conduct an air show, hold a lightbulb sale and ride our dunking board during the summer carnival. We're also considering a flag project that would make Dimmitt look like an entirely different city.

It won't be all work — we're going to have some fun, too. We haven't adopted our club and social projects yet, but we're considering a family fishing derby, family picnic, Jaycee duck hunt, Jaycee-Ette Day, volleyball program and others.

ELEVEN members of the Dimmitt Jaycees will fly to San Antonio Friday for the state convention. Jim Ratcliff is entered in the state "Speak Up Jaycee" speech contest, and we'll be helping the Amarillo Jaycees in their bid to bring the 1971 convention to the new Amarillo Civic Center — so we'll stay pretty busy.

We believe this is an all-time high in the number of delegates Dimmitt has sent to a state convention. Our 11 delegates represent one-third of our current membership.

If you're a young man 21 to 36 and want to develop your individual abilities through community service, we'd like to have you in the Dimmitt Jaycees. We meet at the Colonial Inn Restaurant every Thursday at noon, and we'd like to see you there. All you have to do to join is want to, and all you have to be is yourself. You

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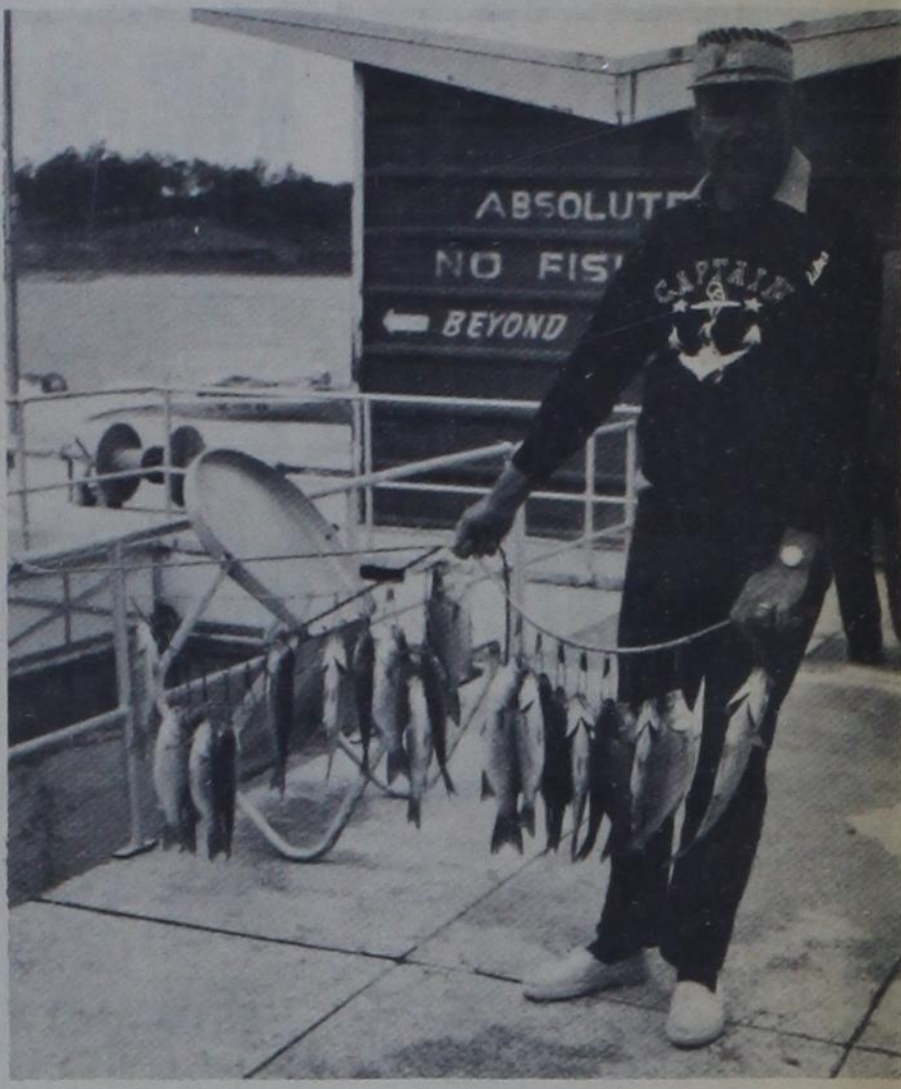
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LAKE TEXHOMA WHITES — Gene Smith shows a single morning's catch at Lake Texhoma on a highly successful weekend outing. In the fishing party were Smith and his wife, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newton of Red River, N.M., former Dimmitt residents. The action was frantic at times, Smith reported, and the haul proved it — the two couples brought home 150 pounds of dressed fish, including black and white bass and crappie. Their most successful lure was the Hellbender.

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Clean-up can aid mosquito problem

While you are reading this, your problems could be multiplying.

The problems? Mosquitoes.

AT THIS TIME of the year they are multiplying by the score. One female may lay several batches of eggs — from 50 to 200 in a batch. She will leave her eggs only where there is water. These eggs will hatch into swarms of insect adults to vex and plague you this summer.

Mosquitoes continue to be vexing and sometimes a serious problem for everyone. In your home or yard, in public parks, they can interfere with man's chores and spoil his enjoyment of leisure time. They may reduce the efficiency of outdoor workers and cause farm animals to lose weight by driving them from lush pastures to barren hillsides.

According to the State Health Department, some species of mosquitoes transmit to man such diseases as malaria and yellow fever, encephalitis to man and brucella and heartworm to dogs. By acting now, you may save yourself time and trouble later on. The simplest and most effective method of cutting down on circulating mosquito population is to eliminate their breeding places. You might simply say it's a matter of killing them before they multiply.

MOSQUITOES cannot hatch unless they are in water. Double-check your home for standing water. You may be surprised at the number of discarded bicycle and automobile tires, tin cans or old jars you may find which can probably hold at least a small amount of water. Or, water may collect in rain gutters or even on a flat roof.

Septic tanks, cisterns and tubs provide excellent breeding places unless they are tightly covered.

If there is standing water on your premises which cannot be eliminated, examine it to see if larvae are present. To do so, dip up a cupful — preferably a white cup — of water weekly. The small, dark larvae will show up against the light background if they are present.

Former Dimmitt student heads graduating class in Oklahoma

A former Dimmitt girl is the youngest valedictorian in the history of Hooker, Okla., High School. **SHE IS** Cynthia Lynne Rogers, 16, a former student in North Elementary School and Dimmitt Junior High.

Miss Rogers is the daughter of Mrs. Sadie Rogers of Hooker and Jack Rogers of Boulder, Colo. Her mother is a former employee of the First State Bank of Dimmitt, and her father is a former manager of the Taylor-Harrison Insurance Agency.

In addition to being the top scholar in her graduating class, Miss Rogers is the first-chair clarinetist in the high school band and a member of the clarinet choir, clarinet quartet, pep band, girls' chorus, contest chorus, mixed chorus and senior girls' ensemble.

She is vice-president of her class and a member of the Student Council, Pep Club and "Bluebook" annual staff.

SHE IS also the HHS senior class favorite, was crowned Queen of Hearts at the 1967 Valentine Ball, was football queen her junior year and a queen's attendant this year.

She was a member of the senior play cast this year and participated



Cynthia Lyn Rogers

in the business students' contest at Panhandle State College, placing in the top nine of 70 contestants in shorthand and typing.

As valedictorian, she will receive a full scholarship. She plans to attend Panhandle State College. She will deliver her valedictory address at HHS commencement exercises May 19.

Committee of 67 ready to report

The "Committee of 67," charged with making a study of present and future needs of West Texas State University, is expected to adopt its report at a called meeting Monday evening in Canyon.

NORMAN Cleavinger of Dimmitt and Willis A. Hawkins Jr. of Hart are members of the 67-person committee.

The "Committee of 67" was created by a resolution of the state board of regents Feb. 7, 1967, and includes residents of 25 Panhandle cities who have been working two years to plan toward the future of WTSU and its service potential to the area.

Ag workshops prove popular

To answer the increasing number of requests from the counties for more detailed training for agriculturists and agribusinessmen the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is answering with short courses, clinics and workshops.

A. H. WALKER, state agricultural leader, said 891 such training sessions were held last year in the state with almost 46,000 persons attending.

Subjects ranged from agribusiness, agricultural chemicals to wildlife management for a grand total of 29 different subject matter areas.

Local county agents and county program building committees handled most of the planning while Extension specialists did most of the teaching. Instruction ranged from two to 40 hours, Walker said.

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Q. Why did you make it this size?

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Q. What do I get for the price?

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Q. What about options?

A. You can get 'em if you want 'em. You can order integral air conditioning. (It's built in, not hung on.) Other options include 3-speed automatic or low-cost semiautomatic transmission, and a hefty 200 CID Six. But lots of people won't put an extra cent into this car. Because it's all there. A complete car all ready to drive home.

Q. What kind of gas mileage can I get?

A. That depends on you as well as the car. You can get as much as 25 or 26 miles per gallon—if you have an educated toe and the right road conditions. If you have a lead foot, or do a lot of city driving, you will

get a lot less. In tests by professional drivers at our tracks, where we do our best to duplicate actual driving conditions, Maverick averaged 22.5 mpg.

Q. What kind of power does Maverick have?

A. Maverick's Six lets loose 105 galloping horses. That's 52 more than you get in the 4-cylinder VW 1500. Maverick can cover 417 feet in ten seconds from a standing start. That means you can get up to highway speed in a hurry. When you enter a 70 mph turnpike, you won't feel like a retired bookkeeper thrust into the middle of a pro football game.

Q. If it has an eight inch longer wheelbase than the leading import, does it still handle and park easily?

A. Maverick can U-turn in a tighter circle (35.6 feet) than the leading economy import (36.0 feet). Maverick can slant through traffic like a hallback. It can turn on a dime and give you nine cents change. If you've been driving any other American car, you'll find Maverick's neat size adds up to 5½ feet to any parking space.

Q. Can Detroit really build a small economy car that's tough and long lasting?

A. It's not easy, but we did it. Maverick's unitized body construction makes it light, strong and durable. It's welded like a battleship. Rustproofing compound goes into deep crevices that never see the light of day. Then all that strength is covered with four coats of paint for lasting beauty. Result: one tough little car that's put together to stay together. (The service schedule in the Maverick owner's manual goes up to 108,000 miles or nine years; that ought to tell you something about its rugged durability.)

Q. How about parts and service?

A. Maverick is designed to be unusually easy to service. You're dealing with made-in-America parts and 6,000 easy-to-find Ford Dealers. Fast repairs and easy replacements mean extra savings in both time and money.

Q. Is Maverick really easier and less expensive to maintain than an economy import?

A. Definitely. Maverick oil changes come only every 6,000 miles and chassis lubrication once every 36,000 miles. The leading economy import recommends oil changes every 3,000 miles (twice as often as Maverick) and chassis lubrication every 6,000 miles (six times as often as Maverick). Those are

just a few examples of the many ways Maverick lessens inconvenience and lowers operating cost.

Q. Can I do my own maintenance work?

A. Yes, if you have an average amount of mechanical ability. The Maverick owner's manual contains 24 pages of detailed diagrams and easy-to-follow instructions for routine maintenance jobs you can do yourself, if you wish. You'll find it easy to change spark plugs, replace ignition points... plus many other do-it-yourself repairs and replacements.

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Q. Is there an advantage in the fact that Maverick is really a 1970 car?

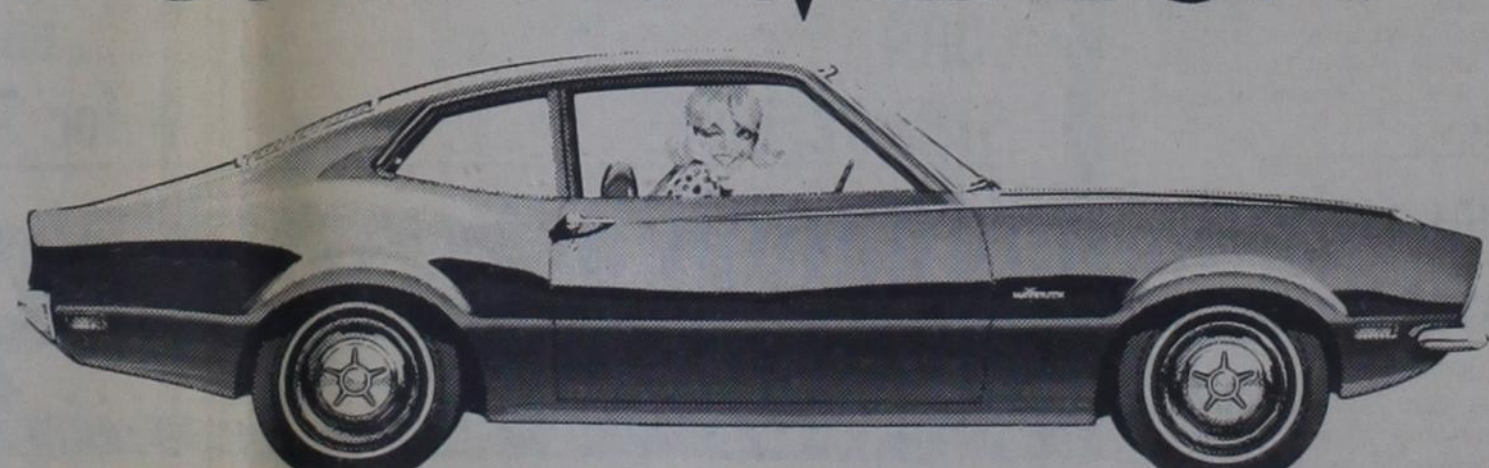
A. Slower depreciation is one money-in-the-pocket advantage. Maverick's 1970 model designation means it keeps its trade-in value higher, longer. (Maverick is built to be a good investment from the minute you buy it to the minute you sell it.)

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SURPRISE! — Mrs. Irene Keating, county home demonstration agent, got a big surprise Friday afternoon when her Dimmitt 4-H Club girls utilized her teaching by giving her a pink-and-blue shower (her first) at the Castro County Country Club. The girls planned and organized the tea

shower themselves, reserved the clubhouse, served punch and pastries, and presented her with a handmade toy box and personal gifts. From left are Connie Nelson, Tanya DeVaney, Pam Oldham, Jackie Newsom, Charlotte Fisher, Karen Flynt and Mrs. Keating. (Photo by Darla Kay)

City will miss it's 'landlady'

Before she died last week at the age of 87, Mrs. Etta Brashears had become one of the best-known ladies in Dimmitt — mainly through a near-lifetime of residence, 18 years' service as county treasurer and 30 years' service as landlady and cook for many residents here.

MRS. BRASHEARS owned and operated the Brashears Hotel, a two-story brick boarding house which was the first Dimmitt home for many who moved into the city after 1930.

Mrs. Brashears served family-style meals — specializing in cakes and other pastries — and at the time of her death she was still using her old black-iron gas cookstove. This stove had been the subject of feature stories in the Castro County News and "Flame" magazine.

Another of Mrs. Brashears' trademarks was her 1934 Chevrolet sedan, which she bought new and used until three years ago, when she quit driving. Although the black sedan is now in storage, it is still serviceable.

MRS. BRASHEARS was christened Etta W. Ramey when she was born to Sallie and Robert J. Ramey near Alto on Dec. 22, 1881. She married Joe A. Brashears of Castro County on Oct. 22, 1905, and they did well in the farming and ranching business here.

But her husband died Dec. 19, 1910 — just five years after their marriage — and Mrs. Brashears was left with two daughters to raise.

SHE AND her daughters lived with the Ramey family six miles east of Dimmitt until the girls reached school age. Then Mrs.

Miss Conard elected at HSU

Juanelle Conard, sophomore from Dimmitt, has been elected one of the five cheerleaders for next year at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

MISS CONARD is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard of Dimmitt, and was a cheerleader in Dimmitt High School before her graduation here in 1967.

She was improving the last of the week.

Over an inch of moisture fell Sunday afternoon in a slow rain. Reports are only from the section north from Frio Church.

Vicki Axe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Axe is attending a school of commercial art in Denver. She began the several months course in March, after attending WTSU the fall semester.

THE American consumer paid only 15 percent of his income for food in 1968. This is the lowest in the nation's history and the lowest in the world.

Bethel news

Youths have 'field day'

By MRS. J. T. STEHR
Meeting at Bethel Saturday were 4-H members, who cleaned the grounds, had a ball game, roasted winners and just had a grand time. James Welch was the only father present, so to him went the honor of doing several different jobs. Children present were Judy Gilreath, Ricky and Rusty Rickerd, Gaines and Matt Howell, Rhonda and Mark Welch, Terry Yeung, Steve, Ricky, Randy, Scott, Kyle, Carol Bagwell.

through the mud.
MRS. GEORGE SIDES and children spent Friday night with the Horace Sides at Lubbock. Being out of school a day was much appreciated by the school children.

Charles Wales attended a meeting in Amarillo Tuesday for Vacation Church School.

CALLERS in the Jack Howell home Sunday were the Carl Lees of Summerfield, the Carlyle Sargents and the Don Mokes of Hereford. Also Tom McGowan, son of the Claud McGowans of Summerfield and Gaines and Matt Howell fished a while. The rain caused everyone to go home early.

The Houston Luts accompanied the Bobcat Band to Corpus Christi. Their children Rex and Ann are in the band. Daughter Flo spent the time in the Frank Wise home. They went to Possum Kingdom Lake.

Visitors in the Earl Lust home Sunday were his nephew and wife, Lt. and Mrs. Paul Godfrey from Cannon Air Force Base at Clovis, and their son Lloyd Lust and family of Littlefield for the afternoon. Also the Vern Luts were there for lunch and spent Sunday night after they saw how much trouble the others had getting out

Mrs. Dean Myers visited Mrs. J. T. Stehr Tuesday afternoon. A group of students from Clarenden College had hamburgers at the Moss Howell home Wednesday evening. They were John Howell, Colcen Hill, Oran Watson and Joe Homer.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust were accompanied to Amarillo Thursday by their daughter, Mrs. Loy Stone and her daughter Sharon. The Martin Stehrs of Willow, Okla., visited a short time in the J. T. Stehr home Wednesday.

Sharon Welch went with the band to Corpus Christi over the weekend.



Mrs. Etta Brashear

Brashears moved to Dimmitt and bought a two-room house next to the corner where the Brashears Hotel now stands.

She ran for county treasurer in 1916, was elected, and served until 1934 with a salary of \$16.66 per month.

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SHE SPENT most of her life as a member of the First United Methodist Church, and was its last surviving charter member.

Mrs. Brashears was buried Wednesday of last week beside her husband, Joe, in Castro Memorial Gardens. She was the last of the four daughters of Sallie and Robert Ramey, Castro County pioneers. Two of her seven brothers, twins Edwin "Goose" Ramey and Edgar "Unk" Ramey, survive.

Her other survivors include her daughters, Mrs. Ola Wright of Dimmitt and Mrs. Sallie M. Northen of Amarillo; three grandchildren, D. L. Wright of Plainview, Donald Wright and Dorothy Wright of Dimmitt; and five great grandchildren — Ricky Don, Jimmy Lee, Sherri Jan, Mark Lee and Jeffrey Lyn Wright.

Frio news

Club studies furniture

By Mrs. Owen Andrews
Frio Homemakers Club met Tuesday at Black's Furniture Store, Hereford. Mrs. Dick Barnard gave a program on "Comparison and Selection of Furniture Styles" giving the ladies ideas on grouping of different styles and using favorite old pieces with new among other suggestions. Attending were Mmes. Dee Taylor, Jim Brooks, Henry Andrews, Frank Robbins, T. L. Sparkman Jr., Annie Springer, Eugene Baldwin, Tommy Sparkman and Miss Alma Andrews. The next meeting is planned for May 13 with Mrs. Chesley Johnston as hostess.

speaker, Cheryl Cole also spoke and a singing group from Farwell Baptist Church were also on the program. From Frio attending were leaders Mrs. Earl Harkins, Mrs. Charles Self, and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin. Girls attending were Billie Manion, Cheryl Cole Rhonda Stephan, Brenda West and Judy Marchman.

The Junior Associational banquet was last Friday night, May 2. Sponsors of the Frio group are Mrs. Sam Ogan and Mrs. Weldon Stephan. Rev. M. B. Baldwin, Earth pastor will speak and girls who planned to attend are Jill Stephan, Patty Robbins, Beverly Cole, Kathy Waldrup, Susie Dobins, Judy Wright, Linda West, Stacy Robinson and Lynette Andrews.

Rev. M. B. Baldwin has resigned as pastor at Earth and plans to go to Grapevine Baptist Church, near Dallas some time this month. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Miller left Friday for a week's trip to Houston, where she will attend a tax collectors convention. He plans to visit his mother, Mrs. Carl Miller, at Pasadena, and other relatives in the area.

MRS. LLOYD SHULTZ, her mother, Mrs. Alma Smith and son, Dennis Ashby, spent last weekend at Lamesa. Mrs. Smith visited a granddaughter Mrs. C. C. Chaffin and family at Loop and

Mrs. Shultz and Dennis visited friends in Lamesa.

Alvin Shultz of Roscoe, came Friday to visit his brother, Lloyd Shultz and Mrs. Shultz for a day or two.

Visiting the Sam Ogans last Sunday were Mrs. Wortha Grey of Grants, N.M., and Crawford Holloway of Kenniwick, Wash. Both were members of Bunavista Church near Borger when the Ogans were there.

Sam Day of Fort Worth, who was a member of the church the Ogans pastored at Arvada, Colo., visited them on Tuesday.

Also visiting the Ogans several times was her nephew, Frank Lawrence of Arlington, who is working with Bell Telephone Co. He has headquarters in Hereford for a few weeks work here.

Ted Bush who underwent surgery three times on Tuesday in an Amarillo hospital was thought to be improving the last of the week. He was still in the intensive care unit however. He was suffering from internal bleeding and blood clots. His relatives, the H. E. Lindleys and Elza Warricks, have been going to Amarillo to see about him, and on Friday, a nephew, Clarence Story and Mrs. Story of Syracuse, Kan., came.

Mrs. E. B. Berryman went into the Hereford hospital on Wednesday for care as a heart patient.

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Sunnyside news

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley is new PTA president

By TEENY BOWDEN

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley was installed as president of the Springlake-Earth PTA in the meeting Monday night. Several from the community attended. Renee Jones, Lesa Morgan and Lonnie Wilson participated with the junior high band who furnished the entertainment.

Mrs. Ila Haydon and a niece, Mrs. Charles Brown of Weatherford left Monday for a few days at Truth or Consequences. Ila was admitted to St. Ann's Hospital there Monday night with what at first was believed to be a bleeding ulcer. She was too weak for surgery this week, but they said she couldn't be moved and they plan on surgery next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited in Weatherford with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haydon last Saturday through Monday.

BEN LOUDDER of Canyon and Bob Louder of Happy visited at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt last Sunday afternoon with W. E. Louder and Mrs. Ezell Sadler.

Raymond Lilley of Big Spring came in Monday evening and helped Donnie with the planting until Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lewis and family visited with them Thursday. He also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lilley, Jimmy and Johnny Alair were two of the three Springlake-Earth FFA judging team who placed third in the district at the 42nd

CLINT DAWSON was one of the 11 Cub Scouts to receive awards at Pack meeting Friday. He received his Gold Arrow points. His mother is the Den Mother of Den 3.

Dickie Bradley and Billy DeBusk participated with the Springlake-Earth Junior High School in the district track meet in Kress last Saturday. Dickie Bradley representing the seventh grade, won third in 8 hurdles, fourth in 100 low hurdles, first in pole vault and third in high jump. Billy DeBusk of the eighth grade won sixth in the 440 yard dash.

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The WMS Mission Action group met Wednesday night for their fifth Wednesday night program. Mrs. Milburn Haydon had charge of the program in the absence of the group leader, Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner.

Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner spent Friday night and Saturday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. O.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and family had dinner in Dimmitt last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard, instead of with the Ezell Sadlers and their guests as reported last week.

MR. AND MRS. Weldon Daniel of Olton visited Tuesday morning with Mrs. W. E. Louder and Ramona Dones.

The Vacation Bible School workers met for the first faculty meeting at the church Tuesday morning. Rev. Mack Turner will serve as principal.

Mrs. John Gilbreath and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley attended a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Carl Bruegel last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duke and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Duke visited in Earth recently with Mrs. L. D. Winders and most of her children who were home for a visit.

Steve Morgan passed from the rank of Tenderfoot Boy Scout to the second class at their meeting in Earth Tuesday afternoon. His father, Bill Morgan, is one of the troop advisors.

Mrs. Freddie Kemper is one of the Girl Scout leaders. She awarded several badges in their meeting Tuesday afternoon. She is the leader of Troop 178.

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15—LEGAL NOTICES

NO. 1147

THE ESTATE OF WINNIE CUNNINGHAM, DECEASED:
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Winnie Cunningham, Deceased were granted to LAURA NADOLSKI, Independent Executrix of said Estate, on the 5th day of May, 1969, by the County Court of Castro County, Texas. The said LAURA NADOLSKI has heretofore, in accordance with the law, appointed the undersigned as her resident agent in Texas, to accept service of process in all acts or proceedings with respect to the Estate of Winnie Cunningham, Deceased. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby requested to present same to the said LAURA NADOLSKI within the time prescribed by law by mailing same to the undersigned agent, whose post office address is as follows:

Jimmy L. Ross, Resident Agent of the Estate of Winnie Cunningham, Deceased
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Dimmitt, Texas 79027

LAURA NADOLSKI
Laura Nadolski, Independent Executrix of the Estate of Winnie Cunningham, Deceased

Sixty-three attended Sunday School with 18 in Training Union Sunday. From a half inch to an inch of rain was recorded Saturday night and Sunday. 65 of an inch was recorded for the north part of the community. Some hail fell Sunday afternoon.

D. Ennis of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haberer and Tisa temporarily of Plainview visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jones and family. Renee went home with them to spend the weekend with Tisa. They are residents of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Punk Gilbreath fished this week at Lake LBJ Monday through Saturday. They stopped by Abilene on their way home and visited with her daughter.

Mrs. Clarence Mitchell of Springlake was honored with a birthday party at Mrs. Milburn Haydon's Thursday afternoon. Others present were Mrs. Bob Ott and Mrs. Alton Louder. They all visited also with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson.

Debbie Wilson broke her right ankle while playing at school Friday afternoon. She was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital and the leg placed in a cast to below the knee due to the nature of the break. She was dismissed Saturday afternoon.

TERRY CRISP left Thursday morning by chartered bus with other delegates to attend the state meeting in Dallas. She represents Springlake-Earth and will receive her FFA degree while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joe Riley attended the funeral services of Otto Dimwiddie in Hart Saturday afternoon. Ray Joe was an active pallbearer. His dad, Ray Riley of Dimmitt was an honorary pallbearer. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Atwell also attended the services.

Mrs. Clarence Mitchell, Mrs. Alton Louder and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Louder and Ramona Dones.

Sue Harris attended the Junior-Senior banquet at Hart Saturday night.

Carl Dean Carson went with the Dimmitt 118 member band to Corpus Christi Wednesday to participate in the Buccaneer Days Band Festival. They went on four chartered busses.

Mrs. Carl Bradley and boys and Mrs. Jess Matlock of Springlake visited in Amarillo Thursday with Mrs. Charles Hedrick and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Crozier and family and his mother of Lovington, N.M. They visited last weekend in Eldorado, Okla. rather than Carlsbad as reported last week.

MRS. GALE SADLER, Cindy and Susan took Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler to the plane in Lubbock where they left for Corpus Christi to visit her brother and on to Rockport to visit her father, M. H. Fowlkes for a few days.

Mrs. Cliff Brown and boys visited in a Lubbock hospital with her mother Saturday and spent Saturday night with other relatives.

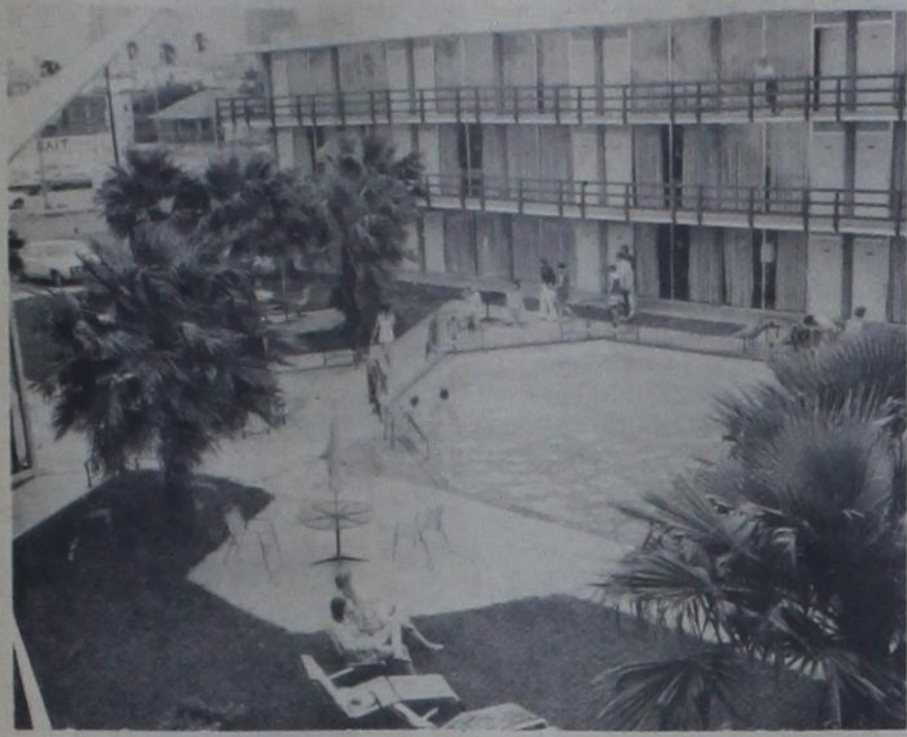
Mrs. Bill Morgan, junior GA leader, took Cindy Sadler, Tanya DeBusk, Resa Carson and Peggy McGowen to the associational GA banquet in Earth Friday night.

Cecil Curtis was injured in a two pickup accident in front of his home Saturday night as he made a left-hand turn into his drive into the path of a southbound pickup with three men from the Muleshoe, Sudan area. One of the men, Jerald Chism and Mr. Curtis were carried to Plains Memorial Hospital by ambulance, but neither was believed to be hurt seriously. Mr. Curtis will undergo tests Monday for pain in chest.

Ben Louder of Canyon, his daughter, Doris Lynn of Austin, and Bob Louder of Happy visited with W. E. Louder and Mrs. Ezell Sadler in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt Sunday afternoon.

MRS. ELMER DIXON was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon of Dimmitt Mrs. Harry Harris of Weatherford and her daughter,

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Booster Club elects Wylie

Oscar Wylie is the new president of the Dimmitt Bobcat Booster Club. HE WAS elected last week when the club met in the DHS cafeteria to choose new officers for the 1969-70 school year. Other new officers are M. E. Cleavinger, vice-president; Jessie Ebeling, secretary; Bob Kay, treasurer; and Bessie Strickland, reporter.

Jarvis to get degree at LCC

The largest class to graduate from Lubbock Christian College will be graduating on May 26 in the Moody Auditorium at 8 p.m. This class has 123 students and will be the last one to graduate from LCC with the two-year degree. GARLAND JARVIS, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jarvis of Dimmitt will be graduating with his Associate in Applied Arts Degree.

31% of grain acres diverted

The final report on 1969 sign-up for feed grains shows a total of 41.3 million acres (31 percent) of the 133 million acres feed grain base will be diverted. 35 percent of Texas' 12.6 million feed grain base, or 4.4 million acres were pledged to be diverted. TOTAL intended diversion is nearly five million acres greater than the record 36.7 million acres established in 1965. It is seven million acres more than the total for 1968. This should strengthen grain prices this fall unless bumper crops offset the decrease in acres with higher per acre average yields.

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HD notes

Annual HD luncheon will be held Monday

By IRENE KEATING

The annual THDA luncheon will be held Monday at the Steak House. The guest speaker will be Wolfgang Buschardt. Terri Newton will present the entertainment.

THE HIGHLIGHT of the meeting will be the announcement of the 1969 Home Demonstration Club Woman of the Year. Each year each club nominates an outstanding club member for this honor and then they are entered in a county judging which is done by an agent and club women in another county.

4-H COUNCIL will meet Saturday in the assembly room of the courthouse. It is important that all members attend this meeting.

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WITH graduation just around the corner, we're all trying to think of the "ideal" gift for the boys and girls on our lists. It is quite easy to shop for girls as all girls enjoy cosmetics, lingerie and jewelry.

For boys it seems that all we can think of is a shirt or tie. Why not use your ingenuity this year and buy some other items? For the many who will be going to college or will set up housekeeping with a job, why not give sheets, towels, or even an iron?

Boys and girls both can use shoe bags, garment bags, shoe shine kits, tie racks, and even car accessories are good for boys. I find that it's easier for me to buy gifts if I try to think "now what would I like."

We can make many nice gifts especially for girls. If you sew you could make anything from a beach coat to a nice suit or dress. Some boys might enjoy a book of certificates for items such as baked goods, car washings, gas certificates, clothes cleaning, etc. Always remember that if you can't decide on a gift you can always give a gift certificate from a store or cash.

I ALWAYS hear mothers complaining about the eating habits of their children. Feeding seems

urge him to try it again. Rejection problems between parents and children. Mothers may coax, nag or bargain their children into eating particular foods.

It is suggested that you introduce new foods to children one at a time, preferably when the child is very hungry. The child may spit out the food at first, but to be one of the most common reactions is a normal reaction to a new texture.

Let your child's appetite be the guide. He doesn't always want or need the same amount of food. Start with small servings and let him have more if he wants it. He will accept foods better if servings aren't too large. Foods such as carrot sticks, apple wedges, lettuce leaves and cubes of meat are handled easily and comfortably if they can be eaten with the fingers.

Grain stock up by 31 million

April 1 stocks of grain in all positions are estimated at 336 million bushels, an increase of 31 million bushels over last year, reports the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

Stocks of grain sorghums accounted for 39 million bushels of the increase.

Country Club

Work underway on grounds; opening date set on pool

By BUD POSEY
Golf Pro

Work has started on getting the golf course in excellent shape for the summer. Jerry Perea, an experienced groundsman who came here with me from Clovis, is mowing and watering, and the greens are being cut down to 3-16 of an inch in height, and it has already made a difference.

MERCHANDISE for the golf shop is coming in every day, and a complete stock will be kept. The driving range will be opened shortly — as soon as the balls and baskets arrive. Buckets of 20, 40 and 80 balls will be available for 25 cents per 20.

A club storage facility is being set up for the members who want this service. For a fee of \$2 per month, your clubs will be kept in the storage room and cleaned each time you play or practice. If you desire this service, please contact me at the pro shop.

I plan to conduct a Memorial Day tournament for club members Friday, May 30, and Saturday and Sunday, June 1 and 2. Details of this tournament will be printed in the News next Thursday.

THE SWIMMING pool and snack bar will open May 23, but will be available for swimming parties beginning Saturday. Kenneth Cleveland is in charge of these facilities.

A number of members are delinquent in their dues. These back dues must be paid completely before any delinquent member will be allowed the use of the golf course or other club facilities. Please contact Dale Prather or me for payment of dues, both delinquent and current. A delinquent member list has been posted in the clubhouse, showing the amount owed. As soon as a member pays, his delinquent dues, his name will be removed from the list.

My family will move to Dimmitt as soon as school is out in Clovis, May 29. Carolyn, myself and our children are looking forward to meeting each member and their families. We are also looking for a home — at least three bedrooms with 1 3/4 or two baths. We prefer to rent or lease, but would

consider buying. If you know of a house available, please contact me at the clubhouse or call me at 647-4502, day or night.

I FEEL like the Castro County Country Club has a great future, and know that a good golf course and club is in the making.

I will be available for lessons at any time after June 1, when my family arrives, and will be able to give a limited number prior to that time.

A daily player limit on the number of players in any one group will be posted at the front of the pro shop each day. Not more than six in a group will be allowed at any time. Whatever the sign says, that will be the rule — and it will be enforced.

Please register at the pro shop before playing golf, and call for tee-off times on Sunday. Come by and visit with us anytime.

Gridders elect Langford, Sanders

Dimmitt High School's football squad Monday elected quarterback Bill Sanders and center Gary Langford as the team co-captains for the 1969 season.

HEAD COACH Brown I. Smith said squad members will elect a third co-captain before their first district game next season.

Smith reported that 65 freshman, sophomore and junior boys are now participating in weight lifting and agility drills. Two-day workouts are scheduled to start Aug. 18.

Take 'tractor break'

With farmers stepping up the tempo of farm work when weather permits, tractor accidents can be expected to increase. Extension agricultural engineers at Texas A&M University urge tractor drivers to be doubly careful in handling their machines and equipment. Take some breaks and stay alert.

ACCORDING to Extension consultant marketing specialist Gwendolyn Clyatt, coffee and eggs cost less last year than they did 10 years ago. Egg prices were reported down 18.7 percent and coffee prices were down 10.4 percent.

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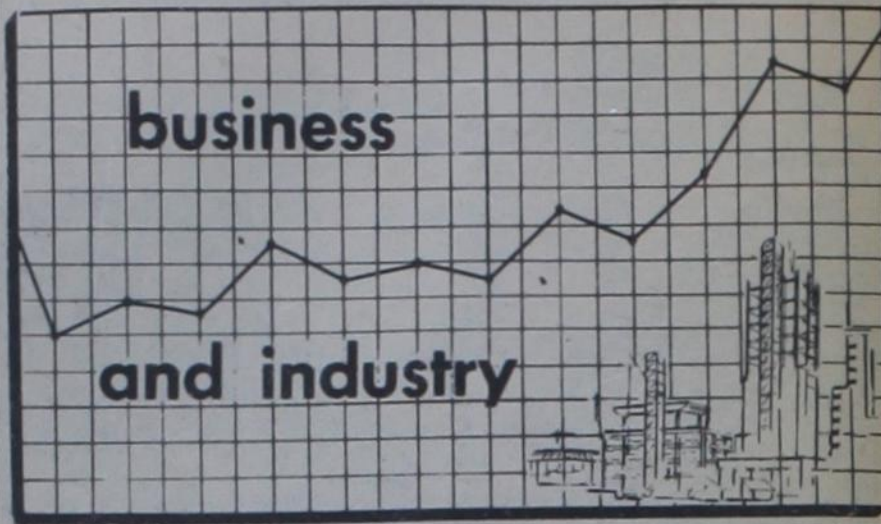
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March bond sales hit \$4,925 here

According to a report received this week from Judge Raymond Wilson, chairman of the Castro County Savings Bonds Committee, the sale of United States Savings Bonds and Freedom Shares in Castro County during the month of March totaled \$4,925. Quarterly sales totaled \$22,210, or 37 percent of the 1969 goal of \$60,000.

DURING THE first quarter of 1969 sales in Texas totaled \$46,756,377 — an increase of 1.7 percent over sales during the same period of 1968.

March sales were \$13,684,597 as compared to \$14,174,187 during 1968. Total sales over the Nation during March were \$381 million bringing sales for the first quarter to \$1,247 million.



GSPA still trying to crack European Common Market wall

The Grain Sorghum Producers Association is continuing its search for ways to retain its markets for grain farmers in the European Common Market.

THE THRESHOLD price that was instituted three years ago in the Common Market has virtually placed an embargo on US grain sorghums into Europe.

GSPA President A. W. Anthony Jr. of Friona attended meetings in Washington the week of April 7-11. Purposes of these meetings were to explore ways of getting Europeans to remove this prohibitive threshold price of US grain sorghum.

Anthony said, "We feel that not only are we losing this market for US grain sorghums but also that the Europeans are being hurt because of the higher cost of their feed grain. It costs them at least half again, if not double, the amount that they normally would have to pay otherwise, thus making the cost of their feed going into meat, milk, butter, and eggs cost considerably more and making it prohibitive for many of the Europeans to buy as much of these products as they would like."

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State Capitol Highlights

Will governor get his two-year bill?

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Strong determination to hold out for a two-year spending bill with new taxes now was voiced by Gov. Preston Smith after a week of conferences on the subject.

SMITH TOOK the line that he and legislators have a commitment for teacher pay raises, and that it cannot be done without a tax bill to raise about \$100 million a year.

But Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Speaker Gus Mutscher, as leaders of the two houses of the Legislature, will make the decision on whether a one-year or a two-year spending bill will be passed. "We are considering all factors, and the governor's opposition to a one-year bill is, of course, one factor," Barnes said.

Smith declared, "The House-Senate conference committee is working on a two-year bill. That would indicate to me that it has been pretty well determined."

Conferees did go to work on a biennial bill. The House Revenue and Tax Committee has yet to come up with a tax package, although Mutscher privately has sketched out a \$275 million revenue bill which includes a \$90 million corporate gains tax and increased cigarette levies.

Although rumors increased concerning possible summer special sessions of the Legislature after Smith took his stand against delayed taxation, the governor insists that will be unnecessary. He thinks lawmakers, "if they apply themselves," can get through with all mandatory duties by the June 2 regular session deadline.

BILLS PASSED
With less than a month of the regular session to go, the House began to out-distance the filibustered Senate in churning out major bills.

House finally approved measures boosting the drinking curfew to 2 a.m. and increasing maximum interest rates on \$300 to \$1,000 loans from 8% to 12% per 100.

Another House proposal passed and sent to the Senate is a constitutional amendment to permit local governments to contract with each other for services like police and fire protection, streets, waste disposal etc.

Both houses completed action on a bill to strengthen the law requiring open meetings and advance notice of government agencies. Legislative investigating committee sessions and consultations with attorneys will no longer be exempt. Both houses also approved a bill adding four more "Monday holidays" — Columbus, Veterans' and Memorial Days and

Washington's Birthday — for state employees effective in 1971.

The legislators also voted themselves a substantial boost in retirement benefits.

The house gave final approval to a bill that allows children to transfer from one district to another without the permission of the home district, taking state money with them.

House sent to the Senate bills to permit persons 18 or older to teach driver education, provide for occupational drivers licenses for persons 15 to 18, toughen the 1967 Consumer Credit Code restrictions on misleading advertising, and bring the state law closer to conformance with the Federal Truth in Lending law. (It gives the State Consumer Credit Commissioner broader powers in enforcing the code.)

Also, the House voted to create a six-member committee to promote mass transportation and to make eight changes in the 1943 banking code.

Senators, braving an all-night filibuster, passed a resolution to knock the annual voter registration requirement out of the constitution.

Senate approved a \$1.25 per hour state minimum wage bill and sent it on to the House.

A bill to halt the flow of unsolicited merchandise that comes by mail passed the Senate. The bill says unsolicited merchandise may be deemed a gift and the receiver does not have to return or pay for it.

The Senate passed a bill to change the requirements for independent school districts wishing to form junior colleges. Contiguous districts with a combined taxable wealth of \$30 million — instead of \$9.5 million — and a scholastic population of 3,000, instead of 7,000, could establish a junior college.

Among other Senate-passed bills were stiff new controls for forging or altering prescriptions, curbs on obscene movies, a bill to establish a council to study the problems of children with learning defects, and a measure which would permit Galveston's Moody family heirs to share in insurance company stock dividends distributed to the \$165 million Moody Foundation.

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES
Federal food stamp program must be operated by State Department of Public Welfare, not by county commissioners courts, Attorney Gen. Crawford Martin held in an opinion requested by Harris County Attorney Joe Resweber.

IN A torrent of other new opinions, Martin concluded that:
—There is no authority in law or the constitution for a constable

to form a standby auxiliary force for civil disaster or special police duty.

—Hutchinson County can require relocation of telephone and utility poles and lines (at company cost) which are "airport hazards."

—Senate bill providing for election of presidential electors by congressional districts and requiring them to vote as did the plurality of their district or state is constitutional.

—Collingsworth County commissioners cannot use road and bridge fund revenues for motor vehicle registrations for other purposes.

—Furnishing ambulance service is not a required hospital district function.

—The law governing Grade A milk (pasteurized) to be shipped into Texas does not apply to importation of cream and other milk products.

—The Board of Education requirement that colleges seeking its approval of teacher education programs reimburse it for the evaluating committee's travel expenses is not authorized by state law.

NEARLY 10,000 Texas landowners have installed recreational facilities on their land for public use.

YEARLY rainfall in Texas varies from 8 inches at El Paso to 56 inches in east Texas.

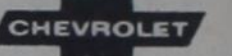
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Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

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Local corpsman gets certificate

Jerry Walker, 18, of Dimmitt was among 175 Gary Job Corps Center trainees to receive a certificate of completion at formal graduation ceremonies last Thursday.

WALKER completed the cooking course and has been in training at Gary for seven months. The graduating class represented all six vocational clusters which include the 34 trade programs offered on Center.

Presentation of graduation certificates was made by Center Director Wallace D. Dockall. The graduates and their special guests were honored at a reception in the student union building following the ceremony.

The Gary Center currently has more than 3,000 corpsmen in training. Approximately 15,680 others have completed training and have been processed for employment, have returned to school or are in the military services.

Telephone company announces long range expansion program

Arlis McBee, district manager of West Texas Telephone Co., reports new progress in the company's long-range program to improve and expand service as a part of the nation-wide operations of the Continental Telephone System.

A MAJOR step in this program was the start of construction a few days ago on a new Southwest Division headquarters building in Dallas for Continental Telephone. Intensive upgrading of Continental service will be coordinated from this location.

McBee said he has been notified by Arthur S. Taylor, vice-president and general manager of the Southwest Division, that the Dimmitt area has high priority in Continental's system-wide efforts toward improved service.

The new two-story division headquarters building, with 18,000 square feet of floor space, will house Continental Telephone's division staff of 70, which provides management services to 14 telephone company properties in Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma. Continental also operates 13 cable television systems in these states.

CONTINENTAL is the third largest independent telephone system in the nation, serving more than 1.3 million telephones in 41 states, parts of Canada, and the Caribbean Islands.

The program to upgrade telephone service in the Southwest Division is being directed both toward improvement of facilities and training of personnel for efficient operations, Taylor said.

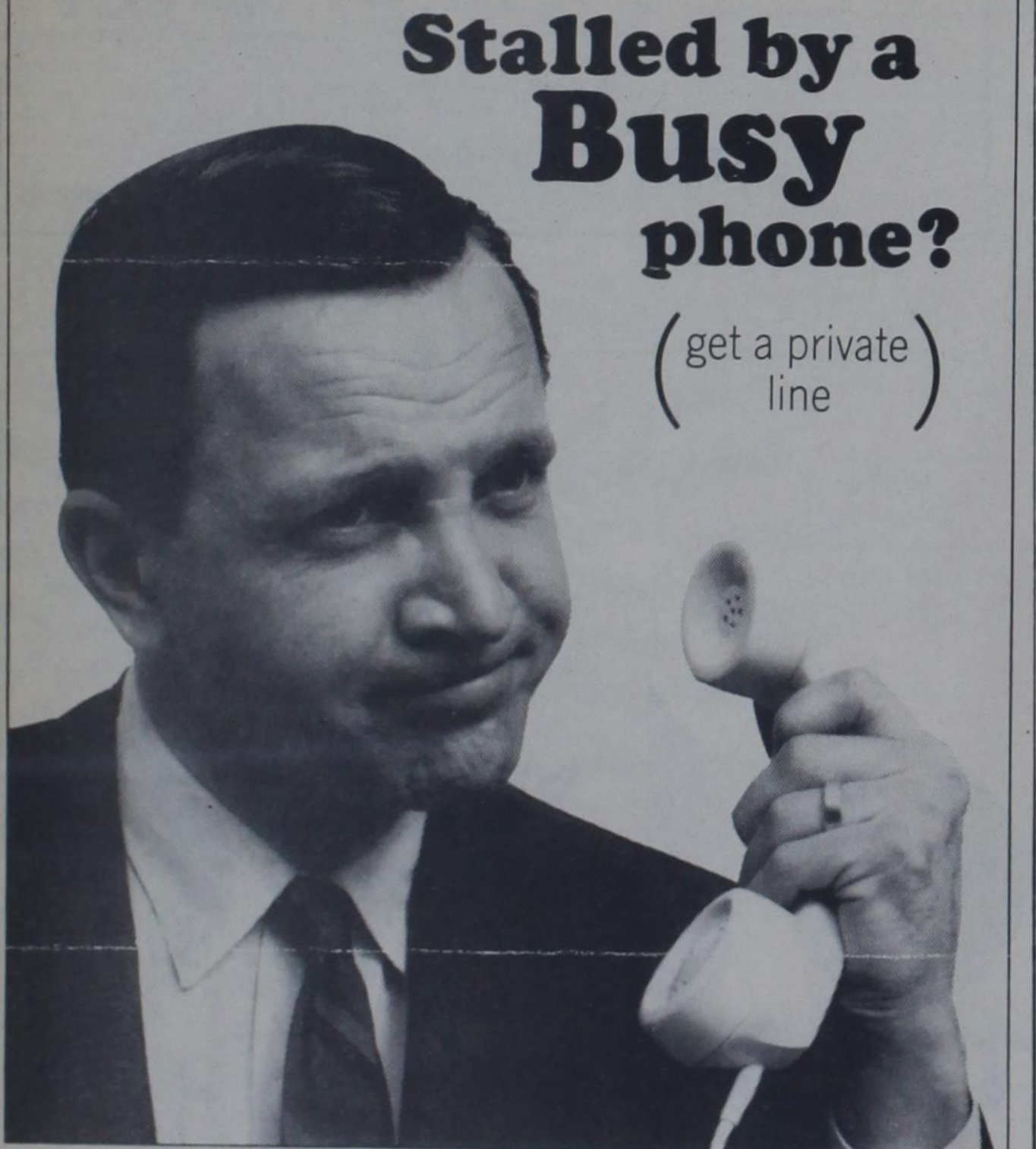
Utility earns safety award

Employees of the Plains Division of the Southwestern Public Service Co., of which Dimmitt is part, have been honored by the Texas Safety Association for working the entire year of 1968 without a lost-time injury.

THE DIVISION'S 255 employees worked 549,022 man-hours last year without a disabling injury. In addition to accumulating the perfect safety record for last year, the group recorded an exceptional improvement over the 1967 effort which showed a frequency rate of 5.13 disabling injuries for every million man-hours worked.

The division received an award of merit from the Texas Safety Association for Group C, organizations working 200,000 to 1,000,000 man-hours a year.

Jerry Hays of Plainview is the division safety and personnel supervisor, with the safety program carried on through local safety units.



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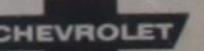
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Hart news

By MYRT LOMAN

Hart High School will hold baccalaureate services Sunday at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Hart.

Rev. Fred Brown will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, with Rev. C. T. Cunningham offering the invocation and Harold McCollum giving the benediction.

Special music will be provided by a trio composed of Iona Clevenger, Rebecca Futrell and Ron Barham, who will sing "He."

Mrs. Weldon Davis will play the processional and recessional for the services.

Marshals will be Pam Shive and Harold Bob Bennett. Ushers will be Carol Sharp, Vicki Six, Terry Newman and Andy Rogers.

THE DAIRY Products Judging Team placed 10th in the State FFA Judging Contests held at Texas A&M last weekend. Team members are Johnny Ethridge, Keith Lemons and David Harris. More than 90 teams participated in the Dairy Products Contest.

The Dairy Cattle Judging Team did not fare quite as well, placing 66th. There were 96 dairy cattle teams participating. Hart team members were Don Sanders, Ricky Mitchell and Terry Newman. Since they did not place in the top 10, they will be eligible to compete again next year.

The State Judging Contest ended a successful year for the judging teams. Winnings include three first places, two second places, three third places, a fifth place, and a tenth place. Also, three boys — Ricky Mitchell, Bob Waide and Johnny Ethridge — were among the high individuals in the Texas Tech contests. The Judging teams picked up nine banners and one trophy for the vo-ag classroom for their efforts.

THREE representatives of the Hart FHA chapter were among the 5,000 members attending the Future Homemakers state meeting in Dallas this past weekend.

Rebecca Futrell, fifth vice-president of Area 1, was a member of the nominating committee.

Frances Cunningham, a voting delegate and Carol Sharp, a member of the chapter, attended.

Mrs. J. V. Wescott, Hart FHA advisor, and Mrs. Ralph Futrell accompanied the girls.

THE RA's of the First Baptist Church met Friday evening with 52 boys in attendance. Leaders Harold Smith, Rich-

ard Murray and the pastor, Rev. C. T. Cunningham, issued the RA manual, the boys' study book. As the boys learn the guidelines to leading a useful life, each will receive an achievement award.

Bill Mason of the First Baptist Church of Edmonson showed a film of mission work in Mexico, in which the men of the Baptist churches of Edmonson and Hart have had a part.

LADIES of the Women's Missionary Society of the Edmonson and Hart Baptist churches are helping two girls from Mexico attend the Valley Baptist Academy in Harlingen, where they receive special training.

Saturday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McMennamy and girls of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Myrick of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myrick and children of Lubbock.

REBECCA FUTRELL and Iona Clevenger of Hart High School were among the graduating seniors who were honored Tuesday night in Canyon for their achievement in scholastic and citizenship activities at the second annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Scholars Awards Banquet.

The banquet was held in the east cafeteria at West Texas State University, honoring 27 students and their parents.

Presentation of awards was made by F. V. Wallace, president-elect of the West Texas Chamber and former mayor of Amarillo.

Guest speaker was Wales Madden Jr. of Amarillo. KAY SCHULTE of Olton, a student at McMurry College who served last summer as youth director of the Hart United Methodist Church, was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the McMurry Student Government Association. She is also a member of Delta Beta Epsilon social club. She is majoring in elementary education.

HART's cheerleaders for 1969-'70 were elected at an assembly meeting Friday.

Vickie Six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Six, was elected head cheerleader. She will be a senior next school year.

Ronnie Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox, will represent the junior class. Cindy Dyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dyer, was elected by the sophomore class, and Bonnie Seymour, daughter of Coach and Mrs. Don Seymour, was elected to be the "at-large" cheerleader.

THE HART Independent School District is accepting bids for the total fire insurance program. This includes the high school building, elementary school building, 15 school rent houses, cafeteria and agriculture building, four-room class building, old shop building, bus barn, football stadium and scoreboard.

The bid is for maximum insurability for a three-year term. Bids will be accepted for vandalism and liability at present coverage. All policies are to expire on the same date. Bids are to be opened May 26 at 8:30 p.m.

SENIORS of Hart High School were guests of honor at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet Saturday night in the Hart school cafeteria.

Theme of the banquet was "Paradise Island." The cafeteria was decorated with a sunken garden in the center. Beautiful yellow flowers and greenery surrounded the garden, with the "treasure chest" of gold in the center.

Harold Bob Bennett gave the welcome address and served as master of ceremonies. The response was given by Rickey Bennett, member of the senior class.

Iona Clevenger read the senior class will, and Pam Shive and Jerry Heller read the junior class prophecy.

Guest speaker Kenneth Wyatt of Tulia was unable to attend, and Weldon Bates, Hart High School principal, served as speaker.

The sophomore girls and boys served the meal.

"YOUR CALLING — To Walk in the Master's Steps," will be the theme of a youth rally here Saturday. Registration will begin at 1:30, with the program to start at 2 p.m. in the Hart Elementary school building.

Guest speakers include Don Williams of Lubbock, Dr. B. D. Murphy and Harold McCollum of Dimmitt.

Lubbock Christian High School's 55-voice choir will present songs and conduct a "Hootenanny" with skits, songs, instrumental numbers and other entertainment.

MY ERROR in last week's story of Hart's salutatorian, Iona Clevenger — she will be attending Lubbock Christian College this summer and not South Plains College.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Beardon have returned from a short visit with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wall of Burlington, Colo.

Workers for vacation Bible School are needed at the First Baptist Church, June 2 through 5. If you can work, contact Mrs. Howard Mitchell, superintendent, or the pastor, Rev. C. T. Cunningham.

ham. Hours will be 2 to 5 p.m.

MRS. MELVIN AVEN has been selected as superintendent of the vacation Bible school of the United Methodist Church.

The school will be conducted June 2 through 6 from 3 to 6 p.m. for ages 4 through 12.

Workers for the different age groups will be: Nursey, Mrs. Bob Bowden and Mrs. Bill Rich; Kindergarten, Mrs. Bob Bennett and Mrs. Newlon Rowland; Elementary 1-2, Mrs. Fred Brown and Mrs. R. L. Hawkins; Elementary 3-4, Mrs. Edd Bennett and Mrs. Wilma A. Hawkins Jr.; Elementary 5-6, Mrs. Charles Black and Mrs. Theron Morrison.

THE GIRLS Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday after school with 30 girls present.

Completing the lesson program, the girls discussed a mother-daughter banquet with the date, time and place to be set later. The Royal Ambassadors of the church are planning a party to host the GA girls.

REMEMBER that Mayor E. E. Foster has declared the week of May 12 through 17 as "Hart Cleanup Week." Laborers, trucks and pickups are needed.

Now that this is the season of severe weather, locate a cellar or basement near you that you may go to for protection in case of a storm here. Our deputy sheriff and night watchman are very thoughtful for our safety as they try to warn us, along with members of the Hart Fire Department. There is a big cellar just west of the First Baptist Church.

FUNERAL services were held Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Jessie Lancaster, 83, at the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Portales, with burial in Portales Cemetery beside her husband, C. C. Lancaster, who died in 1949.

Mrs. Lancaster was born Oct. 18, 1885, in Scott County, Ark., and had lived at Portales for 19 years. She had been in ill health for some time.

Rev. John Summers, a grandson-in-law, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Don Hayhurst.

She is survived by seven daughters and three sons, including Lester Lancaster of Hart; 27 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren.

THE WOMEN'S Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church last Thursday morning held its annual breakfast honoring the seniors of Hart High school.

Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins Jr. welcomed the 36 seniors. Joe Quiroz responded for the senior class.

Mrs. Fred Brown, guest speaker, talked on "Building For the Future."

Each senior in the United Methodist Church was presented a Bible from the members of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

The tables were covered with white, and table decorations were tulips and baby breath arrangements of small dolls dressed as graduates. Atop the piano was a miniature "Little Red School House."

THE THREE dens of Cub Scouts met last week. Members of Den 1 made an insect zoo for their study on "Nature." There were nine boys present.

Den 2 is studying "The Wonders of the World," and each boy answered roll call with a name of a tree. The eight boys are making a book of leaves from trees that can be found in Hart, and are adding color with splatter ink.

The six boys in Den 3 practiced with puppets.

SUNDAY is Mother's Day. President Nixon has called upon Americans to honor mothers by displaying the flag at their homes and on all government buildings Sunday.

The President recalled that 55 years ago, FrestCent Woodrow

PARENTS help create good emotions in their children, says Jennie Kitching, Extension family life education specialist. By knowing how the baby learns and what he needs, parents are better prepared to influence the child's emotions through common activities.

MAY IS Senior Citizens Month, a good time to think about retirement, says Minnie Bell, Extension specialist for aging. Retirees should choose a path of satisfaction; make a plan of things they would like to do; and seek variety by being adventurous every once in a while.

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Wilson called upon the American people to display the flag as "a public expression of our love and reverence for the mothers of the country."

JEAN FOSTER, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wamon Foster, is the valedictorian of the eighth grade class with a grade average of 92.76.

Dirk Rambo, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rambo, is the salutatorian with a grade average of 92.23.

"HOBBY CRAFT" was the subject of the program given by Mrs. Preston Upshaw at last week's meeting of the Zealot Club in the Upshaw home, with Mrs. Jackie Eurns as co-hostess.

The short business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Upshaw.

The club voted to give to the Hart Girl Scouts a gift of \$50 to license the Girl Scout bus.

Eight applicants have applied for the club's scholarship, to be given to a 1969 graduate of Hart High School.

Mrs. Upshaw appointed Mrs. Warren Lemons chairman of the club's 20th anniversary program in October.

Twenty members were present. THE CUB SCOUTS held their monthly pack meeting last week in the Hart Elementary Gym.

Bob Reed was in charge of roll count, with Den 3 winning the "Cubbie Award" for having the most parents present.

The program consisted of the three dens presenting skits, Den 1 presented "Their First Camp-out with Modern Appliances," Den 2 staged "Hobby Happenings and Crazy Collections," and Den 3 presented a puppet show.

The following awards were presented: Den 1 — Barry Billingsley, denner badge; Mike Clevenger, assistant denner badge; Joel Rubalcaba, bobcat badge.

Den 2 — Keith Reed, denner badge; J. D. Garriety, assistant denner badge; Kelley Jones, one gold and one silver arrow; Jackie

Davis, one silver arrow. Den 3 — Vic Hart, Pat Six and Bruce McAdams, Wolf Badge; Part Brington, Bear Badge; Bobby Allensworth, bear badge.

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US 'farm vote' still dwindling

A new population study by the Library of Congress has re-emphasized the steady decline in farmer voting power.

ACCORDING to Donald Johnson, executive vice-president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., it shows 21 states in which not one district has farmers numbering over 15 percent of the voting population.

Only 83 of the 435 US congressional districts have 15 percent or more of their population living on farms, and farmers comprise only 25 percent or more of the populace in only 31 districts.

California, which always ranks either first or second in value of total farm production, has 38 congressmen, but not one of them represents a district with more than 15 percent farm residents. Eight other big farm states, including New Mexico, Arizona and Florida, are also without farm

congressmen. BUT JOHNSON points out that small numbers alone doesn't necessarily mean the farmer has lost his voice in Washington.

"A lot can be done to overcome the lack of farmer influence in legislative matters," Johnson says, "if farmers will get together, speak with a single voice and get more deeply involved in political affairs."

He adds that this has been done by producers of some agricultural commodities and is being done by others, "but unfortunately we in the business of producing cotton are far behind the field in the matter of national unity and in political involvement."

1,181 FLOOD prevention dams have been built or contracted in Texas. SCS engineers plan, design and lay out the dams, then inspect them during construction.



Repeal of investment credit could hurt farmer, PCG says

It is generally conceded that at least some of the tax reform measures sought by President Nixon and the Treasury Department will be enacted by Congress during this session. And few would argue that no reforms are needed.

BUT DON ANDERSON, president of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., points out that one of the proposed tax law changes would be highly detrimental to an already depressed farm economy.

He refers to the President's recommendation that the 7 percent investment tax credit be repealed.

The investment tax credit permits the deduction of 7 percent

of the cost of new equipment or plant facilities from the federal income tax load for the year of purchase.

IT WAS originally adopted by Congress as a tool to stimulate a lagging economy. Now the administration is recommending that it be repealed as a deterrent to the inflationary pressures of a booming economy.

Without commenting on the need for slowing the nation's economy in general, Anderson says there is certainly nothing in the farm sector that can be described as "booming."

Noting the decline in prices for agricultural commodities "almost across the board," he says "this can hardly be called inflationary."

He concludes that "The need for stimulating the farm economy is now greater, not less, than it was when the law was enacted. And if the law is to be repealed, agriculture obviously should be exempted."

Gin lab changes dedication time

Dedication of USDA's Ginning Laboratory at Lubbock, to which the public is invited, will begin at 2 p.m. May 17 instead of at 10 a.m. as was originally announced.

THE CHANGE, according to Shallowater ginner Bill Thompson, chairman of the dedication committee, was made to accommodate Secretary of Agriculture Clifford Hardin, who will appear on the program.

Secretary Hardin will be introduced by 19th District Congressman George Mahon, who played a substantial role in securing the ginning laboratory for the High Plains.

The agricultural research service facility, is located next door to the Texas A&M Agricultural Research and Extension Center, seven miles north of Lubbock on the Amarillo highway.

The laboratory consists of a complete ginning system, a machine shop and several offices. The fourth of its kind in the US and the first to be located in Texas, it is set up to seek improved methods of handling, drying, cleaning and packaging machine stripped cotton.

Morrison to be dedication guest

Gene Morrison of Morrison Gin Co., will be one of the principal guests at the dedication of the South Plains Ginning Research Laboratory May 17 in Lubbock.

Morrison is on the executive committee and the board of directors of the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association.

Dr. Clifford M. Hardin, Secretary of Agriculture, will be the principal speaker at the dedication ceremony.

The association's board of directors will meet May 16 to discuss industry problems and to plan association policies for the coming year.

'Caprock' wheat makes it debut

Caprock, a hard red winter wheat and a sister selection to Sturdy, has been announced by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Crops Research Division, Agricultural Research Service, USDA.

THE NEW variety was developed cooperatively by the Station and Service. It is not recommended for planting in states north of Texas. Seed from approximately 60 acres of foundation seed stock will be harvested this year and this seed will be released to certified seed producers for fall seeding in 1969.

Grain Sorghum CHAFF

By WES ANTHONY

David Springer, Edd McLeroy and I had the pleasure of attending the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) meeting in the Student Union Building at West Texas State University Wednesday of last week. It surely was a pleasant and informative program.

IT WAS a four or five-hour program, and of course I cannot tell you but a few of the things we learned.

One of the first things we were told was, "We must learn to work together."

We were also told that, in the last decade, the gross income of the 26 Panhandle counties that make up the PEP area had risen one billion dollars and is still rising fast.

Some of us may not have time to appreciate the good things of life for grieving over the unpleasant things.

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US makes two big grain sales

Area grain sorghum producers may reap some benefits from stronger market prices because of two important sales made last week by USDA.

THE FIRST was to Israel for 4.4 million bushels, and the other to India for 12 million bushels. These sales show signs that the Nixon Administration is reinstating grain sorghum to the PL480 Program.

Prior to Secretary of Agriculture Freeman's policy of omitting grain sorghum from PL480 allocations after April 1968, India has been buying up to 86 million bushels per year. The loss of this market last year had hurt the US export of grain sorghum and thus weakened the prices received by farmers.

THE GRAIN Sorghum Producers Association has been working to get such PL480 allocations to include grain sorghum ever since they were removed a year ago. A. W. Anthony Jr., Friona farmer and GSPA president said, "These sales should improve our prices some. We hope USDA will continue such sales. If they do, our prices will strengthen without a doubt."

Area weather study may benefit farmers

Can weather, the nemesis to many High Plains farmer's profit, be charted to indicate trends for what can be expected during the coming farming season.

THIS IS one of the questions that could be answered in the extensive weather recording and reporting data compiled annually by the High Plains Research Foundation.

Weather "record keeper" at the Foundation, Jim Valliant, Soil Scientist, said charted graphs of weather conditions over the past years seem to indicate some patterns that follow similar trends through each season.

"It has been my observation

that in years we have a warm February and a cool March, we have had good cotton weather during the summer," Valliant said. If this holds true, this should be a good cotton year due to the snow and cold weather occurring in March.

And if such trends can be accurate, then farmers could plan their farming program and cultural patterns to take advantage of weather.

AMONG THE hardest decisions to be made by the farmer is the proper planting time. Rule of the thumb is when the soil temperature reaches a 10-day average of 60 degrees. However, if the farmer knew approximately when this

temperature could be reached, he could plant five days earlier while the average was being set.

The charted temperature graphs from 1962 to 1968 show that the last cold spell for the season occurred between April 26 and May 12 in six of seven years. A study of the weekly weather forecasts during this period could pinpoint this last spring cold spell and permit the selection of a more optimum cotton planting date.

Valliant said the weather records could provide a key to weather trends that could pinpoint dates of unfavorable weather and farmers knowing this could take advantage of special cultural practices to produce more income.



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Green-Ramey vows read in Amarillo

Miss Judy Ann Green and Edgar Robert Ramey exchanged marriage vows April 25 in a double-ring ceremony in the Original Chapel of Amarillo's First Baptist Church.

THE BRIDE is the daughter of Melvin Green of Hollis, Okla. Ramey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramey of Amarillo and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin "Goose" Ramey of Dimmitt.

Dr. Winford Moore, pastor of Amarillo's First Baptist Church, conducted the ceremony before an archway of greenery flanked by candelabra and carnations.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Charles Green of Amarillo.

Best man was Edwin Ramey of Amarillo, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Shannon Ramsey and Larry Green, both of Amarillo. Ushers were Ramey Beene of Friona, cousin of the groom, and Arnold Acker of Lubbock.

DANNY KNIGHT of Amarillo was the organist for the wedding.



Mrs. Edgar Ramey

and Mrs. Ben Dudenhoefter of Amarillo provided music for the reception that followed.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a wedding gown of white satin under Chantilly lace, designed with an Empire bodice and long sleeves. Her veil of French illusion and Chantilly lace was secured by a pearl-seeded tiara. Her bouquet was carnations and Lilies of the Valley, carried atop a white satin-and-lace covered Bible.

A reception followed in the First Baptist Church parlor. Assisting were Mrs. Larry Green, Mrs. Bobbie Lovelady, Mrs. Tom Post and Mrs. Shannon Ramsey, all of Amarillo, and Mrs. Eugene Oldham of Canyon. The serving table featured a cloth of imported cutwork from Belgium.

THE NEWLYWEDS are now at home at 2217 Polk St., Amarillo, following a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N.M.

The bride, who attended schools in Hollis, Okla., is employed by Multi-Color Film Processing Co. in Amarillo.

Ramey, a graduate of Amarillo



Square Dance Tips

By **BILL HARMAN**
The Tips and Toes Club from Lockney brought a square of dancers Tuesday night to the Promenaders square dance. Our traveling banner is still in Plainview, so the club from Lockney took the president's shirt.

THE CALLER for the evening of square dancing was Roy Johnson who calls for the Pairs and Squares and the Tumbleweeds in Amarillo.

The host couples were Bob and Wanda Murdock and Ted and Jean Robb. Door prize was won by Shirley Nelson.

The Dimmitt Promenaders are having visiting callers from around the area while Sid Perkins, our regular caller, is in Kansas for a few weeks.

Square 'em up! Square dancing is fun!



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Strength and endurance characteristics of this type carpet makes it an ideal floor covering for heavy traffic areas as in hospitals, supermarkets, offices and schools. One company guarantees their carpet against excessive surface wear for five years from the date of installation when properly installed and maintained, reports Miss Lay.

IF THE carpet happens to be damaged as a burn or tear, it can be repaired by cutting out and removing the damaged area and installing a new piece.

High School, attended Amarillo College and West Texas State University. He is employed at Weatherly Cabinet Co. in Amarillo.



Miss Gladman

Vows set for June

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gladman of Amarillo have announced the engagement of their daughter, Trelis Lyn, to Stanley Vere Moore Jr. of Dallas.

MISS GLADMAN, a former Dimmitt resident, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Summers of Dimmitt. She is a graduate of Tascosa High School in Amarillo and attended Abilene Christian College. She is now a junior at Texas Women's University College of Nursing in Dallas.

Moore, son of Mrs. Stanley V. Moore of Dallas, attended North Texas State University in Denton where he was a member of Phi Mu Alpha. He served four years in the US Navy, and is now employed by Blue Cross-Blue Shield in Dallas.

A June 7 wedding in the Bell Avenue Church of Christ is planned.



PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Dale Ponder of Route 5, Hereford. He was born last Thursday, weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces, and has been named Mark Henry.

TEXAS ranchers rested 7 million acres of rangeland last year. This builds up grass vigor and thickens the stand of better grasses.

Mrs. Tyson wins Tops Queen title

The Dimmitt SOS TOPS Club met April 28 at 8 p.m. with leader Arlene Oldfield presiding. Two ladies, Mrs. Janice Bell and Mrs. Violet Barton visited the meeting.

QUEEN of the Week was Mrs. Linda Tyson with a loss of 7 1/2 pounds. The club had a total loss of 21 1/2 pounds and a gain of 5 1/2 pounds. There were 18 members weighing in.

The club will celebrate its first birthday May 12 with a salad supper, and will have as guests the ladies from the TOPS Club in Earth.

Regular meeting time is 8 p.m. Mondays at the Plainview Production Credit Association office.



ENGAGED — Kathy Lynne Alexander will become the bride of Narvin Dale Waller of Hart at 7 p.m. May 29 in the United Methodist Church of Hart. Miss Alexander is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Alexander.

Reservations due for Book Club's annual luncheon

The Dimmitt Book Club will hold its annual spring luncheon Wednesday at noon at the Hereford Country Club.

MEMBERS of the club should make their reservations by Monday by phoning Mrs. James Bradford or Mrs. Jim Cleavinger.

Mrs. James Welch will present an original program entitled, "Who's Under Your Hat." She will change hats throughout her humorous program to portray typical women and various situations that might arise in a women's organization.

Program chairman is Mrs. James Horton.

June 12 date set

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hochstein of Nazareth announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sharon, to Ralph Brockman of Nazareth.

THE WEDDING is scheduled for 3 p.m. Thursday, June 12 in the Holy Family Church of Nazareth, with all friends of the couple invited.

Miss Hochstein, a 1968 graduate of Nazareth High School, is presently a freshman at West Texas State University.

Brockman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brockman, is a 1962 graduate of Nazareth High School, served in the armed forces and is presently employed at Nazareth Oil and Gas.



Mrs. DeWayne Brown

Chi Psi chapter honors mothers; names Mrs. Brown 'Girl of Year'

Members of the Chi Psi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi honored their mothers and other guests Monday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the United Methodist Church with a salad supper.

Following the meal, songs were sung to the guests by members, and awards presented. Mrs. Dora Fletcher, mother of Mrs. Fred Brown, was honored as the oldest mother present; Mrs. Mabel Aven, mother of Mrs. Joe Edd Carson, the mother with the most children; and Mrs. David Irons was honored as the youngest mother.

Mrs. DeWayne Brown, chapter president, was presented the "Girl of the Year" award by Mrs. Rennie Farris, the past "Girl of the Year." Mrs. Brown was selected by the members for having done the most for the chapter in the past year.

There were 33 members present, plus guests from Hart, Dimmitt, Plainview and Edmonson.

Corsages were given to guests Monday night, and several friends were presented corsages by the sorority Tuesday morning.

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Boys Staters from Hart named

Harold Bob Bennett and Jerry Heller will represent Hart at Texas Boys State in Austin June 7-14.

WHILE AT the state capital, the boys — both juniors — will study and observe Texas government and will participate in the various fields of government.

Bennett, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Bennett of Hart. He is being sponsored by Hart American Legion Post 311. He has attended Hart schools 11 years, is a member of the United Methodist Church and the MYF. He is a member of the junior and senior

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conducting teams, livestock judging team, FFA chapter, FFA, and National Honor Society. He served as reporter for his freshman and sophomore classes, is presently president of the junior class and reporter of the FFA chapter. He served on the Longhorn annual staff for two years, and participates in all sports.

HELLER, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Heller. He will be sponsored by the Hart Lions Club. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Edmondson.

He is parliamentarian in the Greenhand FFA chapter, member of the dairy products judging team and the junior and senior chapter conducting teams, and vice-president of the junior class. He was elected junior class favorite this year. He has played football three years, basketball three years and track two years. An all-district basketball player, he was captain of the team this year. He also plays the piano, organ and guitar.

6,172 PONDS were stocked with fish last year by landowners cooperating with conservation districts.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

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"Section 64. All other provisions of the Constitution notwithstanding, bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority shall bear such rates of interest as shall be prescribed by the issuing agency, subject to limitations as may be imposed by the legislature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to remove the constitutional interest rate limitations, subject to limits imposed by the legislature, for bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority."

Legislator tells status of controversial issues

By REP. BILL CLAYTON

With just over a month left in the current legislative session, many problems are still to be solved.

OF THE nearly 2,000 bills introduced into the House and Senate, only about 200 have cleared the Legislature and have been signed into law, and most of them are bills of local nature.

Several of the major state-wide bills that have passed this session deal with the state-wide water plan, and its implementation. I have worked long and hard on all the water bills because I think this is very important to our area.

House Joint Resolution No. 3, which I sponsored in the House of Representatives, and was sponsored in the Senate by Sen. Tom Creighton, is a constitutional amendment which the people of Texas will decide on Aug. 5, to provide a \$3.5 billion bond authorization for the Texas Water Development Board.

THIS IS the first step along the long road of importing water to West Texas. This is most important to us in this area, and I will send more detailed information in my next newsletter, and will also explain the other eight amendments that we will be voting on in the Aug. 5 election.

So that you can begin encouraging your friends to vote for the water bond issue, it will be No. 2 on the ballot and there will be a concentrated effort by Water, Inc., the Castro County Water Association, water districts, river authorities and other organizations in promoting the passage of constitutional amendment No. 2.

LISTED below are some of the controversial issues introduced in this session of the Legislature, and what action has been taken on each, and also my vote or position on each:

Liquor by the Drink — Passed as a constitutional amendment to be submitted to a vote of the people in November 1970. I voted NO on this issue.

Legalization of Abortion — This bill was killed in committee, and I opposed this bill.

SCHOOL Consolidation — This bill looks like it will get the axe in committee. I also oppose mandatory consolidation, and the new taxing proposal for schools.

Tort Claims Act — This bill passed the House and the Senate with many amendments, and a final compromise between the two houses was finally passed. I voted NO on this bill.

Appropriations for Financing State Government — This bill passed the House, and provided for expenditures for all agencies of government without having to raise taxes. I voted YES on this bill. The Senate refused to accept the House version, and a conference committee is now working on adjusting the differences.

Taxes — All kinds of tax bills have been introduced, and no one knows at this time what the tax

will be. If a tax bill is needed because of increased spending, I will vote YES because I feel this is only being responsible.

DAYLIGHT Saving Time — A bill introduced by Rep. Hilary Doran of Del Rio would provide an exemption for Texas from DST. I have told Rep. Doran I would help him with the bill, and vote for it. It should be up for consideration before long.

Press group elects Nelson

Don Nelson, managing editor of the Castro County News, was elected vice-president of the Panhandle Press Association Saturday during the association's annual convention in Amarillo.

NELSON has served as a director of the association two years. New president of the PPA is Bill Ellis, editor and publisher of the Friona Star. He succeeds Paul Timmons of the Amarillo Globe-News Publishing Co.

WANT A smoky flavor? Burning charcoal itself will give a mild smoky taste to barbecue meats. For a stronger smoky flavor and aroma, Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt suggests mixing a little green hickory with charcoal. Soak the hickory in water first to prevent flaming, adds the Extension consumer marketing specialist. Another way is to add liquid smoke preparation to barbecue sauce.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR4)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-d, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 51-d. The Legislature shall have the power, by general law, to provide for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units with authority to make an arrest, of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision who, because of the hazardous nature of their duties, suffer death in the course of the performance of those official duties. Should the Legislature

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (HJRS)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 5, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. The Legislature shall meet in regular session each year at such time as may be provided by law and at other times as convened by the Governor. When convened in odd-numbered years in regular session, the Legislature shall devote the first thirty days to the introduction of bills and resolutions, acting upon emergency appropriations, passing upon the confirmation of the recess appointees of the Governor and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor in special messages to the Legislature; provided that during the succeeding thirty days of such session the various committees of each House shall hold hearings to consider all bills and resolutions and other matters then pending; and such emergency matters as may be submitted by the Governor; provided further that during the following sixty days the Legislature shall act upon such bills and resolutions as

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (SJR31)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. The Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the annual salary of the Governor. Each other member of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed the annual salary paid to a district judge from state funds. Members of the Legislature shall also receive a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legis-

Postal-rate hike attributed to 'inherited' fund deficit

An "inherited" postal deficit of \$1.2 billica is responsible for the postal rate raise the postage bill for residents of Dimmitt, Postmaster John Wood said this week.

WOOD SAID he had been advised by Postmaster General Winton M. Blount in Washington, D.C., that the record \$1.2 billion 1970 deficit compelled President Nixon to seek postage rate increases. Without higher rates the Department will be left with a staggering deficit that would become an added public tax burden.

In addition to increasing letter mail from six to seven cents, as proposed by the Johnson Administration, President Nixon also asked that second and third-class mailers help reduce the large postal deficit which would otherwise be paid by taxpayers, the postmaster said.

For bulk third-class mail and most magazines and newspapers, the rates would be increased 16 to 20 percent above today's levels, Wood noted. These percentages include rate hikes already scheduled by previous action of Congress.

The President's recommended increases will reduce the 1970 postal deficit by more than \$600 million.

Wood listed these other details on the proposed increases:

First-class mail: Letters and post cards would be increased one cent, to seven cents an ounce and six cents a piece, respectively, on July 1, 1969. Airmail postage would remain at 10 cents. This will yield \$57.2 million in new revenues.

Second-class mail: A handling charge of three-thents of a cent per piece for circulation outside home counties would become effective July 1. This would yield

\$15.3 million annually and would represent a 12 percent increase in addition to the eight percent rise scheduled to take effect Jan. 1, 1971.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 50b-1 to read as follows:

"Section 50b-1. (a) The Legislature may provide that the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, or its successor or successors, shall have authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in addition to those heretofore authorized to be issued pursuant to Section 50b of this Constitution. The bonds authorized herein shall be executed in such form, upon such terms and be in such denomination as may be prescribed by law and shall bear interest, and be issued in such installments as shall be prescribed by the Board provided that the maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by such bonds may be fixed by law.

(b) The moneys received from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited to the credit of the Texas Opportunity Plan Fund created by Section 50b of the Constitution and shall otherwise be handled as provided in Section 50b of the Constitution and the laws enacted pursuant thereto.

(c) The said bonds shall be general obligations of the state and shall be payable in the same manner and from the same sources as bonds heretofore authorized pursuant to Section 50b.

(d) All bonds issued hereunder shall, after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under this Constitution.

(e) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment such acts shall not be void because of their anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The Constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan."

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (SJR6)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; all real and personal property owned by a nonprofit water supply corporation which is reasonably necessary for, and is used in, operation of the corporation in the acquisition, storage, transportation and sale of water as authorized as its sole legal purpose; actual places or (of) religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to

such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a state or national organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (SJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may be deemed expedient, for assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws as they now read or as they may hereafter be amended, providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, and for the payment of assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and other services to or on behalf of:

(1) Needy aged persons who are citizens of the United States or non-citizens who shall have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years;

(2) Needy individuals who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;

(3) Needy blind persons;

(4) Needy dependent children and the caretakers of such children.

"The Legislature may prescribe such other eligibility requirements for participation in these programs as it deems appropriate.

"The Legislature shall have authority to enact appropriate legislation which will enable the State of Texas to cooperate with the Government of the United States in providing assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of needy persons, in providing rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws

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bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation," and

"AGAINST the Constitutional amendment to exempt nonprofit water supply corporations from taxation."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election, and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

the state for these purposes, then and in that event the Legislature is specifically authorized and empowered to prescribe such limitations and restrictions and enacts such laws as may be necessary in order that such federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care for or on behalf of needy persons.

"Nothing in this Section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 31 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing herein shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect whatsoever in any manner nor to administer or to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this state."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in August, 1969. At the election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting "FOR" or "AGAINST" the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment providing for assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of the needy aged, the needy blind, the needy disabled, and the needy dependent children and their caretakers; establishing Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) as the maximum amount that may be paid per year from state funds for assistance only; allocating and appropriating additional sums supplementing current legislative appropriations for assistance grants; and authorizing the Legislature to enact such laws as may be necessary in order that federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care."

Sen. Tower

Nixon's first 100 days: calm is keynote

By SEN. JOHN TOWER (R-Texas)

President Nixon this week passed the 100-day mark of his administration. Earlier he declared that he now has the reigns of government firmly in hand.

THE PRESIDENT has correctly taken the view that it is more important to gauge the effects of his administration after a year or longer in office. But there seem to be a habit in this country of making a preliminary evaluation at the end of a president's first 100 days in office.

In reviewing the first few months of the Nixon administration, it is important to look at some of the things which Mr. Nixon has not done as well as his more positive achievements.

As my colleague and Senate Republican leader, Everett Dirksen, noted recently, "the lack of drama has been part of the achievement"

of the early days of the Nixon administration.

It is my opinion that the majority of those who voted for Mr. Nixon last fall, looked forward to an attitude of calm in the White House. They wanted the decision-making process to be more thorough, more carefully considered. They wanted many of the new imaginative programs which had been started in recent years, to be re-studied and re-structured so as to reduce waste and increase effectiveness.

The attitude of calm and deliberate decision-making has already shown itself to be a hallmark of the Nixon administration. I both expect and hope that it will continue to be.

Now let me turn to specific action — and some non-actions — which the Nixon administration has taken during its first few months of operation.

FIRST, Mr. Nixon has not widened the war in Vietnam. His administration has worked steadily both in Paris and in South Vietnam to secure an honorable peace. We do not yet know how effective these efforts will be, but the Nixon administration is giving the bombing halt announced by President Johnson every opportunity to be productive. At the same time, the Nixon administration is fostering considerable improvement in the combat capability of the army of the government of South Vietnam. My recent visit to South Vietnam made it clear to me that the combat capability of the ARVN troops is indeed showing substantial improvement. Now we must exhibit patience while maintaining a firm position to see whether the North Vietnamese are actually ready to negotiate a lasting peace.

The second most important battle is which the Nixon administration is engaged in the one against inflation. In this area Mr. Nixon has taken several positive steps. He has reduced the fiscal 1970

budget request by \$4 billion. He is urging extension of the 10 percent federal income tax surcharge to Jan. 1, to be followed by a surtax of only 5 percent. And he has offered a tax reform package which includes the proposed abolition of the 7 percent investment tax credit. I am uncertain at this time whether abolition of the 7 percent investment tax credit would be the best course. But I know that we must take steps to combat the rising cost of living and I commend President Nixon for taking positive steps.

RECENTLY President Nixon faced his first sudden international crisis when North Korean aircraft shot down one of our EC121 intelligence planes while over international waters. This was an unprovoked attack and may have been calculated to test the new administration. To President Nixon's credit his reaction was one of firmness coupled with restraint. He avoided any knee-jerk reaction

which might have proved detrimental in the long run. Yet he made it clear to the North Koreans that they could not make a second similar attack with impunity.

Early in his administration, President Nixon made an 8-day European tour to assure our friends there that European views would be fully and fairly considered by this nation in activities of vital European interest. Before that time, many Europeans had begun to fear that the United States would policy was being formal with little regard for our European allies. Mr. Nixon's tour reversed that feeling and in the process strengthened the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

The Nixon administration has now begun to send its legislative proposals to Congress. First, the President appropriately took the time necessary to formulate sound proposals.

Among these proposals are: increased efforts against organiz-

ation, promotion of postal officials on the basis of merit rather than politics; a restructured program for aid to the cities; the safeguard anti-ballistic missile system designed to protect our nuclear deterrent capability, and a proportional electoral reform program.

Overall, it seems to me that President Nixon has brought to the White House a new attitude — an attitude of responsibility — which is being welcomed by the majority of Americans. The President is not offering panacea programs. He is offering sound and capable leadership.

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'I PLEDGE...' recite the pre-school children in the Castro County Library Friday afternoon during the final Story Hour session of the year. The weekly Story Hour, conducted by librarian Virginia Newsom (background), has become a standard

part of the library program and will resume when school starts next fall. A reading program for school children is scheduled this summer. (Photo by Darla Kay)

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NHS girls hear Miss Van Derbur

Four representatives of the Nazareth High School FHA chapter attended the state meeting of Future Homemakers of America Friday and Saturday in Dallas.

NAZARETH delegates were Geraldine Brockman and Gladys Steffens, state degree candidates; Edna Braddock, the chapter's first vice-president for next year; and Lynette Schulte, the chapter's high point scorer.

Accompanying the girls were Mrs. Lucille King, chapter advisor, Mrs. Jerome Brockman and Mrs. Leonard Schulte.

More than 5,000 members and advisors from 1550 Texas chapters attended the state meet.

Theme of the meeting was "FHA: Gateway to Dreams." KEYNOTE speaker was Marilyn Van Derbur, former Miss America, who spoke on "Goals and Dreams."

Miss Van Derbur explained that she was chosen by her college sorority for the local contest that led eventually to the Miss America title. For her talent entry in the Miss America contest, she said, she practiced the same song four hours a day for a year.

She said she received a "million dollar education" during her

year as Miss America. She also observed that leaders could not be recognized by looks, so she began to study them to see what made a leader.

"ALL LEADERS have one thing in common — a goal, and the determination to achieve it within a set length of time," she said. "And all famous people in speaking of achievements, speak in terms of work, not luck."

She added, "If you want to be a good speaker, make 7,000 speeches, as I have."

She cited Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Helen Keller as ladies who had overcome timidity, handicaps and obstacles to attain greatness, and noted that they both did it through hard work.

MISS VAN DERBUR told the girls of a visit she made to a small, restored church that had been bombed in World War II. A statue of Christ had been restored, except for a hand which could not be found in the ruins. An inscription at the base of the statue said, "I have no hands but yours."

She said America needs youths who have dreams, goals and the desire to work with their hands to make them come true.

OPEN HOUSE

"A Visitor for Every Resident" is Mother's Day goal for Golden Spread Nursing Home of Dimmitt.

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Even though the open house is planned on Mother's Day, all residents enjoy visitors and the opportunity to talk and visit with those who visit with them.

Plans for Sunday, May 11, 1969, which is the beginning day of Texas Nursing Home Week, include open house from 2 to 4 p.m. with refreshments being served to all visitors during this time. All visitors will be requested to sign a guest book so that a lasting record may be kept for this important occasion to our residents.

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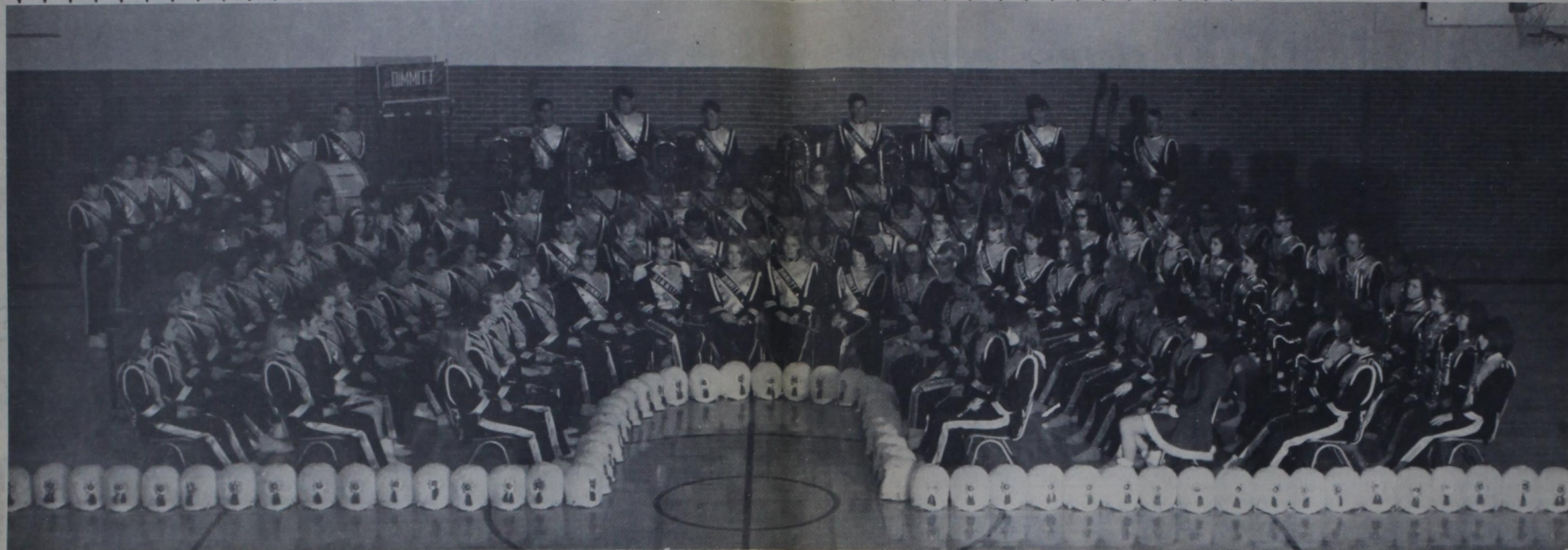
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Miss Raymer

Artist to exhibit works here Monday

An exhibition of paintings by m. Loys Raymer of Kerrville will be shown Monday from 2 to 8 p.m. at the Castro County Country Club.

MISS RAYMER is the sister of Joe Carver of Dimmitt.

Monday's show, sponsored by the Dimmitt Art Guild, will include Miss Raymer's portraiture, landscapes, sculpture, and studies of both European and American subjects.

Among her permanent shows is a series of portraits of the presidents of the US, commissioned by the Ector County Library in Odessa for the Presidential Memorial Museum. Officials of the Smithsonian Institution have expressed interest in obtaining reproductions of this series.

MISS RAYMER studied at the Art Institute of Dallas, and the Shreveport, La., School of Art. She studied portraiture with Rene Mazza of Dallas, sculpture with Marcel Mayer of Dallas, and landscape theory with Eric Gibbard of Taos, N.M.

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Nazareth news

Mrs. Albracht attends institute

By Mrs. Florance Albracht
Sorry folks, about not having news in last week's issue. I was gone to Excelsior Springs, Mo., to a National Catholic Women's Institute on "Leadership," entitled, "Fashion Me a Person," which is put on by a trained staff of five women and will be presented in seven cities in the US during the spring and summer. About 120 women from the states of Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Texas were at the Institute, which should be a big help to women who are leaders in diocesan, deanery and parishes. I went as a delegate of the Christian Mothers Society and want to thank the members for this opportunity. This diocese will put on a leadership workshop this summer and all women will be invited to attend. Also enjoyed a few days with Sr. Dorothy in Kansas City, where she is attending Avila College and will get her BS Degree in education May 31.

family were hosts for a barbecue supper Sunday evening for an early Mothers Day celebration for Mrs. Walter Schulte. Enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schulte, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gerber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen and family of Plainview. On Sunday evening a pot luck supper in the community hall for the C.D. of A. members, husbands and friends was enjoyed by about 70. The evening was spent in card playing. Tom Acker, agent for Catholic Life Ins. Co. of San Antonio and Bob Rabroker, vice-president of the company, from San Antonio, went to Amarillo, Friday, May 2, to present Rev. Bishop De Falco with a check for \$500 from the company to be used for religious vocations in the diocese.

MR. AND MRS. Don Acker and family visited with her sister and family the Harold Steffens in Slaton on Sunday, April 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schacher visited here a few days with their folks, the Lawrence Ackers and Alfred Schachers. Richard finished his schooling in Denver, Colo. and they have moved to Burlington, Texas where he is working in General Dynamics. Mrs. Acker and Mrs. Schacher went with them and helped them get settled.

Mr. and Mrs. Denis Acker and children, who have been living in Borger the past nine years, and working with Fairmart Furniture, have moved to Arlington, where the company has moved their store.

Mrs. Margaret Stultz of Plainview visited her sister-in-law Helen

Burt and Sue Sunday and enjoyed meeting old friends at the pot luck supper at the Hall. On Monday she, Mrs. Burt and Sue went to Amarillo for the funeral of her brother John Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brockman and girls went to Muleshoe Sunday to visit the Philip Brockman family.

Paul Venhaus and David Acker went to Austin on business for the Mutual Fire Insurance Co., which is turning their business over to the Germanian Ins. Co.

A large group of Knights of Columbus went to UMBERGER for the district dance Saturday evening. The proceeds went to Catholic Charities of the diocese.

MEMBERS of the C.D. of A. from this court, who attended the district meeting in Slaton Sunday, April 27, were District Deputy Mrs. Lynn Ehly, Grand Regent Catherine Hochstein, Norma Schacher, Margaret Womack, Betty Leinen, Mae Hochstein and Lucille Drerup. The Nazareth

Ladies put on a skit on "Personal Involvement."

A bridal shower honoring Miss Eileen Lupton, bride-elect of Larry Alley, was held in the home of Vincent Huseman on Sunday afternoon, May 2. Hostesses were Yvonne Ehly, Pam Lupton, Mary Albracht, Nadine Gerber and Mrs. Mclly Maddux of Amarillo and Mrs. Ann Kleman of Tulsa. The chicken judging team of Nazareth FFA in high school which won first in Lubbock went to compete at Texas A&M on Saturday, May 3. J. O. Scale, ag teacher and Gordon Wilhelm went with them. The boys on the team are Pat Acker, Karrie Brockman and Bruce Warren. Mr. Seale took the boys to the Astrodome, also to see the Battleship Texas and drove through San Antonio after the judging. The results are not known at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Birkenfeld left Saturday to visit Tom Wethington in the hospital in Albuquerque and her mother and other relatives at Farmington, N.M.



BREAKING CAMP — Members of Boy Scout Troop 264 of Quitaque break camp Sunday, ending Dimmitt's first two-day Boy Scout camporee. They met more than 200 other boys from throughout the

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By Ted Kesting
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