

**FIREMEN FIGHT BLAZE AT BUSKIRK HOME THURSDAY**  
... Leaking gas hose blamed for fire

## Family loses everything in house fire Thursday

A young Dimmitt family lost all their furniture, clothing, appliances and household goods when their home burned last Thursday afternoon.

Left homeless by the blaze were Roger Buskirk, his wife Rosalinda and their two children, a 2-year-old boy and a five-month-old baby girl.

They have been staying with relatives since their home at 710 SW Third St. was gutted by fire, according to Mrs. Daniel Salinas, who is their next-door neighbor and Mrs. Buskirk's cousin.

The Buskirks haven't asked for help, although they face the prospect not only of a bleak Christmas but the chore of starting all over again. The father, a mechanic, is unemployed and looking for work, Mrs. Salinas said.

"I'm sure they would appreciate any help anyone could give," Mrs. Salinas said. "What the fire didn't get, the smoke did."

She said the 2-year-old boy wears "about size 7" clothes and the baby can wear clothes for six months and older. Buskirk wears size 48 pants and XXX-large shirts, and Mrs. Buskirk wears size 16 clothing, she said.

Anyone wishing to help the burned-out family may contact Mrs. Salinas at 647-4223.

According to Assistant Fire Chief Tommy Cleavinger, the fire started in the living room of the small frame house while no one was home, and spread into the kitchen.

"Everything inside was destroyed, either by fire or smoke," Cleavinger said.

Although investigation of the fire is continuing, Cleavinger said it appears the cause may have been a leaky gas hose on a space heater in the living room.

Since no one was home when the fire started, most of the damage had been done by the time a neighbor spotted smoke and turned in the alarm.

## City wants to regulate cable television service

There's a good chance the City of Dimmitt will be able to impose some regulations on MultiVision, owner of the local cable television service, according to City Attorney Jack Edwards.

Edwards told the board of aldermen at their Monday night meeting that the Federal Communications Commission has declared cable television deregulated, and the Public Utilities Commission of Texas has not yet added the industry to its jurisdiction.

"The Texas Municipal League said we were the first city to call and inquire about the matter," Edwards said. "They are in the process now of researching the FCC regulations to see if there are any prohibitions about local regulation of the industry."

Edwards said the current franchise agreement for the cable company specifies that certain reasonable rules must be met.

Mayor Wayne Collins said he felt that the city should have approval rights on rate increases for cable, just as the city must give approval to increases for the electric and gas utilities.

"Rate approval would require the company to be more accountable to the public," Collins said.

"Also, none of the franchise agreements with the city are exclusive," Collins said. "The agreements just give the companies permission to use city streets and alleyways in the deliverance of services in the city as long as certain conditions are met. Other companies could come in under the same conditions."

Alderman Don Sheffy told the board that members of Congress are working on legislation that would place the cable industry back under federal regulation.

Collins suggested that the board frame a resolution supporting local regulatory control of the industry, and send copies to congressional representatives.

Collins reported that several irate citizens had voiced complaints about cable service disruption during the Thanksgiving holidays. He noted that MultiVision area supervisor Paul Keating has authorized four-day credits to patrons who experienced the difficulties.

In other business, the aldermen voted to pursue an appraisal con-

tract with Charles Rhodes, a certified appraiser from Amarillo, who has done work for the city before, if negotiations fail with the Castro County Recreation Association for an easement across a portion of the country club property.

The easement is needed for the construction of a drainage system to relieve flooding in the area of Northwest 11th Street in Dimmitt. Funding of the project is mainly through a Texas Community Development Fund grant, which is being administered through the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission.

Judy Munden of the PRPC said the city must offer to have the land involved in the easement appraised, but added that the country club may decline the appraisal if its members so desire. Alderman Harold Hyman told the other aldermen that he would be willing to negotiate with the country club board on an agreement.

Preliminary estimates for the appraisal process ranged from \$2,000 to \$3,600, according to Munden. Rhodes submitted a tentative cost of \$45 per hour, with an estimated total of \$2,600.

In the annual audit report, delivered by Doug Condor and Mike Young of Doshier, Pickens and Francis, P.C. of Amarillo, Condor told the aldermen that the city "appears to be operating on a smooth basis."

He noted that his company had no recommendations for any changes in the bookkeeping systems for the city, adding that after evaluating the internal controls, he felt that everything is in good shape.

"The general fund and utility fund showed a profitable year," Condor said. He pointed out that both funds displayed more revenue than expenses, and noted that the overall budget came out with \$77,000 more in revenue than expenses.

The aldermen agreed to table until next meeting any action on a resolution regarding taxation of "freepoint" property. Alderman Richard Stahl said he was "uncomfortable" passing a resolution he does not fully understand, and asked for more time to study the matter.

The resolution would give the city the option to continue taxing freepoint property, but if the city

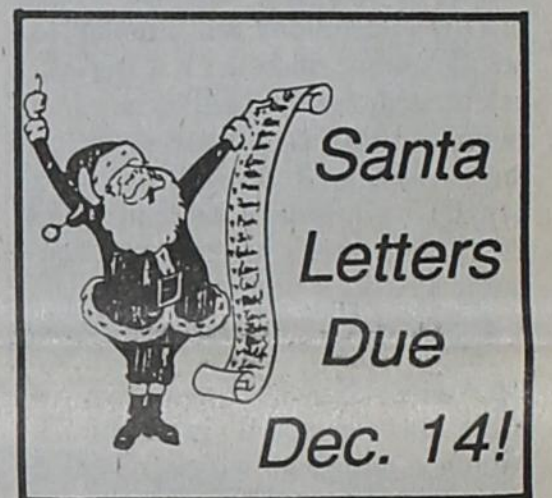
declines to claim the option before Jan. 1, the city will lose the power to claim the option later on.

A new contract concerning county jail service for city prisoners was also tabled until further information is obtained.

Collins said City Manager Reelford Burrous is looking at how the rate increase recommended by Castro County Sheriff Lonny Rhynes would affect the city budget. He noted that the city is currently paying about \$15,000 per year to the Sheriff's Dept., supplying the salary of a night dispatcher, and the sheriff has asked that the city's cost be raised to \$25,000. The city also pays a set amount per meal that is served to city prisoners.

Alderman Don Sheffy remarked, "We're all county taxpayers, helping to pay for the county jail, so the people in the city are getting two 'whacks' on it."

Collins said the matter would have been more properly brought up at the time of budget hearings, but added that he feels it would be in everybody's best interest to work together with the county and cooperate in whatever way possible.



## Food, toys to be given Sunday for local needy

This Sunday will be designated "Brown Bag Sunday" as part of an effort to coordinate county-wide collection of food and toys for needy families this holiday season.

Sponsored by the Castro County Ministerial Alliance and the Volunteer Fire Departments, the project combines the efforts of many organizations and groups and, in the past, has benefitted many families.

Individuals are asked to bring food contributions to their respec-

tive churches Sunday. Children are also asked to bring a toy which would be appropriate for children between the ages of infant and 12 years old.

Donations of food and toys may also be made during the week at these locations: Thriftway, Dimmitt Market, Perry's, Coleman's Pharmacy, Parson's Drug, and Pay N Save in Hart. Items may also be taken to the fire stations.

Participating churches will have individuals ready at the doors Sunday to help unload donations and bring them into the church building.

Organizers have said that food donations need to be canned or boxed items that do not need refrigeration.

"We regret that we are unable to distribute home-canned items, and so request that individuals not include them in their donations," a spokesperson said.

Donated toys may be either new or used, but because of time limitations, used toys need to be clean and in good repair.

"Donations of cash will also be gladly accepted, and will be used to purchase hams for the needy families," a spokesperson said. "Checks may be made out to the Ministerial Alliance."

The group reports that there are hundreds of names of families needing help, and this year, they also hope to include about 25 elderly by preparing sacks with fresh

fruit, canned dietetic food, and personal care items.

"If anyone knows of a family or individual needing help, they can contact their local minister or fire department," the spokesperson said.

Sorting and organizing the donations will be done Dec. 18-20, starting at 5:30 p.m. each day, and volunteers are welcome to help with the task. Distribution is scheduled for Dec. 21, starting at 3 p.m.



## Pheasants fair fowl Saturday

Pheasants have been spotted along roadsides throughout the county all week long, but the wily birds will head for cover this weekend as hunters from across the state converge on Castro County hoping to bag a couple of the prey.

The season opens 30 minutes before sunrise Saturday and legal shooting hours end 30 minutes after sunset each day, according to Game Warden Larry Nutt. Bag limits are two cock pheasants daily, with four in possession. Nutt added that hens are "not fair game" and officials from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Service will be watching hunters closely.

Nutt said he has spotted quite a few birds in Castro County, especially between Dimmitt and Nazareth, and Hart and Dimmitt, but the pheasants are scarce around Deaf Smith and Parmer Counties, the territories he covers.

"When I'm running around checking on goose hunters, it looks like there's a good number of birds in the areas where there's good food and cover. I don't really think it'll be a good year for hunters, though. They'll have to work harder and do more walking to get birds."

"A lot of hunters are going to have to hunt CRP land. That's going to be difficult because the birds get in there and stick. It's hard to get them up. They'll need a lot of hunters to walk it," Nutt said.

"The pheasant aren't as widely scattered all over the area as they have been in past years," said David Bownds of the Nazareth Lions Club. "There are pockets with good pheasant populations out there, though."

Nutt and other game wardens coming in to help out during the season will be watching hunters closely to make sure all regulations are followed, especially the new law affecting hunters born after Sept. 1, 1971 and before Aug. 31, 1973.

The new law states that people born between those dates must be certified in hunter safety classes before they can hunt.

"Most 16- and 17-year-olds must have their hunter safety certificate in their possession along with their license. People under 16 don't have to have it yet, but they are required to carry a special resident hunting license, which is \$6," Nutt said.

"The focal point of the pheasant hunting is centered in Castro, Parmer and Deaf Smith counties. There used to be thousands of non-resident hunters here during opening weekend, but there might not be as many this year. I've heard reports of about 10,000 hunters expected in the Panhandle."

"The main thing for hunters to do is get permission from landowners before hunting on private property. They should also be careful not to shoot out of vehicles on public roadways," Nutt added.

### Hunters' Meals

DIMITT—The Dimmitt Kiwanis Club will serve its annual Pheasant Hunters' Breakfast from 5 to 7 a.m. at the County Expo Building. For \$4, hunters can eat their fill of scrambled eggs, sausage, biscuits, gravy, coffee, milk and orange juice. The meal is open to everyone—hunters and non-hunters alike. The Kiwanis will start cooking sausage at 2 a.m. and will start the biscuits and gravy at 4.

HART—The Hart Lions Club will serve breakfast in the school cafeteria starting at 5 a.m. Scrambled eggs, sausage, bacon, biscuits, orange juice and coffee will be free to those signed up for the club's pheasant hunt. Others are welcome to attend, but will be charged per plate.

EASTER—Coffee and doughnuts will be served to hunters Saturday morning starting at 6 a.m. in the Easter Lions Community Building. The Easter Lions Club will also serve a barbecue lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Community Building. The meal is free to those signed up for the club's hunt, and will be offered to others for \$5.50 per plate.

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## Chamber's membership meeting set

The Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual membership meeting tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce office.

Four directors will be elected to serve three-year terms. Nominees for the four director spots are Stan McDaniel and Richard Stahl, incumbents; and Gail Bruegel, Lint Merritt, Les Miller, Randy Schumacher and Donna Stump.

A financial report and the 1990 budget will be presented to the membership. The meeting will adjourn to the Dimmitt Fire Station for a reception honoring the city's volunteer firemen. Appetizers will be provided and sponsored by individual businesses.

## A bird on the runway is worth . . .

By Linda Maxwell

Well, what do you do when a famous person is in town—sort of—and you have lots of work to do, and can't wait around forever?

This reporter made the wrong choice and missed a chance to talk to the Chuck Yeager, the famous test pilot, who was in the area Tuesday morning, reportedly for a little goose hunting.

He was reportedly accompanied by T. Boone Pickens. The pilot of their twin engine plane, sitting on the runway at the city airport, claimed they were here.

"They've only been here about 45 minutes," the pilot said at 10:15 a.m.

So, wouldn't you assume they might still be around at 11 a.m.? But when I returned, they had flown the coop, plane and all.

What can I tell my sons? "Well, I almost got to see Chuck Yeager."

## Weather

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

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Sunday	48	19	
Monday	53	22	
Tuesday	66	28	
Wednesday	66	28	
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December Moisture			0.31
1989 Moisture			17.30

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# On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

Oleta Golden had her 80th birthday last week, and was honored Nov. 28 with a birthday brunch in the home of Delores Heller.

Quiche, mixed fruit, sweet rolls and coffee were served to about 30 guests, including members of her Sunday school class from the First Baptist Church. Delores' husband, Jerry, played *Happy Birthday* on the piano.

The table was covered with a lace cloth, and accented with silver and china appointments. Decorations included a picture of Oleta at age 19.

Helping with party duties were Delores' mother, Dorothy Cook, and Dorothy Hopson and Martha Hyman.

Polly Bell celebrated her 80th birthday on Sunday. A reception was given by her son, Lonnie Bell and his wife, Janice, in their home. Assisting with the arrangements were daughter, Karen, and her husband, Don Sheffy.

Over 65 guests enjoyed cake and punch served from a table decorated in colors of rose and country blue, with china and crystal appointments.

Grandchildren present were Mike and Pam Bell and their children, Zachary, Michael, Cherie and Courtney; Rick Bell and his children, Caleb and Kacie; Lori and Jimmy Huseman and their children,

David and Samantha; and Kristi, Karla and Carrie Sheffy. Jeff and Jennifer Bell of Lampasas and their children, Joshua and Jordan, were unable to attend, but surprised Polly with a call during the party.

Lola Griffin and Fran Forester, sisters-in-law from Lubbock, were also present. Other out-of-town guests were Jimmy and Eloise Carter.

### More thanksgiving news!

Jack and Charlene Howell, Jimmie and Sue Howell, Kennen and Kelly went to Weatherford to spend Thanksgiving with the Moss Howells. All of Moss and Hattie's ten children were at their home during Thanksgiving week, but not all at the same time.

Milton and Sandra Bagwell had most of their family home for Thanksgiving. Randy was here from Denver and Steve and Anita, Eric and Hayley came from Fort Worth. Kyle and Scott came from Lubbock, but Scott's wife, Carolyn, had nursing duty at the hospital that day. Carol and her family from Wichita Falls were not able to come since they only had one day off. Hazel and Ivor Bagwell and Rick were there also from Dimmitt.

Steve and Anita Bagwell went to Hereford Friday evening to be with her folks—James and Donna Smith and her grandmother, Lillian Smith from Amarillo.

Rev. Larry Odom and family, Sandy, Lisa, Kyle and Misty, and a friend of Lisa's from Canada were visiting M.B. and Lucille Odom for Thanksgiving. Also Lynn and Sharon Cox, Brandon and Cinnamon from Lazbuddie and Mike and Cindy Odom, Jessica and Shae from Dimmitt.

Oleta Gollehon entertained some of her grandchildren for Thanksgiving: Weldon and Ann Rogers of Paducah and Ann's children—Kyle and Flo Touchstone, Tanner, Tye and Trey, and Todd Touchstone, all of Lubbock; Angela and Tobin Touchstone and Ret from Mansfield; and Tricia and Scott Campbell from Muleshoe. They enjoyed the traditional Thanksgiving dinner and played games as well.

On the Saturday after Thanksgiving, Oleta flew to Houston, where her son, Bennie Gollehon, met her and they attended the Houston Symphony's performance of *Beethoven's Fifth*. Then they went to Baytown, where Oleta enjoyed another Thanksgiving with Bennie and Vee Gollehon and Lee and Mikel and Julianne and Ben Mikel of Humble.

Geneva and Decima Dennis went to Goldthwaite for Thanksgiving to visit Dr. Douglas and Mona Dennis. Jauvada Curtis enjoyed Thanksgiving with her daughter,

Margaret Ann, and her family in Garland.

Kate Beecher entertained her cousin, Nancy Hawkins, and a friend, Aree Tidwell from Munday, and a cousin, J.T. Morgan from Lubbock, over the weekend.

Recently, Jack and Charlene Howell and Herb Howell attended the World Quarter Horse Show and Sale in Oklahoma City. They had a yearling in the sale. They stayed with Gaines and Crystal Howell, Misti and Clint in Moore, Okla.

Irene Carpenter brought the devotion on "Kindness" at the Canterbury Villa on Thursday morning. She read the scripture Ephesians 4:32, which admonishes "Be ye kind one to another." You can be kind in words and you can be kind in deeds. We all should carry a can of kindness with us. Richard Young sang "Grace Greater Than Our Sin," accompanied by Phyllis Mooney. Renise Blair sang "I Never Knew What Love Was, Until You Loved Me" and "He Hideth My Soul." Others who participated in singing were Ysleta Ball, Gertie Waggoner, Ettie McDermitt, Maurice Youts, Grace Morgan and her friend, Willie Mae Rogers, and Mary Edna Hendrix.

Several from Dimmitt attended the Hereford Chamber Singers' Christmas Concert, "Home For Christmas," Sunday afternoon. Avie Lewis and Jerry and Carolyn Jansa from Dimmitt are among the singers. Amy Gilliland (a former Dimmitt resident) and Kate Beecher's cousins Bobby and Bera Boyd of Hereford are also members of the singing group. The choir was colorful with the members dressed in red and green dresses and sweaters. They sang many Christmas carols.

On Saturday, Oleta Gollehon and I attended the Trailways Tourama banquet and meeting at the Civic Center in Amarillo. This is for those who have traveled with Trailways on their vacation. We visited with Arduus Ward, who sends "greetings" to the George Sides family; and with A.E. (Smoky) and Alberteen Roark of Vega, whose son was pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt several years ago, and is now a chaplain at a hospital in Lubbock. I also visited with a friend of mine, Madeline Avent Reck and her husband of Claude, formerly of Tulia. Madeline and I were friends and classmates in Tulia many years ago and we had not seen each other for several years.

Dick Bynum presided over the meeting and a representative from each town that Trailways serves spoke about something interesting from their area. One from Quitaque said the Caprock Park was the best-kept secret in Texas. Also, Shamu was there from Sea World in San Antonio.

Dean Kelley sang several Christmas songs, as well as some old favorites.

We visited with Don and Peggy Simmons of Amarillo, who were our tour guides on some trips we took on Trailways.

The Castro County Community Choir concert Sunday night was spectacular, performing the cantata, "Everlasting Light," with Nelson Dotson directing.

The choir members dressed in red, green and white, and poinsettias decorated the edge of the stage. Narrators Susan and Gerald Hanners were coordinating outfits of red and white.

The Castro County Ministerial Alliance sponsored the event and took a free-will offering to support the projects of the Alliance, including food baskets for the needy for Christmas and help for indigents throughout the year.

Last Sunday Bill and Joan Balentine had a pleasant surprise from their nephew, Michael Jebson, who has lived in Alaska for ten years. He was passing through the area on his way to El Paso on business, and stopped to spend the day with them. They had not seen him in 14 years, so they really enjoyed the visit with him, which was too short. Michael's parents, Ed and Nancy Jebson, live in Tinley Park, Ill. Nancy is Bill's sister.

## Knox to compete in VFW contest

Shelly Knox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Knox of Hart, will represent Hart High School for the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States in the annual "Voice of Democracy" scholarship program contest.

The theme for this year's contest is "Why I am Proud of America."

All sophomores, juniors and seniors in public high schools are eligible to participate. The contest gives the students an opportunity to voice their opinions on their responsibilities to our country and to convey their thoughts via the broadcasting media to all America. The students record their messages on a three to five minute tape and compete at district, regional, state and national levels. National scholarships totaling \$50,000 are awarded. The state winners each receive a five-day all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C.

Knox, who was named Miss Hart for 1989, is the current Lions Club Sweetheart. She is a junior at HHS and is playing for the Lady Horns' varsity basketball team for the third



Shelly Knox

year. She was named honorable mention all-district her freshman year and was named to the 3-AA squad last year. She is an honor student and has represented the district in the regional UIL Ready Writing contest. She has participated at the regional level in tennis for two years.

## Sunnyside By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

.10-inch of rain was recorded Friday with an additional .01 Saturday morning. Sunday morning there was a light frost and the temperature was 22 degrees.

Rev. David and Debra Fletcher, Hadley, Haley and Harmony were in Gruver Saturday and Sunday to help his home church, First Baptist, celebrate their 60th anniversary in a two-day affair. David had a part on the program. Bobby Braswell, a Wayland ministerial student, filled the pulpit here Sunday morning, but the Fletchers came back for the night services here.

Elton Gulley, father of Becky Ott, underwent an angiogram in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday morning, which revealed some problems with disease and blockage. When a balloon technique was unsuccessful, another double by-pass was performed,

which has been successful so far. Becky has been with him almost constantly. James and Joan Norrell have gone down almost every night.

Doug Loudder was dismissed from Lubbock General Hospital Tuesday night, and is gaining his strength back, and looking much better.

Leona and Ronnie Blanton left Sunday afternoon for Lubbock, where they spent the night at her sister's house. She has a hospital-type bed for Ronnie to use. Monday morning another sister put them on the plane for Albuquerque, N.M., where Ronnie will have a check-up at the veterans' hospital. They plan to be back Thursday night.

Kyla Boozer and Jodie Riley were honored with a wedding shower in the home of Geneva

Schaeffer in Dimmitt last Saturday afternoon. There was a very large crowd in attendance.

Ezell and Verba Sadler entertained the Hereford music group with a supper and a practice session Saturday night in preparation for a Christmas program. Those present were Jack and Helen Nunley, Dale and Betty Hensen, Glen and Helen Nelson, Weldon and Bobbie Robertson, Weldon and Betty Stephens, Ralph and Jane Packard, J.D. Combs, Thelma Pearson, Floyd and Juanita Cocker, and Ruth King.

Pete and Margaret Grisham of Abilene just spent last Sunday night with Ezell and Verba Sadler and then went on to Colorado. They came back by and spent Thursday night with them, and visited with J.B. Henslee of Hale Center.

Emma Jean King helped with the Republican Organization of Women in their tour of homes Saturday. She and Billie visited in Amarillo with Francis and Mary King Friday.

James and Joan Norrell went to Hereford Tuesday night to see their daughter, Kathy Norrell, play on the Levelland junior varsity team, and their daughter, Donna O'Rand, coach the Hereford junior varsity team.

The pastor turned in his last term paper this week, and Judy Dameron turned in her activity files, lesson plans, etc. They are both students at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

Kevin and Melinda Riley brought into Sunnyside an early Christmas spirit with the beautiful lighting display on their house.

Joan Norrell was sick Sunday with a sinus infection.

Carleen Miskia, Mark and Milton of Fort Worth came in Wednesday night to have Thanksgiving with her mother, Elizabeth Worthington. Lela and Bill Hendricks from Arlington, also a daughter of Elizabeth, came in Thursday morning. They all left Friday.

Natali Lawson of Olton, granddaughter of Gerald and Pat Elkins, played two piano solos in the Sunday morning services. Phyllis Mooney played for Betty who was present during the song service.

There will be a meeting of those working on the Ranching Heritage Section of the Vol. II history book Dec. 14 at 2 p.m. in Rhoads Memorial Library in Dimmitt. Anyone wishing to work on this part of the book is welcome to attend. There will probably have to be several meetings on this section of the book.

## RES honors second graders

Second grade students at Richardson Elementary School were honored recently for several accomplishments during the recently-completed six weeks grading period.

Students were honored for being top splers, perfect attendance and being hard workers.

Individuals honored include:

### THAMES' ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Lilia Dominguez, Edith Fuller, Eddie Vargas and Lupita Rodriguez.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Tony Cheadle, Dominguez, Ricky Espinosa, Daniel Flores, Fuller, Tait Gripp, Eric Herrera, Brenda Leal, Jimmy Moss, Derrick Reyes, Rodriguez, Christopher Sandoval, Eddie Vargas and Daniel Salazar.

HARDEST WORKER — Myra Pena.

### KELLAR'S ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—James Jackson, Ruben Lopez, Jacob Medrano, Michael Penney, Randy Porter, Keevin Sanders, Cameron McGowne, Sylvia Medrano, Julie Merritt, Leslie Reyes, Shalyn Schaeffer and Sonia Vasquez.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Cathy Castillo, Jackson, Lopez, Gabriel Marrofo, Jacob Medrano, S. Medrano, Randy Porter, Israel Ramirez, Reyes and Sanders.

HARDEST WORKER—Porter.

### LYNN'S ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Juanita Vasquez, Lina Melendez, Claudia Espino.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Antonio Barrera, Carlos Escamilla, Lina Melendez, Manuel Moctezuma, Daniel Polendo, Omar Quiroz, Raul Rios, Atiano Rosalez, Julio Silva, Vasquez, Christina Zavala.

HARDEST WORKER — Vasquez.

### EVAN'S ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Stephen Bailey, Larissa Fuentes, Shane Furr, Pattie George, Moses Lugo, Jessica Reyes, Felicia Sanchez and Shelley Wilson.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Bailey, Pati Cardona, Fuentes, Furr, George, Eric Gomez, Jessica Marti-

nez, Janie May, Gabriel Medrano, Bobby Miller, Frank Peralta, Chris Ramirez, Tamara Robertson, Domingo Rodriguez, J.J. Salinas, and Carol Summers.

HARDEST WORKER—Sammy Martinez.

### BROWN'S ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Ivan Flores, Van Jeter, Lacy Loudder, Kyle Wood.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Cynthia Aguero, Christie Bryan, Oscar Chavarria, Flores, Melissa Gonzales, Jeter, Maria Loeza, Taylor Matthews, Serjio Navarro, Justin Sutton, Ironica Traylor.

HARDEST WORKER — Aguero.

### COLLINS' ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Brittany Potter, Freddie Mendoza, Mindi Ethridge, Jessica Chilton and Wendy Amador.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Amador, Sammy Bentura, Gustavo Chavez, Chilton, Brenda Espinosa, Anthony Fuentes, Ramona Guzman, Heather Jeter, Matt Kropp, Yesenia Lopez, Porter, Tony Si-fuentez and James White.

HARDEST WORKER — Ethridge.

### MATTHEWS' ROOM

TOP SPELLERS—Angela Montiel, Jennifer Heck, Debbie Garcia and Zack Morgan.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE — Rachel Burnett, Garcia, Rosa Juarez, Leonardo Mercer, Montiel, Juan Ornelas, Cristin Rodriguez, Jeff Stovall and Solomon Torres.

HARDEST WORKERS—Ornelas.

## Sorority to meet

Delta Kappa Gamma will hold its annual Christmas dinner and program Monday night at 7 at the First Baptist Church's fellowship hall in Dimmitt.

Members attending are asked to bring a covered dish.

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**We Salute**  
Our Musicians

Our county's musicians thrilled us again Sunday evening with the Christmas cantata, *Everlasting Light*.

An adult choir of more than 50 singers from throughout the county and a children's choir of approximately 20, accompanied by an orchestra of eight on brass and woodwinds, provided a wonderful sound for a powerful Christmas musical.

This was the second such choir-and-orchestra Christmas performance, directed by Nelson Dodson, Hart High School band director and music director of the First Baptist Church of Hart. Last year's cantata, *Celebrate Jesus*, drew a crowd of 900 to Dimmitt High School auditorium. Sunday's performance of *Everlasting Light* drew a crowd almost as large.

Sunday's program made the Christmas season more meaningful for all who heard it.

The soloists were exceptional. If you heard lyric soprano Robin Gonzales sing *The Light of a Million Mornings*, or tenor Richard Young sing *Little Yeshua*, or alto Debra Ball sing *People Need the Lord*, then this Christmas season will surely have a special meaning for you.

The choir and orchestra were made up of musicians representing nearly all the communities and churches in our county. And when one heard them together, one had to appreciate both the quantity and quality of musical talent we have in our county. Who says a small rural county can't come up with something musically wonderful? It certainly happened Sunday!

We commend Nelson Dodson, Richard Young and everyone else who had a hand in organizing the choir and orchestra for this special Christmas program.

To all our musicians who make up the Castro County Singers and Orchestra, let us say that we really appreciate you, especially at Christmastime. Your performance Sunday evening was as meaningful and memorable as your original program last year. Please keep it going as an annual tradition here!

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# Gramm 'appreciates USA' with Dimmitt students

"Only in the United States can a person come to a little elementary school in Texas and say, 'Any child in this room can grow up to become the president of the United States if he just works at it.'"

That was the message US Sen. Phil Gramm delivered to students of Richardson Elementary and Dimmitt Middle Schools last Thursday afternoon during a special ceremony celebrating "USA Appreciation Day."

Sen. Gramm praised the United States in his speech, saying "People have more opportunities and freedom in this country than any other on earth. America is a great, powerful and rich country and I'm thankful to live here at a time when other countries say how great America is and how they'd like to have the freedoms we have. Hopefully, no child in this room will be forced to bear arms in active combat to preserve freedom," he said.

Sen. Gramm was a special guest of the schools and was escorted in by a group of students who won the schools' essay contest on "Why I'm Thankful to Live in America" and "The Cost of Freedom."

The students who wrote the winning essays and had the honor of escorting Gramm in were Tara Mays, Leslie Steffey, Lori Matthews, Leslie Martin, Andy Hill and Brad Beck.

Each student read his or her winning essay to the assembly and Sen. Gramm.

Following that, the Senator answered questions from a group of students posing as members of the press, and from the crowd.

Students participating in the group "media" session included

Robert Sepeda, Jaci Buckley, Dominic Abalos, Alka Patel and Joshua Roberts. Each student asked Sen. Gramm a question about his job, life and family.

Sepeda asked him what his main duty as a senator was. Gramm replied that it was opening 1,600 first class letters a day.

"Everyone wants to know what I think about every kind of subject. That's usually how I find out what people want me to push for from the government," Gramm said.

In response to Buckley's question on why he chose to speak to the students in Dimmitt, Gramm said "Because there a lot of wonderful, smart students here."

"Too many," was Gramm's comment when Abalos asked him how many days of the year he spent in Washington, D.C. Then he said, "My children all go to school in Washington, so most of our time is spent there. I usually spend eight or nine days in Texas a month, but most of the time I'm in Washington."

Gramm admitted to Patel that he "could spend all of my time doing paperwork" because there's always so much to do. He told Roberts he likes to hunt, fish and do things with his sons in his spare time.

When asked what legislation he's most proud of, he didn't hesitate before naming the Gramm-Rudman law, in which the government has to balance the budget over a five-year period.

Gramm was elected to the Senate in November 1984 and has served ever since. He was born in Georgia and moved to Texas in July 1967 to teach at Texas A&M University.



GOD BLESS THE USA!—US Sen. Phil Gramm (seated, fourth from left) was a special guest at Richardson Elementary School's and Dimmitt Middle School's USA Appreciation Day program last Thursday in the west cafeteria at Richardson Elementary School. The Dimmitt Middle School choir (in background) and Dimmitt Middle School band (not pictured) performed several patriotic songs during

the program. Gramm was escorted to the stage by the schools' "Why I'm Thankful to Live in America" and "The Cost of Freedom" essay winners including (seated, from left) Tara Mays, Leslie Steffey, Tori Matthews, Brad Beck and Leslie Martin. An essay winner and escort not pictured is Andy Hill.

## Local students are recognized

Six local college students have been named to the National Dean's List, which is published by the Educational Communications, Inc., in Lake Forest, Ill.

Dimmitt students included on the list are Beth Miller, a student at South Plains College in Levelland, and Debra Sava Bridenbaugh, a West Texas State University student.

From Nazareth, honorees include Melissa Brockman and Rachel Huseman, both students at South Plains College, Pamela Ehly of Clarendon College, and Kenny Kern, a student at Texas Tech University.

Students are selected for this honor by their college deans or registrars and must be in the upper 10% of their class, on their school's dean's list, or have earned a comparable honor. Listed students are eligible to compete for \$25,000 in scholarship awards funded by the publisher and may also use a referral service for future employment opportunities. More than 2,500 colleges and universities nationwide use the publication to recognize their academically qualified students.

## Local students listed in Who's Who

Several students from Castro County have been included in the 23rd annual edition of *Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1988-89*.

Students included in the publication from Dimmitt are Scott Acker, Jamie Baker, Erin Bridges, Tessa Chavers, Krystal Derrick, Debbie Fuentes, Priscilla Garcia, Lori Glidewell, Michelle Hardee, Naomie Hernandez, Leigh Hyman, Cory Joiner, Elizabeth Killough, Donald Martinez, Carol Moctezuma, Ann Morris, Maggi Paxton, Carol Petty, Patricia Ramirez, Maria Rosada, Wayne Schacher, Justin Shultz, Scott Stahl, Brian Stewart, Shawn Thomas, Gregg Vasquez, Lisa Widick, Paul Axtell, Kristi Barrera, Elaine Cavazos, Elizabeth Davila, Amy Flores, Michelle Garcia, Kay Gleghorn, Jennifer Hanners, Renea Harman, Jo Hyman, Noemi Ibarra, Timothy Killingsworth, Mary Jane Lumbrera, Tish Miller, Linda Mora, Dena Nava, Diane Peralez, Irene Ramirez, Jennie Rodriguez, Beth Sams, Alicia Shippy, Kristi Sims, Stacy Stahl, Curt Summers, Charles Thrasher, Amparo Villanueva and Michael Wilson.

Hart students included are Jody Burress, Joel Carrasco, Stephanie Davis, Charles Maldonado, Esreal Ramirez, Sally Rios, Juan Rodriguez, David Carrasco, Jay Davis, Miguel Morales, Elosia Reyna and Selia Rios.

Nazareth students included on the list are Stephanie Farris, Linda Birkenfeld, Tammy Drerup, Gwen Hoelting, Brian Klein, Shana Birkenfeld, Tracy Drerup, Noel Johnson and Nikki Schulte.

performance in scholarship award contests or extracurricular activities.

Final selection is determined on the basis of criteria which include high achievement in academics and leadership in school activities, athletics or community service.

## Local museum group to meet

The Castro County Museum Association will meet tonight (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. at the museum.

Tonight's meeting will be a combination of the November and December regular monthly meetings.

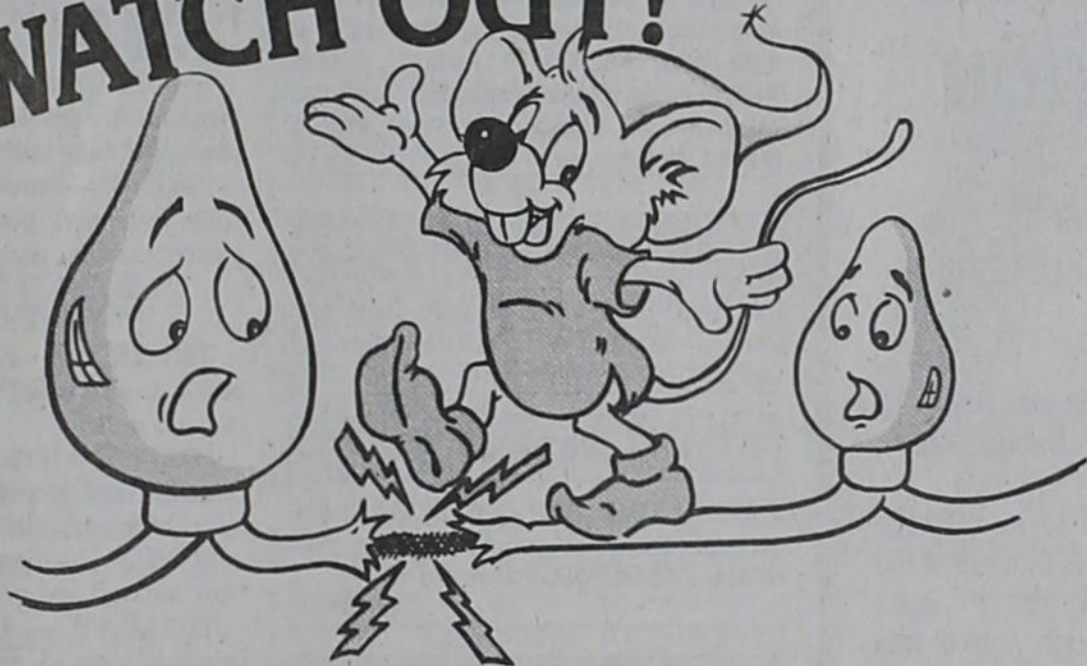
## H&D Club sets party

The Hill and Dell Extension Homemakers Club has set its Christmas party for Monday at 7 p.m. in the home of Linda Shannon at 712 Oak in Dimmitt.

Members are asked to bring their favorite holiday treats with the recipe for preparing them, for a recipe exchange.

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- Check extension cords for wear or damage and don't run them across walking areas.
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- Never string lights on a metallic tree.
- Choose a fresh, green tree, trim its base and keep it in plenty of water. If the needles are brown and break off easily, it could be a fire risk.
- If you buy an artificial tree, make sure it has been tested for flammability by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
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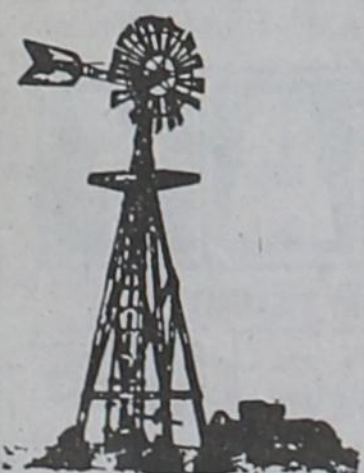
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**TRACT TWO:** An undivided one-fourth interest in and to all of those portions of Section Number Eighteen (18) and the West 220 acres of the South One-Half (S/2) of Section Number Twenty-Six (26) in Block M-10-A, and Block M, all of which lies North of the North right-of-way line of State Highway 86, as the same presently located, in Castro County, Texas, and being that certain land conveyed by C.J. Mapes, et ux, to Iris Touchstone on December 6, 1954 as shown of record in Volume 81, Page 575, of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas, as modified by that certain conveyance correcting the right of way description recorded in Volume 124, Page 243 of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas,

**SAVE AND EXCEPT** that certain 7.617 acre tract located therein which has been subdivided and identified as Touchstone's Highland Heights, Unit I addition to the City of Dimmitt, Texas, described by metes and bounds in Volume 116, Page 140 of the Deed Records of Castro County, Texas.

**TRACT THREE:** An undivided one-fourth interest in and to all of the West One-Half (W/2) of Section Number Forty-Two (42), Block T-4, T. A. Thompson Survey, Castro County, Texas.

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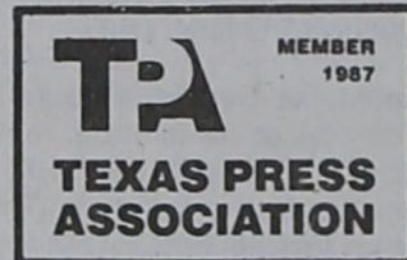
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### 12—Notices

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### 14—Cards of Thanks

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To everyone who remembered us with cards, telephone calls, food, gifts and your attendance at our 50th wedding anniversary celebration, thank you.  
ED & BETTY FREEMAN  
14-34-1tp

## What's cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for Dec. 7 to 15.

#### DIMMITT

THURSDAY — Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, wacky cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Pizza, corn on the cob, fried okra, chocolate pudding and milk.

MONDAY — Hot dogs with chili, French fries, dill relish and onion slices, pineapple pudding and milk.

TUESDAY — Spaghetti with meat sauce, fried squash, green beans, rolls, butter and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, green peas, rolls, peanut butter cups and milk.

THURSDAY — Burritos, chili, Ranch Style Beans, whole kernel corn, fruit cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY — Pinto beans with ham, cornbread, corn nuggets, coleslaw, Jello and milk.

#### HART

THURSDAY — Beef ravioli, wheat buns, green beans, buttered corn, peanut butter cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Battered fried fish, cornbread, black-eyed peas, coleslaw, cherry cobbler and milk.

MONDAY — Pizza, tossed salad, buttered corn, cake and milk.

TUESDAY — Chicken fried steak, hot rolls, green beans, whipped potatoes, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Cheeseburgers, French fries, salad, pickles, mixed fruit and milk.

THURSDAY — Enchilada casserole, tortillas, tossed salad, buttered corn, pineapple cake and milk.

FRIDAY — Barbecued brisket, yeast rolls, whipped potatoes, pinto beans, apricot cobbler and milk.

#### NAZARETH

THURSDAY — Spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed salad, hot rolls, fruit cocktail and milk.

FRIDAY — Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, Jello and milk.

MONDAY — Tacos, corn, hot rolls, fruit cocktail and milk.

TUESDAY — Ham, rotini, green beans, cornbread, apple and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers, French fries, brownies and milk.

THURSDAY — Frito pie, peas, cornbread, pears and milk.

FRIDAY — Turkey, dressing and gravy, buttered baby carrots, hot bread, peaches and milk.

### 2—For Rent

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**COOPERATIVE EDUCATION**—This group of students—some high school and some in the third grade—work together as part of a peer tutoring program the high school students in Allison Davis' home and family living classes are undertaking this year. The high school students work with the younger students, helping with everything from

coloring to homework, and give the younger group a "role model" to look up to. Pictured, clockwise from left, are Rachel Vigin, Chuy Saucedo, April Reyes, Kristi Wright, Asha Patel, Richard Ramos, Stacey Villanueva, Wesley Wright and Elaine Broadstreet.

## DHS tutors serve as role models for younger children

By ANNE ACKER

Learning has become a little more special for a group of high school "tutors" and their "students."

Students in Allison Davis' home and family living class at Dimmitt High School have been peer tutoring students in the first, third and eighth grades, and a few high school students, since the first part of September.

The peer tutoring program was started to help students who are "at risk" so they may have a positive role model helping them understand their studies.

The students in Davis' class picked this project for their Future Homemakers of America community service project in the NutraSweet 100% Community Service Competition, which is a national contest put on by NutraSweet.

The tutors helped eighth grade students with ratiocination. They highlighted different parts of grammar, including B verbs, sentence fragments and run-on sentences and helped the students learn about them. With the first and third graders, the peer tutors have been helping the students create Christmas cards. The tutors have also helped some of their high school friends in English.

Davis and Cheryl Glidewell, a third grade teacher at Richardson Elementary School, say that the project has benefited both the tutors and students.

"I've noticed that the kids are more understanding with me and are more apt to listen to me explain things since they've been working with the younger kids as tutors," Davis said. "They've learned to evaluate their roles and have developed more self-confidence. I think it helped some of them realize they are important and have self worth."

"It's been a wonderful experience for the third graders," Glidewell said.

"A lot of them need a role model and it's really helped. I've been able to tell there's an improvement in their confidence level. They enjoy the cooperative learning a lot. Role models are really important in education and the older students taking time to help the younger ones has really been terrific. I'd like for all third graders to be included in the program."

It's been a great experience for the tutors and their students, too.

Davis said her students like to work with the first and third graders the most because the students look up to them more than someone their own age would.

Manuel Garcia is a sophomore at DHS and is one of the tutors. He said he's learned how hard it can be for some children to concentrate on studies after working with them.

"I learned what kind of responsibilities the kids have. If they have difficulties at home, I've noticed that it disturbs their studies. It makes me feel good to help them. They look up to you," Garcia said.

Another tutor, David Edwards, who is a senior, said he just likes seeing the third graders' reactions.

"They all look up and smile at us when we walk in the room," Edwards said. "This project has helped me to learn what difficulties they have and I've been able to get to know them better."

"Working with these students has helped me see how much you learn over the years and how people's personalities can change," said Kristi Wright, a sophomore peer tutor. "These kids automatically trust us and it feels good to be a part of their learning process."

The third graders are quick to praise the program, also.

"I like the kids to come and I look forward to it," said Wesley Wright. "They've helped me learn how to color and stuff."

Miranda Turner said she's "learned how to make things and learned how to write letters."

"They help me get finished with my work. Having them here helping us and coming to help us make Christmas cards and things is the most fun thing about the program," said Turner.

The students and teachers agree that the peer tutoring program has benefited all involved and it's definitely a program for the future. After all, it's not often big kids take time to pay attention and help little kids, but when they do, the self-confidence and lessons learned by each are things books can't teach.

## Gerber resigns

Rick Gerber of Austin, formerly of Nazareth, has resigned as executive director of BB/BS of Austin.

According to the agency's officials, the business "has grown to a new sense of maturity in terms of the high quality of services provided and public recognition of the program" under Gerber's guidance.

Gerber set several goals for himself as executive director, all of which were achieved. Some of the goals include getting settled into a new, debt-free building, using computers more often for both fundraising and program needs, getting Austin to host the regional BB/BS conference last year, improving the quality of service and giving the program a positive reputation in the community, which helped to recruit good volunteers.

The agency thanked Gerber for "giving this agency 10 years of hard work and excellent leadership."

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# People

## Murdock and Smith wed

The sanctuary of the Washington Street Christian Church in Amarillo was the scene for the candlelight wedding ceremony uniting Debbie Murdock and Doug Smith recently.

The couple exchanged wedding vows Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. with Bob Schroeder, singles' minister of the Paramount Terrace Christian Church of Amarillo, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Murdock of Dimmitt. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Sabetha, Kan.

The couple recited their wedding vows before an altar which was decorated with an archway of emerald leaves, tree fern, baby's breath and heather. Branches of hot pink gerber daisies, fuschia carnations, purple statice and mauve larkspur boughs, carrying out the bride's chosen colors, added color to the scene. The arch was flanked by two 21-light spiral candelabras. 21 - light fan - shaped candelabras, accented with the same floral designs found on the altar, were placed on each side of the altar.

The background was decorated with large schiffelera plants and ficus trees.

The bridal party entered the sanctuary through an archway decorated with the same floral designs found on the front altar.

The pews down the bridal aisle were marked with triple satin bows of hunter green and jewel tones of fuschia, centered with nosegays of baby's breath and tiny boughs of huck.

Mrs. Dale Winders and Mrs. Wade Maynard, both of Dimmitt, performed musical selections on the organ and piano as the guests were seated before the ceremony. As candles were lit by Randi Kinzer of Amarillo, friend of the bride and groom, the organist played *You Light Up My Life*.

Kinzer wore a tea-length gown of iridescent hunter green taffeta designed with an elongated waistline, puffed sleeves and white lace trim. She wore a tiara of tiny huck leaves with purple statice blossoms and mauve larkspurs.

*Sunrise, Sunset* was played by Maynard and performed by Lisa Wagner and Kelly Forehand as the couple's parents entered the sanctuary to light the family candles flanking the unity candle.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a designer gown of candlelight regal satin designed with a sweetheart neckline and an elongated waistline encrusted with pearls and jewels. The gown's full, flowing skirt fell from the bodice that plunged to a low back. A bustle and bow accented the back of the gown at the waistline. The skirt flowed into a cathedral-length train, which was studded with pearls and jewels. Borders of European lace decorated the hemline.

She wore a riding picture hat trimmed in Alencon lace. A double-tiered veil of bridal illusion, which featured a bow and rosette of pearls, was attached to the hat.

She carried a bouquet of catalaya orchids, dendrobium orchids, white roses, English ivy and baby's breath styled in a European cascade. The bouquet was tied with candlelight organza ribbon accented with lace and tiny pearls.

The bride presented her mother and the groom's mother with long-stemmed white roses.

Patty Price of Canyon served as



MRS. DOUG SMITH  
... nee Debbie Murdock

maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Anita Schumacher of Hiawatha, Kan., sister of the groom; Carol Fletcher of Amarillo, friend of the bride; and Pam Murdock of Miami, Fla., sister-in-law of the bride.

Each attendant wore a gown of iridescent hunter green taffeta, styled with puffed sleeves and a full, tea-length skirt which fell from an elongated waistline. The skirt flowed to a longer length in the back.

The attendants carried cascades of purple iris, fuschia carnations, hot pink gerber daisies, baby's breath and tree fern. The bouquets were tied with hunter green wide satin bows centered with fuschia and mauve streamers.

They wore tiaras of tiny boxwood leaves, individual blossoms of purple statice and pink larkspur, and a string of pearls.

Ashley Schumacher, niece of the groom, and Ashley Nepper were flower girls.

They wore dresses of iridescent hunter green taffeta designed with tea-length skirts. White lace peeked out from underneath the dress at the hemline. The neckline and puffed sleeves of the gowns were trimmed in lace.

The flower girls carried natural straw baskets outlined with tiny boxwood leaves, blossoms of purple statice and pink larkspur. Their tiaras were made of the same flowers.

Best man was Terry Smith of Oneida, Kan. Groomsmen were David Reinbold of Amarillo, Mike Smith of Manhattan, Kan., brother of the groom, and Brad Murdock of Miami, Fla., the bride's brother.

Ushers were Jeff Reinbold, Kurt Reinbold and Roger Busboom, friends of the groom.

The groomsmen and ushers wore black tuxedos with iridescent hunter green bow ties and matching cummerbunds. They also wore white rose boutonnières.

Ring bearer was Jason Schumacher of Hiawatha, Kan., nephew of the groom. He carried the couple's wedding rings atop a pillow that was hand-stitched by Mrs. David Reinbold of Amarillo, a friend of the bride. He wore a black tuxedo with an iridescent hunter green bow tie and matching cummerbund.

The groom's table was covered with an ecru linen cloth that touched the floor. The oval table was topped with a cutwork linen cloth secured with a tailored bow of hunter green paper raffia. The double wedding ring German chocolate cake was surrounded with tiny bunches of heather and tree fern. The table was set with a brass samovar, gold flatware and burgundy napkins lettered in gold. Brass candlesticks, entwined with English ivy and holding hunter green tapers, accented the table.

Assisting with the reception were Mrs. Curt Reinbold, Mrs. David Reinbold, and Mrs. Dan Hall, all of Amarillo; Beth Welch of Lubbock; and Nancy Pavlak of Amarillo.

After a wedding trip to Puerta Vallarta, Mexico, the couple are at home in Amarillo.

A rehearsal dinner was held in the fellowship hall at the church on Nov. 3. Other courtesies included a miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Kate Beecher in Dimmitt; a couple's miscellaneous shower at the Newport Clubhouse in Amarillo, which was hosted by the couple's friends; and a lingerie shower, give by Merrill Lynch office personnel at the business' party room.

The guests were greeted by Paula Cornelius of Amarillo as they registered. The registration table was flanked by a wooden bench entwined with greenery and paper raffia bows of hunter green and fuschia.

Wedding programs, which were held in a natural straw basket trimmed with tiny boxwood leaves and blossoms tied with tiny fuschia and mauve ribbons, were rolled and secured with a silver wedding band and were handed to guests by Ashley Nepper.

Vocal selections for the wedding were performed by Tina Wisdom, Lisa Wagner and Kelly Forehand. *The Twelfth of Never*, which was sung by Wisdom and Wagner, was also performed at the bride's parents' wedding. Forehand performed *Always and Forever* as the bride and groom lit the unity candle.

Following the wedding the couple were honored with a reception in the fellowship hall.

Guests entered the hall through double doors marked with large paper raffia bows of fuschia.

The bride's table was covered with a floor-length cloth made of tiers of candlelight lace. It was topped with lace swags caught at the corners with large solid paper raffia bows of hunter green and fuschia.

The bride's four-tiered wedding cake, which was decorated with fresh blossoms of rubium lilies, purple iris, heather, dendrobium orchids, white roses, pink larkspur and baby's breath, graced the bride's table. Complimenting the cake was a standing heart-shaped grapevine basket filled with hot pink gerber daisies, purple iris, pink larkspur, baby's breath and fuschia carnations. Brass candlesticks holding hunter green tapers, and purple, fuschia and mauve napkins inscribed in gold, added to the look. Gold flatware completed the table decor.

Purple and mauve colored butter mints were served from a fluted-edged brass tray. Strawberry spritzer punch was served from a round table with matching cloth and decor.

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Linda Birkenfeld

## Birkenfeld is honored

Linda Birkenfeld, a freshman from Nazareth, has been named to the Dean's List at Texas State Technical Institute at Sweetwater.

Birkenfeld, the daughter of Carol and Millie Birkenfeld of Nazareth, posted a 3.4 grade average in her first-semester work at TSTI. She is majoring in drafting.

Birkenfeld is a 1989 graduate of Nazareth High School.

## Froehner solos on tourism ads

Former Dimmitt resident Dr. Robert Froehner of Grand Prairie will be featured as a soloist on the music soundtrack for radio and television ads sponsored by the Texas Department of Commerce, Tourism Division, as part of its 1990 national advertising campaign.

However, Froehner's instrument is rather unusual—the musical saw. Although he maintains an armory of ten different types of saws, for this particular music, Froehner chose the Sears Craftsman® workshop model, which he plays with an ordinary violin bow.

The original music, written by Tom Faulkner, features Froehner on lead handsaw, accompanied by acoustic guitar, clarinet and background vocals.

Froehner was asked to appear in the soundtrack after his performances received attention at the Texas Folklife Festival in San Antonio earlier this summer. He has also performed at Disneyland, Six Flags over Texas, and Silver Dollar City in Branson, Mo., and has recently been featured on Dallas radio and television programs.

Aside from his musical activities, Froehner has recently had small acting roles in several films, including Oliver Stone's *Born on the Fourth of July*, scheduled for a Christmas release.

## Cheerleaders to hold clinic

The Dimmitt High School cheerleaders for 1989-90 will conduct a one-day cheerleader clinic Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Dimmitt High School gym.

Students will learn cheers and chants, along with a pom pon routine, which they will perform at half time of the Bobbies' basketball game Tuesday.

Registration fees for each student are \$10, which includes a participation certificate and a meal.

Anyone who has any questions should contact Allison Davis, cheerleader sponsor, at 647-3105, or any varsity cheerleader.



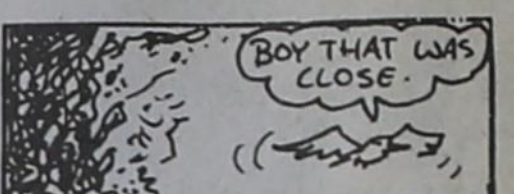
Cat Card Club Winners for this week have been named at Dimmitt Middle School.

Sixth grader Rachel Goldsmith was selected for the way she treats her fellow students and for helping other band students.

Seventh grader Juan Rodriguez was named for turning in a lost ring.

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# Evening ceremony joins pair

Janet Kathleen McLain and Steven Daniel Higgins exchanged wedding vows Friday in the Hart Baptist Church with Rev. Allie Balko, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLain of Hart. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Higgins, of Hart.

Musical selections were performed by organist, Lea Ann Malone of Hart; pianist, Cynthia Sorley of Olton; and soloist, Suzanne Dyer of Hart.

The church was decorated with three brass fan candelabras, two spiral candelabras and two tree candelabras standing at the front of the church. Each candelabra held white candles and was decorated with grape ivy and green and white satin ribbon bows. Green and white satin bows marked the pews down both aisles. The family's pews were decorated with green and white satin bows accented with white roses and baby's breath.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, wore a white satin gown with Venise lace and Wedgewood lace. The spaghetti-strap satin bodice was trimmed with beaded Venise lace medallions and the princess seams were outlined in satin cording. The satin and off-the-shoulder Victorian sleeves were trimmed with satin ribbon. The basque waistline accented the full satin skirt, which featured lace ruffles caught with satin roses and ribbon, and flowed into a cathedral-length train.

She wore a beaded Venise lace tiara with a fingertip scalloped veil dotted with pearl clusters.

She carried a bouquet of white roses and red rose buds, white Stephanotis and organza-roses accented with satin ribbon, lace and seed pearls. Her grandfather, J.C. Scruggs' wedding ring was tied to her bouquet with white satin ribbon.

Maid of honor was Ronda Brooks of Hart. Bridesmaids were Zenita Rowland of Hart and Lisa Spencer of Austin, sister of the groom.

Each attendant wore an iridescent emerald green taffeta gown with asymmetrically-draped bodice and peplum, puffed sleeves and a slim skirt accented with a rhinestone bow at the waistline.

They carried white lace fans with white roses and red rose buds, accented with seed pearls, iridescent white lace and satin ribbon.

The groom wore a white tuxedo with tails, featuring an emerald green bow tie and cummerbund. His boutonniere was a red rose accented with baby's breath.

Scott Jones of Hart was best man. Groomsmen were Ricky Rowland and Matt Gilbreath, both of Hart.

Ushers and candlelighters were Kevin Stout of Dumas and Marlin Marble of Grand Island, Neb.

They wore black tuxedos with tails, accented with emerald green bow ties and cummerbunds. They wore red rose boutonniers accented with baby's breath.

Guests were registered by Lea Ann Proctor of Austin, cousin of the groom.



MRS. STEVEN DANIEL HIGGINS  
... nee Janet Kathleen McLain

The octagon-shaped table was covered with a white satin cloth with a Victorian lace overlay. White feather pens were used to register guests. A white lace fan with white roses and red rose buds accented with seed pearls, iridescent lace and satin ribbons decorated the registry table.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the church's fellowship hall following the wedding.

A white satin cloth and an overlay of Victorian lace covered the oval-shaped bride's table. Crystal and silver appointments were used. The bride's bouquet and the bridal attendants' fans served as the table's centerpiece.

The bride's four-tiered cake rested on five white columns atop a crystal water fountain with flowing green water. Each layer was draped with scallops accented with iridescent doves and grapes. A Precious Moments bride and groom in a honeymoon car was resting on the top. A pair of gold wedding bands were placed on the second layer and iridescent wedding bells and a single white rose accented the center of the bottom layer. The first and second layers, and the third and fourth layers of the cake were separated by four white columns. Green netting surrounded the water fountain, which was accented with white roses.

Nuts and chocolate mints along with lime slush punch were also served.

Reception assistants were Cynthia George, Tammy Black, Sue Bennett, Charlene Bennett, Arlene Dyer, Greta Davis and Louise Jones, all of Hart; and Theresa Marble of Grand Island, Neb.

The groom's table was draped with a hand-crocheted pineapple-design table cloth.

His chocolate sheet cake was decorated in a farm scene and fea-

tured a miniature John Deere tractor on top.

Silver and crystal appointments were used.

Coffee, nuts and chocolate mints were also served from the groom's table.

After a wedding trip to Puerto Vallarta, the couple will reside in Hart.

The bride is a 1987 graduate of Hart High School. She graduated from the International Aviation and Travel Academy in Arlington in 1988 and is presently employed with Pay-n-Save Grocery in Hart as market manager and head bookkeeper.

The groom is a 1980 graduate of Hart High School and received his bachelor's degree in 1985 from West Texas State University. He is engaged in farming.

A rehearsal dinner was given by the groom's parents in their home. Bridal courtesies included showers given in the homes of June Davis and Zenita Rowland.

# Church Happenings

## Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

Our CCD enrollment stands at 505. There are 192 students enrolled in the kindergarten through sixth grades at the church, 67 at the Azteca Complex and 124 at St. John's in Hart. There are 123 students in the seventh through twelfth grades.

Friday is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of Our Lady. The obligation mass will be at 6:30 p.m. in St. John's at Hart; and at 8 p.m. in Dimmitt.

Our fourth annual Christmas party promises to be the biggest parish celebration ever as it also marks the end of our three year-long RENEW process. We hope the 100 odd members of the 10 small groups and their families will come in force to celebrate the occasion. The parish will provide the meat and drink. Families are asked to

bring a salad and dessert. Thanks to the generosity of the business community (\$520 was donated) every child of the city who turns up for the party will receive a little gift.

A special thanks to Emilio Nino who obtained the donations, and to Agustino Ortiz and Nino for collecting the donations.

15 of our Guadalupanas attended a retreat last weekend in Amarillo.

On Tuesday the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated with a mass in Dimmitt at 7 p.m. and in Hart at 8:30 p.m.

## Ministerial Alliance

Edward D. Freeman will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of Isaiah 52:13-53:6 on Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

## Presbyterian Church

Sunday school classes will be Sunday at 10 a.m.

"Be Turned Around" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the service for the public worship of God Sunday at 11 a.m.

There will be a session meeting Monday at 8 p.m.

Morning prayers will be recited Wednesday at 6:30.

"Woe to Scribes and Pharisees," Matthew 23:1-12, will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Mary Jo Brown and Ruth Cochran were elected to the session and Dwight Joiner to the board of trustees Sunday at the congregational meeting.

## Christmas programs are planned

Dimmitt students will present Christmas programs tonight (Thursday) and Tuesday in Dimmitt.

Tonight, the fifth and sixth grade choirs, the sixth grade band and the junior high band will present a Christmas musical at 7 in the Dimmitt High School Auditorium.

Everyone is invited to attend the musical and the reception, immediately following the show. The reception will be in the high school band hall.

Tuesday night's performance will be presented by Avie Lewis' fourth grade classes. The show begins at 12:15 p.m. in the Dimmitt Middle School Auditorium.

Everyone is invited to attend.

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# Hoelting to graduate

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Nine students will receive associate degrees with 204 students receiving bachelor's degrees and 52 receiving master's degrees.

Hoelting will receive a bachelor of business administration degree with a major in marketing and a minor in business administration.

## Shot clinic set

An immunization clinic offering vaccinations against several childhood diseases will be held in Dimmitt Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in the Dimmitt Middle School auditorium.

Vaccinations offered include polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella and mumps.

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David Fletcher, Pastor  
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**First United Methodist Church**  
Perry Hunsaker, Pastor  
938-2462, Hart

**La Asamblea Cristiana**  
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**First United Methodist Church**  
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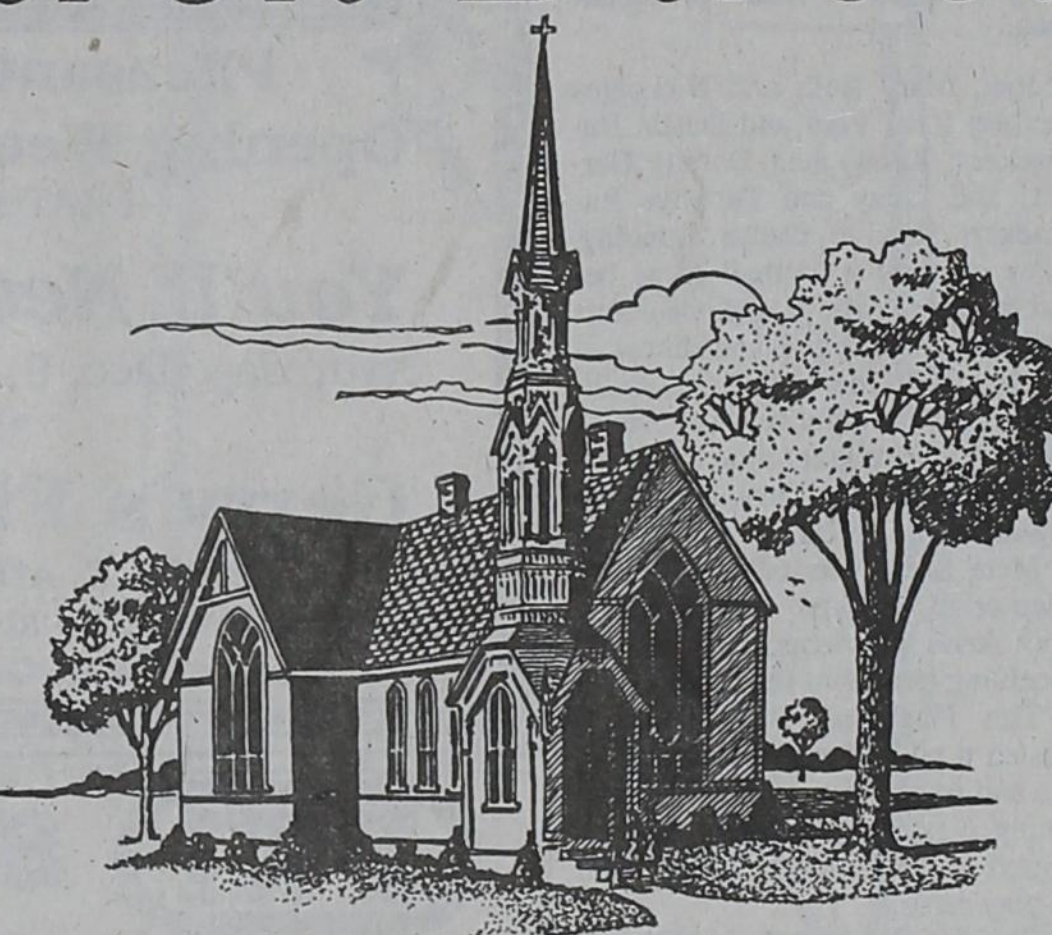
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**PRIZE PRESENTATION** for a Christmas card design contest sponsored by Contel of Texas, with Dolores Mendoza winning the top honors among the 17 entries from Dimmitt High School. Presenting the \$50 prize award are (from left) Jean Hannah, Sold On Contel Coordinator, Johnny

Ethridge, local Contel Customer Service Supervisor, and Bill Culler, Customer Service Supervisor. Accepting the award on behalf of the absent Mendoza are (continuing from left) Student Council President Justin Shultz and council sponsor Dana Beck.

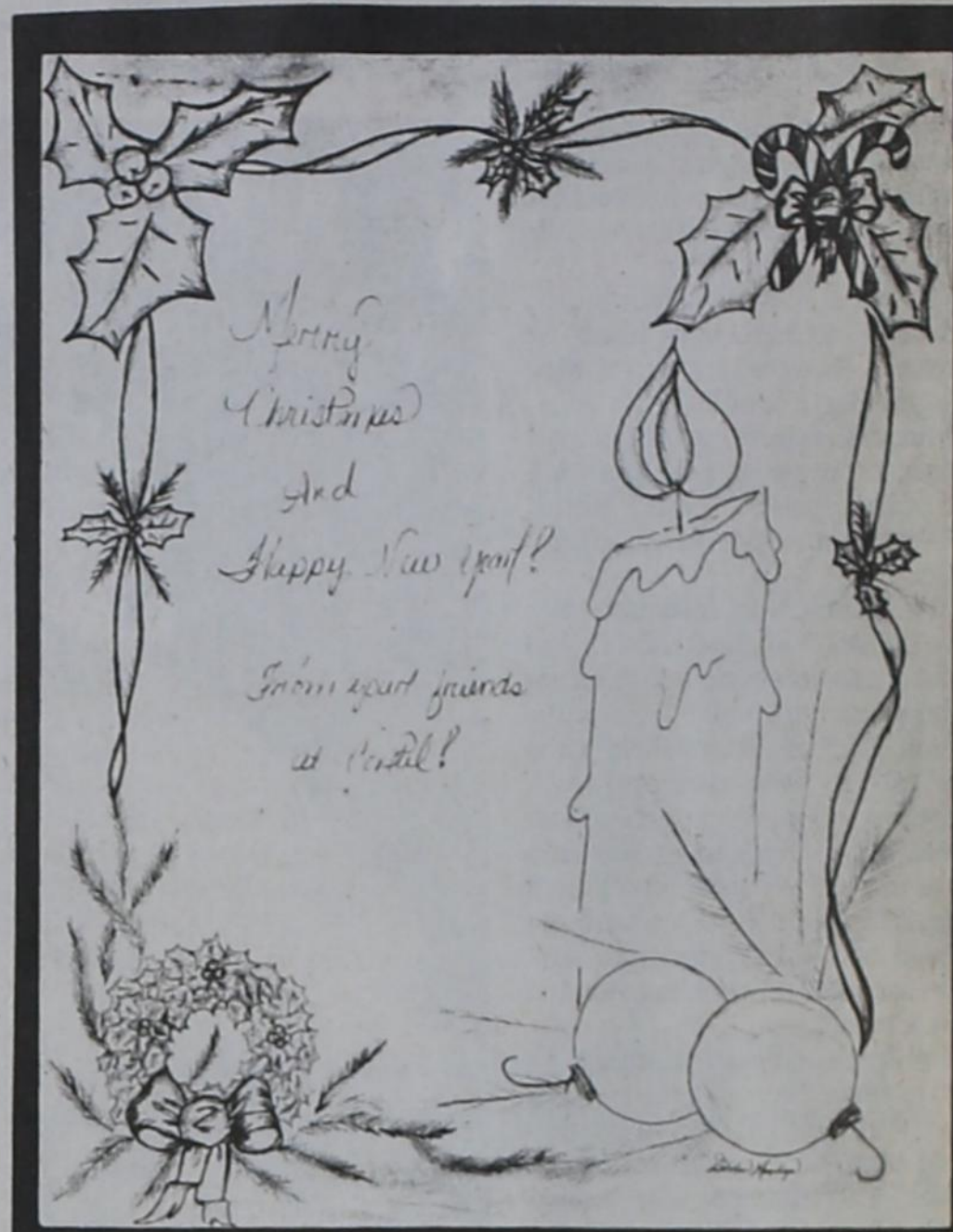
## DHS student wins prize

Dimmitt High School Senior Dolores Mendoza won \$50 in prize money for her entry in the 1989 Christmas card design contest sponsored by Contel of Texas.

The contest was open to 15 high schools in Contel's service area. Mendoza's design was selected out of 17 entries from DHS, and competed against other winners at the district level. The four district winners received \$250 in prize money, and then competed for the grand prize.

The grand prize winning design will appear on Contel's 1989 Christmas card, and the designer's school will receive a \$1,000 donation from Contel. Top winner was Larisa Porter of Colmesneil.

Students were required to submit artwork in pencil, charcoal or black pen. The contest was open to all students in grades nine through 12 in schools in the service area.



Dolores Mendoza's prize-winning design.

# Nazareth

By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) class was presented to Holy Family Church's parish family Sunday morning at mass.

Kendall Schacher was presented as a catechumen, or a candidate for baptism. His sponsor is Shirley Schacher.

Susan Hartman, Debbie Huseman and Carla Hochstein were presented as candidates for religious instruction heading to confirmation and the Eucharist. Their sponsors are Angela Hochstein, Patsy Huseman and May Hochstein, respectively.

The class was presented by Deacon Al Maurer, RCIA Process Chairman, and were accepted by Rev. Neal Dee, pastor of Holy Family Church.

Father Dee, May Hochstein, Betty Wilhelm and Norita Hoelting attended an appreciation banquet for RENEW, held at the Camelot Inn in Amarillo last Thursday night. It was hosted by the Diocesan RENEW office. After an address by Sister Martha Delgado and Bishop Mattheisen, materials were handed out concerning "Where do we go from here?"

The Christian Mothers annual covered dish supper and Christmas party were well attended Sunday night at the Community Hall. Special guests were the second and third grade students who entertained during the meal with many Christmas carols; their parents; our new band instructor, Tommy Stewart of Tulia; our school superintendent, N. Dean Johnson; our grade school principal, Mary Nell King and her husband, Gene; and our pastor, Father Dee.

Door prizes were won by Keith Hoelting, Vera Huseman and Norita Hoelting. New members of the Christian Mothers were installed by Rev. Neal Dee, assisted by Leola Ramaekers, president; and Phillie Garza, vice president. The new members are Evelyn Backus, Shari Penquite, Tricia Rose, Jody Huseman and Delese Ellison.

Congratulations to Jimmy and Elaine Kern of Nazareth on the birth of a baby girl, Brandi Desiree, born Oct. 12 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She has an older brother, Jason, who is 9. Grandparents are Bud and Rita Kern of Nazareth, Ovella Post of Amarillo and Monroe Burnam of Lubbock.

Mitzie Brockman and her mother, Alma Conrad, held their fourth annual Santa Party and the beautifully decorated Cyril Brockman home. Many children visited with Santa and had their pictures made with him. Punch and Christmas cookies were served to everyone. Any donations offered were given to Holy Family Church Charity Fund in memory of Leonard Conrad.

Marie Brockman recently spent the weekend in Midland with her family, Gerald and Sheila Brockman. While there she enjoyed dinner at the country club with Gerald, Sheila and several of their friends. They also visited with Vic Brockman.

Joel, Mary Beth and Nickolaus Gerber; Rex, Vera and Dustin Ramaekers; Kenny and Doretta Gerber; and Larry and Tammy Ramaekers flew to Dallas Saturday. They enjoyed a football game between the Cowboys and the Rams and also visited and had dinner at the home of Joe and Elaine Sullivan. Jeff Schmucker of Dallas showed them a great time by chauffeuring them around to many of the highlights of Dallas.

Meta Stork was taken to Plains Memorial Hospital last Thursday with knee problems. She is now receiving treatment for phlebitis.

The Huseman Beet Growers hosted a party for their beet growers and truck drivers. They enjoyed eating pizza in Plainview, then returned to the Nazareth Legion Hall to play cards.

Charley, Bev and Todd Hill, and Virgie and K'Lynn Gerber, spent the weekend at Wichita Falls with

Traci Hill, who plays basketball for Midwestern State University. Her team won the Ashbrook Classic with Tarleton State finishing second, Abilene Christian University third and Southwestern State University, fourth. We enjoyed meeting Traci's team.

On Sunday, Marie Brockman and Dora Albracht visited with George and Mary Brockman in Umbarger.

Florene Leinen of Dimmitt hosted a Christmas dinner Sunday for her family, Vi and Virgil Pohlmeier of Tulia, Evelyn Hill of Lubbock, LeRoy and Dorothy Pohlmeier, and Denny and Delores Heiman. After the tour they visited their mother, Meta Stork, in the hospital.

Patricia Acker is a patient at the Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children. Her room number is 204. She underwent surgery on both legs with no complications. She is reportedly doing well. Her address is Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children, Houston Unit, 1402 N. Macgregor, Houston, Texas 77030-1695.

## Shot clinic set

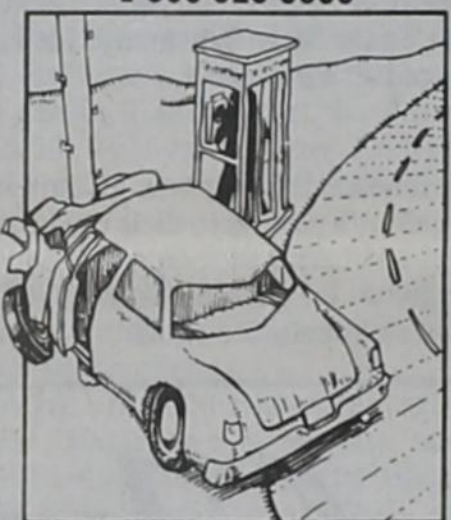
An immunization clinic offering vaccinations against several childhood diseases will be held in Dimmitt Friday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in the Dimmitt Middle School auditorium.

Vaccinations offered include polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella and mumps.

The Texas Dept. of Health is charging money to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size and the ability to pay.

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Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend, and the honorees ask that no gifts be given.

The reception will be hosted by the couple's children and their

spouses, Thomas and Shirley Brooks, and Neoma Wall, all of Hart; and Sharon and Billy Shofner of Lamesa.

The former Irene Welty married Paul Brooks Dec. 20, 1939, in Lamesa. The couple farmed there until 1949, when they moved to Hart. He's engaged in farming and she's a housewife.

## Naz honor students named

The Nazareth Independent School District has announced its honor students for the second six weeks of school.

The "Principal's Honor Roll" includes Tracy Maurer, Jill Schulte and Amy Pohlmeier.

Students on the A honor roll include:

**FIRST GRADE:** Shawna Gerber, Mark Birkenfeld, Lindsie M. Gerber, Lindsey K. Gerber, Matty McLain, Saige Annen, Whitney Hoelting and Brooke Moyers.

**SECOND GRADE:** Cassie Birkenfeld, Melanie Book, Andrea Braddock, Cameron McLain, Dawn Ramaekers, Judy Schacher, Jill Schulte, Sara Schulte and Karen Wilhelm.

**THIRD GRADE:** Jessica Kern, Susan Jones, Laura Birkenfeld, Mitchell Brockman, Matthew Kern, Stephanie Gerber, Vanessa Wilhelm, Heather Schilling, Susan Book and Ann Wilhelm.

**FOURTH GRADE:** Sara Birkenfeld, Amy Pohlmeier and Kaci Wethington.

**FIFTH GRADE:** Justin Bingham and Nathan Hoelting.

**SIXTH GRADE:** Jaimye Bingham and Robin Schulte.

**SEVENTH GRADE:** Colby Pohlmeier, Karmen Pohlmeier and Scott Brockman.

**EIGHTH GRADE:** Sabrina Acker and Mary Ellen Ramaekers.

**FRESHMEN:** Jill Pohlmeier.

**SOPHOMORES:** Kalina Pohlmeier and Jodi Johnson.

**JUNIORS:** Marcia Hoelting, Vance Acker and Cindy Albracht.

**SENIORS:** Lorelea Acker.

Students qualifying for the B honor roll are:

**FIRST GRADE:** Jason Huseman, Tara Kleman, Jaci Birkenfeld, Mark Lange, Nichole Huseman, Erin Jones, Bryce Pohlmeier, Adam Schulte, John Scott Farris and Zach Cameron.

**SECOND GRADE:** Clay Hoelting, Bo Hunter, Shawn Nelson, David Verkamp and Stanton Weth-

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**FOURTH GRADE:** Jerad Birkenfeld, Leon Birkenfeld, Celina Braddock, Becca Garza, K'Lyn Gerber, Lynsey Hoelting, Trina Johnson, Whitney McLain, Josh Merritt, Dustin Ramaekers, Kit Schulte and Stacey Schulte.

**FIFTH GRADE:** Heather Braddock, Marcus Brockman, Margie Durbin, Angela Fortenberry, B.J. Kern, Shawn Pohlmeier, Jill Ramaekers and B.J. Wethington.

**SIXTH GRADE:** Allyn Garza, Casey Hoelting, Robby Schmucker, Courtney Hoelting, Carie Wethington, Kelly Jones and Melinda Schmucker.

**SEVENTH GRADE:** Jaret Schulte and Alston Farris.

**EIGHTH GRADE:** Trampas Ball, J.J. Bermea, Kristen Brockman and Lynette Kleman.

**FRESHMEN:** Bill Hochstein, Michael Schmucker, Kim Dobmeier and Brent Wilhelm.

**SOPHOMORES:** Christy Birkenfeld, T.J. Garza, Garrett Dobmeier, Trey Johnson and Hugh Durbin.

**JUNIORS:** Janay Johnson, Darlene Heck, Monica Kleman, Bernie Hochstein and Noel Johnson.

**SENIORS:** Bob Kern, Brian Schmucker, Dana Schulte, Marla Ramaekers, Kenneth Lange, Nikki Schulte, Tami Ball, Kirsten Birkenfeld, Harold Verkamp and Brent Durbin.

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Dimmitt

# DHS honor roll students named

Dimmitt High School recently named students to the A-B Honor Roll and announced the Top Ten Honor Roll for each class level.

Those who were honored are listed by classes:

### Seniors Top Ten

Danna Ralston, Kristi Sims, Sandra Sandoval, Jennifer Hanners, Barry Hill, Kay Gleghorn, Kara Schulte, Cory Joiner, Priscilla Garcia, Tito Villanueva.

### A-B

David Edwards, Priscilla Garcia, Gloria Gauna, Kay Gleghorn, Jennifer Hanners, Barry Hill, Cory Joiner, Jerry Lopez, Mary Lumbra, Tish Miller, Anthony Milligan, Brian Nelson, Randy Nutt, Danna Ralston, Rosalinda Ramos, Rebecca Rodriguez, Sandra Sandoval, Kara Schulte, Ben Scott, Justin Shultz, Kristi Sims, Irma Soler,

Scott Stahl, Tito Villanueva.

### Juniors Top Ten

Carol Petty, Michelle Hardee, Ryan Hardee, Paul Axtell, Royce Schulte, Renae Josselet, Jeanne Davis, Jennifer Betzen, Dena Nava, Stacy Stahl.

### A-B

Elsa Arcos, Paul Axtell, Jamie Baker, Jennifer Betzen, Christian Braafladt, Tessa Chavers, Jeanne Davis, Michael Ethridge, Amy Flores, Roger Gauna, Wendi Gore, Michelle Hardee, Ryan Hardee, Renea Harman, Sharla Jackson, Renae Josselet, Chad Killingsworth, Dena Nava, Jamie Oberbrockling, Carol Petty, Dennis Petty, Rachel Ramirez, Jesse Ramos, Maria Rosado, Royce Schulte, Stacy Stahl, Chip Thrasher, Gregg Vasquez, Stacy Waggoner.

### Sophomores Top Ten

Susan Waggoner, Christy Kilough, Michelle Garcia, Holly Axtell, Yogeshkum Patel, Holly Campbell, Monica Villanueva, Candy Matthews, Sherri Hunter, Scott Atchley.

### A-B

Scott Atchley, Holly Axtell, Holly Campbell, Michelle Flores, Michelle Garcia, Elizabeth Gutierrez, Sherri Hunter, Christy Kilough, Robert Langford, Candy Matthews, Heather Moore, Monty Moore, Asha Patel, Yogi Patel, Luciano Quiroz, Reyes Sanchez, Miguel Saucedo, Jennifer Sava, Leslie Shippy, Kim Spring, Casey Summers, Gina Thurman, Mary Triana, Arthur Velasquez, Christina Velasquez, Melissa Velasquez, Su-

san Waggoner, Alice Young.

### Freshmen Top Ten

Nikki Kenley, Shad McDaniel, Halley Bradley, Matt Sims, Jeremy Langford, Zachary Smith, Wendi Ethridge, Shanna Schaeffer, Rala Byrnes, Julie Atchley.

### A-B

Julie Atchley, Amy Beck, Halley Bradley, Rala Byrnes, Holly Edwards, Wendi Ethridge, Lucy Ewing, Monica Garcia, Renee Garcia, Justin Gleghorn, Amber Griffith, Melissa Juado, Tera Keller, Nikki Kenley, Jeremy Langford, Shad McDaniel, Brady Nelson, Aida Ontiveros, Imelda Ontiveros, Tisha Rice, Cecilia Rodriguez, Shanna Schaeffer, Michelle Schumacher, Matt Sims, Zachary Smith, Heather Thomas, Abel Vargas, Haylei Wall.

## Hart honor students named

The Hart Independent School District has announced its honor roll students for the recent six weeks grading period.

Seniors on the A honor roll include Blair Brown, David Carrasco, Oscar Castillo, Anel Montemayor, Miguel Morales and Heather Ritter.

Stephanie Davis, Shelly Knox and Ellosia Reyna qualified for the A honor roll in the junior class.

Debra Barefield made the A honor roll in the freshman class.

Seventh graders on the A honor roll include Shea Bennett, Kimberlea Grossman and Traci Knox.

High school students on the A-B honor roll include Jody Burress, Isabel Dominguez, Cody Garrity, Connie Gutierrez, Sonia Mata, Ricky Ojeda, Dilphia Ponce, Esreal Ramirez, Sally Rios and Saul Salas, senior; Roger Barron, Auden Carrasco, Joel Carrasco, Barbara Corrales, Roger Medrano, Ramon Minjarez, Richard Ramirez, Ernesto Reyna and Rachel Torres, juniors;

Jolene Balko, Adriana Corrales, Aleena Davis, Angelica Diaz, Angela Dyer, Jason Ethridge, Brack Jones, Amy McLain, Maresella Minjares, Rudy Ramirez and Carlos Velasquez, sophomores; and Jesse Barbosa, Antonia Beanes, April Bennett, Anita Guerrero, Dusty Hunsaker, Christina Neinst, Laura Rincon and Donna Villa, freshmen.

Students on the A-B honor roll from the seventh grade are Maria Barragan, Andy Bennett, Maria Berumen, Mandy Davis, Clint Emery, Tanya Leibel, Sandra Lopez, Monica Perez and Norma Velasquez.

Eighth graders qualifying for the A-B honor roll list are Kristi Davis, Jaime Ethridge, Carina Martinez, Paul Ramirez, Fred Reyna, Chris Salinas and Fernando Urbina.

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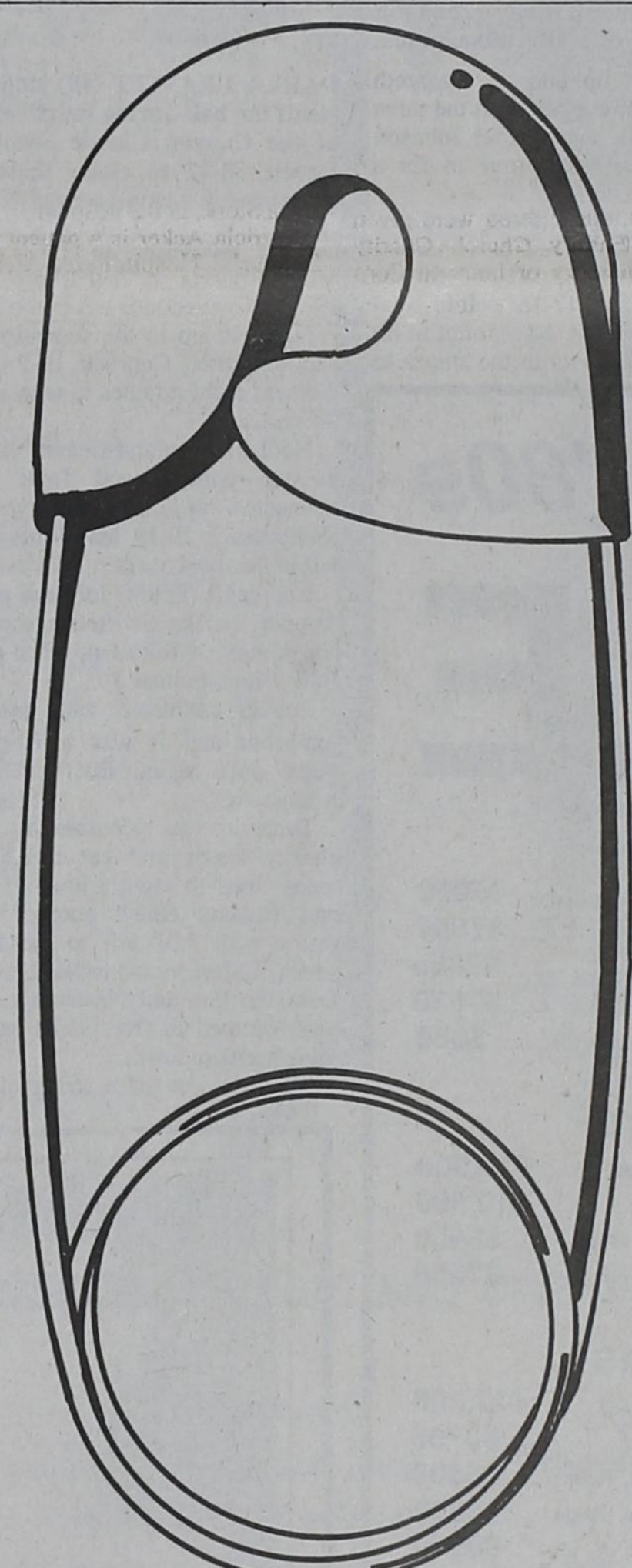
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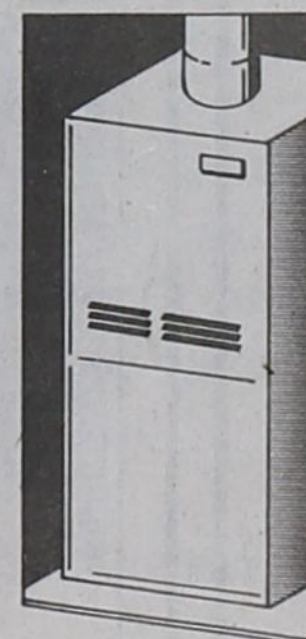
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# Sports

## Swiftettes win Canyon Classic

Two in a row is what the Swiftettes wanted when they entered the Canyon Classic this year, and that's just what they got — a second-straight tournament championship.

The Swiftettes breezed past Hereford and Caprock in the opening and championship semifinal rounds in the tournament last Thursday and Friday, propelling them into the championship finals.

Tascosa upset the host team, Canyon, Friday night, throwing it into the first place game against Nazareth Saturday.

Nazareth had a few problems with the Lady Rebels Saturday night, but the outcome of the game wasn't in doubt for long. When the buzzer sounded, Nazareth was on top 68-42 and had captured its second-straight Canyon Classic championship.

"I think we made some progress this weekend," said Nazareth Head Coach Sandy Heiman, who was ill Saturday and missed the championship game. "We had some kids come off the bench in the Caprock game and really did a good job for us."

Assistant Coach Leslie Martin took over at the helm and guided the Swiftettes in the championship final.

"Leslie (Martin) said we had some slumps Saturday, but we were also played real well at times. We played good in spots, but were down in others. If we can just get everybody playing consistently, we'll really show some improvement," Heiman said.

"Overall I don't think the tournament was quite as tough as it has been in the past. Canyon was in a slump this week and got beat out by Tascosa. I felt like Caprock and Tascosa were a little stronger, but other teams like Spearman, were down a little.

"It was a strange tournament. Different teams performed at different levels at different times. There were a lot of close games, but there was a good, overall competition," Heiman said.

### Swiftettes 56, Hereford 39

Nazareth jumped out early and

were up 16-5 in the first quarter before Hereford could catch its breath.

The second quarter was a repeat of the first, with Nazareth's defense dominating the Hereford offense, allowing just nine points, and the Swiftettes were held a commanding 32-14 lead at half time.

Hereford started a comeback in the third, but weren't able to score but seven points. Nazareth tossed in 13 for a 45-21 lead that sealed the win.

In the fourth quarter the Swiftettes' level of play dropped a little and Hereford was able to outscore Nazareth 18-11, but the Swiftettes' lead was too big for Hereford to overcome and Nazareth walked away with a 56-39 win.

Darla Leavitt led the Swiftettes with 12 points while Noel Johnson added nine.

### Swiftettes 54, Caprock 35

The Swiftettes had their hands full with Caprock, at least for the first half.

A big third quarter scoring spurt lifted the Swiftettes to victory and to a spot in the championship game.

Nazareth held an 8-2 lead at one point in the first quarter, but Caprock's Tandy Dunavin sank a three-pointer to narrow the margin to three points, then cut it to one with another bucket.

Johnson put Nazareth back up by three, and Monica Kleman added a pair of baskets inside the two minute mark to give the Swiftettes a 15-11 lead after the first quarter.

Nazareth scored early in the third quarter when Janay Johnson grabbed an offensive rebound and put it back up and in. Nazareth wouldn't score again until the three minute mark when Noel Johnson stole the ball and drove in for a layup.

Caprock wasn't silent, however. Joetta Sailors scored twice during Nazareth's slump, and had cut the lead to a point, 17-16, before Noel Johnson's bucket. Noel Johnson hit another basket late in the stanza to



**DARLA LEAVITT (40) steps in front Tascosa's Angie Wilson and steals the ball during fourth quarter action in the championship finals at the Canyon Classic Saturday. The Swiftettes topped the Lady Rebels 68-42 to claim their second-straight championship in the tournament. Leavitt scored 27 points and hauled in 19 rebounds.**

put the Swiftettes up 22-17, but Missy Roberts cut that lead to 22-19 with five seconds left in the half.

Nazareth up in the second half, and outscored Caprock 19-9 over the next eight minutes to take a 41-28 lead.

Noel Johnson and Leavitt tossed in two-pointers and Tami Ball connected on a trey to give the Swiftettes a 29-19 lead with 5:25 left in the third quarter.

Caprock's Tiffani Johnson put a damper on the Swiftettes scoring streak with a follow-up shot after Ball's three-pointer.

Leavitt countered with another jumpshot and it was a 10-point game once again. But then foul trouble hit.

Dunavin was accurate on two charity tosses and cut the Swiftettes' lead to eight with 4:41 left and Roberts added another free throw with 3:02 left to cut it to seven. Sailors tossed in another pair from the line and Nazareth's lead was trimmed to five points before things settled down.

Nazareth ran off a string of ten

mage was already done and Nazareth was riding high on a 41-28 lead into the final eight minutes.

The Swiftettes domination continued in the fourth quarter, with Huseman adding five points and Janay Johnson scoring two to give the Swiftettes a 20-point lead, 48-28, with 5:20 left.

Dunavin connected on a three-pointer for Caprock, but Huseman responded with another bucket for Nazareth, almost putting the game out of Caprock's reach.

The Lady Horns couldn't make up the big deficit and Nazareth earned a spot in the championship game.

### Swiftettes 68, Tascosa 42

The Swiftettes wanted the first place plaques in the Canyon Classic and weren't going to let Tascosa bet them out.

That wasn't so obvious at the start of the game, however. Nazareth started out slow.

But then the Swiftettes went to Leavitt inside and that was all it took to shake Tascosa and earn the victory.

Leavitt dominated inside on offense and defense, scoring 27 points and pulling down 19 caroms to lead the Swiftettes.

Nazareth had a balanced scoring attack in the first quarter, with five players all canning at least one bucket, but a pesky Tascosa team was right on the Swiftettes' tail, and the lead was a close 15-10 after the first period.

Dottie Lanier scored for Tascosa in the opening minute of the second period, but the basket was the only one the Lady Rebels would see until Tiffany Stokes hit a three-pointer with just over two minutes left in the half.

Nazareth's first scoring streak in the game started with a Marla Ramaekers basket with 7:21 left. After Ramaekers' basket, Nazareth ran off nine more points for a 26-12 lead with 3:55 left.

Tascosa wasn't ready to quit and chipped away at Nazareth's lead, cutting it to eight points at half time, 33-25.

Trouble hit the Swiftettes in the second half, and Tascosa worked

its way back into the ball game.

The Swiftettes turned the ball over to the Lady Rebels 11 times in the third quarter, and didn't score until Janay Johnson hit one with 4:30 left. At that point the score was 35-28.

Tascosa had worked hard to cut the lead in the third quarter, stealing the ball away and forcing Nazareth into turnovers, but the Lady Rebels couldn't open their own offensive scoring door and just added three points to their total during Nazareth's slump.

That was good news for the Swiftettes.

After Janay Johnson's basket with 4:30 left, Nazareth settled down and went inside to Leavitt. That canned any hopes Tascosa had to winning the game.

The all-state post scored six points in less than a minute to spark the Swiftettes offense to life. Kleman added a pair of jump shots and Ramaekers tossed in another and Nazareth was up 47-32 before Tascosa knew what hit. After three quarters of play were completed, the Swiftettes held a commanding 49-32 lead.

Nazareth went up by 21 points, its biggest lead of the game, with five minutes left when Leavitt scored and that killed any hopes Tascosa had of a comeback.

## Week's Schedule

TODAY—Swifts vs. Lubbock Frenship at 10 a.m., first round, Abernathy Tournament; Longhorns vs. Smyer at 1:30 p.m., first round, Whitharral Tournament; Lady Horns vs. Smyer at 12 noon, first round, Whitharral Tournament.

FRIDAY — Bobcats vs. Slaton, here; Bobbies vs. Estacado at Lubbock; Swifts in Abernathy Tournament; Longhorns and Lady Horns in Whitharral Tournament.

SATURDAY — Swifts in Abernathy Tournament; Longhorns and Lady Horns in Whitharral Tournament.

TUESDAY—Junior varsity Swifts and Swifts at Boys Ranch; Longhorns and Lady Longhorns vs. Happy in Hart; Bobcats vs. Abernathy in Dimmitt.

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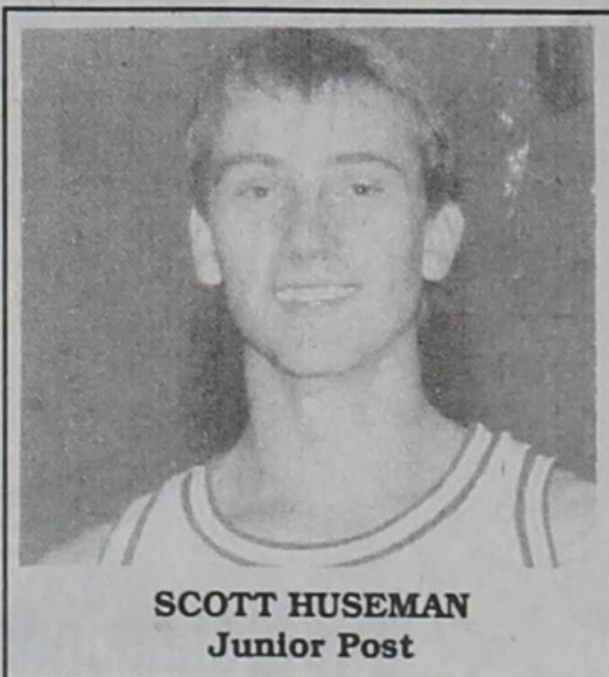
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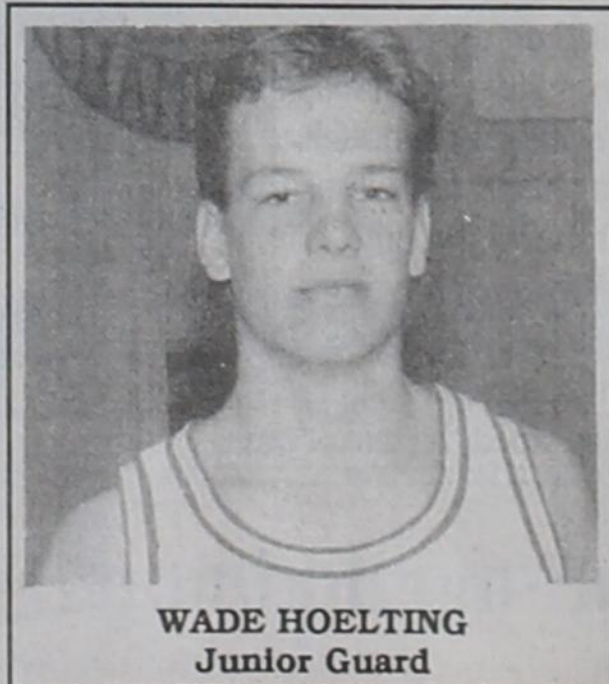
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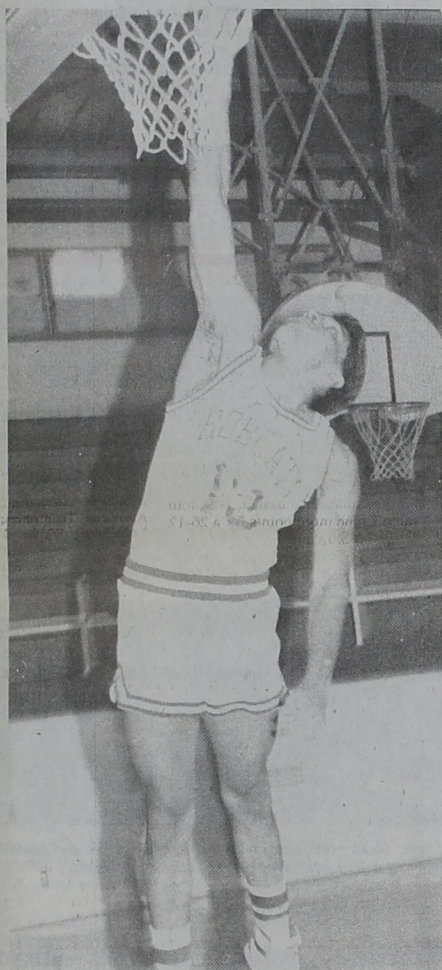
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*Varsity at 6:30*

*Tuesday: Bobcats vs. Abernathy, Here*

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**Bobbies:**

91, River Road 23  
57, Levelland 42  
79, Lazbuddie 24

**Queens Classic:**

58, Nazareth 55  
42, Canyon 53  
64, Monterey 67  
(Fourth Place)  
78, Coronado 46

**Levelland Invitational:**

54, Plainview 45  
35, Levelland 34 (OT)  
59, Muleshoe 52  
(Championship)  
72, Morton 56

Record to Date: 9-2

**Bobcats:**

82, River Road 50  
58, Levelland 57  
61, Palo Duro 58

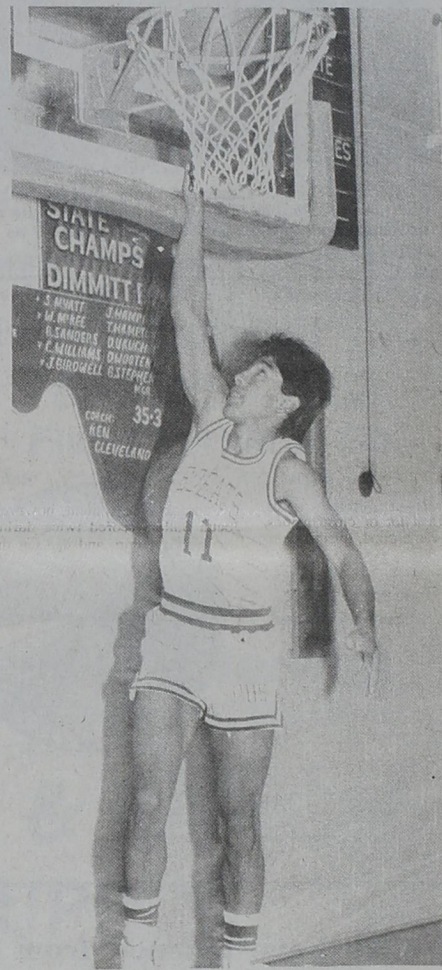
**Borger Tournament:**

77, Palo Duro 71  
59, Frenship 45  
67, Lub. Christian 64  
(Championship)

**Pioneer Classic:**

51, Slaton 71  
62, Andrews 55  
75, Estacado 70  
(Consolation)  
57, Morton 50

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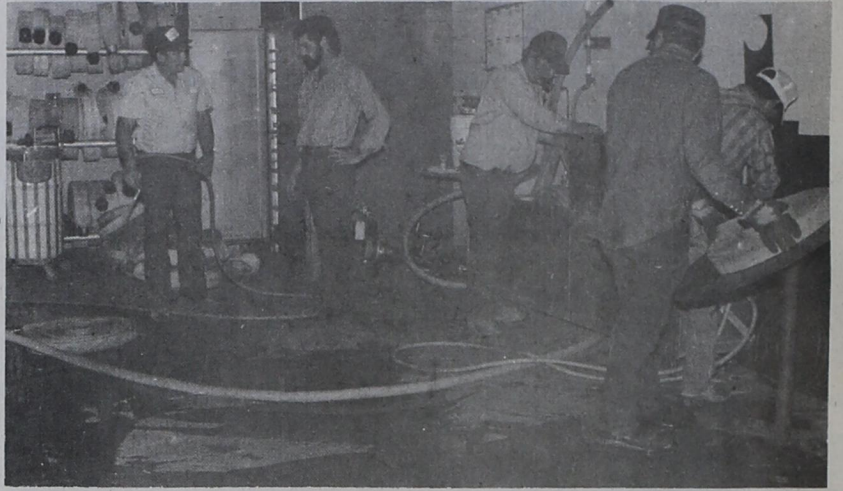
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# A Tribute to Our Firemen



**PROCLAMATION**—Castro County Judge Polly Simpson and Dimmitt Mayor Wayne Collins co-sign the city-county proclamation designating Thursday, Dec. 7 as "Firemen's Appreciation Day."



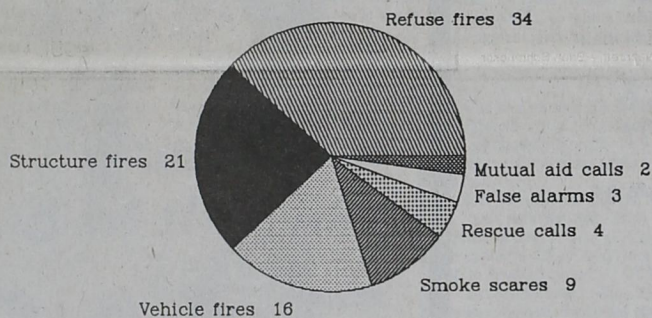
**IT AIN'T OVER 'TIL IT'S OVER**—Dimmitt volunteer firemen clean, drain and roll fire hoses during their training session last Thursday night after putting out a house fire that afternoon. Trucks and all equipment have to be clean and ready to go when the next call comes in.

## Open House Tonight

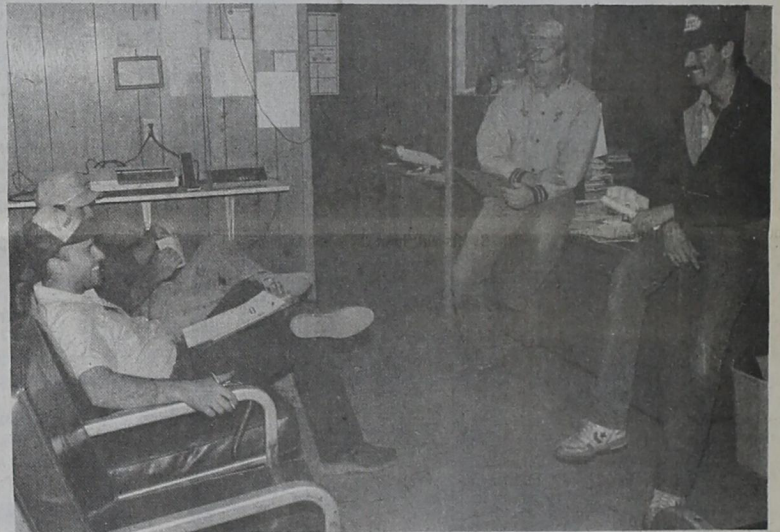
The Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept. Auxiliary will host an open house tonight (Thursday) from 7 to 8:30 at the fire station for the public to honor our firemen. Chamber of Commerce member businesses will provide snacks and holiday treats. It's the firemen's regular meeting night, so stop in and let them know how much you appreciate them!

## Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Dept.

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That special camaraderie that volunteer firemen enjoy is evident as they update their records during a Thursday night training session.

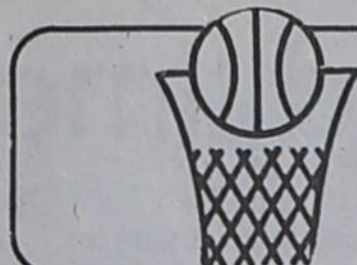
We have learned from experience how valuable our Volunteer Fire Dept. is to our community. Many of us would have lost our homes or our businesses had our firemen not saved them for us, sometimes at the risk of their safety and lives. Because of the efficiency of our Volunteer Fire Dept., Dimmitt and its service area enjoy a favorable "key rate"

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# Scoreboard

## CANYON CLASSIC

**(First Round)**  
**Swiftettes 56, Hereford 39**  
 Nazareth 16 16 13 11 — 56  
 Hereford 5 9 7 18 — 39  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Daria Leavitt 12, Noel Johnson 9; Hereford—Cornelius 14, White 13.

**(Championship Semis)**  
**Swiftettes 54, Caprock 35**  
 Nazareth 15 7 19 13 — 54  
 Caprock 11 8 9 7 — 35  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Noel Johnson 15; Caprock—Dunavin 12.

**(Championship)**  
**Swiftettes 68, Tascosa 42**  
 Nazareth 15 18 16 19 — 68  
 Tascosa 10 15 7 10 — 42  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Daria Leavitt 27; Tascosa—Ridings and Farmer 9.

## LEVELLAND INVITATIONAL

**(First Round)**  
**Bobbles 54, Plainview 45**  
 Dimmitt 7 12 12 23 — 54  
 Plainview 9 8 12 16 — 45  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Renae Josselet 10, Gloria Gauna 11, Halley Bradley 10; Plainview—Pruitt and Reeves 14.

**(Championship Semis)**  
**Bobbles 35, Levelland 34 (OT)**  
 Dimmitt 10 10 9 4 2 — 35  
 Levelland 6 13 7 7 1 — 34  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Renae Josselet, Halley Bradley and Gloria Gauna, 8; Levelland—Fine 10.

**(Championship)**  
**Bobbles 59, Muleshoe 52**  
 Dimmitt 14 19 14 12 — 59  
 Muleshoe 9 10 9 24 — 52  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Halley Bradley 15, Gloria Gauna 12, Renae Josselet 11; Muleshoe—W. Green 20.

## PIONEER CLASSIC

Hutcherson Center, Plainview  
**(First Round)**  
**Bobcats 51, Slaton 71**  
 Dimmitt 13 19 7 12 — 51  
 Slaton 25 17 12 17 — 71  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Miguel Saucedo 18, Jermaine Williams 13; Slaton—Hogue 24, Clemons 21.

**(Consolation Semis)**  
**Bobcats 62, Andrews 55**  
 Dimmitt 16 17 16 13 — 62  
 Andrews 13 14 14 14 — 55  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Jermaine Williams 19, Justin Shultz 17, Miguel Saucedo 14.

**(Consolation)**  
**Bobcats 75, Estacado 70**  
 Dimmitt 14 26 14 21 — 75  
 Estacado 13 21 13 23 — 70  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Justin Shultz 23, Chip Thrasher 15, Jermaine Williams 14, Miguel Saucedo 13; Estacado—Irvin 21.

## ANTON BOYS' TOURNAMENT

**(First Round)**  
**Longhorns 76, Sundown 57**  
 Hart 12 26 15 23 — 76  
 Sundown 5 25 12 15 — 57  
**Scoring:** Hart—Ricky Ojeda 25, Danny Reyna 18, Daniel Ramirez and

Craig Skiles, 12; Sundown—Jones 29, Lockhart 18.

**(Championship Semis)**  
**Longhorns 59, Lubbock Christian 92**  
 Hart 8 16 13 22 — 59  
 LCHS 28 23 28 13 — 92  
**Scoring:** Hart—Danny Reyna 22, Ricky Ojeda 15; LCHS—Rogers 32, Perrin 26, Barnhill 18.

**(Third Place)**  
**Longhorns 80, Tahoka 39**  
 Hart 29 20 12 19 — 80  
 Tahoka 14 8 8 9 — 39  
**Scoring:** Hart—Ricky Ojeda 31, Daniel Ramirez and Craig Skiles, 13 and Danny Reyna 10; Tahoka—Cate 10.

## ANTON GIRLS' TOURNAMENT

**(First Round)**  
**Lady Horns 45, Sundown 50**  
 Hart 12 4 10 19 — 45  
 Sundown 16 10 15 9 — 50  
**Scoring:** Hart—Angie Dyer 14, Shelly Knox 12; Sundown—Sanders and Snead 10.

**(Consolation Semis)**  
**Lady Horns 55, Lubbock Christian 52**  
 Hart 12 14 14 15 — 55  
 LCHS 10 11 16 15 — 52  
**Scoring:** Hart—Shelly Knox 24, Cecilia Diaz 13; LCHS—Phillips and Pritchett 18.

**(Consolation)**  
**Lady Horns 57, Lazbuddie 59**  
 Hart 21 16 7 13 — 57  
 Lazbuddie 10 10 22 17 — 59  
**Scoring:** Hart—Shelly Knox 23, April Bennett 21; Lazbuddie—Hodges 26.

**TUESDAY**  
**Bobbles 72, Morton 56**  
 Dimmitt 18 24 13 17 — 72  
 Morton 12 10 20 14 — 56  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Halley Bradley 18, Renae Josselet and Gloria Gauna 14; Morton—Sutton 17, Thompson 16.

**Bobcats 57, Morton 50**  
 Dimmitt 13 17 16 11 — 57  
 Morton 15 12 12 11 — 50  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt—Jermaine Williams 20, Robert Ruiz and Billy Ray Thomas 10; Morton—Miller and Scoggins 15.

**Swiftettes 52, Abernathy 33**  
 Nazareth 15 8 11 18 — 52  
 Abernathy 5 5 15 8 — 33  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Daria Leavitt 23; Abernathy—Mouser 11.

**Swifts 42, Abernathy 58**  
 Nazareth 10 8 6 18 — 42  
 Abernathy 13 17 10 18 — 58  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Brian Schmucker

19, Scott Huseman 11; Abernathy—Cannon 24, Peoples 21.

**Lady Horns 64, Lazbuddie 52**  
 Hart 14 21 10 19 — 64  
 Lazbuddie 15 11 16 10 — 52  
**Scoring:** Hart—Shelly Knox 27, April Bennett 21, Angie Dyer 16; Lazbuddie—Jennings 20, Hodges 16.

**Longhorns 102, Lazbuddie 35**  
 Hart 32 31 23 16 — 102  
 Lazbuddie 15 6 4 10 — 35  
**Scoring:** Hart—Ricky Ojeda 31, Daniel Ramirez 14, Jay Davis 13, Danny Reyna 11; Lazbuddie—Foster 13.

JV Swiftettes 36, Abernathy 31

JV Bobbles 58, Morton 40

JV Lady Horns 57, Lazbuddie 44

JV Longhorns 60, Lazbuddie 27

JV Bobcats 72, Morton 45



**TOURNAMENT CHAMPS**—Dimmitt's Bobbies proudly hoist the championship trophy of the Levelland Invitational Girls' Tournament after defeating Muleshoe in the finals Saturday night. The Bobbies downed Plainview 54-45 in the opening round, won a 35-34 overtime thriller over Levelland in the semifinals, then survived a fourth-quarter rally by the Lady Mules for a 59-52 lead in the championship game.

## Hart teams, Swifts entered in tournaments

Hart's Longhorns and Lady Horns, and the Nazareth Swifts will be involved in tournament action this weekend.

The Hart teams travel to Whitharral while the Swifts will face some tough competition and bigger schools in the Abernathy Tournament.

### Whitharral Tournament

Hart's teams will both play Smyer today (Thursday in the first round of the Whitharral Tournament.

The girls' contest is slated to begin at 12 noon, and will be followed by the boys' game at 1:30 p.m.

Other teams in the boys' and girls' tournaments are Loop, Amherst, Dawson and Whitharral.

In the girls' bracket, if the Lady Horns win they'll face the Anton-Frenship JV winner Friday at 3 p.m. If Hart loses, it will take on the Anton-Frenship JV loser at 9 a.m. Friday.

The boys bracket is set up the same way, with the winner of the Hart-Smyer game playing the winner of the Anton-Frenship game at 4:30 p.m. Friday. The losers meet at 10:30 a.m.

The girls' schedule on Saturday begins with the consolation game at 12 noon. The third place game is scheduled for 3 p.m. and the championship game is set for 6 p.m.

Saturday's boys' schedule gets underway at 1:30 p.m. with the consolation game. The third place match will begin at 4:30 p.m. and

the championship game will be played at 7:30 p.m.

"We played pretty well at Anton, and I think we're improving each day," said Hart's girls' coach, Terry Pittman. "Whitharral won the tournament and they'll be pretty tough. Anton is also good. I think Amherst is fairly decent. We play Smyer in the first round and they're not bad. They're 4-2 right now I think."

### Abernathy Tournament

The Swifts will have their hands full this weekend in the Abernathy tournament. They're the smallest school in the tournament.

The Swifts will take on Lubbock Frenship today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. The winner of the game will take on the Tahoka-Abernathy winner Friday at 8:30 p.m. while the losers of the two first round games square off at 11:30 a.m. Friday.

Other teams in the tournament include Crosbyton, Lubbock Christian High School, Lubbock Cooper, Dumas, Canyon Randall, Ralls and Floydada.

"Frenship is big and they're going to be tough," said Mark Makeever, Nazareth's head coach. "They've got a 6-5 and 6-4 guy that are good. I don't really know anything about any of the other teams, except Abernathy."

Saturday's tournament schedule is full. Times for the games which decide the top places in the tournament are the consolation championship scheduled at 2:30 p.m., fifth place at 5:30, third place at 1, and the championship at 8:30.

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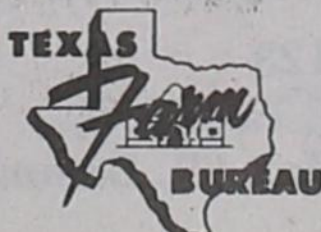
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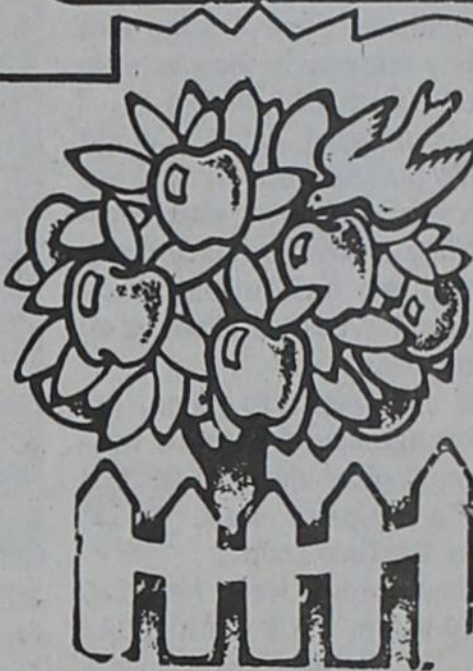
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# Bobbies are champs of Levelland Tourney

After posting an overtime victory against Levelland in the semifinals, Dimmitt's Bobbies survived a fourth-quarter charge by Muleshoe in the title game to capture the championship of the Levelland Invitational Girls' Tournament.

"It was a good, tough tournament, and I thought our girls played well," Coach Richard Wood said.

The Bobbies downed Plainview 54-45 in the opening round last Thursday as Gloria Gauna netted 11 points and Renae Josselet and Halley Bradley 10 each to lead the scoring.

But in their semifinal game against Levelland—a team they had beaten by 15 points in the second game of the season—the Bobbies found themselves up against Coach Dean Weese's new slow-down strategy. The Lady Lobos fought the Bobbies to a 33-33 tie at the end of regulation play. A jump shot by Bradley midway in the overtime gave the Bobbies a 35-34 win.

"It was a good game," Wood said. "We played well. In fact, we played a super ball game defensively. But they slowed the ball down on us and we had to play their game. Coach Weese is slowing all their games down now."

In the championship game, the Bobbies outgunned Muleshoe handily through three quarters as they enjoyed a 19-point lead, 47-28, going into the final frame.

But then things went haywire. The Lady Mules put a run together that left the Bobbies with just a seven-point winning margin, 59-52.

"We just relaxed too much late in the game and didn't do what we were supposed to do on breaking their full-court press," Coach Wood said.



RENAE JOSSELET of Dimmitt accepts the individual trophy as Outstanding Offensive Player of the Levelland Invitational Girls' Tournament following the Bobbies' 59-52 victory over Muleshoe in the championship game Saturday night. Josselet scored 29 points in Dimmitt's three tournament games while directing the Bobbies' offense from her point guard position.

## Grand jury indicts 10

A 242nd District Court Grand Jury returned 10 indictments late Tuesday afternoon, including four on burglary charges, one for indecency with a child, two in connection with food stamp fraud, one for aggravated assault, one for forgery and one for possession of marijuana.

Two Lazbuddie area residents, Jose Salvador Martinez and Jose Socorro Reyes, were indicted for the Oct. 22 burglary of a habitation near the Dodd community. Both are free on bond, awaiting trial.

David Tony Silva, 21, of Dimmitt, was indicted for burglary of a habitation in an incident Oct. 4 on Northwest Fourth Street in Dimmitt. He is free on bond.

Javier Anes, 22, of Dimmitt was indicted for the Nov. 20 burglary of a local liquor store, and remains in the Castro County jail in lieu of \$3,000 bond.

Gary Dean Gentry, 34, was indicted for indecency with a child in regard to a July incident in Dimmitt. Gentry, who formerly listed a Dimmitt address, is jailed in Tennessee awaiting extradition to Dimmitt for court action.

A 29-year-old Dimmitt woman was indicted for forging a food stamp warrant belonging to a relative, and a 50-year-old Dimmitt man was indicted for accepting food stamp benefits and fraudulently swearing that he had no employment at a time when he did have employment in Dimmitt. The names of the two were not released, pending arrests.

Indicted for aggravated assault was Billy Marquez, 18, of Dimmitt as the result of an incident Oct. 10. City policeman Mitchell McDonough was assaulted in the course of investigating a fight.

A forged check passed June 14 at a local grocery store resulted in an indictment for a 26-year-old Dimmitt woman. Her name was not released, pending an arrest.

Elmo Williams, 63, of Dimmitt was indicted for possession of marijuana following the issuance of a search warrant Oct. 5 at an east Dimmitt residence. Williams was already in jail on another charge stemming from the Oct. 5 search.

The grand jury returned no indictments in regard to continuing investigations of a burglary at Hill Land and Cattle Company in Hart, two theft investigations and an investigation involving tampering with governmental records and food stamps.

## Police Calls

Dimmitt Police arrested Javier Francisco Anes, 22, of Dimmitt on Friday in connection with the Nov. 20 burglary of Joe's Liquor Store in Dimmitt, in which five cases of beer were taken.

Anes was indicted Tuesday on felony charges of burglary of a building. His bond was set at \$3,000 and he remained in custody on Wednesday in lieu of bond.

Sheriff's deputies are investigating a burglary reported Nov. 29 at Southwest Agricultural Service in the Dodd Community. It was reported that the alarm box was knocked off of the side of the building and the door lock was pried open.

"Apparently, the thieves entered the building, but were then frightened off by something, because nothing was reported taken," a deputy said.

A 42-year-old Dimmitt man was jailed on misdemeanor charges of assault (family violence) on Nov. 29, and was released after paying a \$403 fine and serving three days in jail.

Jose Manuel Mancinaz, 32, of Hart is being held for a hearing in district court on revocation of probation on charges of burglary of a building.

A 40-year-old Dimmitt woman is serving 72 hours and paid a \$603 fine on DWI charges.

A 17-year-old from Hart was arrested Sunday for public intoxication, minor in possession and resisting arrest. He has been fined \$110 and \$111 on two of the charges and is awaiting filing of charges for resisting arrest.

A 25-year-old Jayton man was charged with DWI Saturday as the result of a traffic accident in Dimmitt. He was also ticketed for driving on the wrong side of the road in approaching an intersection and no proof of insurance.

The man was driving a 1985 Ford pickup west on West Bedford Street and attempted to pass a 1980 Chevy pickup driven by Jerry Wayne Thomas, 26, of Dimmitt. Thomas was also heading west and was attempting to make a left turn onto Western Circle Drive.

The Ford struck the Chevy on the driver's side. Both vehicles sustained heavy damage, but no injuries were reported.

A minor accident was reported at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. A woman was ticketed for unsafe backing when the station wagon she was driving struck an unattended car parked at 405 NW Seventh Street. No injuries were reported and damage was light to the car. The station

The hermit crab's home is an empty sea snail shell. When the crab grows too big for the shell, it hunts for a larger one.

# Hard times hit youngsters

By Linda Maxwell

A brother and sister trying to survive as a family in Dimmitt could give this town a chance to have our very own "Empty Stocking" endeavor, and provide an opportunity to experience the true meaning of Christmas as a community.

They haven't asked for help, but in a moment of despondency Jane (not her real name), 18, confided in a teacher at Dimmitt High School her concerns about her brother, 15, and their living conditions.

The teacher, Libby Cleveland, said the number one need for the pair right now is adequate housing.

"They are living in a camping trailer right now, like fits on the back of a pickup," Cleveland said. "They have electricity and water, but the camper's shower doesn't work. Food storage and preparation facilities are very inadequate. They have a refrigerator that will hold maybe a quart of milk, and I think they cook on a hot plate."

Cleveland added that the camper is not insulated, and is not warm enough with the temperatures dropping down into the teens.

"They have a small electric heater is all," she reported.

The pair have been added to a waiting list for HUD-approved housing so that they can qualify for

a rent subsidy program, but there are three others on the list ahead of them, and rental property is scarce in Dimmitt right now with the influx of workers who came with the expansion project at American Fructose.

Because their step-father could not find local employment, the teenagers' mother moved with him to a distant town, where they are living in a one-room house. There's just no room for the teens to join them. She writes to them and tries to stay in contact and check on how they're doing, "but she really doesn't know how," Cleveland said.

'Jane' is a junior in high school and makes fairly good grades. She is really anxious to graduate, and completes all of her assignments, Cleveland reported. The boy is in eighth grade and makes average grades.

They are both a little behind in their educational foundation because of how much they missed in their earlier years, when their family was moving around a lot, according to Cleveland.

The pair are very anxious about remaining anonymous, Cleveland said, because they don't want to be found by other abusive family members. An older brother has been involved with drugs, "but I

don't think these kids have been in any kind of trouble. I think 'Jane' is well aware of the problems and dangers of that kind of thing," Cleveland remarked.

Health problems also loom large for the two, since the girl is two months pregnant and is slightly anemic, and the boy has been suffering with an infected ingrown toenail. He was scheduled to have had surgery on it last week if the infection had cleared up.

Cleveland said the two are receiving welfare, food stamps, WIC and Medicaid resources totaling about \$158 per month. They are also on the free lunch program at school, but they still have many needs.

"If someone had a little house out back where they could live, the boy would be willing and able to perform odd jobs or yard work. He is trying to find a part-time job, but he also wants to finish school," Cleveland related.

She said the girl is going to need some maternity clothes and wants to learn all she can about preparing for motherhood. 'Jane' usually wears a size 5, but she recently outgrew her last pair of jeans, a size 7. Cleveland described the boy as big and husky. He wears a large men's size, and he would probably

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## More about

# Pheasants fair fowl . . .

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### Organized Hunts

Three organized hunts will be sponsored in the county again this season.

Lions Clubs in Hart, Nazareth and Easter sponsor hunts each year and this year every hunt is full but Hart's.

175 hunters have signed up for the Hart Lions Club's hunt, but the club still has room for "another 25 to 30 hunters," according to Bob Reed.

For a \$100 fee for the season, hunters receive a free breakfast and souvenir cap on opening day Saturday and are guided to the land they are allowed to hunt on—"all or part of 20 to 25 sections," according to Reed.

The Easter Lions Club has signed up 80 hunters at \$100 apiece for the opening weekend, according to Eddie Matthews. The Lions Club has leased seven sections of land for the hunt. For the \$100 fee, hunters will be served coffee and doughnuts and a barbecued lunch on Saturday and will be guided around the fields on opening day.

In Nazareth, 101 hunters are already signed up, and "we're shutting off right there," said Bownds. "That's about all we can take."

The Nazareth club charges \$100 per gun, and that fee entitles hunters to breakfast and lunch in the Nazareth Community Hall, and hunting guides on opening day.

### Shotgun Shells

Shotgun shells can be found throughout the county this year, if you get there soon enough.

Shotgun shells can be found in the county at: DIMMITT — IGA Foodliner, Dimmitt Thriftway Supermarket and Nu-Way Station (formerly Red X Travel Center.)

NAZARETH—Joe's Beer and Wine, located three miles north of Nazareth on Hwy. 168, open 7 a.m. to 12 midnight Saturday and 12 noon to 12 midnight Sunday; and Home Mercantile, open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 10 to 11 a.m. Sunday.

HART—Ed Harris Lumber Company, open 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday; Hart Auto, open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday; and Tole Auto Parts, open 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

### Hunting Licenses

If you haven't purchased a hunting license yet, you'd better hurry.

There's only one place in Dimmitt where licenses can be purchased, and it's at the county clerk's office.

"When they're gone, they're gone," said County Clerk Joy Jones. She has a couple of books left, but they won't last long.

The clerk's office is open from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The office won't be open Saturday for the opening day.

Licenses are also available at Home Mercantile in Nazareth and at Hart Auto.

Prices are \$10 for a resident hunting license; \$15 for a resident hunting and fishing license; \$6 for a special under 17 and over 65 hunting license; \$75 for a special non-resident license valid for small game only, including pheasant; and \$25 for a non-resident five-day licence. Each license, with the exception of the five-day permit, will be valid until Aug. 31, 1990.

## Even Santa Needs New Ideas.

Christmas is just around the corner and even old Saint Nick is running out of last-minute gift ideas!

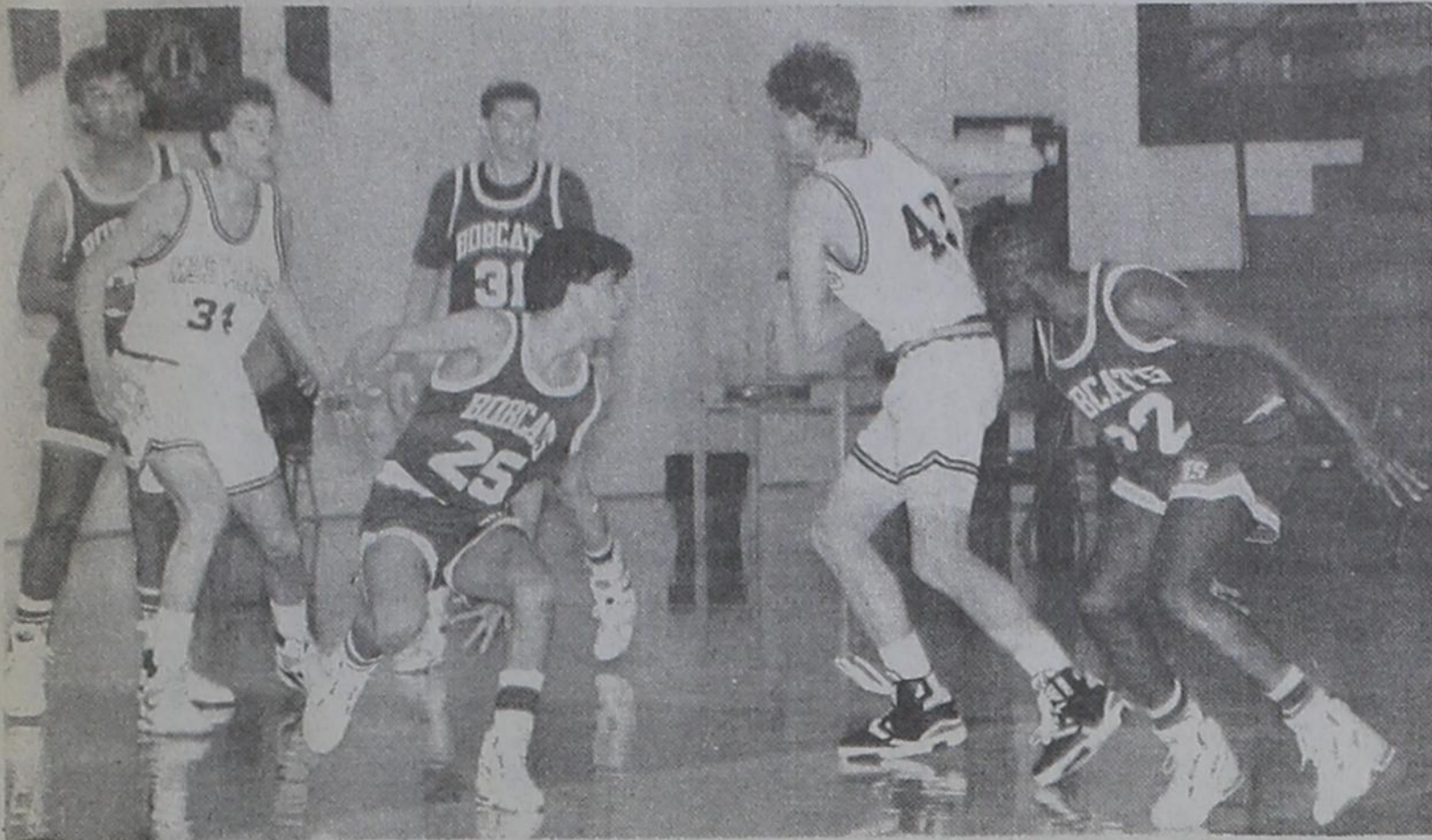
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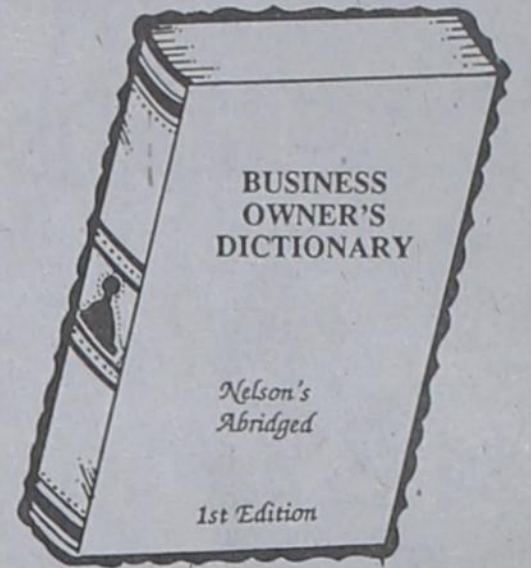
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**PESKY**—Andrews' Ara Baten (42) learns how Custer felt as Dimmitt's Miguel Saucedo (25) and Jermaine Williams (22) attempt a steal during the consolation semifinals at the Lions' Pioneer Classic in Plainview Friday. Dimmitt players in back-

ground are Robert Ruiz and Justin Shultz (31). The Bobcats' fierce defense helped them defeat the tall Mustangs, 62-55, and they went on to whip Lubbock Estacado 75-70 Saturday for the consolation championship.



# co-op

**co-op** (ko'-op or ko-op'), *a.* 1. the act of operating jointly with another or others, to the same end; to work or labor with mutual efforts to promote the same object.

# advertising

**ad-ver-tis-ing, ad-ver-tiz-ing, n.** 1. to call the public's attention to things for sale, help wanted, etc., as by printed notices or announcements. . . . 3. *v.t.* to publish a notice of; to give conspicuous notice or information of to the public, through newspapers, signs, circulars, posters, periodical publications, radio, television, etc.; especially, to praise publicly in this way to encourage buying; as to *advertise* goods for sale, entertainments to occur, etc.

# half price

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# DMS lists honor students

Dimmitt Middle School recently announced honor students and listed those who made the "A" and "A-B" honor rolls.

Seventh grade honor students included Carla Petty in English, reading, and science; Beth Teaschner in history, Zachary Bell in math, Rochelle Harman and Chad Jennings in band, Stephen Villanueva in industrial arts, Lupe Mendoza and Maricella Mendoza in home-making, Tony Garcia in mechanics, and Carlos Sifuentes in choir.

Eighth grade honor students included Jennifer Harris in English, history and science; Aaron Salinas in English, algebra and science; Della Rhynes in math, Stace McDaniel and Leslie Nelson in reading, Amanda Odom and Scott Heck in band, Ty Waller in industrial arts, Mariza Rodriguez in home-making, Armando Arguijo in mechanics, Linda Fuentes in choir and Amy Wooten in computer.

# Bobcats win consolation in Lions Pioneer Classic

When the Bobcats finally lost a game, they lost it by 20.

And to the Slaton Tigers, another Class AAA team.

That's the bad news. The good news is that, after falling 71-51 to the Tigers in the opening round of the Lions Pioneer Classic in Plainview last Thursday, the Bobcats came back to defeat Andrews and Lubbock Estacado for the consolation championship of the rugged tournament.

Slaton, one of the hottest teams of any class around right now, went on to defeat Plainview 82-66 and Amarillo High 65-63 for the tournament championship.

Although the Tigers, like the Bobcats, don't have exceptional height, "they sure outjumped us," Coach Ken Cleveland said. "They were shooting it two or three times every trip down the floor—that is, when they *did* miss their long three-point shots."

The Tigers' secret is balance, Cleveland said.

"That's why they're good—they have five people who can score, and they've also got individuals who can play different positions and do several things well. They're plenty good."

Slaton rushed to a 25-13 lead in the first quarter and stayed 10 to 13 points ahead of Dimmitt until the fourth. Then the Tigers outscored the Bobcats 17-12 in the final period to increase their final victory margin to 20.

## More about

### Hard times . . .

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fit a 32 waist and 34 length pant size.

"He has a new winter coat and shoes, but not a whole lot else. Of course, they don't have much room to store very many things," Cleveland noted, adding that they would prefer knit clothing and items that don't have to be ironed, since they have an iron, but no ironing board.



The world is not round. It's flattened at the poles and bulging in the middle, a shape known as an oblate spheroid.

Honor roll students by grade level and honor roll classification are:

#### Fourth Grade

##### A

Jacy Buckley, Michaele Bell, Amy Garcia, Michael Keith, Nathan Killough, Jeremy Matthews, Terry Miller, Charley Sanders, Josh Sigert, Elizabeth Velo, Juary Cava-soz, Mekesha Atchley, Stuart Sutton.

##### A-B

Dominic Abalos, Ruby Alaniz, Trent Alexander, Rosendo Amador, Aaron Arguijo, Kacie Bell, Caite Betzen, Vanessa Brandt, Carlos Caldera, Tracy Damron, Jill Davis, Charity Evans, Doyle Fuller, Candie George, Casey Griffing, Ysela Gonzales, Kami Hand, Jayson Heck, Andy Hill, Cory Hopson, Hollie Houck, Jason Smith, Sharla-mar Jackson, Amy Killingsworth, Joy Long, Marlene Martinez, Am-

ber Matthews, Amy Matthews, Jason May, David Medrano, Allison Moore, Hank Morgan, Benny Navarro, Jana Nelson, Sabrina Olvera, Jayson Person, Timothy Proffitt, Joel Ramirez, Patsy Ramirez, Chris Reyes, Kourtney Robertson, Hector Rodriguez, Noel Rodriguez, Jennifer Sammann, Jeremy Sanchez, Estella Saucedo, Jessica Saucedo, Kaci Schulte, Lacsra Sherman, Leslie Steffey, Jared Townsend, Angie Vidal, Kodi Waggoner.

#### Fifth Grade

##### A

Shawn Furr, Sy Olson, Jerry Rivera, Jessie Lopez, Andrew Teaschner, Cameron Lust, Mikael Atchley, Chad Ewing, Coby McDani-el, Josh Roberts.

##### A-B

Mary Davila, Joaquin Dominguez, Angel Fuentes, Ryan Hark-ins, Jimmy Ivey, Alisa Littlefield, Angie Lopez, Tawnee Matthews, Wesley Mays, Eliza Melendez, Alka Patel, Kimberly Proffitt, Emily Roberson, Oscar Rueda, Oscar Vasquez, Jose Martinez, Brad Beck, Lindsey Garza, Tracy Grand, David Keller, Daniel Maxwell, Luis Nino, Brent Portwood, Bryan Portwood, Dora Ramirez, Ramiro Rivera, Carrie Bradley, Summer McLean, Jason Nino.

#### Sixth Grade

##### A

Justin Damron, Wesley Ralston, Janet Reyes, Chris Sammann.

##### A-B

Tye Baca, Jimmy Bryan, Jessica Caldera, Lora Correa, Delia Dominguez, Erica Evans, Marcella Flores, Addison Foskey, Amy Fuller, Greg Fuller, Kara Josselet, Amber Langford, Cory Lust, Daniel Matthews, Justin Newman, Chad Rogers, Alicia Sanchez, Will Sanders, Tucker Schumacher, Steve Steffey, Coby Summers, Joel Townsend, Jennifer Vick, Roxanne Vigil, Randa Wood, Jason Wooten, Kendra Scroggins.

#### Seventh Grade

##### A

Zachary Bell, Moriah Olson, Carla Petty, Terri Teaschner.

##### A-B

Marta Arredondo, Amy Boothe, Monica DeLaCruz, Dolores Dimas, Cody Fry, Linda Fuentes, Kristen Garcia, Danny George, Jill Gfeller, Maria Guajardo, Ernie Guzman, Rochelle Harman, Chad Jennings, Maricela Mendoza, Rosz Polendo, Brani Rice, Adrian Sanchez, Eufemio Saucedo, Carrie Sheffy, Tiffany Smith, Maggie Vasquez, Stephen Villanueva, Holly Wise.

#### Eighth Grade

##### A

Kodie Ellis, Jenifer Fuller, John Fuller, Jennifer Harris, Adriana Lopez, Max Moore, Leslie Nelson, Aaron Salinas, Brian Simpson, Amy Wooten, Arturo Ortega.

##### A-B

Katrina Acker, Lupe Alaniz, Todd Alexander, Josephine Barrios, Cameron Betzen, Jimmy Casas, Derek Christy, Garland Coleman, Kandal Derrick, Amanda Flores, Kimberly Gabel, Angelica Garcia, Jose Garcia, Mary Garcia, J. Dee Gonzales, Stacy Griffith, Scott Heck, Mitzie Heller, Susan Hernandez, Jennifer Hucks, Johnny Levario, Sally Martinez, Carrie Matthews, Stace McDaniel, Alma Moctezuma, Selma Montalvo, Gretchen Moore, Brandi Morgan, Robert Moss, Stacy Musick, Amanda Odom, Joanna, Quiroz, Mirna Reyes, Justin Roberts, Rene Rivera, Janie Robles, Mariza Rodriguez, Saida Rodriguez, Ramiro Rosales, Ben Perez, Gabe Sheffy, Amy Smithson, Roy Sparks, Jeremy Strickland, Katrina Waller.

"The type of foods that work best for them are the ones that don't take a lot of preparation and that don't have a lot of leftovers, such as heat and eat canned foods, and foods that can be prepared in a crock pot.

"They have enough blankets and bedding and dishes for now, 'Jane' told me, and a friend provides transportation, but 'Jane' let it slip the other day how boring it gets with no television or other entertainment," Cleveland said.

"They are pretty independent and have taken care of themselves until now, but they just need to get better living conditions to make it through the winter," Cleveland remarked.

Anyone wanting to help the pair can contact Cleveland at the high school or call 647-4450.

**Obituaries**



**W.A. Murphy**

Funeral services for W.A. "Andy" Murphy, 79, of Dimmitt, were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Ivey Chapel of Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home, with Ronnie Parker and Carlos Calvert of the Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home. Mr. Murphy died at 10:20 a.m. Monday in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt after a lengthy illness.

He was born Feb. 4, 1910 in Westbrook, and married Effie Elder on May 1, 1932 in Clovis, N.M. He lived in Clovis from 1936 to 1973, when he moved to Graham. He moved from Graham to Dimmitt in 1982. He was a retired grocer, and a member of the Church of Christ. He was a past member of the board of directors of the Castro Memorial Garden Cemetery Association. He had been a resident of Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Jack of Irving; three sisters, Ada Chandler and Vivlene Duke, both of Big Spring, and Elfreda Edwards of Clarendon; two brothers, Frank of Graham and Verdie of Elgin; five half-brothers, John of San Antonio, Bill of Dimmitt, Ray of Amarillo, Roy of Clovis and Faye Wayne of New York; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Brent Murphy, Larry Burns, Jim Elder, Bill Murphy, Verdie Murphy, and Clyde Tisdale.

The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.

**Manuel Rodriguez**

Vigil services for Manuel Rodriguez, 93, of Hart, were held Wednesday in St. John's Catholic Church at Hart with Rev. Norbert Choong, pastor, officiating.

Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 4 p.m. today (Thursday) in the church with the same officiant.

Burial followed in the Hart Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Flemins Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Rodriguez died at 12:30 p.m. Monday at Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt after a lengthy illness.

He was born Feb. 26, 1896, in Juno and moved to Hart in 1959 from Coleman. He married Dolores Silos in Ozona. She died in 1972. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include five sons, Frank and Manuel, both of Hoxie, Kan., Jesse of Plainview, Willie Diaz of Hart and Bennie Diaz of Amarillo; five daughters, Sophia Hernandez of Hart, Beatrice Hernandez and Elisa Rodriguez, both of Tucson, Ariz., Minnie Gonzales of Yakima, Wash., and Oralia Rodriguez of Lubbock; 32 grandchildren; and 42 great-grandchildren.



The reason there are so many surnames of Smith today is that during the Middle Ages the name was used for all metalworkers, or smelters, which means "to beat."

**Pinto bean prospects is topic of meeting**

The potentially profitable production of pinto beans, gaining increasing interest among area farmers, will be examined in Tulia next Thursday, Dec. 14, in a conference sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The conference will be from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Swisher Memorial Building, 127 SW Second St.

Lunch will be provided, but persons planning to attend need to telephone Swisher County Extension Agent David Gibson, 1-995-3726 by Tuesday.

"Pinto bean processors have been writing attractive contracts with growers in the Texas Panhandle and High Plains for the past two years," said Dr. Roland Roberts, vegetable specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Lubbock. He estimated that approximately 5,000 acres of pintos are now being produced in this area.

The conference will emphasize the possibilities, problems and technologies of growing and marketing pinto beans on the High Plains. Growers and processors

each have certain concerns, Gibson said.

The keynote speaker will be a scientist and educator described as "the most knowledgeable man in the US on pinto beans." He is Dr. Howard F. Schwartz, Extension Service plant pathologist at Colorado State University in Fort Collins, Colo.

He will explain cultural practices, variety selection and marketing, and will show cultural and chemical techniques for preventing rust and bacterial blight in the beans and for controlling weeds.

Ronald Gooch, Extension Service agent in Ochiltree County, will report on a visit to production fields in Colorado where he evaluated varieties.

A panel of processors will discuss what growers need to do to deliver high quality beans to the cleaning facility, what processors provide and how payments are made.

A panel of growers will share their experiences with the crop. The importance of obtaining crop insurance also will be discussed.

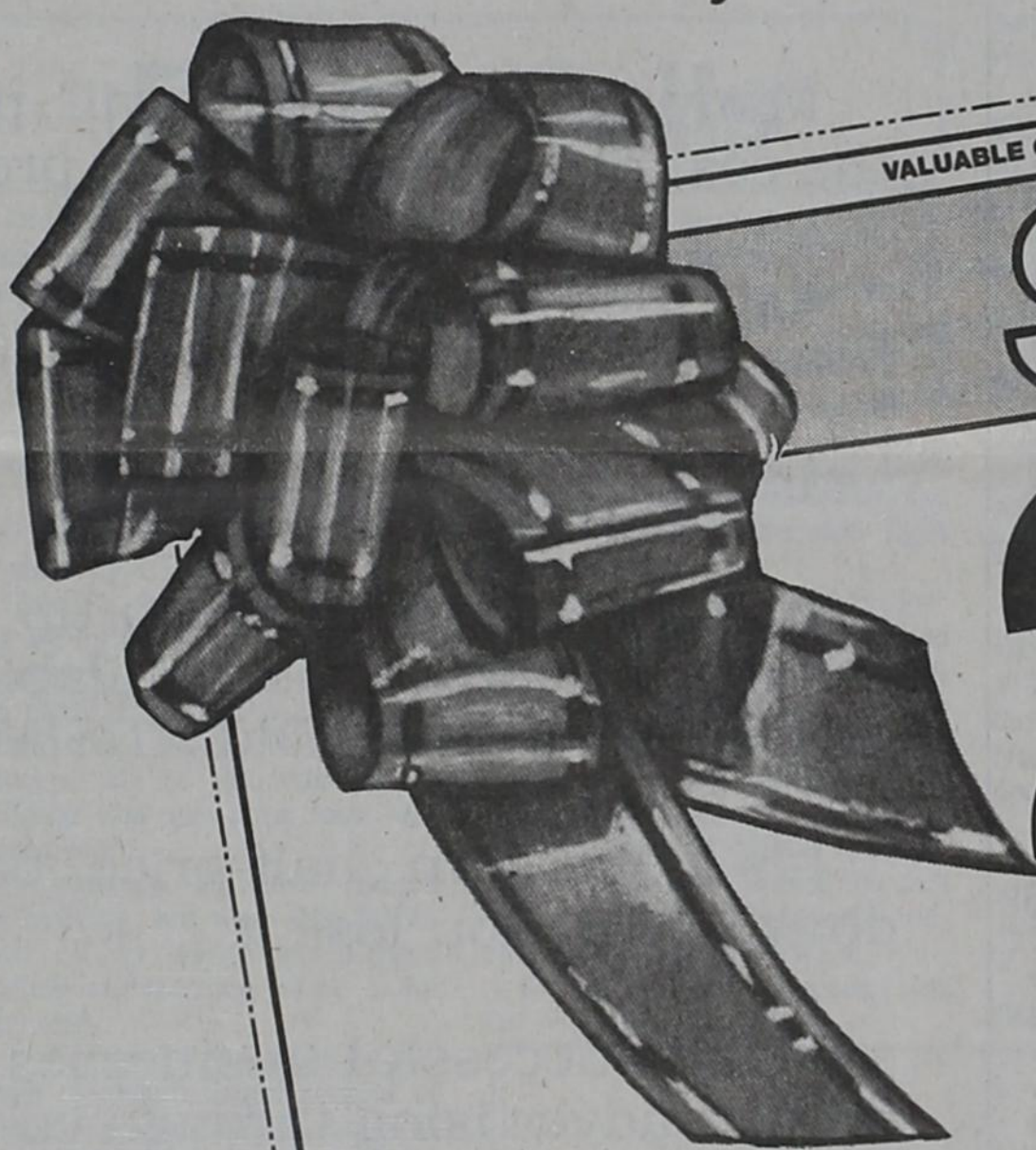


THIS ROBOT SALESMAN is putting on the charm for Kandace Frye, 2, and her mother, Annette Frye of Friona at the annual Dimmitt Young Homemakers Bazaar Saturday at the Expo Building in Dimmitt. Utilized in the booth for Pat Sellers of Loop, the robot continually demonstrates

the Texas Twister toy, made of wire and vinyl. A spokesperson for the DYH said that over \$1,000 was raised through the booth fees and the sale of stuffed baked potatoes and other concession items. The club will use the money for its scholarship fund.

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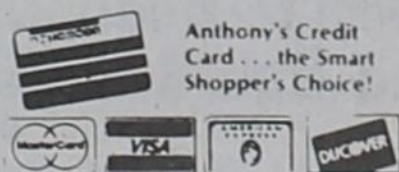
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