

Farm income sets a record



GOOD NEWS accompanies the designation by County Judge Raymond E. Wilson of Jan 17-23 as "3.76 in '76 Week" here. The special week stresses Texas' goal of increasing its agricultural income to a hefty \$3.76 billion by 1976. Wes Anthony (left) and County Agent Charles Hottel (right) reported this week that Castro County did its share in the growth plan in 1971 with an agricultural income approaching \$70 million, up from \$62.8 million the previous year.

Two years ago Dr. John E. Hutchison, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, announced a statewide program to increase Texas agricultural income by more than a billion dollars by 1976. The goal is "3.76 in '76," not including government payments.

CASTRO County seems to be doing its share, according to the two men who tabulate the county's agricultural figures at the end of each year—County Agent Charles Hottel and Wes Anthony.

Their preliminary figures indicate that Castro reaped \$6 million to \$7½ million more from its fields and pens last year than it did in 1970, for a 1971 agricultural income that could total as high as \$70 million. The county's gross agricultural income in 1970 was \$62,808,000, according to the state crop reporting board.

The jump in income, Hottel and Anthony said, is primarily due to the increase in cattle numbers and the larger acreage of corn and grain sorghum.

THE INCREASE came about despite depressed prices on most crops. However, they noted, production expenses were at an all-time high in 1971 as farmers geared up for the bigger harvest.

Anthony, after surveying area feed lots, said that feed lot operators estimate sales of around 200,000 head of fat cattle for 1971. Use an add-on value of 500 lbs. at 30 cents per pound, and this would be a gross of \$30 million, and 100,000 head of feeder cattle with an add-on value of 200 lbs. at 35 cents would be another \$7 million. Milk products also add half a million dollars to our economy, along with 40,000 head of hogs adding a value of \$1,200,000.

Hottel said that income from wheat, grain sorghum and corn will be greater this year than last due to an increase in acreage, although feed grain prices are 20 percent less this year than last.

INCOME from cotton and vegetables this year are disappointing to producers, due to low yield and quality of these crops. Hottel said that cotton prices were good; however, the county will do well to average half a bale per acre, and a lot of fields will not be harvested. Sugar beets are a bright spot this year after a disappointing crop last year. Yields are good and the sugar content is good. Harvest is still in progress and should be finished in a few weeks if weather holds.

HOTTEL AND ANTHONY broke crop income down as follows: Grain Sorghum \$15,400,000
Corn 5,400,000
Wheat 2,200,000
Cotton 3,000,000
Vegetables 3,000,000
Sugar Beets 2,200,000
Other Crops 1,000,000

HOTTEL said 1971 ended up as "an unusual year." Production expense will show to be at an all-time high, because most farmers geared up for top yields this year in anticipation of good prices. The prices on most crops were depressed and farmers had high production expense, so the increase in income will be partially offset by the increase in production expense.



AND IT COMES OUT HERE—Jay Olnick (far left), vice-president of Dimmitt Management Co., and Barry Love (second from right), plant manager, use a scale model of Dimmitt Agri Industries' corn milling plant to explain its processes to a group of Italian and French visitors Saturday. The visiting Europeans, from left, are Germano Gessi, general manager of a large farm

cooperative at Ferrara, Italy; Ruggero Moratelli, technical director of the Italian cooperative; G. C. Zanarelli, Italian sales manager for Speichem, a French engineering firm; and George Preau of Paris, chief of engineering sales for Speichem. The Europeans are considering a corn milling plant for the Italian cooperative.

Europeans study mill; may build one like it

Dimmitt's corn milling plant might be duplicated in the Po River Valley of Italy.

THE PLANT here was the object of intense study over the weekend by a five-man team of Italian and French businessmen and engineers who are studying the feasibility of building such a plant for a large cooperative in Italy.

Included in the team were Sr. Germano Gessi, general manager of the large farmers' cooperative in Ferrara, Italy; Sr. Ruggero Moratelli of Ferrara, the cooperative's techni-

cal director; Sr. G. C. Zanarelli, Italian sales manager for Speichem, a Paris-based engineering firm; M. Paul Bardot of Paris, Speichem's chief engineer for agricultural products and feeds; and M. George Preau of Paris, chief of engineering sales for Speichem.

Accompanying them on their tours of the local plant was Rudy Killian of Mexico City, president of Intensa Engineering Co., which provided the engineering for the Dimmitt Agri Industries plant.

SR. ZANARELLI, who speaks Italian, French and English

fluently, served as the interpreter for the visiting Europeans and their Dimmitt hosts.

Sr. Gessi explained that the Ferrara cooperative hopes to build a corn milling plant similar to the one here, and that engineering firms from France, Germany and Mexico are working on the technical and mechanical aspects of the project.

The plant here is well known to European engineers. DAI executives in Dimmitt communicate regularly with Speichem in Paris, and much of the equipment used in the local plant was fabricated in Westphalia, Germany.

THE ITALIAN cooperative is known by the abbreviated corporate name of "Co. Pro. Ma." The cooperative is similar in land area to Dimmitt Agri Industries, Inc.—but there are some striking differences.

Sr. Gessi said his cooperative represents no less than 4,000 farms in an area of the Po Valley approximately the same size as Castro County. The farms range in size from 90 to 240 acres, he said, and are irrigated by canals from the historic river. A top corn yield there he said, is 16,000 pounds of grain per acre. By comparison, half that amount would be considered a good crop here.

During the men's study of plant design and operation Saturday morning Jay Olnick, vice-president of Dimmitt Management Co., explained that the Dimmitt plant is designed to process 250 tons of corn per day, with provisions for future expansion to 1,000 tons per day.

OLNICK told the visiting Europeans that the Dimmitt plant regularly exceeds its rated capacity—processing 300 tons per day consistently—because of its design and the efficiency of the people operating it.

Claude Johnson rites set Friday

Claude Frederick Johnson, 73, a lifetime resident of Castro County, died Tuesday night in Plains Memorial Hospital after suffering a series of heart attacks.

FUNERAL services will be at 7 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church. Officiating will be Rev. Frank Pollard of the Shiloh Terrace Baptist Church of Dallas. Burial will be in Castro Memorial Gardens, under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Mr. Johnson, a retired farmer, was born July 11, 1899, in Tulsa. He was raised here, and in 1917 he married Miss Dora Turner in the Turner family home in Dimmitt. He operated a farm many years in the Flag community.

He is survived by his wife, Dora, of the home; two sons, C. J. of Dimmitt and Jimmie of Lubbock; five daughters, Mrs. Alene Martinson of Grants, Neb., Mrs. Imogene McKinney of Bridge City, Mrs. LaQuita Thacker of Lawton, Okla., Mrs. Melba Smith of Ankara, Turkey, and Mrs. Beverly Russell of Lubbock; a brother, Wilbert, of Navota, Calif.; five sisters, Mrs. Helen Sharp of Navota, Calif., Mrs. Vera Duree of Lubbock, Mrs. Mary Wanda Hughes of Rising Star, Mrs. Willie Younger of Brownwood and Mrs. George Behrends of Dimmitt; 23 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Three sentenced in court Tuesday

Three persons received probation sentences in 64th District Court here Tuesday after pleading guilty to charges against them.

THREE others entered pleas of innocent and will be tried by jury later in the court session. And District Judge John Boyd ordered the bonds of three persons forfeited for failure to appear for trial.

Sentenced after pleading guilty were Ramon Gonzales, who received three years' probation on a DWI charge; Carlos Arnulfo Marquez, two years' probation for theft; and Pablo Herrera, two years' probation for DWI.

Entering innocent pleas were Mary Stidham, charged with theft; Guadalupe Guerra, charged with burglary; and Jimmy Rogers, charged with theft over \$50.

BONDS were ordered forfeited on Julian Griego, charged with attempted forgery; Merlyn Elliott, charged with selling dangerous drugs; and Raymond Ramirez, charged with burglary.

The first jury under the new "jury wheel" system was to be formed Wednesday to hear a civil case.

Schumacher seeks commission post for Precinct 3

Andy Schumacher, Dimmitt custom farmer, announced this week he will be a candidate for county commissioner of Precinct 3 in the May 6 Democratic primary election.

"IF I AM nominated and elected, I pledge to learn the duties of county commissioner and to carry out these duties to the best of my ability," Schumacher said.

His announcement makes it a two-man race for the Precinct 3 commissioner's post. The incumbent commissioner is J. M. Wright, who has announced he will seek re-election.

Schumacher, 52, was raised in Hereford, where he graduated from high school in 1939. He married Oleda Heiman of Nazareth in 1940, and they have been residents of Castro County for the past 28 years. After operating his own farm 16 years Schumacher has been doing custom work for the past 15 years. The Schumachers have five children, and live at 603 NW Eleventh St.

SCHUMACHER is a veteran of World War I, having served in Europe. He has been active in the Dimmitt Athletic Booster Club, Little League and other civic organizations, and is a member of the Holy Family Church of Nazareth.

Tax assessor asks voters to sign up now

County Tax Assessor Kent Birdwell appealed to voters who haven't registered to do so by Feb. 1 if possible.

THEN, if you keep voting, you may never have to register again.

"Under the new state law passed by the last legislature," Birdwell explained, "when you register now it will be for three years. Then if you vote in any election during those three years you will automatically be registered for three more years. You'll have to re-register only if you go three years without voting."

Birdwell estimated that only half the county's eligible voters are now registered. **"THE CURRENT** voter registration total is about 2,000 for the county," he said, "and we should have 4,000 registered voters."

Registration will qualify the voter for a lot of ballot-box action this year. First elections on tap are the city elections April 1. Then will come the Democratic and Republican primary elections May 6, then the general election in November with offices from the presidency on down to be filled.

Voters can register at the county tax assessor's office in the courthouse, at the city hall at Hart, or at Carl's Grocery in Nazareth. Registration forms are included in a public-notice advertisement on Page (See **VOTERS**, Page 6)

Briscoe is 'very encouraged'

Dolph Briscoe Jr. of Uvalde, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, was a

Last rites held for Ulys Davis

Ulys Jackson Davis, long-time Dimmitt farmer, died at 3:20 a.m. Monday in Plains Memorial Hospital. He was 68.

FUNERAL services were conducted at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the Bedford Street Church of Christ, with D. C. Lawrence of Lubbock and Morgan Sturgess of Tullia officiating. Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens, directed by Dennis Funeral Home.

Born Feb. 3, 1903, in Blanton, Mr. Davis farmed in Castro County most of his life until his retirement several years ago. He was a member of the Bedford Street Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife, Millicent; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Cluck of Dimmitt; a son, John Robert of Dimmitt; and three grandchildren.

PALLBEARERS were James Studer, Eulless Waggoner, Andrew Murphy, W. C. Snider, Goodwin Miller and Don Malone. Ushers were D. C. Taylor, Edmond Hunter, Carroll Webb and Bill Gregory.

Wright will run for re-election in Precinct 3

J. M. Wright, who has served as county commissioner of Precinct 3 for 11 years, announced this week he will seek re-election to a fourth term, subject to the May 6 Democratic primary election.

WRIGHT, who farms in northern Castro County, has served on the county governing body since January 1961.

"I think we can be proud of the financial condition our county is in," Wright said. "We were able to double the size of the courthouse during the past year, and paid for half of the expansion project in cash. The bonds that were voted to finance the remainder of the project is the only indebtedness the county has right now."

He added, "I'd like to express my appreciation to the people in my precinct, and the county in general, for their cooperation during the past years and I hope to continue to merit your confidence and support."

Wright has been a resident of Castro County since 1916. He was 3 years old when his father, E. B. Wright, moved his family to the county.

picture of optimism when he visited Dimmitt last Thursday afternoon.

REPEATING his main campaign theme—"We need to restore confidence in our state government"—Briscoe told his Dimmitt audience, "I'm very encouraged about the way my campaign is going, all over the state. I'm happy about the reception I've received, especially in South and Central Texas, and about the fertile field we have to work in."

Briscoe's informal meeting with local residents in the First State Bank community room was his second visit to Dimmitt in four months. He was here Sept. 16 to test the political waters before announcing that he would jump into the governor's race.

Last Thursday's visit was politically profitable for the Uvalde rancher-banker. Dimmitt attorney Jimmy Ross agreed to serve as his campaign manager for Castro County. Also, County Democratic Chairman Carl King gave his personal endorsement to Briscoe over Gov. Preston Smith and Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes.

"I'M SPEAKING only for myself, and not for the County Democratic Executive Committee," King told Briscoe, "but you have my personal endorsement—I'll work for you."

Briscoe said people around the

state seem to feel that it's time for a change in the leadership of Texas government.

"I asked one friend to sound out some East Texas towns for me," he said. "He reported back that the main attitude of voters in that part of the state is, 'I'm not going to vote for either of those two guys who are already there—I'm going to vote for what's-his-name from South Texas.'"

"THAT'S FINE with me, if they'll just remember to vote for 'what's-his-name' from South Texas," Briscoe said.

In his native South Texas, Briscoe is better known. He's the father of the highly successful screwworm eradication program, served two years as president of the South Texas

Spring again

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

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Friday	35	12
Saturday	35	3
Sunday	44	22
Monday	60	24
Tuesday	67	39
Wednesday	71	25
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Chamber of Commerce, and has been a leader in soil conservation and livestock improvement.

As a member of the House of Representatives (1949-57), he co-authored the farm-to-market road program and introduced the first resolution demanding an investigation of the Veterans Land Board, which resulted in uncovering a major scandal involving millions in state funds.

He became better-known around the state when he sought the Democratic nomination for governor in 1968, polling fourth in an 11-man field.

IN RESPONSE to a question about state spending, Briscoe said "The state is still on a pay-as-you-go basis, and I think we've got to keep it that way."

Was he relieved that former US Sen. Ralph Yarborough had announced two days earlier that he would seek to return to the US Senate instead of running for governor?

"I've planned my campaign regardless of who else runs," Briscoe answered. "I still have no way of knowing who else might jump into the race before the filing deadline in February."

BRISCOE was here for less than an hour during his whirlwind tour of the area. The same day, he also shook hands with voters in Amarillo, Canyon, Happy, Tullia, Farwell, Bovina, Friona and Hereford.



FRIO PARSONAGE BURNS—These charred pages were all that was left of a book of sermons belonging to Rev. Sam Ogan after the Frio Baptist Church parsonage burned to the ground last Wednesday. The fire destroyed the parsonage, nearly all the family's personal belongings, and cars owned

by the Ogans and their daughter, Mrs. Debbie Pitman of Hereford. High winds whipped the flames through the house before firemen could arrive, and also ignited a nearby stalk field. For details of the fire, see Frio News on Page 5.



WHERE IT STARTED—The fire that destroyed the Frio Baptist Church parsonage last Wednesday started in the kitchen when this wall heater ignited fumes from glue which Mrs. Sam Ogan and her daughter, Mrs. Debbie Pitman of Hereford, were using to make a contour chair. In background are the remains of the kitchen cabinets. Both ladies were hospitalized, Mrs. Ogan with serious burns.

Sheffy's chatter

Bagwells celebrate 55 years of progress in county

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Jim and Robertha Bagwell celebrated one day recently their 55 years in Castro County.

to Las Vegas, Nev. Jan says just to see the place and take in some of the shows.

Enroute home they stopped for a couple of days visit with another brother Rick Gerber, who is in college at Wichita, Kan.

VAN EARL HUGHES gave ideas and plans for landscaping yards to the 17 members of The Town and Country Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Slough.

BRIDGE, bridge that was the game played last Thursday afternoon.

Margaret Wilson was hostess to her group with lunch at the Colonial Inn Restaurant and bridge later at home.

Dorothy Mayfield was hostess for her bridge club in the home of Ina Cleavinger.

DAVID LAND, a student at WTSU, has been visiting his dad, Charlie Land, for a few days at mid-term.

CAN YOU imagine that Walt Hansen forgot their anniversary last week? Virginia will put that fellow in the dog house.

MR. AND MRS. Bob McLean and son Robert, his wife Roxie, Jan and Mike Baca made a trip

letter to the Jim Bagwells thanking them for the candy and good wishes from the Dimmitt people.

Jean Bradford has been a weekend guest of her friend Penny Proffitt in Lubbock. Jean is the only granddaughter of George and Josie Bradford, and the Earl Luts.

I MET Daniel Hauf at the cafe Sunday. He has moved here from Custer, S.D. to live with his dad Harry and June Hauf and young son, Daniel is a freshman in high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gollehon of Albuquerque, N.M., were here recently to visit Mary's sister Mrs. Alma Umberson, her brother Floyd and Willa Reynolds and Joe's brother Noel and family.

Last week the Floyd Reynolds visited friends the Lige Stevens and Goldie Lile in Amarillo.

COLLEGE PEOPLES news—Beverly Newman will go back to Baylor at Waco.

MR. AND MRS. Moody Adams of Plainview and Wayne and Linda Adams of Lubbock were Sunday guests of daughter and Wayne's sister Mrs. John Farris and John.

They did not try to ski, just looked.

They saw Mrs. Roy Cluck and Billie, Beral Hance, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, Faye Kenmore, Irene Carpenter and the Morgan Dennises. Many people went to greet the Landtroops from here.

LORANELL Hamilton and Verbie Nelson were in Lubbock one day to visit Loranell's daughter Sheila, who is in school at Tech.

Alfred Hamblin of Wayside and his sister Doris Gillham of Canyon visited their uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Hub Sprayberry Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Landtroop of Clovis celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Sunday. Earl was pastor of the Baptist Church here for several years.

MR. AND MRS. Moody Adams of Plainview and Wayne and Linda Adams of Lubbock were Sunday guests of daughter and Wayne's sister Mrs. John Farris and John.

Mr. and Mrs. Es Noble took their son E. B. and Evelyn to Clovis Sunday for dinner to celebrate Evelyn's birthday.

raise registered Hereford cattle and Dan also breaks horses for riding and cutting stock.

GRETA LILES and Amiee of Throckmorton have been visiting her parents Ray and Margaret Nelson for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner and children were Sunday dinner guests of her parents Fred and Margaret Wagener.

Dan and Terry Crowley, son and daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Acker are with the big Parker ranch in Hawaii. They

at Country Arms Apartments.

LENNIS Byer of Amarillo was a guest last week of brother Wes and Alice Anthony and the Fred Kuntz's.

I recently met Mrs. Barbara Keel who moved here a few months ago from Granite City, Ill. Lonnie is superintendent of maintenance at agri business.

Mr. Bob Dillard visited her mother Myrtle McDonald in Lockney recently. Mrs. Dillard is with Frances Frazier's Beauty Shop.

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Office exchange follows purchase

The Plainview Production Credit Association has purchased the Taylor-Harrison Insurance Agency building and this week swapped quarters with the insurance agency.

THE PURCHASE and change of business addresses were announced this week by Bo Bryant, manager of the PPCA Dimmitt office.

It was a next-door move for both firms. The Production Credit Association is now located in the larger building at 114 E. Jones St., while the insurance agency is renting the building at 112 E. Jones from the PPCA.

DHS Band invited to be honor band

The Dimmitt High School Band, which will perform in the Battle of Flowers at San Antonio in April, was invited this week to be the festival's honor band.

ALTHOUGH the band had to turn down the honor, Director Ralph Smith was elated over the invitation.

"This is an honor usually reserved for out-of-state bands, although our band participated as a feature band once before," Smith said.

The Bobcat Band's April appearance will be its fourth in the Battle of Flowers parade and festivities.

STATE SEN. Joe Christie of El Paso has become the sixth Democratic entry in the lieutenant governor's race.

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

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

MISION BUATISTA JOE BAILES 300 N.E. 7th Pastor Van Earl Hughes Tesorero Gabriel Montiel Secretaria Sara Salinas CULTOS DOMINGO PAKA Y VISITANTES Escuela Dominical 10:00 a.m. La Predicacion 11:00 a.m. Estudios Biblicos 7:00 p.m.

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

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive Roy E. Barringer, Minister Phone 647-5478

Sunday — Bible School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship and Lord's Supper 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday — Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH M. A. Pennington, Pastor N.W. 5th at Halsell

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

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



Sometimes the desire to run out the door and chuck it all is overpowering when we are confronted with the mess of an after-dinner table!

Sometimes, insight lets us see that our lives are quite a mess too. In fact, things seem such a jumble, that our reaction to this truth, if acknowledged, is, "What's the use?"

Well, of course, the only thing to do with the dishes is to take them to the sink, put them in hot water, and wash them with a good cleansing agent until they shine.

Less obvious, perhaps, is what to do with a messed-up life. We invite you to seek an answer in church this week. You are sure to find there the Power who will help you with your problems, a power who cares immeasurably for your soul.

"Casting all your care upon him, for he careth for you." I Peter 5:7

"And the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain." Isaiah 40:4b.

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

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Bill Wadley, Pastor Phone 647-2865 Sunday — Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. 2nd & 4th Monday — Brotherhood 8:00 p.m. Wednesday — Mid-Week Services 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.

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

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

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14—CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Beta Sigma Phi and the Lions Club for the great effort they put forth for the blood drive. A special thanks to the ones who took the time to donate blood and the money donations. No one will ever know how much we appreciate everything that was done.
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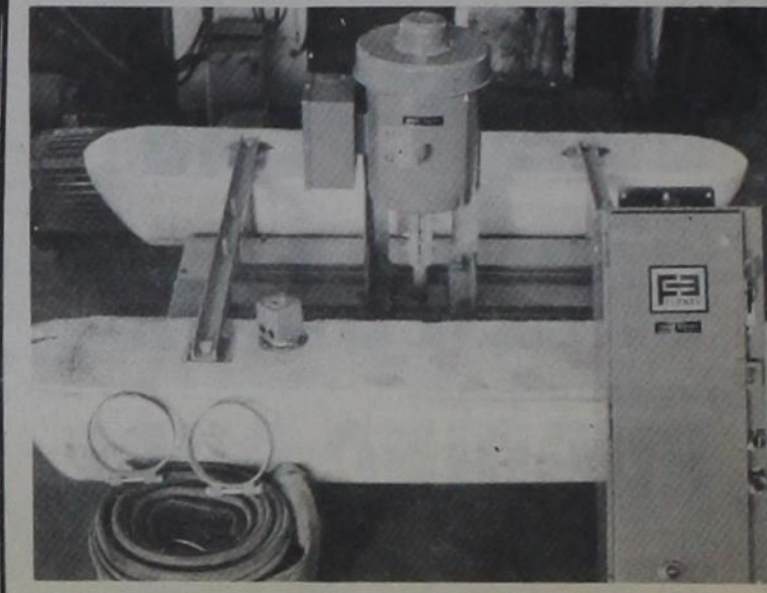
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Post office has new tax booklet

A booklet that gives information on how to fill out federal tax returns is now on sale at the Dimmitt Post Office. Postmaster John Wood announced this week.
"YOUR Federal Income Tax" was written by the Internal Revenue Service and contains many examples to illustrate how the tax law applies to actual situations. A special feature of the booklet is the sample, fill-in return, Form 1040, keyed to pages where explanations can be found for each entry on the return.
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Eight crops allowable on set-aside land

Farmers participating in the 1972 cotton, feed grain and wheat programs will have the opportunity of planting any of eight alternate non-surplus oil-seed crops on their set-aside acres, the US Department of Agriculture has announced.

ALTERNATE crops for 1972 are castor beans, crambe, guar, mustard seed, plantago ovato, safflower, sesame and sunflower. The list is unchanged from that in effect for the 1971 crop year.

Producers planting any of the alternate crops on set-aside acreage will have a deduction made in their per-acre set-aside payment. The payment deduction for 1972 will be related to the average productivity of the land. An average productivity deduction rate will be used for each county with rates varying from \$6 to \$10.20 per acre.

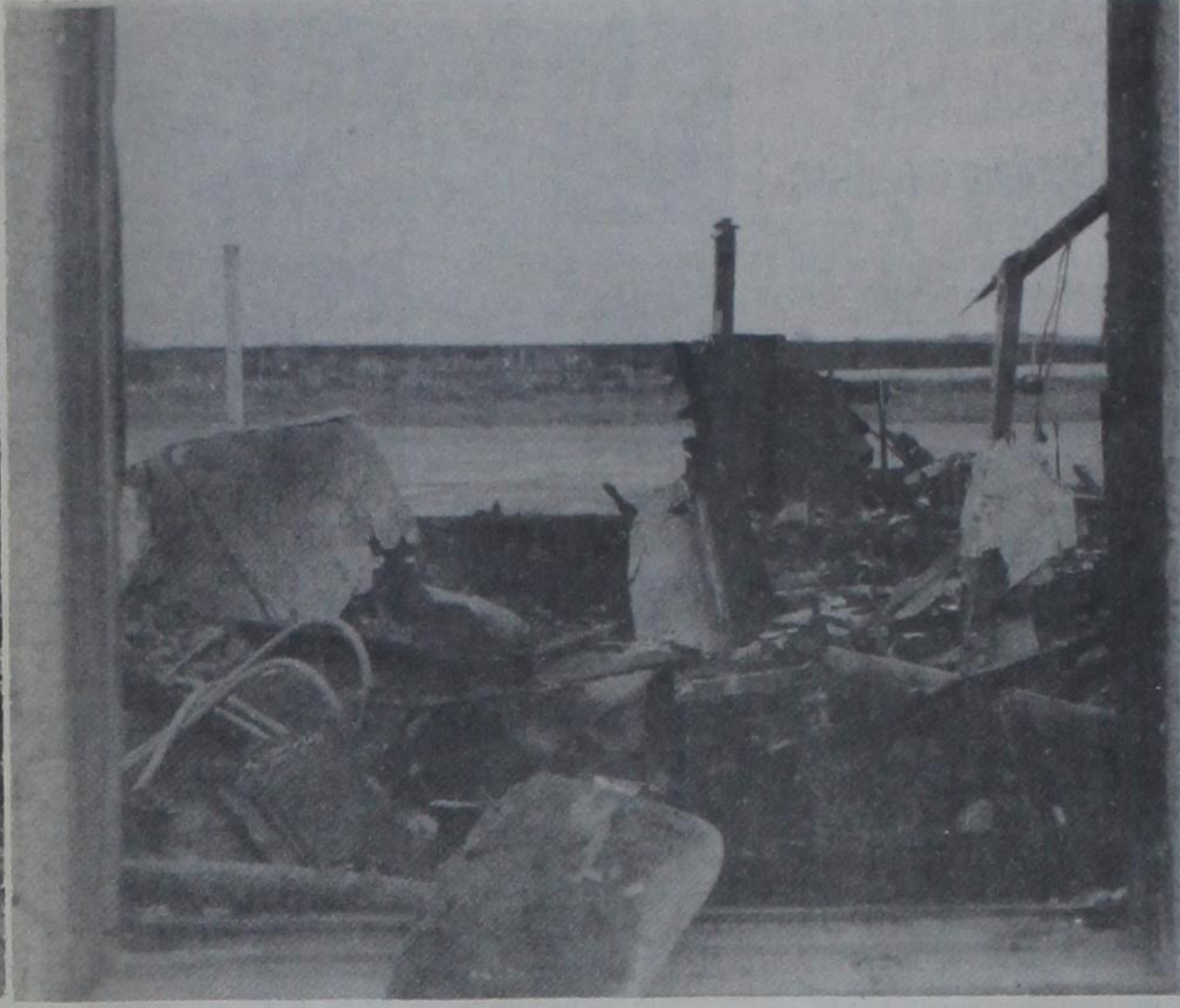
For 1971, when any of the alternate crops were planted, there was a straight \$10 deduction per set-aside acre planted. A total of 53,688 set-aside acres were planted to one or more of the eight crops this year.

FOR 1972, the county set-aside payment rate deduction for alternate crop plantings is available at the county ASCS office.



ONCE A GARAGE—The charred remains of Rev. and Mrs. Sam Ogan's car rests among the rubble where the garage of the Frio Baptist Church parsonage used to be. In background, men inspect the car owned

by the Ogans' daughter, Mrs. Debbie Pitman. This car, parked alongside the parsonage, also was totally destroyed in last Wednesday's fire.



THROUGH THE WINDOW of the kitchen can be seen the charred remains of the Frio Baptist Church parsonage after last Wednesday's fire. In distance is a burned stalk-field, ignited by cinders from the

house fire. The fire started in the kitchen and swept quickly through the rest of the parsonage, whipped by a 40-mph wind from the east.

Frio news

Pastor's wife improving after parsonage fire

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS
Mrs. Sam Ogan was continuing to improve early this week from the very serious burns she received Wednesday when the church parsonage burned. She is in the intensive care unit in Amarillo's High Plains Baptist Hospital.

DOCTORS said Friday that they were hopeful the burns on her back and face would heal without skin grafts, but they thought grafts might be required for her hands. They talk in terms of weeks at least, for recovery.

Rev. Ogan has taken a guest room, in the hospital to be near his wife. Their daughter, Debbie Pitman, was doing well in Deaf Smith General Hospital, recovering from painful burns and bruises she received when she went back into the room of flames searching for her mother, and as they pushed through a screen to escape.

Apparently the wall heater in the kitchen spewed a wall of flame as it ignited fumes in the kitchen where the women were gluing foam rubber to a contour lounge chair they were making. They had taken care

to open windows as a safety measure.

A few smoked items were salvaged from the ruins, most valuable of which were family pictures and some legal papers and books—all smoked, mostly wet, but still precious to the family.

Firemen from Hereford, Dimmitt and Friona arrived too late to save much, but items packed in boxes and drawers in the western and southwestern sides of the building were salvaged. The family's table silverware was cleaned up as one of the better items. One twin-size mattress and a few smoked articles of bedding and linens were thrown out from the southwest room during the fire.

All in all, little was saved, but the ladies of the church were boxing and packing it away for the family when they are able to resume housekeeping.

The two ladies escaped with their lives, which seemed a miracle. They have health insurance and some fire insurance on one of the two cars that were ruined in the fire. The church has some fire in-

surance on the building, but none on its contents.

Offers of help have come from many, and funds at both Hereford banks, the Dimmitt bank, Easter Community Grain and Summerfield Store have been set up. Rev. Ogan is acquiring a new wardrobe, but for Mrs. Ogan that will come later.

Rev. Ogan returned home Sunday to preach at the morning service, and reported Mrs. Ogan's progress.

★
ROGER JOBE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Jobe, underwent surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo last Thursday. He was reported to be recovering well at the latest report.

Mrs. Clark Andrews and Mrs. Earl Harkins went to be with the Jobses there during the surgery. This is the sixth operation for Roger since his sixth birthday.

★
FRIO Homemakers Club met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Shultz. The planned tour of the museum was postponed since the museum was closed for a few days for work being done there. Plans for several of the spring meetings were discussed some of which include a style show, a party and a tour of Amarillo's "Village of Hope."

Attending the meeting were 14 members.

Social Security agent sets visit

A representative of the Amarillo Social Security Office will be in the Castro County Courthouse Wednesday to help local residents on matters relating to social security or Medicare.

HE WILL be here from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m.

Those unable to visit him here may also obtain service by going to the social security office at 317 S. Third St., Amarillo, or by telephoning 376-5151.

On the Go

Katy Buckmaster is the grandmother of a little boy who has been named Kevin Lee. He is the son of Gayle and Fred Logan of Texarkana. The Logans have a four-year-old daughter. Katy moved back to her home from Texarkana a few months ago.

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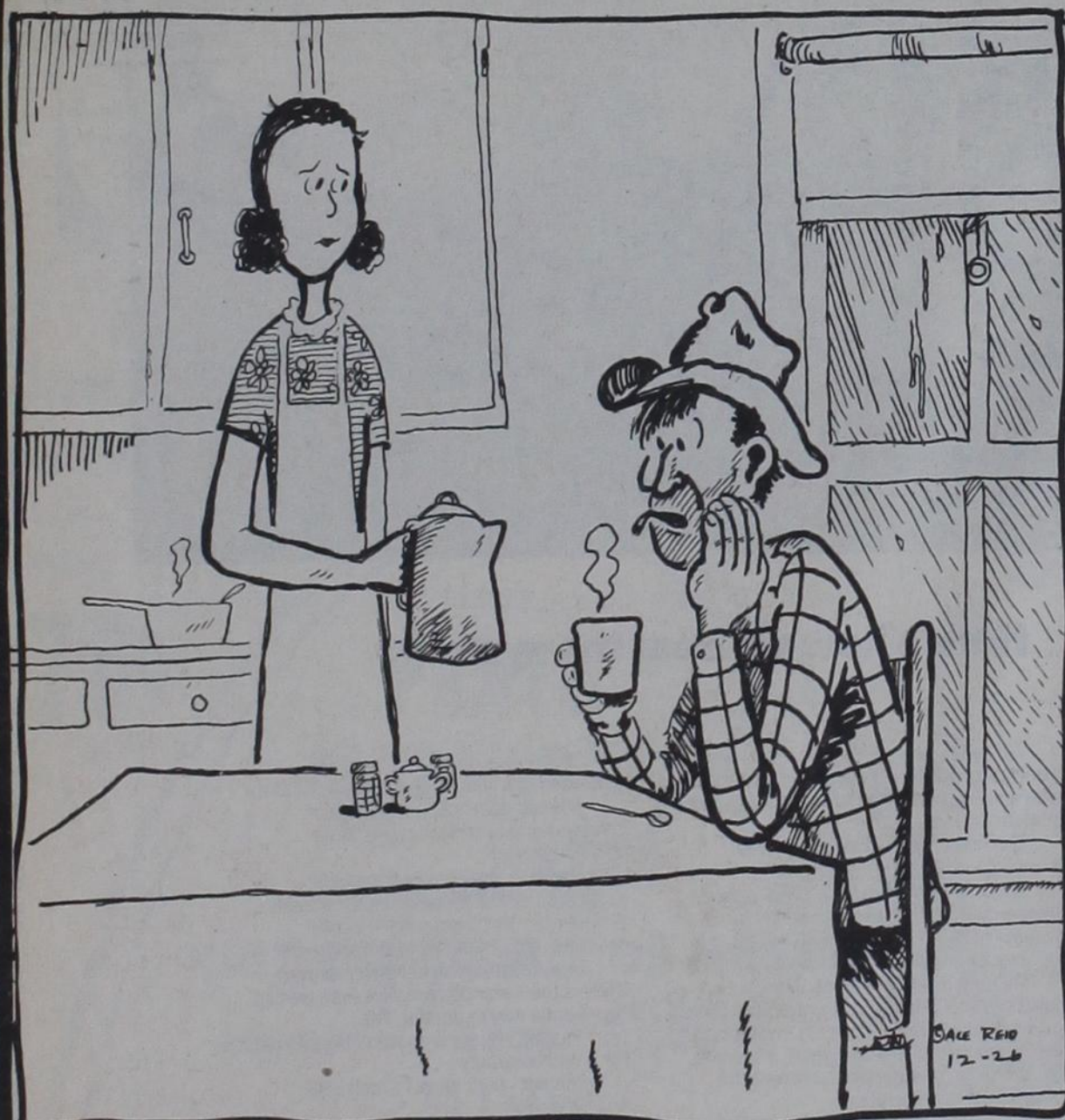
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MRS. L. C. LEETH, school librarian, reported that eight random volumes of different encyclopedias have been turned in to the library after being left in different rooms of the school by students.

"We don't know who they belong to; most of them have been turned in to the library just recently," Mrs. Leeth said. "I imagine the parents who are missing these volumes would like to know where they are."

The eight volumes are:
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The FREE supper and party will begin at 6:30 p.m., and all area farmers and their families are invited, said Bill Dannevik, Cyanamid manager here.

Six agricultural chemical companies will sponsor games, musical entertainment and cartoons while providing technical information about their farm chemical products, Dannevik said.

Entertainment will include a "sudden death" 42 tournament sponsored by the Geigy Chemical Co.; free bingo sponsored by Elanco Chemical Co.; "The Gusting Winds" junior girls' vocal quintet from Hereford, sponsored by Agri-Sul, Inc.; "The Swifts' Musical Quintet," senior high school group from Nazareth, sponsored by Excel Seed Co.; children's cartoons, sponsored by Monsanto Chemical Co.; and extra prizes by Velsicol Chemical.

Details of the "fun fair" are in an advertisement on Page 9 of this issue.

Gifford-Hill sets dividend

The board of directors of Gifford-Hill & Company, Inc., has declared a quarterly cash dividend of 10.4 cents per share of common stock, payable March 16, 1972 to shareholders of record Feb. 10, 1972.

This 4 percent increase conforms to the rate allowable under guidelines for dividend payments, Gifford-Hill directors said.

RURAL development may be the answer to pollution, urban crowding and rural poverty, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White contends.

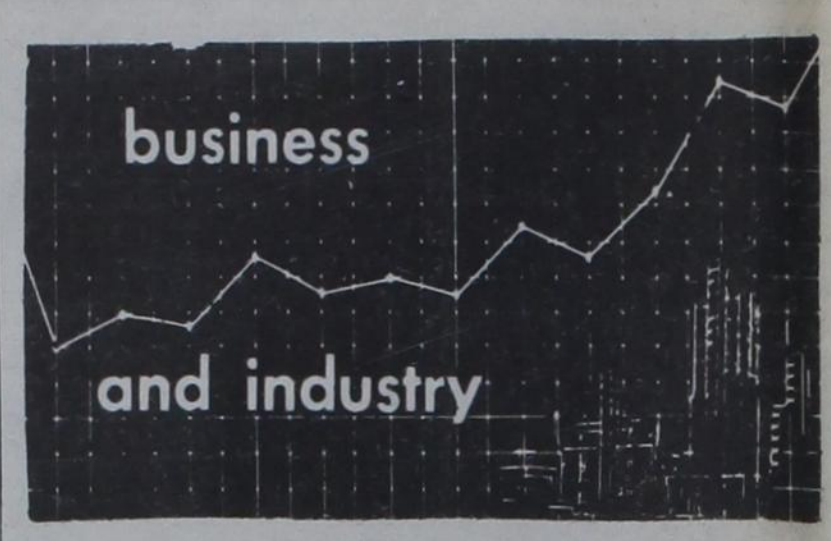
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Here are the new farm-truck rules

Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has reminded Texas farmers and ranchers of revised driver qualification regulations which should give significant relief from the stringent regulations that were in effect in 1971.

NEW exemptions were made for farmers and ranchers by the US Department of Transportation after many complaints were filed against restrictive farm driver qualification regulations last year.

The new regulations which became effective Jan. 1 include:

1. Farm vehicle drivers operating trucks weighing 10,000 pounds or less are totally exempt from the driver qualification rules.
2. FARM vehicle drivers op-

SPC conducting two courses here

South Plains College is conducting two courses in Dimmitt during the spring semester 1972.

THE CLASSES are being offered primarily for teacher aides in the Dimmitt and Hereford areas. However, they are open to all other interested area individuals. The classes meet in Dimmitt Junior High School. Philosophy 234, "Introduction to Philosophy," meets each Monday of the spring semester from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. The first class meeting was this week.

History 233, "Texas History," is offered each Wednesday during the same hours, 4:30-7:30 p.m. The first class of this course also met this week.

For further information, interested persons may contact the Office of Continuing Education at South Plains College, Levelland, phone 894-4921.

Cotton harvest 85 percent over

The South Plains cotton harvest was 80 to 85 percent complete by Friday, according to W. K. Palmer, in charge of the

USDA Cotton Classing Office in Lubbock.

COTTON harvest operations continued over the area during the week but began to decline slightly on Friday as the harvest neared completion.

The classing offices at Lubbock, Brownfield, Lamesa and Levelland classed 135,000 samples during the week ending Friday, bringing the season's total to 869,000. At this date last year the 1970 harvest was virtually complete and samples from 1,619,000 bales had been classed.

Grades of the cotton classed at the Lubbock office were about the same as those of the previous week.

LOW MIDDLING Light Spotted was the predominant grade at Lubbock last week with 40 percent of all cotton classed. Strict Low Middling Light Spotted made up 15 percent, Low Middling 8 percent and all Spotted and Tinged grades 28 percent.

Staples were predominantly 29 to 31. Twenty-eight percent had a staple length of 29, 53 percent stapled 30, and 11 percent was 31.

Only three percent of the cotton "miked" in the Lubbock office was in the premium range of 3.5 to 4.9. Palmer said 5 percent "miked" 3.3 and 3.4, 26 percent 3.0 through 3.2, 44 percent was 2.7 through 2.9, and 22 percent was 2.6 and below.

THE CONSUMER and Marketing Service of the USDA reported increased trading in the new crop cotton. Cotton prices fluctuated during the week but ended the week \$5 per bale lower. Prices ranged from 28 to 32 cents with most cotton selling between 29 and 31 cents.

More about: Voters sign up

(Continued from Page One) 12 of this issue. Voter registration is free.

"YOU CAN mail in your application or bring it in person," Birdwell said, "or you can call the tax assessor's office and we will mail extra forms to you if you need them."

Those who are about to become 18 years of age may register 30 days before their 18 birthday or any time thereafter, Birdwell said.

There's no single voter registration deadline under the new system, but each election carries its own deadline. If you want to vote in any particular election, you must be registered 31 days before the election date.

"The county has to have its

first voter registration list ready by March 1, so lease register by Feb. 1 if possible," Birdwell urged.

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Oops! Kimmie is NOT a boy!

Remember that front-page story in last week's issue in which fifth-grader Kimmie Hollums gave us a new appreciation of our land with a description of its beauty?

THE NEWS described it as "a boy's-eye view" of our countryside.

Well, it wasn't, either. Kimmie is a girl, not a boy. Our apologies, Kimmie. We should have known, when we saw your theme, that no boy could describe it that well!

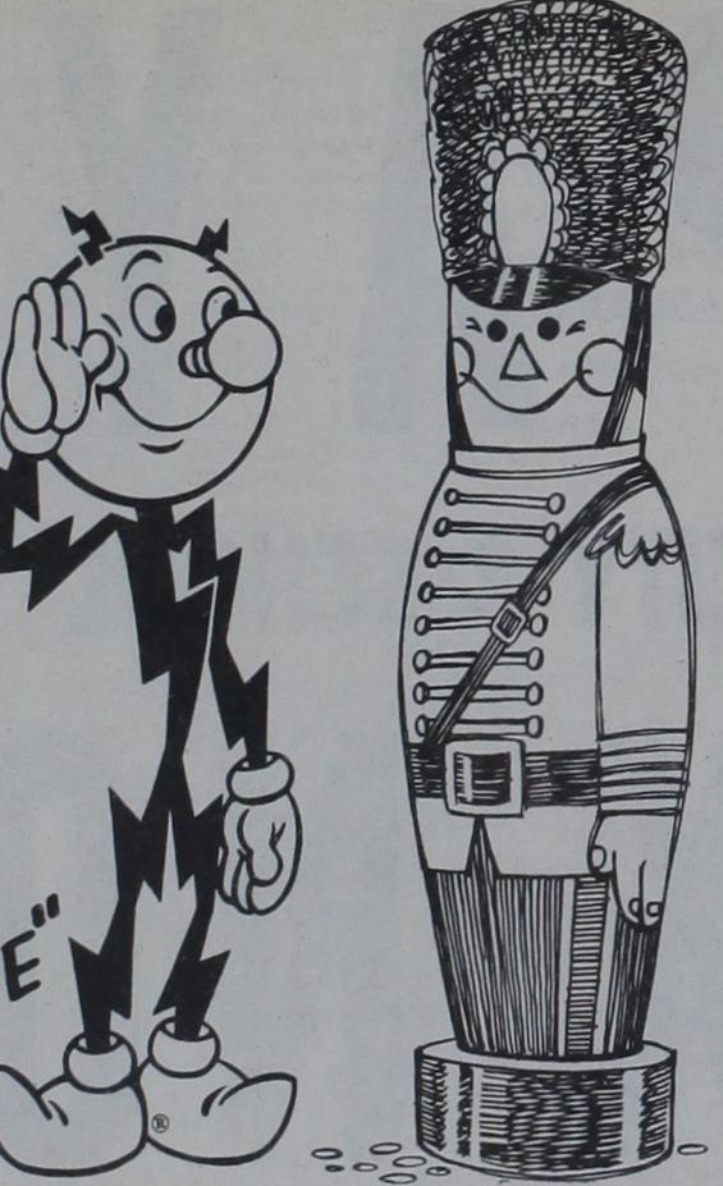
Cats top Chiefs; Bobbies defeated

Dimmitt's Bobcats defeated Friona 66-58 here Tuesday night as Danny Ebeling scored 26 points and Kenny Ringo 23.

FRIONA won the high-scoring girls' game, 68-64. Dimmitt's leading scorers were Nancy Tisdale with 24 and Diane Dyer with 21.

Dimmitt won both B-team games, with the boys earning a 79-47 victory and the girls winning a 45-42 squeaker.

THE GOVERNOR has asked President Nixon to declare Bowie, Delta and Fannin Counties a disaster area due to recent flooding.



"The Reserve" — to some it means a standby military unit or perhaps the Federal Reserve Board.

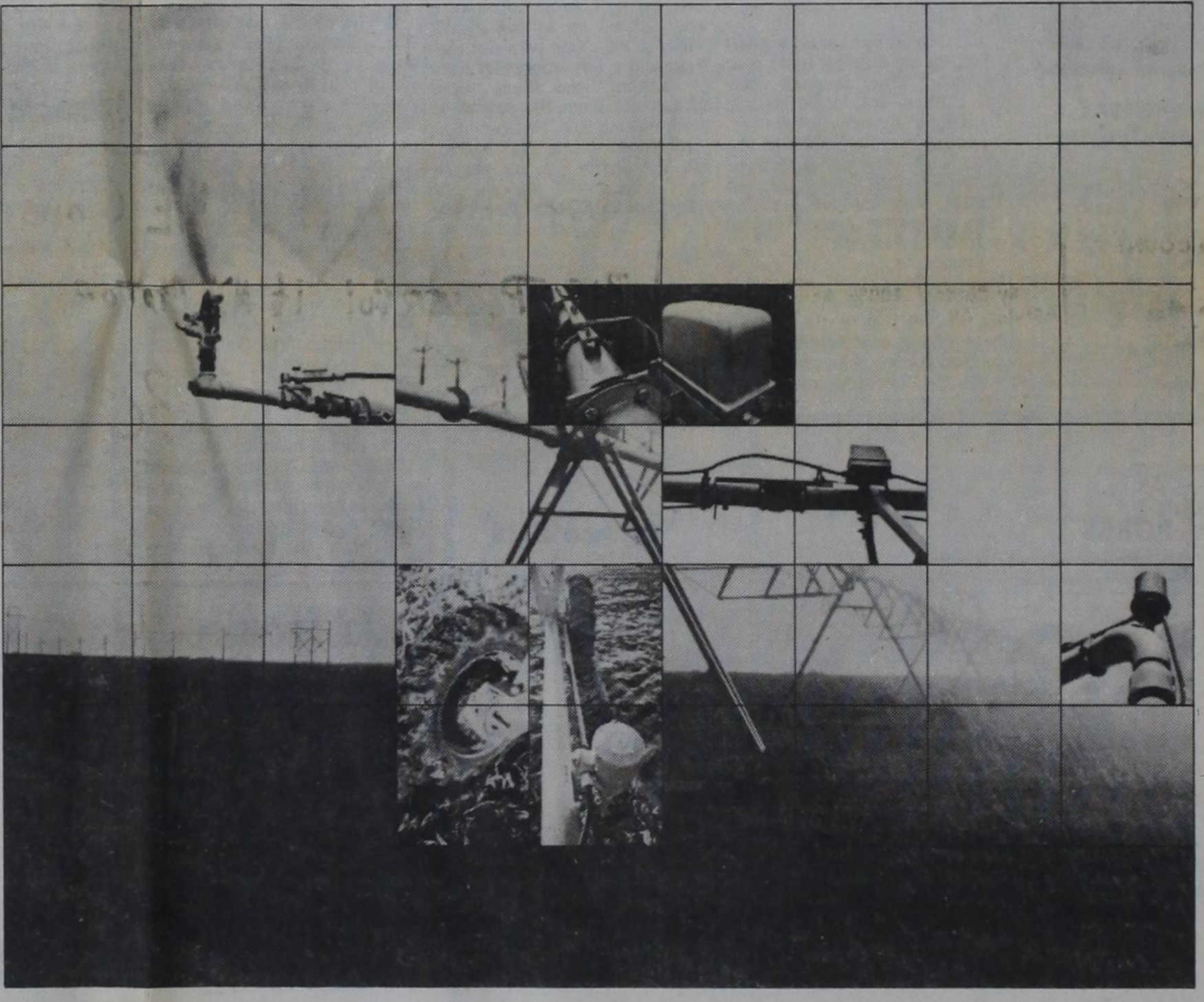
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Hart news

32 donate blood for Matt and Brett Aven

By MYRT LOMAN

Some 32 friends and relatives of the Melvin Aven family responded last Wednesday to the blood drive for Matt and Brett Aven, their sons, who are victims of hemophilia.

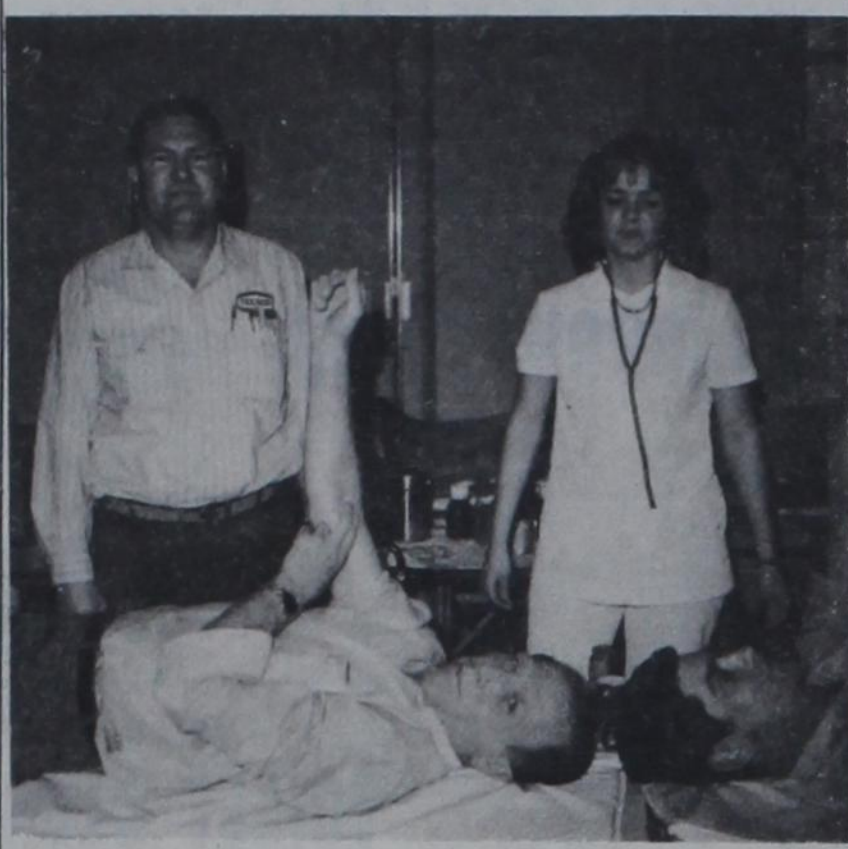
The blood services of Lubbock furnished nurses and necessary equipment at the First United Methodist Church from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Some 22 pints were needed for replacement, with the balance to be kept in reserve for future use if needed.

The drive was sponsored by members of the Lions Club and the Chi Psi and Xi Mu Iota chapters of Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

ALL VETERANS and wives are urged to attend the American Legion zone meeting to be held at the Dimmitt Legion Hall tonight (Thursday).

Bud Steiert reports there are 57 paid-up members for 1972, and the Hart Legion quota is 74.

Dues are now \$5.50 and may be paid to Claude Ray, Percy Hart or Bud Steiert.



FIRST DONOR in the blood drive for Matt and Brett Aven last Wednesday was Jim Black (standing). Next on the donors' cots were H. B. Thomas of Dimmitt (left foreground) and Jerry Kittrell of Hart. The nurse is Mrs. Carol Staggs of Lubbock, who helped conduct the drive for Lubbock blood services. The first woman donor was the boys' grandmother, Mrs. Dwight Lewis of Edmonson. Thirty-two donors gave blood to help the boys, who are victims of hemophilia. (Photo by Harley Wilke)

this week calls for the Hart varsity boys and girls to travel to Kress Friday night. On Tuesday, the varsity teams will host Sudan. Both are district games.

MRS. VASCA Kittrell Byrd was complimented with a miscellaneous shower last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Everett Heller.

Guest were received by Mrs. Heller, and Mrs. R. A. Futrell presided at the guest register.

The serving table was covered with a green cloth and centered with a fresh floral arrangement of begonias.

Mrs. C. T. Cunningham, Mrs. H. L. Cheatham, Mrs. Howard Mitchell and Mrs. F. L. Bass Jr. served refreshments. Mrs. Weldon Davis and Mrs. Warren Lemons presided in the gift room.

Assisting Mrs. Heller with hostess duties were Mrs. R. A. Futrell, Warren Lemons, Katie Strickland, Claude Ray, Harvey Davis, Clay Anderson, C. T. Cunningham, Howard Mitchell, H. L. Cheatham and F. L. Bass Jr.

MRS. T. R. DAVIS was hostess to members of the Good-neighbor Club last week.

The ladies enjoyed a covered dish luncheon, followed by a business meeting, election of new officers and the revealing of names of secret plas.

New officers for 1972 are Mrs. Sid Farmer, president; Mrs. G. R. Bennett, vice-president; Mrs. Laurence McLain secretary; Mrs. Roy Taack, assistant; and Mrs. Paul Brooks, reporter. Serving on the hospitality committee are Mrs. Leonard Griswold, Mrs. Oford King and Mrs. Roy Futrell.

Sharon Brooks was a special guest.

Mrs. Griswold will host the next meeting Tuesday, Feb. 1, in her home.

GIRLS IN Action met last Wednesday after school in fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church for their regular weekly meeting.

Mrs. Harold Bass led in prayer and Melanie Upshaw led the group singing, with DeAnn Richburg accompanying at the piano.

Lana Tucker, vice-president, conducted the meeting. The girls discussed a Valentine party with combined birthday parties for each member.

Mrs. Bass completed the book reviews of the Marked Bible and told of duties and of some of the hardships of missionaries.

Mrs. Lanny Tucker furnished refreshments of Coke, potato chips and candy bars, served by her daughter, Lana.

THE WOMEN'S Society of Christian Service met in the First United Methodist Church last Thursday at 9:30 for their regular lesson.

Mrs. T. H. Taylor, president, conducted the meeting, and Mrs. Walter Taylor brought the devotional on "The Lost Star."

Mrs. Paul Armstrong led the lesson discussion on "The Invitation."

The ladies then met in fellowship hall of the church, where Mrs. Walter Taylor was given a surprise pink and blue shower.

Mrs. Leonard Griswold pin-



NEARER TO THEE—Rev. C. T. Cunningham (right), pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hart, became a flying minister when he completed his first solo flight recently at Hart Aerial Sprayers, Inc. Here, flight instructor Paul Ivay of Sunnyside cuts off Rev. Cunningham's shirttail, a ritual all student pilots must go through when they complete their first solo flight. (Photo by Harley Wilke)

ned a white carnation corsage with yellow and green ribbons on Mrs. Taylor and presented her with many baby gifts.

The gift table was centered by a bud vase with two carnations and yellow and green ribbons.

Following refreshments of punch, coffee and cookies, pictures were made of the honoree.

THE WEBELO Den met Monday of last week after school with J. V. Wescott, leader, and coach.

The boys made flag stands to be used for the Plainview Council meeting Thursday night, and worked on their Tenderfoot requirements.

Dens 1 and 2 of Cub Scouts met last Wednesday after school at the bank building with Mrs. Griswold, den mother. The boys completed their project of owl telephone pads.

Den 3 met at the Wozencraft Insurance building last Wednesday evening and made puppets under the direction of Mrs. Lyndall Warren, den mother.

The pack meeting will be held next Thursday night at Hart School.

THE HERO chapter of Future Homemakers of America of Hart High School met last week in the CVAE lab.

Yolanda Guerra presided over the business meeting. The group discussed money-making projects for the coming months.

Mrs. J. V. Wescott, teacher, gave a program on cake decorating. Cake and Coke were served.

THE 4-H Working Girls met last week in the homemaking classroom of Hart High School.

The report of the 4-H Council meeting of Jan. 8 at the courthouse was given.

The next project of food and

nutrients was discussed, and girls were divided into age groups with Donna Welty teaching the ages of 9, 10 and 11 and Mrs. Irene Keating teaching the older group. The girls will have a contest as their new project. A Valentine party was discussed at the meeting.

Laurey Franks and Lesa Nelson served refreshments to LaDonna Hart, Cindy Brooks, Patricia Smith, Leoria Welty, Teresa Kittrell, Donna Welty, Mrs. Geating and Mrs. Joe Hart, leaders.

THE HART Junior High and High School Band practiced for the first time in their new band hall Wednesday evening.

These two bands, under the direction of Roger Edwards, began in September, 1970. They have used the school cafeteria to practice in until the completion of the new band hall.

Total cost of the new band building was \$25,026. The new steel building is 60 by 40 feet. It has an instrument storage room, uniform storage room, band director's office workroom, small practice room, two restrooms, and a large practice room, 44 by 40 feet. The band building has central heating and refrigerated air conditioning.

The Hart Independent School District did not have to vote a bond or raise taxes to build this new band hall. The cost of the building is included in the school budget for the 1971-72 school year.

DAVID T. LOPEZ of Houston is the new special assistant for public relations on the AFL-CIO's state headquarters staff.

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THE SCHOOL Board last week gave its preliminary approval to the new school band hall and extended the superintendent's contract.

The board voted to add an extra year to Supt. Ted Averitt's contract, extending it to July 1, 1974.

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Loans on Savings Accounts	200,333.02
Property Improvement Loans	264,705.24
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	73,300.00
Prepayment to FSLIC Reserve	113,080.10
Cash & US Government Obligations	820,071.82
Other Investment Securities	710,895.83
Office Building	82,578.51
Furniture, Fixtures & Equipment	13,964.26
Other Assets	26,376.20
	\$11,418,302.46

LIABILITIES	
Savings Accounts	\$10,413,887.35
Borrowers Trust Fund for Taxes & Insurance	118,714.20
Unearned Interest & Discounts	67,883.35
Other Liabilities	29,543.59
Capital, Surplus & Reserves	788,273.97
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Sunnyside news

Rev. Turner's sister dies at Edgewood

By TEENY BOWDEN
Rev. Mack Turner left Monday morning for the Evangelism Conference in Fort Worth. He returned home Wednesday night and received word after his return that his sister, Mrs. Fern Sanders of Edgewood, which is east of Dallas had passed away unexpectedly. He and Mrs. Turner left for Edgewood early Thursday morning. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon and they returned home Monday.

this week and the office furniture installed in the new dental office Saturday.
Mrs. John Moore visited in Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Thomason and children, Terry Don, Judy, and Myles.
Marilyn Coile of Happy spent the day Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Lilley and Audra Gay. Mrs. C. R. Hancock of Arney spent Tuesday and Wednesday with them and Mrs. Raymond Lewis. Mrs. Karen Livesay and Coby spent the day Thursday with them.
Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner taught the book "Me, Myself and Others" to the Crusaders last Wednesday afternoon and again this Wednesday.

The Mission Friends and Girls in-Action also met for their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon.
THE WMU survey committee met Tuesday afternoon for a second organizational meeting. The Girl's-in-Action council met Tuesday morning for their quarterly meeting. Mrs. Gale Sadler is the director.
The WMU Council met Tuesday afternoon for their quarterly meeting. Mrs. E. R. Sadler is the director.
Mrs. E. R. Sadler attended the Plains Memorial Hospital auxiliary meeting in Dimmitt Wednesday morning. Guest speaker was from the mental health center or clinic at Plain-

view which ministers to a nine county area. Castro County is included.
Mrs. L. B. Bowden had charge of the Baptist Women's Bible Study Group meeting Wednesday night. Mrs. Mack Turner taught the book "Job—A Study in Providence and Faith" in the pastors absence during the prayer meeting period covering p to chapter seven.
REV. RAN... Ball of Big Spring brought Mrs. Bob Ball and Mrs. Delmer McMillen of Denver back Thursday and visited a few minutes with the Garner Balls and the Waggoners. They had supper Thursday night with the Waggoners then went to the Balls.
Mrs. Lloyd Blanton visited Thursday morning in Dimmitt with her sister, Mrs. James Parks.
Cindy Sadler played with the Dimmitt "B" team against Nazareth Thursday.
The day Bible Study Group met Thursday afternoon for their monthly meeting. Mrs. L. B. Bowden is the group leader.

SECOND nine-week honor roll for Springlake-Earth included Vicki Head, Marian Dawson and Lesa Morgan. Vicki and Marian were also on the semester honor roll.
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden visited with Ben Louder and Lucy Jo in Canyon Friday afternoon and attended the Buck Owens Show in Amarillo Friday night.
The Baptist Men had their monthly prayer breakfast at the church Monday Morning.
The Lions Club had a supper at their regular meeting at the community building Monday night.
Mrs. Lillian Carson was in Dallas Friday through Saturday night to attend an area workshop.
SEVERAL IN the community have been home from work or school this week with the flu.
Mrs. Hershel Wilson attended a Weight Watchers workshop in Amarillo Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler and girls of Lubbock spent the weekend here and in Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. James Powell and children of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sadler and girls had supper with them at the Ezell Sadler home Saturday night and dinner Sunday.
The painting class met Saturday with Mrs. Bonnie Swinney of Lubbock instructing.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan of Fieldton and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and family.

MR. AND MRS. Garner Ball and Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and Mrs. Bob Ball were in Lubbock Sunday with Mrs. Hubert Lilley who is in Methodist hospital.
Tommy Wilson spent this week in Stratford with his mother. The other children are still with their aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson.
Mrs. John Gilbreath worked at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt with auxiliary duties last Friday morning.
Resa Carson played with the Dimmitt "A" team against Muleshoe Monday night. They won the game.
GENE CARSON was honored with a birthday party Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Lillian Carson. He brought a friend, Mary Margaret, from Lubbock. Carl Dean had as a guest Terrie Newton of Dimmitt.
Rev. and Mrs. Ellis Parson and family of Plainview spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parson and children.
66 attended Sunday School with 38 in Training Union Sunday. Rev. Ellis Parson filled the pulpit in the pastors absence. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burnett were honored with a fellowship after the evening services and opened the wedding gifts brought to them. They were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Cindy, and Susan. Farris Pool of Lubbock spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lefevre and family.



FINISHES BASIC — Aiman Robert D. Brackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald G. Brackett of 307 NW Eighth St., Dimmitt, has completed his US Air Force basic training at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB at San Antonio. He is remaining at Lackland for training in the security police field. Airmen Brackett attended Dimmitt High School.

TV station features Hart

The news department of KGNC-TV in Amarillo has started a series of features on area cities, and Hart was the town in the spotlight Wednesday night.
THE Castro County community was featured on the television station's "Newswatch" programs at 6 and 10 p.m.
Lloyd Senn of the KGNC-TV news staff said the station plans a feature on Dimmitt in the near future.

AN ADVISORY council for technical-vocational education has slated 29 conferences over the state.

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Nazareth news

Schultes host 90 Sunday

By Mrs. Florence Albracht
The Ray Schulte family hosted a dinner Sunday for about 90 relatives and friends. The Ed Hoelting families and Schulte families all enjoyed the dinner and brought in food. Father Stanley enjoyed the dinner with the families. The honorees were the Tommy Hoeltings of Phoenix, Ariz.

MRS. Blanche Birkenfeld spent several days with her daughter and family, the Walt Warrens, in Hereford. She is staying with another daughter and family here, the Paul Venhaus, most of the time.
Mrs. Rita Klemm and boys have moved into their pretty new home just east of the ball park. It will be bricked as soon as the weather is warm enough.
Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gerber came from Springfield, Colo., for the funeral of her aunt Mrs. Loretta Freimel, in Umberger. She spent Saturday here visiting relatives and friends before going home Sunday.

with her daughter and family the H. D. Whites.
MR. AND MRS. Walter Schulte, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Gerber, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Heiman and Mrs. Charles Bowman of Plainview drove to Vian, Okla., for the wedding of Miss Denis Klemm, daughter of the Paul Klemans, and Wayne Murphy, both of Vian, Saturday evening. Also attending the wedding from here were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klemm and daughter Jocelyn, and J. C. Pohlmeier.

The view from your library

By MARY EDNA HENDRIX
We have a few new books in.
ONE IS "Honor Thy Father" by Gay Talese. This is a story about the Mafia—the most discussed, least understood subject in America. There has never been a factual account of the Mafia world from the inside: What their homes look like, what they say to their wives, what they tell their children about themselves. But the "inside" book that has so far eluded other writers has now been written by Gay Talese. In this monumental work—packed with fascinating, intimate details and brilliant reporting and written in the style of a novel—Talese portrays the secret society as they—and he—have lived it in the six years he traveled with the individuals who have so dominated the crime charts of crime-busting senators.

MR. AND MRS. Jerome Brockman left Monday for the Bahamas with a group from different co-ops for a few days.
Patrons of H & S Farm Supply enjoyed a sausage supper in the community hall Friday evening. The Catholic Daughters prepared the meal.
Joe Venhaus Julius Birkenfeld, Marvin and Clyde Schulte were in Denver a few days the past week for the rodeo. Marvin Schulte took part in the rodeo.

THE NAZARETH P.T.A. held its regular monthly meeting in the school cafeteria Monday. For entertainment music, songs and a speech were given by local talent.
The Christian Mothers met last week in the community hall, the meeting having been postponed because of the recent blizzard. The members voted to have a bake sale for the March of Dimes, and hopes to have a speaker at the next meeting to explain what the March of Dimes is doing to help prevent birth defects.

Another new book is "Theirs was the Kingdom" by R. F. Delderfield. This is a companion novel to "God is an Englishman." In this new volume (which stands by itself but can also be read as a sequel), Adam Swann is still the central character—ambitious, deeply in love with his tough-minded and independent wife, devoted to his work—but the focus of the novel is beginning to turn to his children and their far-flung concerns. This is a brilliantly woven tapestry of history, fact and adventure.

MR. AND MRS. Ralph Albracht and family spent Sunday in Lubbock with the Denis Gerbers.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hoelting, Curtis and Gwen Renee are here for a week visiting from Phoenix, Ariz., with their families, the Ed Hoeltings and Ray Schultes.
Mrs. Agnes Brockman spent three days in Plains Memorial Hospital the past week for treatment and medication of her eye. Arnold Brockman had minor surgery and a checkup in Plains Memorial Hospital the past week.

WORD WAS received Friday that the Marvin Hoeltings of Denver have a baby boy, Brad Joseph. Grandparents are the Albert Schultes and Greg Hoeltings here.
The Dan Schmuckers are the proud parents of a boy, born in Plains Memorial Hospital Friday.

THE LIBRARY board met last Wednesday with Jack Miller presiding. Members present were Leora Little, Edna Riley, Hazel Merritt and Esta Vandiver, president of the Dimmitt Book Club.
Mrs. Mary Jo Brown reviewed the book, "Wait Until You Have Children of Your Own," by Erma Bombeck at the Dimmitt Book Club. This is a delightful book and I am anxious to get it for the library.

● On the Go
Charles and Earnestine Turner and children Dean and Laquita of Tulia were recent guests of her parents Lois and E. R. Waggoner. Their other daughter Zelma and Brent Ma-this have moved to Okmulgee, Okla. where Brent will attend college.
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Socially Yours

Couple establish Hereford residence

Miss Roberta Sue Vaughn became the bride of Marvin Smith recently in the Avenue Baptist Church of Hereford. Rev. Norman MacDonald performed the double-ring ceremony.

PARENTS OF the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Bob C. Vaughn of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Smith of the Frio community are parents of the groom.

Greenery in a heart form set between candelabra was the background for the wedding party.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal floor-length gown of princess satin with a high Victorian neckline, long full sleeves and trimmed from neck to hem with three rows of ribbon-run Venice daisy lace. Her train length veil of English Illusion fell from a Camelot cap of Venice lace, with small daisy trim around the edge. She carried white carnations around a white orchid atop a white Bible.

FOR something old she wore her mother's engagement ring, a charm bracelet, a gift from the groom, was her something new, and in her shoe was a penny given to her by her father for good luck.

Kathy Savage of Roswell was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Vickie Alford and Sue Smith. Flower girl was Robin Ruland of Hereford. Candelighters were Cindy Vaughn and Janis Smith of Hereford.

Fritz Smith served his son as best man and groomsmen were Mike Brumley and Kim Sealey of Hereford.

The bridal attendants wore formal-length empire gowns of purple crepe, with white daisy trim at the waistline and elbow leg-of-mutton sleeves. They carried brown wicker baskets of multi-colored carnations.

Ushers were Bob Crick of Canvon, Curtis Smith, Ronald Vasek and Mike Beauchamp of Hereford.

AT A reception held in the church fellowship hall, Mrs. Verletta Griffin of Richardson registered guests. The three-tiered wedding cake with white and purple decorations was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Serving the cake and purple punch were Monica Richardson and Janis Stindt of Hereford. Judy Wilson and Bob

Walker of Hereford served the groom's horseshoe shaped cake and coffee.

For their wedding trip to New Mexico the bride wore a long-waisted purple dress with accordion pleated skirt of shaded purples and matching scarf at the neckline.

The couple is now at home at Route 3, Hereford.

The bride and groom are both 1971 graduates of Hereford High School. Mrs. Smith now has received her cosmetology license and the groom is a freshman agriculture major at WTSU in Canyon.

OUT OF TOWN guests were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Savage and sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Naron and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Savage of Roswell, N.M.; Mrs. Elverda Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jamts Greenwood and daughters and Rodney Smith of Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atkins of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Verle Crick of Hart; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crick of Canvon; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ames of Amarillo and Mrs. Verletta Griffin of Richardson.



MRS. MARVIN SMITH

The former Roberta Sue Vaughn of Hereford

'Pink Ladies' meet Wednesday

At their regular meeting last Wednesday, Plains Memorial Hospital members heard an explanation of the area's new mental health program, got a report on "Operation Christmas Greeting" and met the hospital's new director of nurses.

MAIN SPEAKER at the meeting was Ann Ford, director of the Central Plains Community Comprehensive Mental Health-Mental Retardation Center in Plainview. The center serves seven area counties, including Castro.

She was introduced by Peggy Prather, who is the local representative of the Central Plains Guidance and Referral Center.

It was reported that Operation Christmas Greeting earned \$1,326.50. Verle West, hospital administrator, reported that he had met with the hospital board but that the trustees had not decided what equipment needed to be purchased with the money.

PAT BARBER, new director

of nurses, was introduced. She told the group how much she appreciated the work of the Pink Ladies and Candy Strippers. She also complimented the Hospital Auxiliary on its gift shop, stating that it is the best one she has seen.

Members are urged to pay their dues before March and to make sure their hours are recorded before the end of the month, since the year ends Jan. 31.

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FASHION PREVUE—Here are two of the fashions that will be modeled when Nazareth High School's annual FHA Style Show is staged Monday at 4:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. At left is Agnes Acker, freshman, in a maxi ensemble which she made. At right, Becky Huseman, a junior, models a plaid coat which she made for herself. More than 30 freshman and junior homemaking students will model clothing which they have made both in class and in home experience projects. Mrs. Paraly Moore, FHA sponsor, said the style show is open to the public and no admission will be charged. The FHA girls will serve refreshments.

HD notes

All over county, 4-H'ers are busy

By IRENE KEATING

Last week I had a nice visit with Donna Welty at Hart. She has made a pretty and practical patchwork skirt from Dacron knit. She cut her squares 3 1/2 x 5 1/2 inches and did an excellent job of matching her corners well. Her mother has been crocheting the fringe on ponchos and it is a pretty and durable finish. She uses the blanket stitch. Donna is the 4-H foods junior leader for the Working Girls Club at Hart.

THE HAPPY Helpers 4-H Club girls from the Easter area held their meeting last week and toured the courthouse. Our courthouse is so very modern now, and big. I am really en-

joying my new office in the basement.

The Mulkey HD Club will meet Feb. 1 at 3 p.m. in the assembly room of the courthouse. Anyone interested in joining is urged to attend.

My district agent, Mrs. Sue Farris, will be visiting me tomorrow. I always enjoy her visits. We'll be discussing my work and ways that I can do a better job.

THE 4-H Project Show will be held Feb. 19. The committee met last week to set up guidelines and work out details. Pam Oldham, Carol Bagwell and Agnes Acker will be assisted by Mrs. Therman Oldham and Mrs. Jack Ingram during the contest. The 4-H clubs are again going to sell food during the livestock show.

The 4-H clubs are donating food and the Home Demonstration Club members will again bake pies. The food is always so good.

Come by my office next time you're in town. It certainly doesn't resemble the old any more. I'm anxious to show it to each of you.

On the Go

Mrs. Tom Lockwood and daughter Lori and Mrs. J. L. Kay of Moreland, Okla., were here last weekend for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tate. Mrs. Lockwood and daughter returned home Sunday and Mrs. Kay remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Kay is Mrs. Tate's mother and Mrs. Lockwood is her sister.

On the Go

Ruth Kitchens and Peggy Stephens went to Frederick, Okla., Monday to attend funeral services for Ruth's aunt Mrs. Sylvia Clayton.

On the Go

Henry Spraberry of Floyd, N.M. passed away early Monday morning. He is the brother of Hub Spraberry of Dimmitt.

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Burglars hit Hart firms

Two Hart firms lost approximately \$1,500 worth of equipment in separate burglaries during the week.

BURGLARS ransacked the offices of Hart Aerial Sprayers, Inc., Saturday night and methodically carted off more than \$1,000 worth of goods, including the small office safe.

Taking their time, the burglars later stopped on a country road nearby, pried the safe open with a crowbar and abandoned it on the road.

They also got away with a telephone answering-recording device, a portable television set, a Polaroid camera kit, a Vic-

tor calculator and a GE cassette tape recorder. Harley Wilke, manager of the aerial spraying and charter service estimated the value of the stolen goods at more than \$1,000.

Hart Elementary School Principal Frank Barnes and flight instructor Paul Ivey discovered the burglary when they arrived for an early-morning flying lesson shortly after 8 a.m. Sunday.

TO ENTER the office northeast of Hart on the Kress Highway, the burglars tripped the bolt of the outer door, then pried open the door to the inner office, which was locked.

"They opened every drawer in the place before they left," Wilke said.

Sheriff's officers and the Texas Rangers are investigating the case.

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THT SECOND Hart burglary occurred Monday night at Hart of the Plains Gin, where burglars took a calculator, a Smith-Corona typewriter and 20 pair of leather gloves in assorted colors.

Sheriff's officers said the burglars broke a window to gain entry to the gin office. The burglary was discovered and reported at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Bethel news

House burns Sunday

By **MRS. BUD McELROY**

The farm house on the Pat Robbins farm south of Tam Anne burned Sunday morning. No one was at home at the time it burned. The land is part of the Miller farms.

and Mrs. Vern Lust.

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MRS. MOSS Howell, Mrs. Jim Bagwell and Mrs. Jack Howell were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Wales and children met her mother Mrs. N. F. Cleavinger at the airport in Amarillo Thursday. Mrs. Cleavinger has been visiting in California.

Mrs. Earl Lust, Mrs. George Bagwell and Mrs. Charles

Wales attended the Women's Society of Christian Service prayer meeting at the Methodist Church Wednesday night.

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LITTLE JOE Yokum celebrated his third birthday Sunday. Those helping him celebrate were his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yokum and Chad and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Longan and Kydel.

Visitors in the Wayne McElroy home Sunday were Mrs. Audrey McElroy, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McElroy, Kim and Johnny, Mrs. Velma Duncan, Steven and Terrie from Levelland and the Bud McElroys.

Mr. and Mrs. Calley and their five children have moved to the Carl Bruegel farm north of Tam Anne. They are from Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Self and family have moved to the Hub Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Boozer visited Monty's dad, Joe Boozer, who has been in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock for tests. They took Kyla for her check-up at Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Morgan's daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Fort Worth visited. Mrs. A. T. Morgan visited Mrs. Ronnie Smith at Earth Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincenta Gaytan Vasquez of Dimmitt became the parents of a 7-pound, 12½-ounce boy Jan. 10. They have named him Pablo Flores.

Those who aren't counting calories will have their choice of Polish sausage, ham or roast beef.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith went to Amarillo Thursday on business and visited an aunt Mrs. Evelyn Pate at St. Anthony's Hospital. They also visited their grandmother Mrs. J. E. Thomas in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcelino Sanchez Rodriguez of Hereford became the parents of a 7-pound, 9-ounce girl Jan. 14. They have named her Elvira.

Tickets to the banquet are now on sale at \$5 each. They may be purchased from any chamber director or at the chamber office in the city hall.



PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Sanchez of Dimmitt. She was born Jan. 10, weighed 6 pounds, 9½ ounces, and has been named Maria.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincenta Gaytan Vasquez of Dimmitt became the parents of a 7-pound, 12½-ounce boy Jan. 10. They have named him Pablo Flores.

Beta Sigma Phi sorority is in charge of decorating the banquet, which will be held in Dimmitt High School gym.

Mrs. Jim Given of Dallas spent Friday night with Mr.

and Mrs. Vern Lust.

and Mrs. Vern Lust.

15-LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE AFFORDING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC HEARING CORRIDOR (LOCATION) AND DESIGN (COMBINED HEARING)

The Texas Highway Department is planning the construction of Farm to Market Highway No. 1057 from 6 miles south of Summerfield, south to State Highway 86 at Tam Anne and; Farm to Market Highway No. 2397 from end of F. M. Highway 2397 at Palmer County Line, east to proposed F. M. Highway 1057.

The proposed project contemplates the construction of a Farm to Market type two lane highway with a 20 foot paved roadway. The usual right-of-way width required will be 100 feet. The proposed location in general will follow the existing county roads except for relocation around the northwest side of a playa lake approximately 3.5 miles north of Tam Anne and minor relocations at existing county road offsets.

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed location and geometric design, environmental studies and any other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection and copying at the Resident Engineer's Office at Littlefield, Texas. Also, the drawings showing the proposed geometric design have been placed on file with Castro County.

Information about the State's Relocation Assistance Program, the benefits and services for displacements and the relocation assistance office as well as information about the tentative schedules for acquisition of right of way and construction can be obtained at the Resident Engineer's Office.

Any interested citizen may request that a public hearing be held covering the social, economic and environmental effects of the proposed location and design for this highway project by delivering a written request to the Resident Engineer's Office, Box 868, Littlefield, Texas

More About Farm income

(Continued from Page One)

duction costs.

Still, the overall picture is significantly bright, and shows that Castro County seems ready, willing and able to provide its share of the state's ambitious goal for the future.

The state goal of \$3.76 billion in total cash receipts by the end of the 1976 crop year, not including government payments, was determined from projections by Extension specialists and others in the agricultural industry.

A committee of agricultural economists with the Extension Service studied past production records and made projections for 1976 based on current trends and expected improvements in technology and marketing.

Projections on an individual county basis were made by program building committees, composed of businessmen and producers. The expectations were, then organized along county, Extension district and economic area lines to give the state's producers specific projection goals.

ANNUAL goals also were determined for the various agricultural commodity groups to allow a yearly measure of the program's success.

Texas presently accounts for about 5 percent of the total national agricultural cash receipts. To achieve the goal of "3.76 in '76," the state must claim almost 10 percent of the projected national increase in the coming years.

Castro County seems to be carrying its share of the progress. Indeed, Castro may be helping lead the way.

79339 on or before February 11, 1972.

In the event such a request is received, a public hearing will be scheduled and adequate notice will be publicized about the date and location of the hearing.

Indians spoil Cats' record in 68-54 win

Dimmitt's Bobcats took it on the chin at Morton Friday night 68-54.

THE LOSS knocked the Bobcats into second place in the district's first-half standings and virtually assured the potent Indians of the first-half title.

"We don't have any excuses to make," Coach Kenneth Cleveland said. "They just beat us. All five of their starters scored in double figures, and they hit 65 percent of their field shots in the second half. It's hard to beat a combination like that."

The Bobcats matched the Indians point for point in the second period, but otherwise it was Morton's show all the way. The Indians built a six-point lead in the first quarter at 15-9 and still held it at halftime, 28-22. They stretched it to 15 points by the end of the third, 60-35.

THE BOBCATS were hitting well from the field, scoring on 44 percent of their shots, although Cleveland was disappointed with their free-throw performance—12 of 26 for 46 percent. The Indians sank 16 of 30 from the charity line for 52 percent.

Dimmitt starters Charlie McLean, Kenny Ringo and David Nino fouled out, while Keith Embry and Eldon Patton o Morton went to the bench with five miscues each.

Leading Dimmitt's scoring were Jerry Matthews, who sank eight field goals and five charity tosses for 21 points, and Danny Ebeling, who netted 20 points with seven field goals and six free throws. Morton won the rebounding contest, 38-28.

"It was just a matter of them shooting awfully well and us shooting about average," Cleveland said.

Hospital news

ATIENS IN HOSPITAL:

- Patsy Barlow
- Melissa Aguerro
- Donna Hampton
- Lucille Myers
- Carrie Sadler
- Andrele Philomena
- Lupe Chatham
- Marge Cleavinger
- William A. Wright
- Randy Hunter
- Frances King
- Ward Golden
- Arlotta Crick
- Dora Menchaca
- Pat Cracker
- Natalia Dones
- Roy Meacham
- Charles T. Youts

ATIENS DISMISSED:

- Stanley Hartman
- Marshall Young
- LaQuita Hill
- Lupe Vasquez
- Arnold Brockman
- Maria Sanchez
- Roy O'Brian
- Donna Miller
- Alice Perez
- Wendal Huseman
- Raymond Aguilar
- Ira Page
- Bea Cole
- John Wood
- Mattie Turner
- Jofia Q. Contreras

Kiwanis, Key Club set party tonight

The Kiwanis Club of Dimmitt will observe the 57th Anniversary of Kiwanis International tonight (Thursday) with a ladies' night party for Kiwanis Club members and their wives and Key Club members and their dates. The party will begin at 7:30 at the Country Club.

AFTER a short business meeting, there will be entertainment provided by a local group, "Stone Fever." The group will play a variety of music including easy-listening and jazz.

In announcing the observance, Wayne Lindley, president of the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club, described Kiwanis International as a men's service organization whose stated purpose, "Service to Youth, Community, and Nation," is an apt description of the work its members undertake.

- Eddie O'Brian
- Virginia Rodriguez
- Jean Haney
- Agnes Brockman
- Ray Bearden
- Kaye Green
- George Bradford
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- Ben Benton
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If you cannot come by the County Tax Office please call us and we will mail you an application for registration which you can fill out, sign, and return to us by mail no later than January 31, 1972, or you can bring the registration to the County Tax Office and pick up your voter registration certificate.

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RESIDENCE: I Certify that the applicant is 21 years of age or over,* a citizen of the United States, and has resided in Texas more than 1 year and in the county and city more than six months preceding the date of this application EXCEPT as listed below. I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

EXCEPTIONS

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If in County less than 6 mos.			
If in City less than 6 mos.			
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If under 21 years old, never married and minority disabilities have never been removed by court, give name and address of parents or guardian.

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Address _____ STREET CITY ZIP CODE

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Name of County _____

Residence address _____ STREET OR ROUTE NO. _____ CITY ZIP CODE _____

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SIGNATURE OF VOTER/AGENT _____

* Husband Wife Father Mother Son or Daughter ONLY. (CIRCLE 1 WHERE APPLICABLE)

APPLICATION for Voter Registration Certificate

_____ COUNTY, TEXAS

Date: _____ 19____ Voting Box No. _____ (IF KNOWN)

NAME MR. MISS VOTER MRS. _____ (PLEASE PRINT)

STREET ADDRESS _____ ST. OR RT. NO. (DO NOT USE P. O. BOX)

CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

Social Security Number _____ (IF KNOWN)

Telephone Number _____ (IF KNOWN)

Check here if serviceman or student

FORM NO. 16-2584
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