

Nuns lead new lifestyle as pantsuited teachers

Nora and Noreen Foster have become well-known, popular figures in South Elementary School this year.

NORA WAS hired as the school librarian after the death of Leola Elkins last fall, and according to Supt. Charlie White, "She's one of the best librarians I've ever had anywhere."

Her sister Noreen, although not on the school payroll, assisted in the library and substituted as needed in the classrooms during the year.

The two ladies have been sharing a secret with their fellow teachers which their pupils didn't know. Each has another name. And they are not only blood sisters, but sisters of the cloth as well.

NORA'S OTHER name is Sister Charles Marie. Noreen's full chosen name is Sister Mary Noreen, and her given name is Sara Foster. Both are nuns, members of the Sisters of St. Benedict.

You'd have no reason to know they're nuns unless they volunteered the information. Neither wears the traditional habit. ("I don't even have one anymore," Noreen said. "You can be a Christian without having to wear a habit to prove it," Nora added.) Their main working clothes now are pantsuits.

And they no longer live in a convent or in parish quarters. They rented an apartment here during the school year, but their permanent home is in Canyon, where they share a house with Sister Mary Hawkins, Nazareth High School teacher, and two other nuns. It's an experiment by the ladies in a self-sufficient, less-structured lifestyle.

THE FOSTER sisters are part of a sorority of highly qualified teachers who are leaving parochial situations and going "out into the world" to earn their own living.

Parochial schools throughout the nation — unable to compete with the expanding educational programs of tax-supported public schools — are closing their doors, creating a surplus of teaching nuns. As a result, the Benedictine Sisters and other teaching orders are allowing their members to "go public" if they wish.

The teaching nuns are no longer required to wear habits; they can resume their given names; they can live anywhere they wish. It's all now a matter of personal choice.

SISTER Charles Marie's choice was to become Nora Foster again.

"The school board knew I was a nun, but I applied for the job here as Nora Foster, not as Sister Charles Marie," she said. "I told Mr. White and Mrs. Richardson (South Elementary School principal) that I wanted to be accepted as a person. The other teachers in the building know I'm a nun, but most of the children don't."

She added, "I really wondered how they would accept me here, but the reception has been wonderful."

THE MAIN reason for that, perhaps, is that she's much more than a book-checker who can flash a master's degree in library science.

"She keeps up an advance calendar of subjects, marking the holidays, seasons and special course topics that are coming up, and runs down all the books on a particular topic before it comes up," White said. "Then, when a teacher or student needs material on that subject, they'll find all the books about it already gathered and on display on the counter."

"She's doing a great job of keeping our resource material up, too," said Mrs. Richardson, showing a three-page itemized list of new books and materials ordered. "She really utilizes the money available."

THE FOSTER sisters also have started a memorial (See NUNS LEAD, Page 10)



NOREEN AND NORA FOSTER
... Sisters "go public" with their services

Gasoline dealers feel the squeeze

A check with several Dimmitt gasoline dealers this week revealed that, for the most part, dealers are able to meet their customers' needs for fuel, but a few are beginning to feel the shortage.

TEXACO Consignee Joe Benson said he is being supplied with "only the same amount of gas as last year, but so far the volume is also about the same as last year."

Benson said he is supposed to do the rationing of the gasoline to consumers, but that "it's hard to do because of the way our weather affects the plowing and planting times." Benson said he feels there will be enough gas to go around, but "people are going to have to use a little judgment."

Walter Spinhrine, manager of Dimmitt Shell, said he is able to obtain supplies of gas with little trouble right now, but that his dealer had told him to "get prepared."

"MY SUPPLIER out of Hereford told me to keep my tanks filled, because they are looking for the supply to be short," he said.

Dimmitt Consumers Manager Al Gibbs said he has had no trouble getting gas from his supplier, Diamond Shamrock.

"I imagine things will keep running just as they are, though we may come under allocation" he said. "The upcoming wheat harvest may hurt us a little, though I think enough machinery is now fueled by diesel and propane that we'll probably be okay."

HARLIN DODD, Gulf wholesale manager, reflected the viewpoint of many of the dealers when he reported that he didn't know "a whole lot about the situation" up the line. "I am getting the same gas

All-Star girls go into tourney

The Dimmitt All-Stars and the Hart All-Stars will face each other at 6:45 p.m. today (Thursday) in the first round of the Girls' Little Dribblers district tournament.

The double elimination tournament will be held in Littlefield today through Saturday.

allotment as last year and can supply all of last year's customers, but I can't take on any new ones. It seems like the company will take care of the farmers first, though, if it comes down to rationing," he said.

Mobil wholesaler Floy Driver said that he is currently working under an allocation, but he feels it's "nothing to worry about."

"I'll take care of the farmer first if the problem becomes serious," he said.

ALLSUP'S 7-11, a dealer which sells gas under the independent Bell name, taped an "out of gas" sign to its regular pump Monday afternoon.

Although the energy crisis became serious in some parts of the country over the Memorial Day weekend, it hasn't yet become serious here. However, most of the local dealers are beginning to feel the pinch, and are unanimous in their hope that rationing will not become necessary.

Perez services held Wednesday

Services for Joe Alvis Perez, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe V. Perez were held Wednesday in the Immaculate Conception Church. Services were conducted by Rev. Raphael Chen.

THE CHILD is survived by his parents.

Interment was in Westlawn Memorial Park under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Windy weekend

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

	Hi	Lo
Thursday	84	44
Friday	84	49
Saturday	89	51
Sunday	86	44
Monday	74	44
Tuesday	75	43
Wednesday	84	43
May Moisture		.63
1973 Moisture		6.91

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Nazareth to vote Saturday

By JIM STEIERT
News Editor

Nazareth voters will go to the polls Saturday to decide whether to incorporate their community for municipal purposes and place it under a mayor-commissioner form of government.

ELIGIBLE voters must have lived in the community six months and must have registered to vote at least 30 days prior to the election.

The election will be held in the Nazareth Community Hall, with balloting beginning at 8 a.m. Polls will close at 7 p.m.

Voters will also be selecting a mayor and two commissioners to serve if the incorporation issue passes.

Greg Hoelting has been appointed election judge by County Judge Raymond Wilson.

HERE ARE the advantages which proponents say incorporation would provide:

— Incorporation by the voters could lead to the establishment of better law enforcement and fire protection agencies for Nazareth, as well as new health and welfare services, Federal grant-in-aid programs and state agencies also could help make special health services available.

— With incorporation, Nazareth could be zoned for the convenience and efficiency of the operation of the city, aiding its orderly development.

— As a city, Nazareth could also undertake the operation of public utilities, such as sewer and water service. (These services are now provided by self-governing improvement districts.)

An ad valorem property tax, limited to 1½ percent by constitutional and statutory provisions, could be assessed by the city. Texas law would also allow the city to adopt, by local referendum, a one percent city sales tax, creating additional revenue.

Through cooperative action in the past, Nazareth citizens have already provided themselves with most of the services they would expect from a city, but incorporation would provide the additional benefits of local police protection and self-rule.

AND HERE are the possible problems that could come with incorporation, according to municipal spokesmen in the area:

— Many of the services which the community could provide after incorporation might require new, and often additional taxes.

— "The disadvantages are mainly founded on the point that the residents can no longer be dependent on anyone else," Amarillo City Attorney Bruce Aycock told the Amarillo Daily News recently.

— Dr. Pat Stephens, associate professor of political science at West Texas State University and a Canyon city councilman, said that the people of Nazareth, "must consider whether it will be more advantageous to incorporate and pay their own way or stay rural and maintain and retain the services the county is now providing them."

— "People in Nazareth are going to have to sit back and ask each other, 'what are we gaining?' They will have to decide whether they want to stay rural or whether to take on the problems and the headaches of being a city," said Don Sisson, field representative for the Texas Municipal League.

SATURDAY will find Nazareth voters making the final decision, whether their community becomes an incorporated entity, or maintains its present status.

Teens offered free job ads

Attention, teenagers: IF YOU want a job this summer but haven't found one yet, the News will help you with a free want ad.

Your listing under the "Jobs Wanted" classification might help to open doors that you haven't yet knocked on.

To get your free want ad, take your copy to the News office at 108 W. Bedford St. or phone it to 647-3123. Include your name, age, phone number, machines you can operate, and the type of work you'd prefer.



PATH OF SKID—Onlookers at the scene of Monday night's one-car wreck in which two Dimmitt youths were injured look back over the path where the 1966 Plymouth Fury skidded and overturned. In foreground, chewed-up earth shows where the car knocked over a yield sign, losing its trunk lid, an extra tire and an ice box. At left, Highway

Patrolman Billy Scott fills out an accident report. After skidding broadside 100 yards southwestward off State 86, the car overturned at least 1½ times before coming to rest in an unpaved "cutoff road" that forks into the state highway just west of the city limits.

Monday night wreck injures two

Two Dimmitt teenagers en route to a post-graduation party Monday night were injured when their car skidded broadside 100 yards and overturned at least 1½ times just west of Dimmitt.

INJURED in the wreck were Rick Wilcox, 18, the car's driver, and Dan Jefferies, 16, a passenger. Another passenger, 18-year-old Lester Womack, escaped serious injury and was treated and released at Plains Memorial Hospital after the accident.

Jefferies, who was pinned in the overturned car, was transferred to Lubbock's Methodist Hospital with a knee injury. He was scheduled for knee surgery Wednesday morning and was reported to be in fair condition.

Wilcox was admitted to Plains Memorial with multiple bruises and a chest injury. He was listed in satisfactory condition Wednesday morning.

WILCOX and Womack had received their diplomas in Dimmitt High School's graduation exercises just half an hour before the accident. They were reportedly en route to Wilcox's home for a post-graduation party when the wreck occurred at 9:10 p.m.

Highway Patrolman Billy Scott, who investigated, said the youths were driving west on State 86 when the car went off the north side of the road.

Scott said Wilcox apparently "overcorrected" in getting his 1966 Plymouth Fury back onto the highway and it went into a broadside skid.

The car skidded more than 100 yards off the south side of the highway, crossed two grassy bar-ditches, knocked

over a yield sign, lost its trunk-lid and the trunk's contents, and rolled at least 1½ times before coming to rest upside down in the middle of the unpaved "cutoff road" that forks into State 86 just west of Dimmitt, Scott reported.

Dozens of cars streamed to the scene of the accident, and a crowd gathered as officers worked to get the youths out of the wrecked car and into the Dennis ambulance. Many cars parked along both sides of the highway, and others drove around the accident scene as officers investigated the wreck and awaited the tow-truck.

Two from county asked to serve on constitutional 'input' group

Fred Bruegel Jr. and Mrs. E. R. Little of Dimmitt have been invited to attend a meeting of the Lubbock area citizens' advisory committee to the Texas Constitutional Revision Commission Saturday. The meeting will be held at the Texas Tech University Law School Building.

MEMBERS of the local citizens advisory committee have been asked to help commission members and staff become aware of local opinion on the Constitution. Recommendations formulated by the com-

mittee will provide input from the South Plains area. The schedule for meeting calls for discussion and evaluation of specific constitutional issues.

Local citizens should contact Bruegel or Mrs. Little if they have suggestions concerning the constitution, or write to Mrs. John A. Anderson, Texas Tech University Law School, Lubbock, 79409 or Judge Glenn Toombs, Box 156, Gail, 79738.

The recommendations from the local advisory committee Commission and to the South Plains legislators. The 181 members of the legislature will become members of the constitutional convention when it convenes in January 1974.

Woodburn rites held here Friday

Frank Charles Woodburn, former Dimmitt resident, and retired railroad man, died last Wednesday in his home in Roswell. He was 70.

SERVICES WERE held last Friday in the Dennis Memorial Chapel with Rev. Charles Harris of the Lee Street Baptist Church officiating.

Survivors include his wife Velma, one stepson, Charles F. Gunnells, stationed with the Air Force in Alaska; two brothers, Cooper of Amarillo and Lon of Dimmitt; and two sisters, Mrs. Dewey Watson and Mrs. Carl Stovall of Clovis.

Active pallbearers were Bill Summers, Melvin Summers, Frank Gillis, Brad Fuller, Bub Ramey and Lester McDermitt.

HONORARY pallbearers were Floyd Copeland, Unk Ramey, Goose Ramey, George Behrends, Jack Cowsett, Jack Summers, Es Noble, Sal DiCuffa and Bob McLean.

Interment was in Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Hart students aid library fund

Members of the Hart Student Council and the Hart student body have collected over \$300 in a drive for funds to aid in the procuring of furniture and books for the Rhoads Memorial Library.

DAVID Armstrong, president of the Hart Student Council presented the money last week to Jimmy Ross, chairman of the Citizens' Committee Fund Drive. Armstrong told Ross that other funds would be presented to him at his office at a later time.

Those participating in the fund drive included: Armstrong, Jim Clifford, Suzanne Holly, James McLain, Brent Lemons, and Leesa Lowry.

Also Mario Martinez, Carol Armstrong, Cindy Hill, Nelda Henderson, Bobby Allensworth, Jean Foster, Donice Clark, Patricia Smith, Pat Steiert, Larry Cox and Kent Hill.



Jim Steiert

Steiert joins newspaper staff

Jim Steiert joined the News staff Monday as news editor.

A NATIVE of Hart, Steiert received his bachelor of science degree in journalism earlier this month from West Texas State University. During his senior year at WTSU, he was editor of The Prairie, student newspaper.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Steiert, he graduated from Hart High School in 1969. He is the lecturer of St. John's Catholic Church of Hart.

Steiert succeeds Becky Berryhill on the office staff of the News. Miss Berryhill, former news and advertising assistant, has accepted a public relations post with the Texas Dairy Council in Corpus Christi.

HOWEVER, Steiert's position here is a new one. As the news editor, he will be the local paper's main news man, replacing co-publisher Don Nelson in that capacity. Nelson will divide his time between the news department and working with Publisher B. M. Nelson in advertising.

"We're glad to have Jim on our staff, especially since he's a native of our county and knows our people well," Nelson said. "He proved to be a good editor in college and we feel his training and experience will be valuable to both our newspaper and our readers."



HELLO, SUMMER! — North Elementary School students rush out of the school doors into the sunlight of summer just se-

conds after the bell signaled the end of the 1972-73 school year at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

Sheffy's chatter

College students celebrate end of school with trips

By MYRTLE SHEFFY

The college people are on the go before taking jobs for the summer.

I SAW Paula Birdwell at the cafe. She has a job as executive secretary to the dean of the Arts and Sciences Dept. at WTSU in Canyon and her sister Karen went to Ruidoso, N.M. with a girlfriend for an interview with the school board for a teaching job and a weekend vacation.

And going to Galveston for a holiday were Tech students Marla Mayfield and Debbie Wilson and Vicki Carpenter and Jill Braafadt. The girls went by car and they think the sun, water and sightseeing will be much fun (and is) but mom Dorothy said let's see if they are sun blistered. See what they say!

SUZANNE Merritt flew east to Clinton, Mo. to sing at the wedding of her WTSU roommate Janis Jakes. Miss Merritt attended school at Tech last semester.

Richard and Trudy Jackson were home from Tech at Lubbock for a weekend visit with their folks, the Kenneth Jacksons and Jim Elders and also to see his sister Patti Jackson graduate.

Mrs. C. H. DeVaney of Washington, D.C. and Mrs. Estelle Alexander recently of Abilene, who has moved back to Dimmitt, were here to see grandson Shannon get his diploma and to visit with Elvon and Sue.

Bob Bradford, who lives in Lubbock, was a weekend guest of his folks, James and Mildred.

Goodwin and Jeanie Miller and cousins Allie Mae Willis and Anita Morris went to Hobart, Okla., for a few days visit with kin and friends.

AND MARIE Tate is home from she says all over the western side of Oklahoma, seeing nieces and nephews graduate and visiting her mother. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burch of Vernon were weekend guests of grandchildren Tanya and Greg Clark and their parents Bill and Dee Ann Clark.

Micaela Cortagena and daughter Yolanda went to Villa de Cruz Zacatecoz, Mexico for a visit with relatives and friends. Micaela is the daughter of the De La Cruzes and she helps at the Colonial Inn Restaurant. Thelma Whigham, and husband of Lubbock were Sunday guests of Thelma's sister Olene Williams.

MRS. Gladys Cleavinger was hostess at a salad luncheon for her granddaughters and their mothers. This was last Thursday. Going were Ruth Bennett of Hart, Diane Dyer, her mother Carol Dyer, Marion Dawson and mom Norma Dawson, Julie Templeton and mom Wylene Cleavinger of Earth, Ina Cleavinger and Lois Wales of here, Diane Axtell, a niece of Sunnyside, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ray Axtell

of Earth. Mrs. Retta Cluck had her bridge playing group in Thursday afternoon for games and a salad plate. Guests were Dee Williams, Dorothy Elder, Ruth Wooten and Cletha George, the last two were high score winners. Opal Bearden, Josie Bradford and Myrtle.

Robert Benton flew to Houston to help his cousin bring the body of his uncle Ralph back to Lubbock for interment. The service was Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Cantrell moved from Earth to the Flagg community where he will be working with Harold Damron on the farm. The young Cantrells live in that community also.

GEORGE Blanton has been to Richardson for a visit with his daughter Georgene Woods and family. This week Mrs. Woods came to Dimmitt for a visit. The daughter LaNelle, who teaches voice at the university in Denton is on a tour with her students. They went to Panama, on the ship trip down the island string to Puerto Rico, singing and enjoying the tropic scenery.

Joe Sheffy and friend Terry Champ of Hereford were in Dimmitt, seeing old friends at high school. They stopped by my house for Cokes and a visit.

Alvin and Mae Touchstone of Lubbock were in Dimmitt for a visit and lunch with niece and nephews, Maxine Childers, Truman and Jay Lee Touchstone and their families.

Ann and Truman have added a big room to their home on West Lee.

Clarence and Opal Bearden took a big basket of food to family and old friends at a school reunion. This is at the school where Ray and Clarence graduated.

CHUCK AND Pat Braafadt and first two children and Pat's twin sister Porche Malony and her two daughters Marla and Manda of Dallas went to Lake Meredith for the weekend. The youngest new baby stayed with Paula Birdwell and grandma Helen Braafadt.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carlile attended the funeral service for their friend Mrs. Ruth Boron, who has been ill for several years.

Myrna (Mrs. Larry) Buckley are home from Bangor, Maine where they visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Eastman. Myrna says they ate and enjoyed those New England lobster dinners and other fish I don't know about. Myrna and Larry live north of us on Eighth Street.

Louie and Lena Allen are home from Holmdel, N.J., where they visited daughter, Tommie and Robert Almond and Andrea. They had short trips around, didn't want to see New York again. The highlight was going to the Presbyterian Church in another town to hear a minister who came from Scotland a few years ago. A very good service but his burr made it almost another language.

J. T. AND Sadie Holcomb of Booneville, Ark., have been here for the high school graduation of their son, Jerry, and are visiting their oldest son, Ben and Dickie and boys. They were accompanied by three of their daughters, Rita Emmons and Johnny, both of Dallas and Dawn, who is a third grader. Johnny is assistant buy-

er of Howard Wolf Manufacturers and supervisor for Howard Wolf Fabrics II in and around Dallas.

I asked about Carolyn. She was finishing up her school at Helena, Ark., where she is an English teacher. She is married to John Pittman, an attorney, and they have a little son.

Jerry will enter Texas Tech this fall. The Holcombs were Castro County residents in the 1950's and have many friends here.

Harley and Sharor. Wilke are the parents of a new baby boy who was born May 10 and came to Dimmitt May 21. His Grandparents are Roy and Mozelle Lilley and Dorothy and Walt Wilke.

James and Sandy Bruegel Baker and little Alexis from Dallas were here last weekend. The little miss was christened at the Sunday morning service in the Methodist Church. Grandma Juanita Bruegel and Uncle Mike were the sponsors.

Joe K LaRue is home from a year's service in Germany. He will stay a while at the Air Base in San Antonio before being released. His parents are Dena and Dutch LaRue and his friend is Donna Gilreath.

I met two charming young men, Dennis and Kenneth Thompson at the grocery store. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson. Kenneth is going to Florida this week to stay a while at boys camp. That sounds good.

HOYT AND Betty Houtchens and children of Graef, Ark., mother Dora Houtchens and sister Mary and Charlie Hestland.

Mrs. A. O. Gregory has been

visiting her daughter Amie and Hez Wright in Lanesa for a few weeks. Hez brought her home and they were Sunday dinner guests of Jo Gregory.

Gordon Cook is in the US Navy at San Francisco, in advanced Nuclear Electronics School. He is now at Treasure Island. He called his parents Howard and Beth Cook Sunday. His sister Elaine graduates this week.

James or "Rosie" Bates of White Deer came home for his daughter Martha Jane's graduation exercises and for a visit with daughter Jo Beth and wife Laverne. Other guests in the Bates home are Granny Bates, Mrs. Roy Simmons of White Deer and Laverne's sister Mrs. and Mr. Jack Buntin of Amarillo. James taught speech and twirling for many years in the Dimmitt School system.

MR. AND MRS. R. H. Gunn and daughter Betty and her daughter visited their relatives in Altus, Okla., last weekend. Betty cooks good enchiladas at Ann's Steak House.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Odessa were weekend guests of their son Prentis and Mrs. Thomas. Prentis is the chemist at Western Ammonia.

Noel and Oleta Gollebon are home from a camper trip to Rockport to fish, but the wind was so high no boats went and Padre Islands, still had winds. Came back to Kerrville for a few days, saw the big arts and crafts festival that was on the grounds of Schriener Institute. More than 279 Texas artists were there with works of one artist from Amarillo, many crafts, saddle mak-

ing, beads, quilting, meal making, everything. Oleta says she heard people say the eastern shows did not compare. Kerrville is one of the prettiest places in Texas in the Hill Country with big oak trees, rivers and flowers.

MRS. ALLIE Tisdale and daughter Nancy Whatley were hosts to a big family reunion Sunday. Ezra Norton of Hereford, a friend, cooked the barbecue dinner. The others had pies and salads. These folks came: Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stabel and kids of Meade, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams and kids of Cordell, Okla., David and Cathy Morris, the David Wheelers, and the Jerry Tisdales of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cobern and girls of Cordell, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cobern and son of Cordell, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lytle and kids of Dimmitt, Buddy Burns, Peg Neely of Tatum, N.M., Jerry Morris of Plainview.

Hiram and Opal Odum have company this week, their daughter Lometa Odum and her roommate Mary Nelms of White Deer. Lometa will be head basketball coach for girls this coming school year, and daughter Danna who lives at Conroe, but will teach history at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview this summer.

Mrs. Nellie Teague of Blanchard, Okla., is here for a few weeks visit with her daughter Mozelle and Raymond Odum and will be here for the wedding of Jesse Lynn and Miss Sheila Wilcox June 8 at Lee Street Baptist Church.

MR. AND MRS. Virgil Nowell of Muleshoe were Sunday guests of her mother Mrs. Le-

ona Rothwell, who lives at Golden Spread Nursing Home. Wanda Combs and Leisa of Oklahoma are here for a visit with Ann and Earnest Mayhew.

Mike Jeeer, youth director at First Baptist Church on Western Circle Drive will leave western Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth where he will continue his ministerial studies. Mike has had a very successful two years here under the leadership of Rev. John Street, the minister.

Dorothy Street and children are in Oklahoma City this week visiting her sister Dr. Betty Roberts who teaches at Central University in Edmond. Mrs. Street's husband is the pastor of First Baptist Church. Mrs. Walter Reed of Oklahoma City came by here for a few days' visit with her son M. J. and Frankie and Steven. She and her sister Mrs. Bell Clark went on to Arizona to visit other kin.

THE HAROLD Johnston family of Pueblo, Colo., and James and Joyce Autry and Lou Ann

of Rocky Ford, Colo., flew in to see the folks, Harold's mom Pearl Johnston and auntie Ruby Sims. The Autrys visit Irene Carpenter and the W. T. Autrys and to see little Bonnie George who graduates from DHS.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Crowell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendrickson, all of Canyon, were Monday guests of daughter and sister Ruth and Kenneth Ringo and to be with Kenny, another graduate.

And former basketball player Joe Sheffy, son of Bob and

Mildred, received a nice honor from the Hereford Chamber of Commerce. It was recognition for outstanding contribution in football and track - Joe will roof houses this summer and go to San Marcos to college this fall.

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NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH 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 8:30 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 Rev. 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.

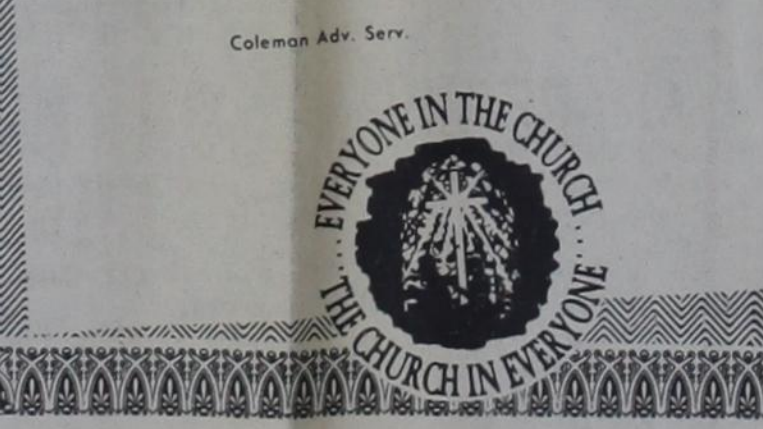
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CHURCH OF CHRIST (Northside) Third and Halsell Streets Sunday - Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m. Wednesday - Classes 7:00 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Charles Harris, Pastor Phone 647-5355 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Services 7:30 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.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Rev. Ed Manning, Minister Sunday - Church School 10:00 a.m. Common Worship 9:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1201 Western Circle Drive Rev. John Street, Pastor 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. Wednesday - Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 8:10 p.m.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor 1001 W. Halsell - Phone 647-4810 Sunday - Mass in English 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish 10:30 a.m. Religion Classes 9:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday & Saturday - Mass 7:00 a.m. Holy Days - Mass in English 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish 8:00 p.m. Confessions - Friday 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Baptism by Appointment

IGLESIA METODISTA-ST. LUKE Gilberto Diaz, Pastor 807 S.W. 5th Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Thursday - Services 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (S.W. 4th at Bedford) Ronnie Parker, Minister Sunday - Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Bible Class for all 7:30 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Jim T. Pickens, Pastor 110 S.W. 3rd - Phone 647-4356 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - General Meeting, WSCS 9:30 a.m. Choir 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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Castro County Country Club

By AL FORRESTER Club Professional The Ladies Golf Association held its monthly business luncheon last week in the ballroom of the Country Club with some 25 members enjoying a "scrumsious" salad luncheon and awards presentation.

land 4020, Ben Hill 3370, and Virginia Crum 3150. Hostesses for tonight (Thursday) will be Dee Williams and Connie Stewart. Polly Holland (where have I heard that name before?) came in high Friday with a record score of 6020 for five rounds of bridge. Pearlite Hunter and Dee Williams teamed up for 4470, Bobbie Darnon carded 3540, Dorothy Elder 3240, and Rosalie Gilbreath came in with 3050. Cletha George was hostess.

Officers serving with Mrs. Glover are Vaudine Giles, vice-president; Bernice Hill, secretary-treasurer; Bobby George, associate secretary; and Jon Nell Forrester, reporter. Committee chairmen are Dolores Baldrige, social; Ola Mae Trimble, special events; Kathy Thomas, tournament and handicap; Polly Holland, ways and means; Rosalie Gilbreath, scrapbook; Juanita Bruegel and Joannis Robertson, telephone; and Neva Hickey, sunshine committee. (Sunshine Committee?)

RAY RILEY and I put the challenge on Harold Stephens and B. M. Nelson. B. M. keeps telling us he doesn't feel right about playing golf when there is so much work to be done in his yard this time of year. How about that, Viola? Local players went over to Friona last week, with Cliff Cook and Bob Lindsey winning the First Flight, and Cary Jackson and Bob Myers copping third in the Fourth Flight. Bill Glenn said Truman Touchstone was really hot, carding a 68 by himself the last day. John Mueller, the "Olton Kid" (Ralph Glover), and I journeyed over to Olton this past week and tied for second place in their PGA Pro-Am. We were teamed up with Wayne Hair of Olton and came in 9-under-par, one stroke back of first place. Rumor has it that John Gilbreath defeated Punk Gilbreath 1-up. Or did Punk defeat John 1-up?

THE L.G.A. calendar of events includes the Flubber-Dubber Tournament May 29 through June 26, with Polly Holland and Bernice Hill as chairmen; Beginners' Tournament, June 16; Partnership Tournament June 21; Ladies' City Tournament July 21-22; Ladies' Club Tourney Sept. 8-9; and the Grandma's Tournament Sept. 25. The first Scotch Foursome play will be June 10 with tournaments every third Sunday thereafter and a social to follow. Members "graduating" this past week were Ramona Annen, Bessie Elder, Mozelle Lilley, Lurline Pope, Audrey Shottenkirk, Melba Aldridge, Marge Cleavinger, Carolyn Watts, Genell Craig and Joan Roberts. Awards presented last week for April 10 included Low Score on Two Hidden Holes, given to Polly Holland for low and Vaudine Giles for high. April 17 they played for high on odd holes and low on even, and awards were presented to Bobby George low and Dolores Baldrige high. April 24 prizes for Hidden Partners were given to Monte White and Amy Glover. May 1 Low and High Putts was won by Vaudine Giles, low and Neva Hickey, high. Prize for the May 8 Best Poker Hand total went to Polly Holland; and the May 15 prize for Most Fives to Amy Glover and Most Sevens to Dugan Butler.

WE GOT our swimming pool painted last week and the water looks great. Laverne Bates has the snack bar open, and Oscar Johnson is back on the job. We are running full speed and ready, so come on out. If you've got a buddy who wants to join, being him on out. Members are entitled to play golf, swim, play bridge, eat in the snack bar, and reserve the clubhouse for their private parties.

April Bond sales hit \$6,850 here

During April, new purchases of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds amounted to \$6,850 in Castro County according to budget R. E. Wilson, chairman of the county Savings Bonds Committee. Sales for the first four months totaled \$17,573 for 29 percent of the yearly sales goal of \$60,000. APRIL sales in Texas totaled \$19,525,843 exceeding last year's \$17,331,291 by \$2,194,552. Year-to-date sales amounted to \$83,791,839, an increase of \$9,533,410 over 1972 sales of \$74,258,429. Nationwide, monthly sales were \$562 million, 11.8 percent above 1972 sales of \$502 million. Exchanges of Series E and Savings Notes for Series H Bonds amounting to \$30 million were reported for April, 13 percent above the \$27 million exchanged last year.

JIM HRABAL came in high last Thursday during our weekly night bridge party with a five-round total of 5806, Ellen Hrabal carded a 4330, Garnett Holland 4160, Polly Hol-

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FOR SALE: Small furnished house in Dimmitt, \$4,000, 808 SW 6th Call 806-377-6150. 1-31-8tc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 609 W. Belsher, \$9,500, call Boover Real Estate, Hereford, Texas, 806-364-1755 or 806-364-3502. 1-32-tfc

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FOR RENT: Office building, partly furnished, central heat and air, reasonable price with utilities paid, location south of courthouse. Come by 720 W. Lee. 2-19-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished, one, two and three bedroom apartments, S&K Manor, Phone 647-5520 or 647-3141. 2-3-tfc

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FOR RENT: 2 bedrooms, private bath and kitchen privilege. 508 W. Belsher, Phone 647-4694. 2-29-tfc

FURNISHED apartment with all bills paid. 203 NE 2nd St. Phone 647-5313. 2-47-tfc

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house, 404 SW 5th. 647-4637. 2-34-tfc

3—FOR SALE, MISC.

WELDING SUPPLIES—Oxygen acetylene welding rod—goggles Dimmitt Consumers. 3-28-tfc

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4—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

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ANTIQUE FURNITURE FOR Sale: Items most people have never seen. Shown by appointment only. Bert Andrews, Phone 647-2478. 4-30-tfc

5—FARM EQUIPMENT

FOR SALE: Miller Offset Discs. For free demonstration contact Farmer's Supply Co. 647-3350. 5-41-tfc

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FOR SALE: 1967 Delta 88 Olds. Call 647-3408 after 5 p.m. 6-25-tfc

FOR SALE: Late 1966 Chevrolet pickup, 327 engine, automatic transmission, excellent condition. 938-2395. 6-31-3tc

FOR SALE: 2 1971 pickups; 1 292 LWB 4-speed Chevrolet; 1 292 3-speed SWB Chevrolet. Call 938-2425. Hart. 6-32-tfc

FOR SALE: 1966 International truck tractor with 44-foot tandem hyde trailer; 15 foot fiberglass boat with trailer 40 hp Mercury motor; 36-foot Lufkin tandem trailer, new floor; All priced to sell; 1966 Chrysler 4-dr. Newport, cheap. Call Earl Mahler, Rt. D, Nazareth, Ph. 945-2755. 6-34-tfc

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FOR SOFT WATER Service, Call 364-3280, Hereford, Texas. 8-28-tfc

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WANTED: Hay to haul, Call W. K. Blackwell 364-3936, Hereford. 8-31-tfc

9—HELP WANTED

NEED LADIES in Dimmitt Area for L'Vera International. Call 647-2368 after 6. 9-30-6tc

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10—WANTED, MISC.

WANTED: Good used furniture. Pat's Electric 647-4421, 214 E. Bedford. 10-43-tfc

11—LIVESTOCK, PETS

TOP CHAROLAIS BULLS for crossing at economical prices. Ray Joe Riley, Sunnyside, 846-2435. 11-52-tfc

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FULL BLOOD Chow-Chow puppies for sale. Registered stud. Call 684-2448. 11-34-tfc

12—NOTICES

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Vacation Bible School, First Christian Church, June 4-8, 8:30 to 11 a.m. Ages 3 to 14. 12-34-1tc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The City Commission of the City of Dimmitt will receive bids Monday, June 4 at 5:30 p.m. on 1 6-inch water well. Specifications are on file at the City Manager's Office.
-s- E. H. YOUTS
Mayor, City of Dimmitt, Texas 15-33-2tc

14 CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate the flowers and food which you provided for our family after the recent loss of John Cooper. THE JOHN COOPER FAMILY THE LEWIS NEAL FAMILY 14-34-tfc

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Rangers, Tigers top Ruth league

The Rangers and the Tigers both retained perfect 2-0 records in last week's Jr. Babe Ruth League action, while the Giants improved their record to 1-1 with a win over the Pirates, who dropped to a 0-2 record. **IN A GAME** played at Nazareth last Monday, the Tigers beat the Astros 18-6, exploding for seven runs in the third inning, adding three more in the fifth and sixth, then catching fire in the seventh to bring in eight more runs. The Nazareth Astros were playing their first game of the season. The Rangers held off a scoring drive by the Giants in the fifth and sixth innings, and salvaged a 6-5 win in a second game played in Dimmitt Monday night. In baseball action last Thursday, the Giants won a game from the Pirates 8-5, scoring five points in the fifth and sixth innings, while holding the Pirates scoreless.

Weather stops 2 Minor games

Dimmitt's Minor League teams are having a hard time staying ahead of the weather. Two games were called last week because of rain and a wet field. **THE CARDS** and the Yankees played to a 4-4 tie Tuesday before rain forced the game to be called. The game between the Astros and the Dodgers had to be postponed. In Friday night action, the Yankees defeated the Astros 14-10, scoring five runs in the second and third inning. In another game Friday, the Cards beat the Dodgers 15-7.

14 CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF THANKS
Words can not express our appreciation for all the kind words, the prayers, the food that was given in the hours of our sorrow. Bless each one that served in any way. Special thanks to Bro. Charles Harris and Mr. Wayne Miller for his beautiful song. **MRS. FRANK C. WOODBURN CHAS. F. GUNNELLS & FAMILY**
MR. & MRS. H. J. NORWOOD MR. & MRS. BILL BURNAM MR. & MRS. JAS. BURNAM CARL BURNAM FRANK GILLIS MR. & MRS. COOPER WOODBURN
MR. & MRS. DEWEY WATSON MR. & MRS. CARL STOVALL MR. & MRS. LON WOODBURN 14-34-tfc

15—LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that a hearing will be held on the 8th day of June, 1973, at 9 a.m., in the County Courthouse in Dimmitt, Texas, on the application of the herein-after named owner for a license to sell beer at retail and a package store permit, filed with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Austin, Travis County, Texas, the substance of said application being as follows:

TYPE OF LICENSE OR PERMIT— package store permit and beer retailer's off-premises license
LOCATION OF BUSINESS— 9.3 miles North of the Northwest corner of the Castro County Courthouse on U.S. Highway 385 on East side of highway
NAME OF OWNER— Eugene Bagwell
NAME OF FIRM— BEACON PACKAGE STORE

A copy of the application for the package store permit is filed and made under oath to Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission in Austin, Travis County, Texas, with a copy to the District Office of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission; and a copy of the application for the beer retailer's off-premises license is filed with the County Clerk of Castro County, Texas; and any person desiring to contest the facts stated in said application and the applicant's right to secure said license and permit may do so upon giving security for costs as provided by law.

WHICH WITNESS my hand and seal of office this 29th day of May, A.D. 1973. (SEAL)
(s) **ZONELL MAPLES**, County Clerk Castro County, Texas
By **JOY JONES**, Deputy 15-34-2tc

TO THE PEOPLE OF CASTRO COUNTY:

We wish to thank people from Castro County, especially Dimmitt and Nazareth who helped with the steak out for our benefit last Sunday evening. Thanks to all who worked, planned the meal, or donated cash or food in any way. Our gratitude to the people who came from other towns, also. Again our heartfelt thanks and appreciation and God bless each and everyone. We will always remember you in our thoughts and prayers.
THE RALPH STFFENS FAMILY 14-34-tfc

Bethel news

Alsups see graduation

By MRS. BUD McELROY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Alsup of Muleshoe attended the commencement exercises Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith and family visited Francis' grandmother Mrs. Fred Higgins at Hereford Sunday. The Bethel Prayer Group met at Mrs. Francis Smith's home Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. Vern Lus visited their granddaughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Joel Williamson and new baby Jon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lus visited their son and family, the Lloyd Lus at Littlefield Sunday. That afternoon they visited their granddaughter and family, Mrs. Mack Vann. at Spade.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Moore visited the Jack Risters Sunday. Mrs. Charles Harris and Mrs. A. T. Morgan visited Mrs. Edwin O'Hair of Earth at Lubbock Sunday and Mrs. O'Hair's sister Mrs. Jack Angley, who is in the hospital at Lubbock after a motorcycle accident injured her.

MRS. A. T. Morgan and Mrs. Jimmie Ivy of Lazduddie went to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Merle Morgan visited her mother-in-law Mrs. R. R. Morgan at Amherst Monday. Mrs. Birdie Rister was notified Tuesday of the death of her uncle C. M. Burson of Lincoln, but was unable to attend the funeral.

LL teams play 3 games over

Dimmitt Little League teams made up three rained-out games last week. **THE TIGERS** and the Braves fought to a 10-10 tie Monday night, while the Astros stormed over the Dodgers 21-4. The Cards beat the Yankees 9-6. Making up rained-out games on Thursday, the Dodgers beat the Yankees 8-6, while the Braves downed the Astros 9-2 and the Cards defeated the Tigers 9-0.

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Wanda McElroy went to Clovis Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Samuelson and family of Emporia, Kan., are visiting her parents, the Moss Howells.

MR. AND MRS. Gale Stovall and family of Fritch, Mr. and

Letter to the Editor

'Doomsayers' missed the point—Nazareth only needs home rule

Dear Editor:

On May 9 the Amarillo Daily News carried a story of plans for incorporation of Nazareth which was bit misleading, as it did not tell the whole story.

IN THE FIRST place, the actual population of our town is 250, but we serve an area of about 1,500, that means, people who attend school and/or church here, vote here, trade here and get their mail here, but of course, do not live in town.

We appreciate (the Amarillo newspaper's) interest in our town and the letters it received, and the people it contacted, but were sorry someone did not tell the paper that we had our streets paved years ago, much of it paid by property owners and by help from interested community members.

We have had a well organized water system since 1960, and a good sewer system since 1970, and the younger members of our town are in the process of building a fire station (we already have a fire truck), by borrowing money from the First State Bank of Dimmitt, with notes therefore signed by our townpeople.

TO LOOK back, those who were old enough to remember, we applied for an REA loan through the Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative to build an electric line into our community, and several of our conservative forefathers, with memories of the depression and a three-year drought still very fresh on their minds, were apprehensive that the time would come when some would be unable to pay the electric bill, at that time a minimum of \$2.50 a month.

Next, we built the school. Some large property owners fought that because it would raise our taxes! Had we not built when we did, our taxes would have been raised anyway, and we would not have the splendid school system we now have.

When we decided on a water system, the land and pump were donated by one of our loyal citizens, and bonds were sold to community members, meter deposits were paid in advance at \$100 each, and a loan of \$24,500 at 5 percent interest was made at First State Bank of Dimmitt, covered by a note signed by two officials of the water system. The total cost was \$46,000. Secretarial work was donated for the first 10 years, and the bank loan, as well as some of the bonds, were paid back when we started planning a sewer system. Bonds purchased by community members bore interest at 5 percent, and this was paid regularly.

PLANS WERE made for a sewer system, and we requested a loan from FHA, and also hoped to qualify for a grant of \$8,000. The grant was denied, partly because we were not incorporated, and partly because rural development funds for this purpose had been exhausted since rural community installations downstate had required desalinization plants in addition to pumping systems, so they loded us the required \$96,000, which built the sewer system and paid off the bonds still outstanding for the water system. Hatfield Engineering of Amarillo planned and supervised both water and sewer systems, and FHA reported both were among the best in the state.

Since 1949 our community has built a new church, rectory, convent, CCD building and parking area at a total cost of about \$300,000, and this has been paid in full. We have also built a community hall, donating the labor, and an American Legion Hall, total investment about \$40,000.

So, with that kind of cooperation we should be able to preserve what we have, and gradually help our town to grow. Also, we would like the right to make rules for our town, and the ability to enforce them, and we are trying to keep our little town from dying, as we see small towns around us losing out.

ROSE WARREN

VFW conducts flag ceremony

A flag-raising ceremony was conducted Monday morning at Castro Memorial Gardens by the Castro County Memorial Post of the VFW.

REV. ED Manning of the Presbyterian Church offered the Memorial Day prayer after the flag-raising.

Making up the color guard were Harold and Gerald Broadstreet, Charles Wilkerson and Gordon Fore.

The annual meeting of the Dimmitt Cemetery Association was held after the ceremony, with some 40 to 50 persons attending.

Bill Summers and **Noel Gellon** were re-elected to the board of directors. **NEWLY ELECTED** directors were Jim Cleavinger, Weldon Bradley, and Kent Birdwell. These men were elected to succeed Jack Summers, Billy Hackleman and Edwin "Goose" Ramsey. E. B. Noble and Elmer Dixon are carry-over directors, and the board will elect new officers later.

Noble presented the financial statement of the cemetery's perpetual care fund and maintenance expenses during the year.

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CHRISTY WILHELM (LEFT) AND AGNES ACKER
... State contestants in natural resources



NORMAN AND STEVE ACKER OF NAZARETH
... District poultry demonstration winners



FLAGG ENTRIES—Members of the Flagg 4-H Club's award-winning "Share-the-Fun" cast are (front row) Todd Touchstone and Janet Sammann, and (back row, from left) Coby Gilbreath, Tobin Touchstone, Jacky Anthony, James Roberts and Ginger Wilcox.

Eight Castro youths to compete in Texas 4-H Roundup this week

Eight Castro County 4-H'ers will compete in the 1973 Texas 4-H Roundup at College Station Tuesday and Wednesday.

They earned the right to compete by taking top honors at the district contests held in April and May.

The Texas 4-H Roundup is held each June on the campus of Texas A&M University. It is designed to give 4-H members the opportunity to match their skills in 33 different contest areas through demonstrations, judging teams, food preparation and other forms of competition.

Castro County 4-H'ers participating in the Roundup will be Steve and Norman Acker with their poultry demonstration, Agnes Acker and Christy Wilhelm in natural resources, and Raymond Warrick, Earl and Bob Behrends and Ray Shannon in soil evaluation.

WINNING THE Junior Share-the-Fun Contest were members of the Flagg 4-H Club. They

are Coby Gilbreath, Tobin and Todd Touchstone, Jackie Anthony, James Roberts, Janet Sammann and Ginger Wilcox. The team coach is Mike Tischler.

"The Texas 4-H Roundup represents many things to these young people," said County Extension Agent Charles Hottel, in praising the achievements of the 4-H'ers. The fun, excitement and challenge of participating in the Roundup becomes one of the major highlights of their lives, especially if they win and go on to national competition, he said.

"We firmly believe that the rigors of competition sharpen these 4-H'ers not only in skills and decision-making, but also in helping them become self-disciplined, confident, and outstanding citizens of tomorrow," he said.

HOTTEL emphasized that local volunteer adult and junior leaders played a key role in

helping the county 4-H members reach state competition.

"Without the help of these leaders," he said, "they probably would not have been able to achieve a rich 4-H experience."

To qualify for state competition, participants must be enrolled, actively participating in 4-H and conducting a 4-H project during the current year. They must be between the ages of 14 and 19. Teams and individuals must be one of the two high-scoring teams in their district contest.

HOTTEL SAID that the group will leave for the Roundup Tuesday.

The Texas 4-H Roundup is one of the oldest annual state-wide 4-H events in the nation.

More than 1,800 4-H boys and girls from throughout the state will be participating in more than 30 contests and demonstrations. Also, some 600 adults — including county Extension a-

gents, 4-H leaders, friends of 4-H, mass media representatives, contest donors and members of the board of directors of the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation — will be on hand. T. Louis Austin of Dallas chairs the board.

The Roundup will officially get underway with a general assembly at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in G. Rollie White Coliseum on the A&M campus.

Special awards will be presented to 10 individuals, businesses and mass media representatives who have made outstanding contributions to 4-H. The awards will be provided by the 4-H Foundation. Twenty-six outstanding 4-H adult leaders (two from each Extension district) will be recognized at a luncheon Wednesday. Contest winners and donors will be honored at a special recognition program that evening.

4-H enrollment in Texas now totals more than 120,000 youths between the ages of 9 and 19.



Mike Jeter

Jeter will be lauded Sunday

Members of the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt will honor Mike Jeter, youth director, with "Mike Appreciation Day" Sunday.

JETER, who has been youth director of the church since August 1971, will enter Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth in August. He will preach in various churches in the state throughout the summer.

Jeter will preach at the Sunday evening worship service, and will be the guest of honor at a special fellowship afterwards at Fellowship Hall.

Jeter has served as a summer missionary in Wyoming, Oregon, Washington, and Canada.

Nazareth news

Nuns go to canyons

By Mrs. Florance Albracht
Sisters Benedict Marie, Herman Joseph, Adrian, Marcella and Celestine Marie left Monday for a week's trip to Grand Canyon and other points of interest. Sister Immaculata went to San Antonio to visit her cousin, a nun who is sick.

MR. AND MRS. Denis Gerber and daughter Dana came from Kansas to visit their family the Clarence Birkenfelds. Several couples from here spent the long weekend in Ruidoso, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hoelting went to Claude for the graduation of their granddaughter on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ringwald and Shawn came from Del Rio to spend the weekend with their folks, the Ringwalds and the Leonard Wilhelm.

ON MONDAY morning the American Legion and Auxiliary started observing Memorial Day by honoring their dead comrades with a mass offering for them by Father Ralph with military services after at the cemetery. A breakfast after the services was enjoyed by members in the Legion Hall. The mass planned to be offered at the cemetery was held in the church because of the cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schulte and granddaughters Deanna Heiman, Lydia and Coleen Gerber spent the weekend in Vian,

Okla., where they attended the graduation of their grandson and cousin, Jeff Kleman, son of the Paul Klemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilhelm were honored by their children with a reception at the community hall on their silver wedding anniversary Saturday evening May 26. A large group of relatives and friends enjoyed the evening. On Sunday the 6:30 evening mass was offered for the honorees intended the mass. All the couples 13 children were here for the celebrations except one, Kevin, who is living in Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wilhelm, Barbara Wilhelm, Art Albracht and Kenzie Wagner came from Houston for the occasion.

TONY GERBER had surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo on Saturday morning. Hope he will soon be able to be home again.

The Paul Verhauses went to Hobbs, N.M. over the weekend to visit their children and family.

The winds the past few days are rapidly drying out the land and rain is badly needed for the dryland wheat and crops.

Mrs. Helen Burt and daughter Sue and two granddaughters drove to Ardmore, Okla., for the graduation of their granddaughter, niece and cousin.

The Gerald Brockmans of Midland spent the Memorial

Day weekend here with their folks, the Lon Erockmans and Mrs. Ida Birkenfeld and family.

MR. and Mrs. Jerome Brockman received word that their daughter Geanie made the Dean's list the past semester at West Texas State University in Canyon. She has just returned from the National Track Meet in San Francisco, Calif., where she placed eighth in the high jump, and ninth in the 440-yard dash. The West Texas State team also placed eighth in the mile relay. She is working in Canyon. The Brockmans' son Jimmy is working on a farm near Canyon and taking a summer course at WT.

Enjoying tea and visiting Mrs. Cornelia Annen Thursday afternoon were Sisters Zina and Gertrude of Oklahoma City, Miss Saranna Bauman from California. The three came to visit their brother Frank Bauman, who has been in Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt for several weeks. Also enjoying the visit were Mrs. Patsy Warren and Mrs. Antonette Bentley of Lubbock, Mrs. Cornelia Annen and Mrs. Gladys Kenworthy.

STORE LEFTOVERS properly — food doesn't have to look spoiled to contain harmful bacteria, emphasizes Karen Kreipke, foods and nutrition specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



THE REWARD OF WRITING, in this case, was 50 cents apiece for these first grade runners-up in Plains Memorial Hospital's essay contest for elementary students. Here, Connie Stallings of the hospital's business office passes

out the half-dollars as Hospital Administrator Verle West announces the winners during South Elementary's end-of-school program Friday morning. Each class's grand prize winner received a silver dollar.



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The American Farmer

He's both labor and management

(Editor's note: Today we begin the first in a five-part series of articles on the American farmer. The articles, furnished by Dekalb AgResearch, Inc., are designed to help increase the public's understanding of the American farmer and the importance of agriculture to our economy.)

and define. But, for all their differences, they are still alike. Above all else, they are businessmen, knowledgeable in the dozen or so areas that it takes to be a farmer in the 70's.

This businessman is both management and labor. He's in charge of a physical plant with fixed assets often reaching \$300,000 or more. Although he often feels like it, he can't strike for higher wages.

He's chief purchasing agent, deciding which \$20,000 machine will best harvest his crop during the two weeks out of the year that he needs it.

HE'S AN efficiency expert, always trying to cut his costs and increase his slim margin of profit.

He's an investor — handling each dollar wisely, but putting it in a business that isn't known for its high rate of return.

He's an environmentalist and a conservationist, treating his resources wisely so his land will still be productive when the next man is ready for it.

HE'S A speculator, gambling on the weather, insects and disease. And hoping the law of supply and demand — his basic marketing tool — will treat him favorably in the marketplace.

Most of all, he's an optimist — knowing that next year has to be better.

He's the American farmer. An he's the world's most important businessman.

Carla Mitchell earns BS degree

Carla Robertson Mitchell of Dimmitt received a bachelor of science degree in education in commencement ceremonies May 19 at Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos.

SHE IS the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robertson.

A math major, Mrs. Mitchell was among the 882 who received degrees in twin commencement ceremonies. The candidates include 548 in the College of Professional Schools and 258 in the College of Arts and Sciences. The university also awarded 76 master's degrees.

ASCS news

Deadline Friday for certifying sugarbeet plots

By CHARLEY E. HILL County Executive Director

You must certify, by tracts, the measured 1973 seeded acreage of sugarbeets no later than June 1. It will be necessary for you to plot the tracts of seeded acreage on an aerial photograph in the ASCS Office. Sugar Act payments cannot be processed unless the acreage certifications are made.

EARLY PAYMENTS DEPEND ON EARLY CERTIFICATION

Payments will begin July 1 for farm program participants who have made early certification of compliance in the 1973 feed grain, cotton and wheat programs.

When your crops are up and growing, and you are certain of exact acreages, please come to the county office and certify. Aug. 1 is the final date that you may certify.

You must certify to exact crop and land use acreages. Measurement service is available through June 15.

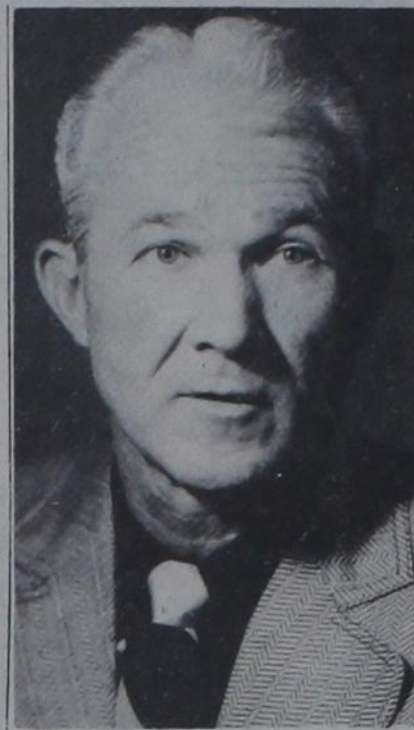
SET-ASIDE ACREAGE

Productivity requirements for 1973 set-aside acreage remain unchanged from 1972. You must designate land which meets these productivity requirements or receive a much greater reduction in payment than in the past.

Set-aside acreage must be at least average to the productivity of other cropland on the farm. Lakes will not qualify for set-aside.

Set-aside must be at least two chains (132 feet) wide and must contain at least five acres. (Exception: one area of less than five acres is acceptable if it represents the balance of set-aside required, and whole fields of less than five acres are acceptable.)

Grazing set-aside acreage is prohibited between May 14 and Oct. 15 unless you file a prior written request and pay a fee for it. If you are interested in grazing or haying set-aside, be sure to come by the ASCS Office and apply for it.



Dick Montgomery

Deaf Smith REC hikes Montgomery

Dick Montgomery, industrial relations director for Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, will be promoted to assistant to the manager effective Friday, it was announced this week by Manager James Hull.

IN THE new position, Montgomery will work directly under Hull in the areas of construction contracts, material bid proposals, engineering and accounting. He will also continue duties in commercial accounts and industrial development, noted Hull.

Montgomery's promotion was announced in conjunction with the future retirement plans of Sam Morgan, executive assistant. Hull said Morgan will continue as executive assistant until his retirement in January, 1975.

Montgomery was employed by the cooperative as industrial relations director in July, 1969. He has been an active civic worker, and is presently a director for Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, heading up the Industrial Development Committee.

HE AND HIS wife, Pat, have two sons, Mauri and Jay, and are members of the First Baptist Church. They reside at 137 Mimosa St., Hereford.

Morgan has been with Deaf Smith Electric Co-op since 1952, starting as a power use

New telephone board organizes

An organizational meeting of the West Texas Telephone Community Advisory Board was held at the area headquarters in Andrews recently.

MEMBERS ATTENDED from Clyde, Van Horn, Glen Rose, Dumas, Tulia, Pecos and Andrews. Ancil T. LaFavers, assistant vice-president of Continental Telephone Service Corp., represented the Southwest Division Office in Dallas.

"The advisory board was formed to create better understanding between the company and its customers. The members of the advisory board are all outstanding businessmen in their respective communities, and we need their advice and counsel in meeting our objectives for good service and continued growth," said J.C. Keen of Andrews, who is president of West Texas Telephone Co. and chairman of the advisory group.

Board meetings will be held quarterly on a rotating basis, and members will serve a two year term.

advisor. He and his wife, Ora, are Baptists, and reside at 223 North 25 Mile Avenue in Hereford.

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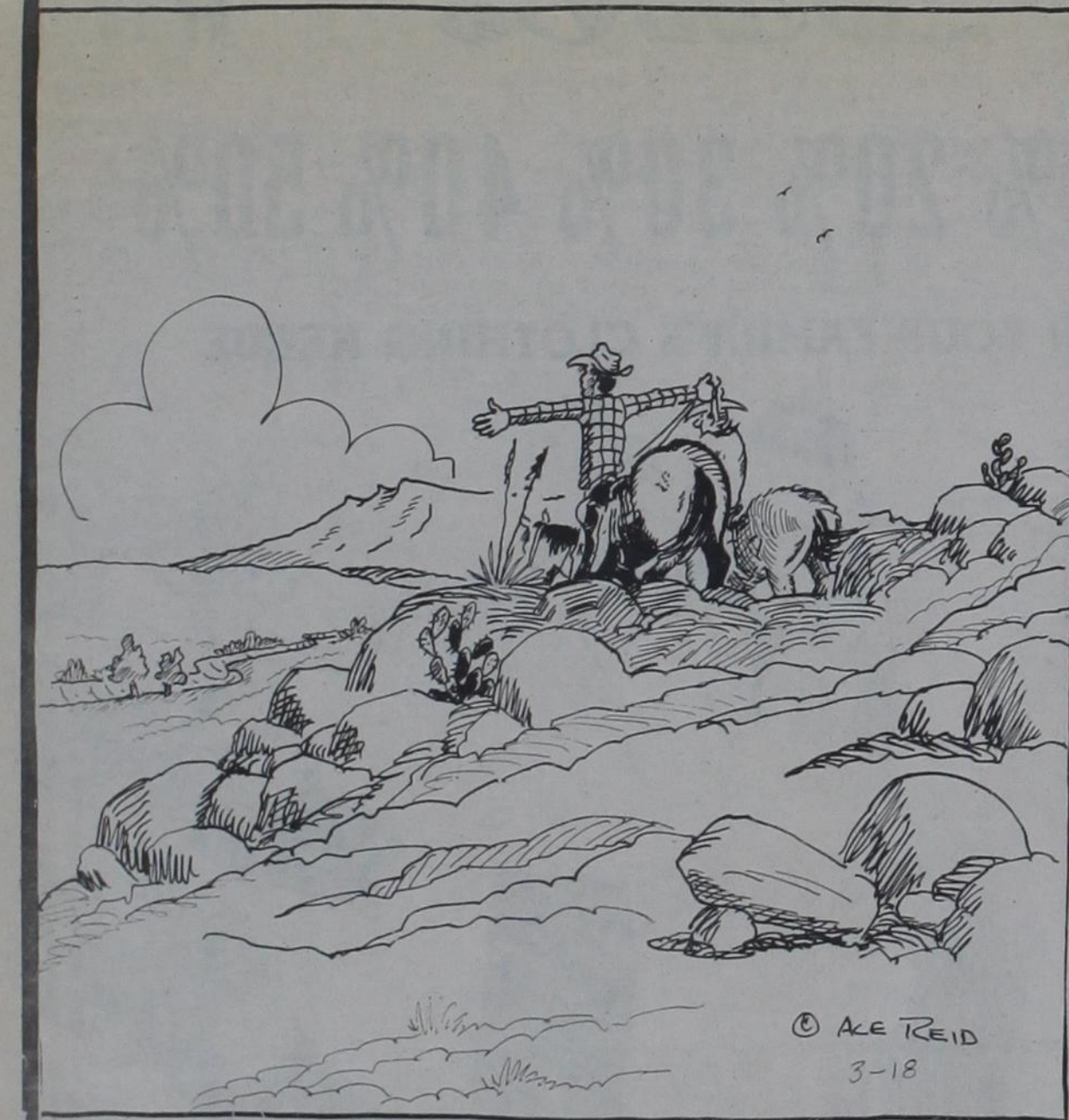
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Smithson, Foster receive awards

Miss Janet Smithson, valedictorian of the 1973 graduating class of Dimmitt High School, and Miss Jean Foster, valedictorian of the graduating class of Hart High School, have been named as recipients of the Annual Award of the Reader's Digest Association.

THE AWARD is presented to students who, by their successful school work, give promise of attaining leadership in the community.

Both Miss Smithson and Miss Foster will receive an honorary one year subscription to the Reader's Digest, in any one of the 13 language editions which they choose. Both will also receive a personal certificate from the editors "in recognition of past accomplishments and in anticipation of unusual achievements to come."

MISS Smithson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rayphard Smithson of Dimmitt. Miss Foster is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wamon Foster of Hart.



Miss Hays

August date set

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hays Jr. of Dimmitt announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lynn, to Robert Hood LaRue, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. LaRue of Andrews.

MISS HAYS is a 1972 graduate of Baylor University, and LaRue is also a Baylor graduate. Both are employed in Lubbock.

An August wedding is planned.

Bedding plants give quick color

"Bedding plants can bring instant color to your summer landscape," says Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

AMONG the better annuals that are easily transplanted and the ever-popular petunia, marigolds in all sizes, the coleus with its colorful foliage and the sun-loving celosia.

The Texas A&M University specialist also suggests the dwarf dahlia and dwarf plox, the shade-loving impatiens, the fibrous-rooted begonia and the colorful ageratum. One of the finest for hot, unprotected areas is the Madagascar periwinkle which seems to be at its best during the July and August heat, points out Janne.

"These plants may be set out in June or anytime through the summer, allowing you to catch up on the planting you should have done this spring, or better yet, to augment your earlier planting."

SELECT PLANTS that are short, stocky, and compact with a good green foliage color. Flower buds should show color if you want to plant for immediate effect.

"Plant them close together for immediate effect, but allow elbow room if you want them to last for a while," advises the horticulturist. "Unless you need flowers the same day, select plants that are just coming into flower rather than those in full bloom.

Since large bedding plants are generally expensive, try to make the greatest impact with the fewest plants, suggests Janne. Saturate a few strategic garden locations with color. Use plants in containers on the patio or balcony, or concentrate them near entry ways or along the inside face of a curved walkway. Planter boxes under a window with a garden view are always effective when planted to annuals.



Socially Yours



MRS. GARY WAYNE LANGFORD ... The former Linda Kay Malone

Malone - Langford vows read Friday

Miss Linda Kay Malone and Gary Wayne Langford exchanged wedding vows in a double-ring ceremony Friday evening in the First United Methodist Church of Dimmitt.

Rev. Jim Pickens read the ceremony. The church was decorated with white candles in the background and spirals of white candles at the side with flower arrangements of Marconi daisies and white gladioli.

THE CHANCEL was decorated with satin roping and blue and white satin bows. The bridal path was lined with satin

and the pews marked with candles and satin bows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Malone of Dimmitt. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Langford of Dimmitt.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of silk organza over bridal taffeta designed with a fitted Empire bodice of Victorian style with a sheer yoke and closely fitted neckline. Her sheer full sleeves were caught at the wrists by deep cuffs.

The A-line skirt was edged in lace and accented by lace tracing a pattern on her skirt and ending in a satin bow. Her skirt extended into a full chapel train. The bride wore a Camelot cap of organza and Swiss flowers centered by pearls. Her veil of tiered bridal illusion fell to elbow length.

THE BRIDE carried a cascade arrangement of miniature white carnations and satin, with streamers of blue ribbon tied with white netting. An orchid centered the bouquet.

Matron of honor was Jeanne Griffith. Bridesmaids were Beverly Hill, Ann Lust and Susan Sanders. Kristi Petty, niece of the bride, served as flower girl.

Ringbearer was Chad Thompson. The bride's attendants wore floor-length gowns of powder blue and white, and carried bouquets of miniature blue and white carnations tied with streamers of royal blue.

LARRY Langford, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jerry Cartwright, Roger Jones and Paul Langford.

David Malone, Garland Coleman, Arlie Petty, Randy Griffith and Bill Sanders seated the guests.

Gary Malone and Karl Langford, brothers of the bride and groom, served as candlelighters.

Rhonda Tidwell was organist, with Patsy Morris as soloist. Diane Dyer registered the guests.

A RECEPTION was held in Lamar Fellowship Hall following the ceremony. Serving the blue and white wedding cake and punch were Sarita White, Donna Hudson and Terrie Carson.

For their wedding trip to Galveston, the bride wore a pink and white pantsuit with white accessories.

The newlyweds will be at home in Weatherford, Okla., where the groom is attending Southwestern State College School of Pharmacy.

Students elect cheerleaders

New cheerleaders for Dimmitt High School were elected by the student body before the end of school.

CHEERLEADERS for 1973-74 will be Alice Rush, Ginia Shelly, Cindy Dyer, Bobbi Kirby, Tanya DeVaney, and Mary Ann Nino.

Home and hobby

4-H'ers prepare for State Roundup

By IRENE KEATING

Now that school is out all of us must get reorganized at home again to have worthwhile activities for our children. I know many girls and boys will be working. Let's all enjoy having our children home this summer.

MONDAY eight 4-H members, one leader, Charles and I will be leaving to attend State 4-H Roundup at College Station. Representing our county are Christine Wilhelm in Acker and Christine Wilhelm in Natural Resources; Steve and Norman Acker, Poultry; and our Soil Evaluation team is Ray Shannon, Raymond Warrick, Earl and Bob Behrends. We will return home via Six Flags. I know our 4-H'ers will represent us well. I am proud to get to take them on this trip.

MAY is Senior Citizens Month and as it comes to a close, I'd like to share these ideas with you that are good ideas for us at all ages.

Provide well-lighted stairways with handrails — encourage use of handrails. Fasten carpets and rugs securely to avoid skids or tripping. Besides grab bars in the bath tub, shower and other areas, nubby rubber mats and seats in the shower or tub are useful. Wipe spilled items promptly, and eliminate highly polished floors or slick areas.

Install spring pole jacks, well fastened between floor and ceiling, to help people with weakened muscles pull up from bed or chair. Provide night lights, near floor, to prevent stumbling or falling at night. Place light switches at room entrances. Bedside lamps and flashlight can help light the way. Remove lamp cords, low furniture and toys from passageways. Mark stove controls — low, medium, high — with bright paints.

PROVIDE storage levels, easily accessible and located between eye and hip level, to eliminate stepladder. Provide tripod tips for canes for firm support. Make pick-up sticks — one end with magnet, the other end with a pick — for getting items on floor when senior citizens can't stoop or bend.

Provide giant shoe horns and nylon elastic shoe laces to eliminate bending or stooping.

Dimmitt FTA elects officers

The Dimmitt High School chapter of the Future Teachers of America has elected officers for the 1973-74 school year.

NEW officers include Ronnie Welch, vice president; Nancy Vardell, secretary; Becky Street, treasurer; Karen Hutto, historian; and Alice Rush, reporter.

DOING WHAT'S right is no guarantee against misfortune. — William McFee

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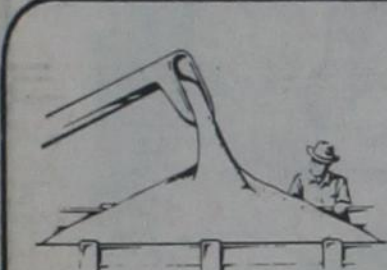
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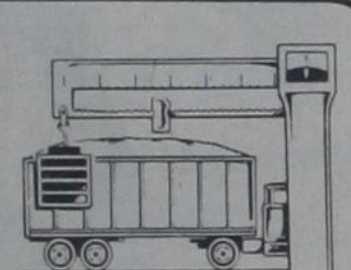
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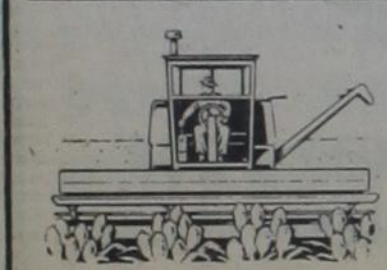
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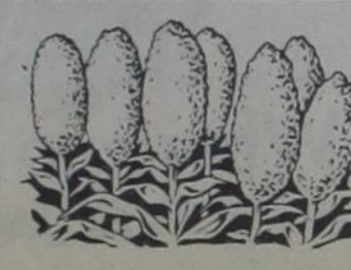
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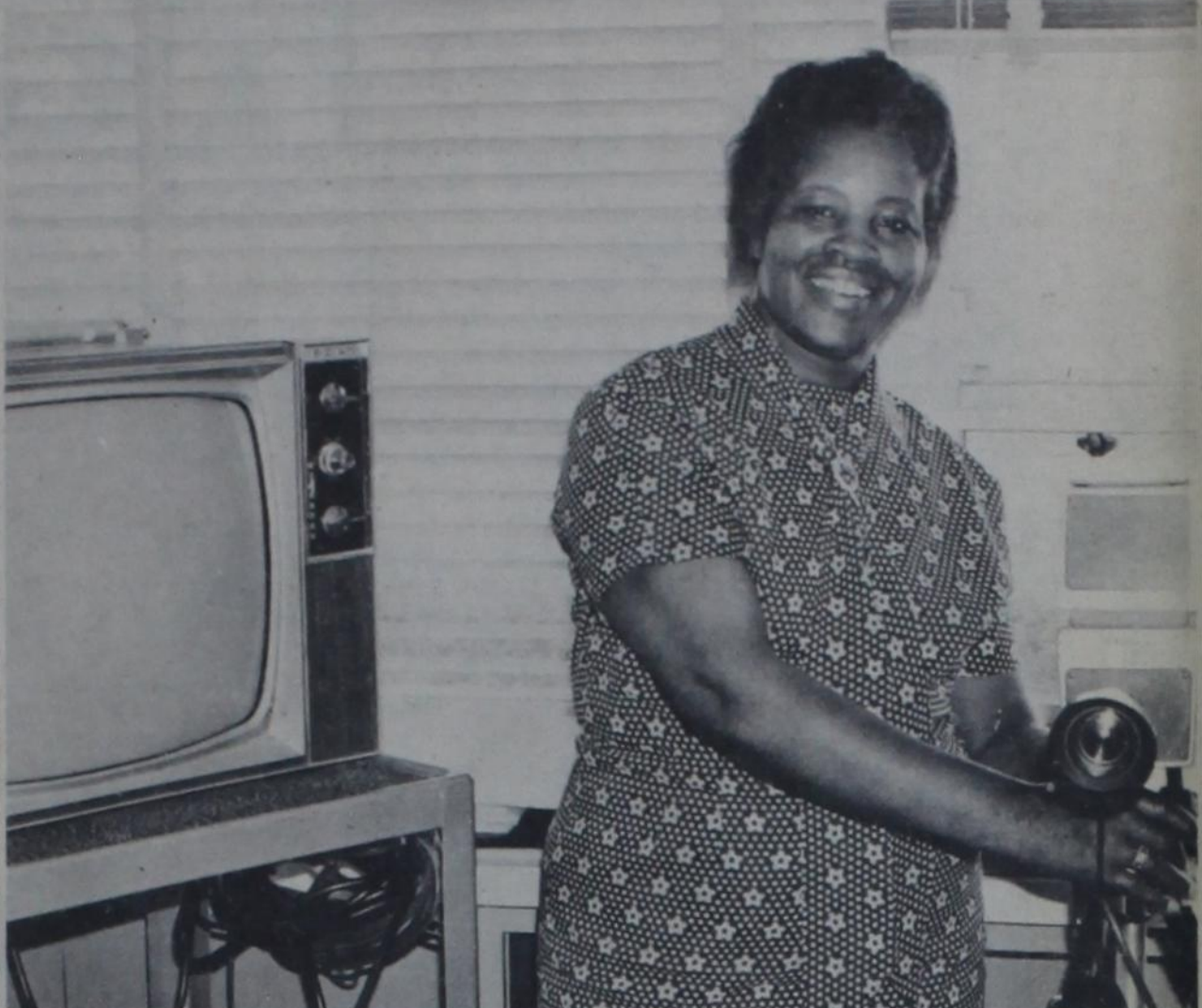
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'WORKER OF THE YEAR'—Centrie Mayberry, data and video chief for the Follow Through Program in South Elementary School, was announced as the program's "Worker of the Year" at a banquet sponsored by the Policy Advisory Committee last Thursday night to honor the program's teachers, aides, workers and administrators. Mrs. Mayberry compiles video-tape

and data reports on the progress of individual classes which she submits for testing to the University of Oregon, which oversees the program here. The banquet featured a catered Mexican-food dinner and a video tape program showing Follow Through classes in session. John Nino, chairman of the Policy Advisory Committee, was master of ceremonies.

Sunnyside news

Sadler is hospitalized after motorcycle mishap

By TEENY BOWDEN
Gale Sadler was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital Saturday afternoon after he lost control of the motorcycle he was riding and overturned. He sustained four fractured ribs, painful injuries to both hands and numerous abrasions and bruises. He was resting satisfactorily Monday morning.

MRS. THOMAS Parson was admitted to Plains Memorial Hospital Monday afternoon and underwent minor surgery Tuesday morning. She was dismissed Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Weatherford visited Monday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong returned home Monday from their vacation with her sister, Marvel Griffin and some fishing at Brownwood.

Rev. and Mrs. Mack Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan attended the Worker's Conference at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona Monday night.

MR. AND MRS. Gordon Nash of Phoenix, Ariz., arrived this week to visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan and family and to attend the graduation exercises of their granddaughter, Lesa Morgan. They were visitors in the Sunday morning services.

20 of an inch of rain was received Tuesday morning with 25 of an inch Tuesday evening with high winds and a little small hail.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Mrs. L. B. Bowden worked with auxiliary duties Monday afternoon at Plains Memorial Hospital.

Daneen Wilson as well as Kim and Jeanne Haydon were in the piano recital of Mrs. Jean Craft in Earth last Saturday.

Others receiving awards in the Springlake-Earth junior high assembly last week were Karen Howell, library, Daneen Wilson, library, Baldomero Sauseda 7th grade math award, Clint Dawson 7th grade choir and scholarship awards, and Joe Fulfer 8th grade choir award.

Mrs. R. J. Lefevere was in Dallas this week for a purchasing market.

A group of young people left Saturday morning for Six Flags. Those going were Mr. and Mrs. Garner Ball and Debra, Mrs. Lillian Carson and Resa, Mrs. Lynn Cox, Brandon and Cinnamon, Steve Morgan, Lee Brown, Cindy Sadler, Lonnie, Debbie and Daneen Wilson, Renee Jones, Freddie and Marquetta James and Doug Freeman of Earth.

KEITH CALHOUN attended the activities this week for the Dimmitt seniors. They had a supper Tuesday night at the Church of Christ, the Awards Assembly Wednesday night. They received their senior rings after the assembly, a breakfast at the First Baptist Church Thursday morning and baccalaureate services Sunday night. He was one of the 66 graduates of Dimmitt High School this year. They received their diplomas in graduation exercises Monday night.

goner led the group in several hymns, Debra Ball and Debbie Wilson sang two specials. Mrs. Garner Ball, Mrs. Rob Ott, Mrs. Roy Phelan, Mrs. Hershel Wilson, Mrs. Phillip Jones, Daneen Wilson, and Mrs. L. B. Bowden served cookies and punch to the group. Her birthday cake, baked by Mrs. Ezell Sadler was served for their supper.

The Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. Floyd Ivey Thursday afternoon for some "42." They were not celebrating a birthday. Those attending were Mrs. J. E. Shirey, Mrs. R. V. Bills, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. Lillie King, and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Vickie Head, Renee Jones, Lisa Orr, Lesa Morgan, Dianne Fulfer and Danny Marriott were among the 52 Springlake-Earth graduates receiving diplomas in graduation exercises Friday night. Vickie Head gave the salutatory address. They enjoyed senior day at Lubbock one day this week skating, bowling, eating and attending a show.

IN the Springlake-Earth High School awards assembly Monday Mrs. Howard Cummings presented the Typing II award to Vickie Head. She and Dianne Fulfer received the annual staff awards. Lisa Orr received the Civics Award, Jerald Head the Algebra I and English I awards an Junior Sauseda the tract award, and Kelley Haydon the cheerleader award.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley flew to Seminole Sunday morning to attend the graduation exercises and baccalaureate services for a nephew Sunday afternoon, but they ran into a sandstorm so bad they had to turn around and come back home.

Mrs. Weldon Bradley, Carl, and Elmer Dixon went to Big Lake Tuesday to visit with an aunt who is in the hospital there. They ran into Mrs. Jack Johnson who had relatives in the hospital and visited with them. Jack and Pete Johnson are brothers and both have lived in the community in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson were in the Elliott Baptist Church near Vernon for a Lay Witness Mission Saturday night and Sunday. The sand blew down there too.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills visited in Plainview Friday night with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spencer and their baby who had surgery recently to remove a brain tumor.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell James of Gentry, Ark., visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry James and family. They also had dinner Friday with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown and Lynn visited in Lubbock Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown.

arrived Sunday to visit a few days with her niece Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan of Fieldton visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mrs. Ray Joe Riley installed officers for Peak of the Panhandle Educational Secretaries at Dimmitt Monday night.

Jimmy and Gabriel Esqueda played on the Dimmitt Cardinal Little League team Monday night and again Friday night. They won both games.

LYNN BROWN and Kevin Riley played with the Red Sox in the Springlake-Earth game with the Mets Saturday. Pat Fulfer played with the Red Sox who were short a player. Mark Bridge is also playing on the Met team. The Red Sox won the game.

Todd Kriegshauser, the nine-year-old nephew of Mrs. Ray Joe Riley underwent heart surgery in Houston Wednesday. Dr. Cooley performed the surgery. He was in satisfactory condition at the last report.

Mrs. Donnie Lilley and Audra have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hancock this week. Donnie has spent much of the week with them also.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pruitt and their granddaughter, Dawn Merriott of Lamesa spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey. Mr. and Mrs. Mokey Ivey and Paula Sue of Olton had supper with them Saturday night. Dawn spent the night and the day Sunday with Dawn.

12 DHS students named to society

Twelve Dimmitt High School students have been chosen as members of the Society of Outstanding American High School students, one of the nation's leading high school honoraries, according to Robert Ryan, principal.

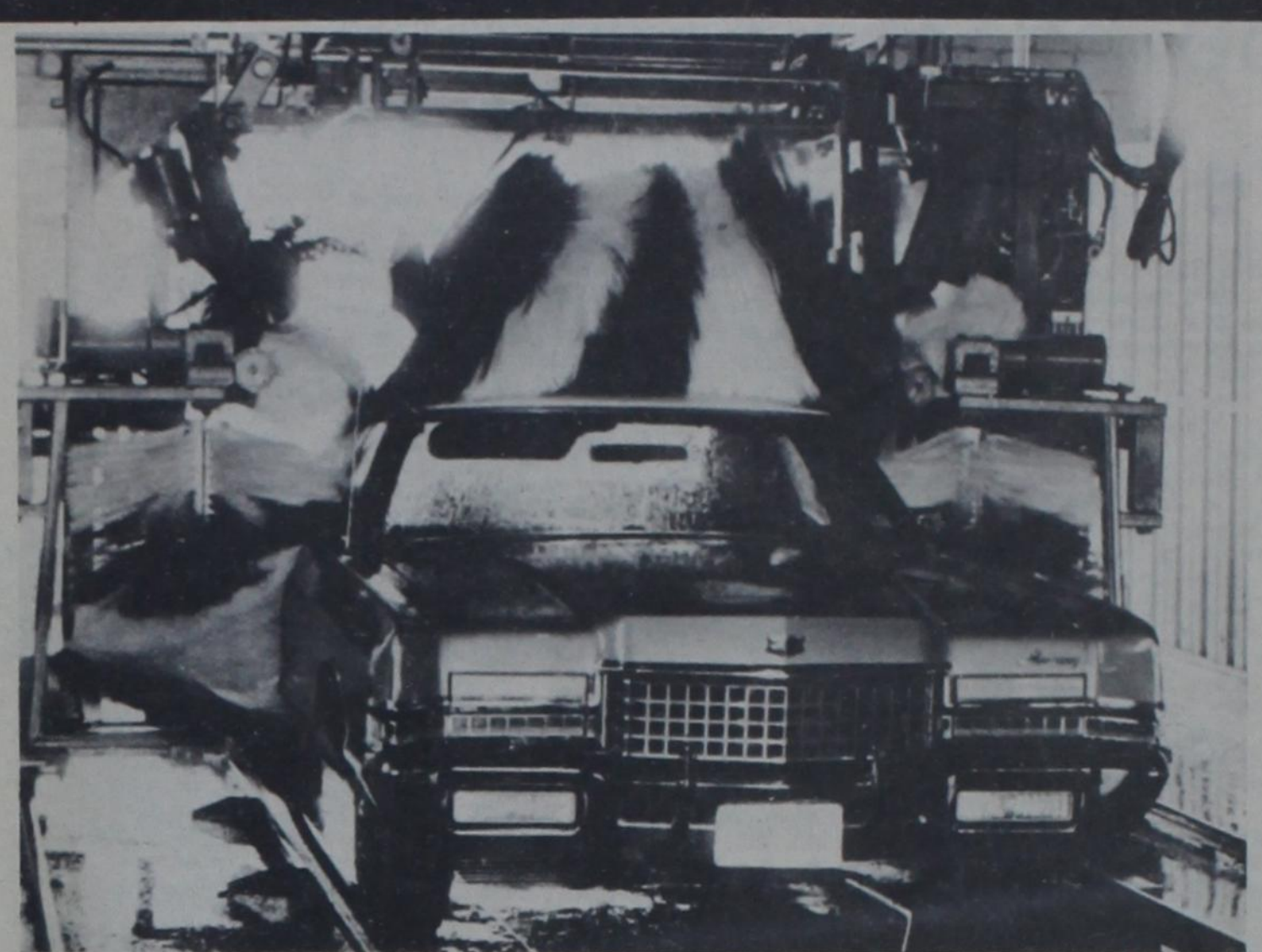
THOSE CHOSEN as members include Ronald Hall, David Schaefer, John Furr, Dawn Parker, Arthur Woolever, Lisa Huckabay, and Janet Smithson.

Also, Karen Sims, Debbie Hansen, Becki Carpenter, Flo Lust, and Alice Rush.

The Society accepts only young men and women who have distinguished themselves as their school's highest achievers.

AIDED BY high school principals and counselors from across the nation, the organization strives to further the pursuit of academic achievement and civic responsibility on the part of American youth.

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Top bandsmen are announced

Dimmitt High School's bandsmen received individual awards and the new drum majors and twirlers for next year were announced at the annual Bobcat Band Banquet Saturday night in South Elementary School cafeteria.

LISA HUCKABAY was announced as the winner of the Band Award as the outstanding performer. In presenting the award to the senior flutist, Director Ralph Smith commented, "Without her I couldn't have done some of the arrangements we had, and neither could the all-regional band."

Miss Huckabay also received the US Marine Corps "Distinguished Musician" certificate.

Band Awards for the outstanding band member in each class went to senior Jan Giles, junior Flo Lust, sophomore Truvis Wiseman and freshman Sandra Carpenter.

ALSO, SMITH announced that Miss Carpenter would be the assistant drum major next year, the second sophomore in 21 years to hold the post. Miss Lust, who was assistant drum major this year, will move up to the head post next year.

New members of the twirling squad next year will be Kim Miller and Linsae Snider, Smith announced.

A new award, the Lyre Club Award for leadership, went to senior drum major Janet Smithson. Miss Smithson also won the Drum Major's Award.

DEBBIE HANSEN was named the winner of the Phi Beta Mu Award, presented by the national bandmasters' fraternity.

The John Philip Sousa Award went to senior Dawn Parker. Graduating seniors were pre-

sented their band blankets or medals by Smith and Assistant Bandmaster Richard Bales.

Bales commended the band parents and school administration for their support of the band program, "but mostly Ralph Smith for the privilege I've had to work with him."

DEANNA HARGROVE, Lyre Club president, served as emcee of the banquet. Band President Kenny Ringo also conducted part of the program.

On behalf of the band members, Miss Hargrove and Ringo presented gifts of appreciation to Smith and his wife Avis, Bales and his wife Noreen, and to the Band Boosters officers, President Murna Miller and her husband Jack, Vice-President Gail Bruegel, and Secretary-Treasurer Maxine Tidwell.

New Lyre Club members received their pins, and officers and members of the honor group were recognized. Also, band officers for 1972-73 and for next year were recognized.

M. L. SIMPSON Jr. presented a slide show of photos he took during the band's trip to the Canon City, Colo., Spring Blossom and Music Festival. Simpson's pictures included standard, wide-angle and fish-eye photos of band members' activities and the scenery they saw around Colorado Springs, Canon City and the US Air Force Academy.

THE WORLD belongs to the enthusiast who keeps cool. — William McFee

IF FATE means you to lose, give him a good fight anyhow. — William McFee

Hospital essay winners named

Winners of Plains Memorial Hospital's essay contest for elementary students were announced and awarded coin prizes last week.

PUPILS in grades one through six were asked by the hospital to write short essays on the purpose and importance of hospitals. The grand prize winner in each classroom won a silver dollar and the runners-up received half dollars.

Hospital Administrator Verle West, Director of Nurses Pat Barber and Business Office Manager Connie Stallings announced the winners and presented the coin awards at North Elementary School last Thursday and at South Elementary School Friday.

Grand prize winners in the essay contest were:

FIRST GRADE — Shannon Leigh Kemp in Mrs. Upfold's room, Timmy Kenworthy in Mrs. Keith's room, and Lori Bell in Mrs. Keith's room.

Second Grade — Katie Lapins in Mrs. DuBose's room, John David King in Mrs. Lynn's room, Beth Mohon in Mrs. Doren's room.

Third Grade — Beth Benton in Mrs. Ratcliff's room, Jerri Ka Clark in Mrs. Keller's room, Kevin Spinhrime in Mrs. Lingle's room.

FOURTH Grade — Sharla Street, Beth West and Debbie Leonard, all students of Mrs. Crider.

Fifth Grade — Russell Birdwell and Lori Dyer in Mr. Smith's room, Gina Grand in Mrs. Thornton's room.

Sixth Grade — Laura Lapins in Mr. Fry's room, Libby Crooks in Mrs. Smith's room, David Blackburn in Mrs. Heard's room.

NOTHING IN life is so exhilarating as to be shot at without result. — Winston Churchill



THE CHANGING SCENE is evident this week in Dimmitt's elevator district as a new elevator starts going up while the city's oldest remaining elevator comes down. In foreground, Dimmitt Ready Mix workers form the pit for a new elevator at WC Grain Co., between East Bedford and Jones Streets. In background, the old Boothe Elevator—built by C. W. Boothe in 1929—is being torn down. The Boothe Elevator was the second one ever built in Dimmitt; the first one burned down about 10 years ago.

More About

Nuns lead new lifestyls...

(Continued from Page 1) book" program, placing dedicated books in the "professional corner" which they've set up for teachers.

"We're dedicating a book to any member of our faculty who has had a death in the family," Nora explained. "Our first memorial book was a big dictionary, which we dedicated to the memory of Leola Elkins."

Both sisters agree that South Elementary's resource materials and teaching equipment are "tremendous."

"THE AMOUNT of materials the school has here is the best we've ever seen," Nora said. And they've both been teaching 30 years or more.

In addition to her master's in library science, Nora is almost at the master's degree level in mathematics. "I love 'em both," she said.

Noreen has master's degrees in both applied music (piano) and music education. She hopes to start giving private lessons here or in some other town in the area next fall.

NATIVES of Sedalia, Mo., the Foster sisters came here from Kansas City, where they were the executive directors of the New Mark Community of Christian Concern, Inc., a new experiment in interdenominational community living. They pioneered the jobs there, doing everything from helping organize a Little League program to conducting a crisis intervention service.

"New Mark was a joint project by 22 denominations," Nora explained. "Basically, the corporation attempted to organize the religious community in the new city. They didn't want 22 churches popping up. They wanted to establish a 'good neighbor' program for joint efforts by various denominations."

Noreen added, "We gave sermons in Protestant churches, conducted a retreat for Lutheran women, and worked with 30 ministers on all kinds of projects. They elected us the executive directors at one of the organizational meetings, and we did the work in addition to our regular school work."

"WE WERE so involved with so many people, and were working 70 and 80 hours a week, that we just had to ease up," Nora said. "The only way we could do it was to get away altogether. So we came here."

The sisters aren't strangers to this area. Both taught in the Nazareth Public Schools several years ago. Their lifestyles have changed radically. But not their dedication to their vows of service, or their enthusiasm for their profession.

Assembly of God sets Bible School

Vacation Bible School for the Assembly of God Church is scheduled to begin Monday, and will run through next Friday.

OPENING ASSEMBLY each morning is at 9:30, with dismissal at 11:30.

Children between the ages of four and 12 are invited to take part in singing, craft work, Bible study and games. Refreshments will be provided.

Last rites held for son-in-law of Messengers

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Claude for James Michael Triplett, 29, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Messenger of Dimmitt.

PAUL SNEED, minister of education at the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo, officiated. Mr. Triplett was killed Monday when his car rolled over three times about six miles north of Amarillo.

Mr. Triplett, a farmer-stockman, is survived by his wife, Ina; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Triplett; one son, one daughter, a brother and a sister, and his grandmother.

Burial was in Llano Cemetery under the direction of LaGrone Funeral Home of Canyon.

Truck overturns; cattle spilled

Four cattle were killed and more than 30 were spilled onto the highway right of way at 1:55 a.m. Sunday when a Burke Inman cattle truck overturned a mile north of Dimmitt on US 385.

HIGHWAY Patrolman Billy Scott said the 1963 Kenworth truck-trailer rig, driven by Truman Kuykendall of Hereford, received about \$8,000 damage.

Scott reported that Kuykendall was driving north with a load of 70 cattle when his truck ran off the east side of the highway and overturned. The top deck spilled half of the cattle onto the right of way. The cattle in the bottom deck of the wrecked trailer were released but four of them were found dead either of injuries or suffocation, Scott said.

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Hart news

Residents observe memorial ceremonies

By MYRT LOMAN

Friends from Littlefield, Nazareth, Hereford and Oklahoma City joined Hart residents in the annual Memorial Day service at the Hart Cemetery Monday morning at 10:30.

VETERANS participating in the program were Bud Steiert, Percy Hart, Ed Bennett, Roy Futrell and Mayor E. E. Foster. The flag was raised, followed by a prayer by Roy Futrell.

Bud Steiert made a short talk on "Why We Observe Memorial Day," and commented on the little interest shown by residents and veterans of the community. The service is not held only for memory of deceased veterans but in memory of all deceased loved ones.

The cemetery had recently been mowed and flowers decorated the graves. Due to high wind the Veteran flags were to be placed later.

Veterans buried in the Hart Cemetery are: Rich Henderson, Charlie Sanders, Albert Roland, Clarence Keenom, Cecil English, Jim Height, T. C. Ray, Lewis Wakefield, O. D. Dinwiddie, Duard Harris and Lynn Alford.

REBECCA Futrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell graduated from Baylor University May 18 with a degree of Bachelor of Science in nursing. She is a member of C.H.I.'s, Women's Service Club; Sigma Tau Lambda, nursing social service club.

She is a 1969 graduate of Hart High School and attended Baylor University in Waco two years and Baylor School of Nursing in Dallas for two years. She is presently an employee of Baylor Hospital in Dallas. Attending the commencement exercise were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell and brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Futrell of Hereford, grandparents, Mrs. Homer Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Futrell and an aunt Mrs. Kinney Hill of Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Farmer of Leonard, former Hart residents were complimented on Sunday afternoon with a coffee in the home of Mrs. G. R. Bennett.

THE SERVING table was laid with an ecru linen hand embroidered cloth featuring a yellow lighted candle in a ring of flowers and greenery. Punch, coffee, cake and cookies were served by Mrs. Bennett from crystal and silver appointments.

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer were employed at the Hart Lumber Co., while residents of Hart.

Mrs. Rebecca Scribner, Home Ec instructor in Hart High School will be teaching adult sewing classes, or assisting with sewing from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday June 11, 12 and 13 at the Home Ec classroom. No charge will be made for her help.

THE HART Classroom Teachers Association met Friday May 25 for the last meeting of this school term.

Mrs. Lanny Tucker presided at the meeting, with the highlight of the meeting the election of new officers for the 19-73-74 school term. New officers are: Mrs. Mike Burnam, president; Mrs. Newlon Rowland, vice-president; Mrs. Bobby Turner, secretary.

Mrs. L. D. Williams, the outgoing vice president; installed the new officers.

The association voted to have a luncheon honoring all new teachers on Friday Aug. 17 in the Hart School cafeteria.

SERVICES were held Tuesday at Littlefield for Lonnie D. Preston of Hart.

Preston died Saturday in a Lubbock nursing home.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park.

Preston was a native of Jacksboro, and had lived in Littlefield 29 years, working as a blacksmith.

Survivors include his wife, Lorane, two sons, three daugh-

ters, five brothers, six sisters, 13 grandchildren, and six great grandchildren.

Mrs. Laurence McLain underwent back surgery in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last week and was to be released Wednesday.

FRANK Bauman continues seriously ill in the Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt.

JERRY KITTRELL is slowly improving at this writing in the High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Drop him a card.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee Brooks had major surgery in a Plainview hospital last week.

VACATION Bible School at the First Baptist Church is scheduled for June 4-8 with the school beginning at 9 a.m. and dismissing each morning at 11:30.

Leading in the various departments will be Mrs. Glen Gleghorn, 3 year olds; Mrs. Mac Davis, 4-5; Mrs. Joe Ed Carson, 6-7; Mrs. Dub Holley, 8-12; Mr. Wes Poarch will lead the teenage youth each evening.

Commencement exercises will be held Friday June 8 at 8 p.m. in the church auditorium. All girls and boys are invited to attend the Vacation Bible School.

V.F.W. NEWS

By GERALD BROADSTREET

Greetings Comrades, I have been keeping myself pretty busy lately. The weekend of May 18-19 Linda and I filled in for our post custodians, Howard and Beth Cook, while they took a weekend vacation. Everything went surprisingly smooth for us and we did enjoy it.

ON MONDAY, the 21st, Charles Wilkerson and I had the pleasure of attending the officer installation ceremonies at Post 8570 in Muleshoe. District 13 Commander, Roy Bussey of Littlefield, was the installing officer. I would like to mention that Muleshoe's incoming commander is a Vietnam veteran and his name is Phillip Wilcox.

Muleshoe is the newest post in our district and they are making big strides in progress. Their membership is steadily increasing and they are in the post home that will be four times as large as they have now. We are real proud to have Muleshoe in our district.

For Memorial Day ceremonies, our post had the honor of providing the color guard for services at Castro County Memorial Gardens. Our good comrade, Rev. Ed Manning, delivered the prayer services. Members comprising the color guard were Gordon Fore, Charles Wilkerson, Harold Broadstreet and myself.

At the post home our holiday flag was flown at half-mast throughout the day. Mrs. Polly Holland, senior vice-president of the Ladies Auxiliary, was in charge of the Poppy Sales in this area.

OUR organization's motto is "Honor the dead by helping the living," but on this day, Memorial Day we honor the dead because of the sacrifice they have made for the freedom you and I enjoy today. Almost every family in America has been touched by the loss of a relative or close friend in our struggle to keep the free world free.

Comrades, keep in mind next Monday night, June 4, will be our regular meeting night. We voted at our last meeting to start 30 minutes earlier, therefore the meeting will begin at 8. Please make a big effort to be there as we have much to discuss and much planning to do. Our district convention has been set for Aug. 25 and 26 and we want to get our committees set up well in advance instead of last minute rush rush. Hope to see you there.

THE MINOR League All-Star Girls Little Dribblers lost to Hale Center, 18-10 May 26 in the first of a three game play-off. The second game of the play-off is scheduled for 7 p.m. on May 28 at Hale Center.

Forward Teresa Mapp, scored all points for Hart with two successful field goal tries and four free throws.

Hale Center led the game 4-0 the first quarter. Hart got on the scoreboard the second quarter with Mapp sinking two free throws and one field goal. Hale Center led at halftime by a score of 10-4. Hale Center took their largest lead at the end of the third quarter. Mapp sank another field goal making Hart's score 6. The final quarter came with Hale Center making two field goals and Mapp sinking her last field goal for a final score of 18-8.

Mrs. Harold Bob Bennett is coach for the Minor League All-Stars with Mrs. J. D. Myrick and Dana McLain as her assistants.

The Major League All-Star Girls Little Dribblers played Hale Center All Stars May 26 in a practice game with Hart leading all the way.

Stacey Averitt racked up 18 points for Hart with Tammye Hill following close with 10 points and Estella Robledo sank two field goals for four points.

Final score was 32-12. The major league All Stars will play Hale Center Monday May 28 in a practice game. The Hart Major League All Stars Girls Little Dribblers will go to Littlefield Thursday May 31 to play their first game in the Regional Tournament. Hart and Dimmitt will clash at 6:45 p.m. Mrs. Barbara Turner is Major League coach.

THE SENIORS were honored guests of the First United Methodist Church on Tuesday morning for a breakfast.

Tables were covered with white cloths, centered with blue candles in circles of spring flowers, and miniature paper boy and girl graduates completed the table decor.

Brother Ray Forbes, pastor of the local Methodist Church, brought the message on the topic of "I Press Toward the Mark."

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Averitt and special guests of the seniors. The United Methodist Women prepared and served the meal.

KIPP Burnett, former Hart resident and youth director of the First Baptist Church, recently resigned and has accepted a position as youth director for summer months with the Eastern Hills Baptist Church in Albuquerque, N.M.

Rev. Bill Ratliff, former pastor of the Baptist Church in Hale Center is pastor of the Eastern Hills Church with a Sunday school enrollment of approximately 800.

Burnett will return to Plainview for the fall term at Wayland Baptist College.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. Cox of Tulsa presented the program on Tuesday at the May meeting of the Zealot Club in the community room of Farmers State Bank.

The couple showed slides and gave a travelogue of their trip to Denmark.

Hosting the event were Mmes. W. T. King, Deryl Cleverger, Lula Mae Hanes and L. C. McLain.

Members present were Mmes. Jimmy Ray Davis, Warren Lemons, Max Stephens, Lorenza Lee, Hubert McLain, Dub Holley and guest Suzanne Lemons, Dana Holley and Mr. and Mrs. Cox.

MRS. NORA RAY brought the program at the meeting of Girls in Action in fellowship hall of the Church.

The girls have been studying about missions, missionaries and their work, and Mrs. Ray related the story of the organization of the Hart Baptist Church.

Mrs. Harvey Davis assisted Mrs. Ray with the program. Mrs. Weldon Davis served re-

freshments to 17 members and guests, Kayna Nelson, Mrs. Howard Mitchell and Mrs. Ray, leaders, Mrs. Harold Bass, Mrs. Mac Davis and Mrs. Curtis Snitker.

HART HIGH School graduated 33 seniors last Thursday night at the commencement exercises in the Hart school auditorium.

Mrs. Weldon Davis played the professional and recession-al music. David Barham gave the invocation, and Dirk Rambo the salutatory address. Rhonda Newsom and Stanley Dyer read the class history.

Debbie Bailey, Helen Murray and Gayle Reed presented the special music.

W. E. Ammons, High School principal, made the presentation of awards. Jean Foster gave the valedictory address.

Supt. Ted Averitt, Principal, W. E. Ammons and School Board President Wamon Foster, presented the diplomas. The Alma Mater was presented by the senior class.

Awards presented were the PTA Scholarship by Mrs. Ben-



PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Garcia Jr. of Dimmitt. She was born May 21 at 10:35 a.m., weighed 5 pounds, 4 ounces, and has been named Sandra.

OUT OF TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lovell of Dimmitt are the parents of an 8-pound, 9-ounce girl born at 3:40 a.m. Friday in Root Memorial Hospital, Colorado City. They have named her Neely Danette.

FUN AFTER 50

Fun After 50 Club will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 in the community room of the courthouse. Members will play "42."

VETERANS' SERVICES

By BEDFORD W. SMITH County Veterans' Service Officer GI home loans in January rose four percent higher than a year earlier, sustaining a six-year generally upward trend.

Hospital news

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL: John Lee Landrum Frank Bauman Manuel Gonzales Petra Martinez Rick Wilcox Rinda Wilkinson Eva Butler H. T. Dodson J. A. Coughran Lena Ramey Ruby Coke Doris Booe Edna Follis Gale Sadler Mary Gil Elizabeth Madrid Lydia Garcia Lilian Cameron

PATIENTS DISMISSED: Iris Ballard Victor Hartman Mary Gonzales Frankie Ward Emilia Barrera Raymond Murillo Margaret Stewart Ruth Ringo Effie Dodd Bill Goldsmith Johnny Schmucker Jesus Garza Sandra Ward Helen Garcia Mary Lucy Garcia Ruth Parson Rodney Killough Linda Ellison Clara Patton Joe Trevino H. C. Nelson Curtis Bruegel Carl Bruegel Carolyn Hodges Linda Elder Maria Yanes Hubert Lilley Janie Walker

Kennedy to Bill Clifford; the Perry Foundation Award by Mrs. Kennedy to Dirk Rambo; the Zealot Club Scholarship by Mrs. Warren Lemons to Alan Shive; the Beta Sigma Phi So-

Texas' to have big opening night

"Texas," the musical drama of Texas history which plays in Palo Duro Canyon, will open its eighth season Thursday evening, June 21.

DURING THE opening night ceremonies, the 242nd person to enter will be given special recognition as the 500,000th member of the audience to see the production since it started in 1966.

The theme of opening night will be "Windmills." The Panhandle Heritage Foundation is bringing together equipment for the pumping of water in the early days, and is sponsoring a competition for the best paintings, drawings, photographs and three dimensional figures depicting windmills. Winners of the contest will display their creations on opening night.

Anyone who wishes to enter may write for the conditions and instructions to "Windmills," Box 268, Canyon, 79015. Those who enter will be asked to send slides or photographs of their work for consideration first. They should note that because of limitations of space, ONLY photographs of works (prints or slides) will be accepted for the first stage. These prints should be 8x10 or less.

The judges will study the reproductions and then ask the winning 10 in each class to bring their original work on opening night to be judged for the awards. All entries must be brought to the theatre June 21 after 5 p.m. and taken home after the production that evening. The names of the finalists will be listed in the opening night program and the best-of-show award will be given from the stage.

"Texas" will play from June 21 through Aug. 25, nightly except Sundays, this summer. For tickets write "Texas," Box 268, Canyon, 79015, or phone 655-2182.

KEEP EYE OUT FOR STOLEN CAR TITLES

The Texas Highway Dept. this week warned car dealers, banks, finance companies and the public to be aware of stolen negotiable automobile titles that probably will be used on stolen or converted vehicles.

One hundred thirty-four "original" blank negotiable titles with inventory numbers 16461982 through 16461215 printed on the back, were taken May 21 in an armed robbery from the Motor Division district office in Houston.

IN ADDITION, 24 "duplicate original" blank non-negotiable titles with inventory numbers 6192990 through 6193013 printed on the front were taken in the same robbery.

Anyone spotting one of these titles should notify the local police and the Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Dept. immediately.

MANY CONFLICTS of wills develop between parents and children because a parent thoughtlessly gives a choice when he is only willing to accept one answer, notes Jane Fleischer, specialist in family life education, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Colton producers are often tempted to go with an over-the-top application to "rescue" the cotton crop from grasses and weeds, says Weaver. Crop damage is often the result.

Favorable moisture and good price prospects have resulted in much interest in the Panhandle wheat crop. IN KEEPING with this interest and importance of wheat to this area, plans are being made for a Wheat Field Day at the U.S.D.A. Southwestern Great Plains Research Center at Bushland, Thursday, May 31, 1973, has been selected for the event which will start at 1 p.m. according to County Agent Charles Hottel.

Trucks and trailers will be on hand to take visitors to different parts of the 1600 acre station to observe wheat research in progress. Wheat breeding for yield, quality and desirable agronomic type, tillage research, chemical fallow and limited irrigation are some of the topics to be discussed by research personnel.

Visitors will have an opportunity to see commercial as well as experimental wheats grown side by side in test plots under both irrigated and dry-land conditions. They will hear about the potentials of improving wheat through hybridization with other wheat species and rye.

A number of short-strawed wheats with excellent potential for the High and Rolling Plains of Texas will also be available for observation.

HIGH FERTILITY coupled with the extremely favorable moisture this year has emphasized the need for shorter stiffer strawed wheats capable of producing high yields. Wheat representing a wide range of heights and types are being developed for different production situations by Dr. K. R. Porter, Texas A&M University wheat breeder, and his staff of skilled technicians.

Dr. Porter said there will be an opportunity for interested people to ask questions after the brief discussion by researchers at each stop. Research center personnel and a county Extension agent from a nearby county assigned to each group will comment on research along the tour route and answer questions or direct them to the proper source.

This event is being sponsored by the U.S.D.A. Southwestern Great Plains Research Center, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Wheat Producers Board.

Soil moisture may alter plans for weed control

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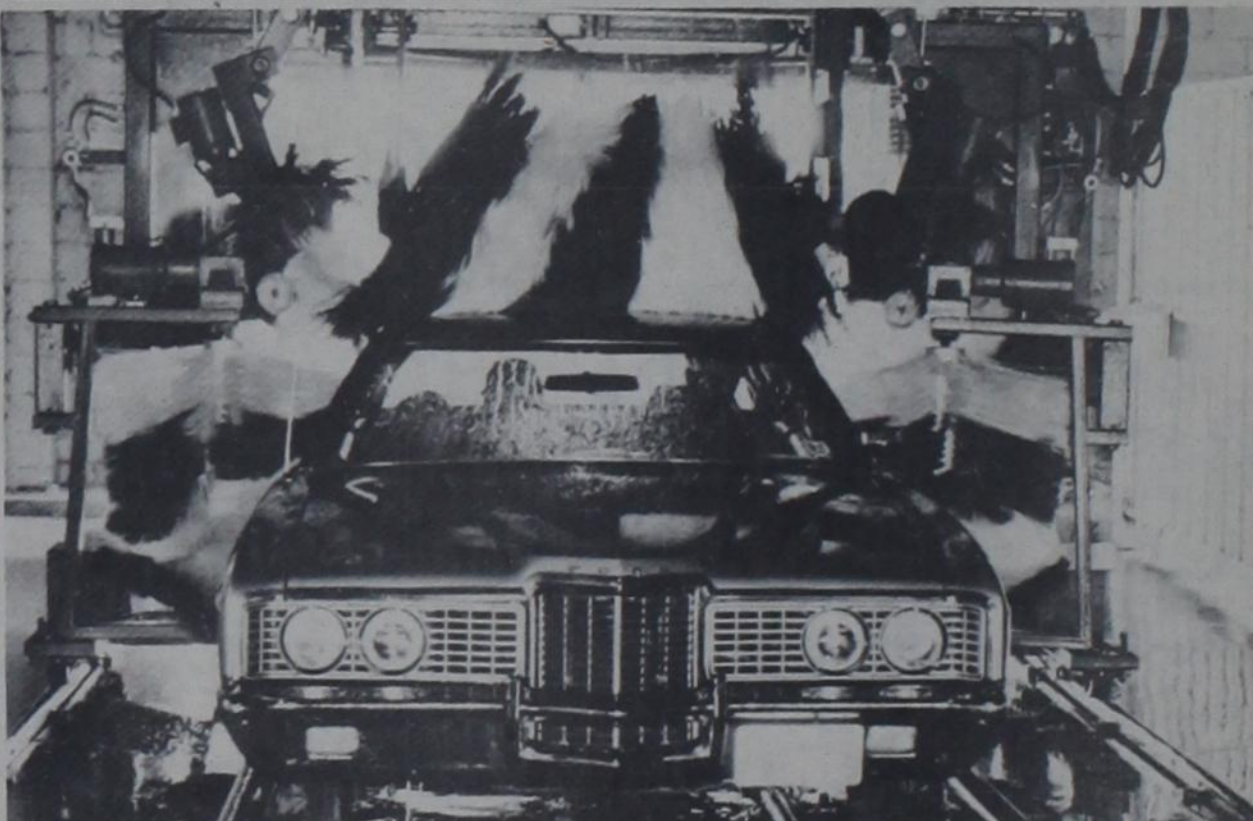
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closed car wash also features two self-service wash bays, Shamrock gasoline pumps, coin-operated vacuum and drying-towel dispenser, and full-time attendant. Local owners of the new business said a grand opening is planned for next month.

total loss—Danny McKay, 17, of Bovina was driving this spreader truck along a paved access road at Dimmitt Feed Yards last Thursday afternoon when, in his words, "it started spewing and all of a sudden caught fire." McKay escaped with

just a singed arm, but later the truck's three gas tanks exploded and this demolishing fire was the result. "I guess a gas line broke," McKay said. The truck was owned by his father, Mack McKay of Bovina.



YOUNG SINGERS in Dwight Joiner's music classes at South Elementary School presented their end-of-school program Friday morning. Here, the actors and the choir, "Uncle



Bill's Hillbilly Hecklers," present the final number in the children's "barnyard musical" program. The school's cafeteria was packed with students, teachers and parents.

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