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Commissioners endorse SSC

Castro County commissioners endorsed a resolution supporting the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce's efforts to obtain the Superconducting Supercollider during the regular commissioner's court meeting Monday at the courthouse in Dimmitt.

"It's imperative that we have your support," said Trent Hill, one of the Amarillo steering committee members, who was joined by Don Locke of Amarillo and Ray Bain, Jimmy Ross, Stanley Scheaffer, George Sides and Delores Heller, all of Dimmitt. However, like the City of Dimmitt on April 20, the county commissioners stopped short of offering money or services as enticements for landing what has been called the most important research project in history just north-east of Dimmitt.

Offerings from the area include:
■ Tulia, \$1 million in money and in-kind services;

■ Swisher County, \$500,000 in services, mostly in road improvements;

■ Hereford, \$2 million, most of which is for water;

■ Canyon, \$3 million, including potable water and treated wastewater for construction and cooling needs;

■ Amarillo, \$250,000 from the Amarillo Industrial Foundation to be used by the steering committee;

■ Numerous pledges from private sources for land and other resources.

"We could have \$30 million in pledges, but they would probably never be called upon. It is important, though, to the state and to the Dept. of energy that we can show this kind of support. The state is ready to kick in \$500 million for the project, too."

Hill said the committee's goal is "to win the state finals," competing against 14 other proposed sites in

the state. The "finals" begin with the submission of a detailed proposal by 5 p.m. Tuesday for consideration by a state committee, which will then make a recommendation to Gov. Bill Clements.

"If we win state, the big ballgame then is for national."

"This is the Panhandle's game to lose," Locke said.

"We're in the top two or three," Hill said. "We can at least show everyone that we are an aggressive area. We have so much we can gain because this is a positive economic force. Everybody's house, everybody's farm will be worth considerably more if we win. If we win, we can then be selective on what type of industry and businesses we have in the future."

"We would be the state's golden child."

After the delegation left, the commissioners unanimously adopted a resolution in favor of the

Amarillo committee's efforts to procure the SSC, but Pct. 4 Commissioner Vincent Guggemos, in whose precinct the SSC would be located, said it "would not be a big benefit to our area. I'll support the resolution, but I'm not really in favor of the thing (SSC)."

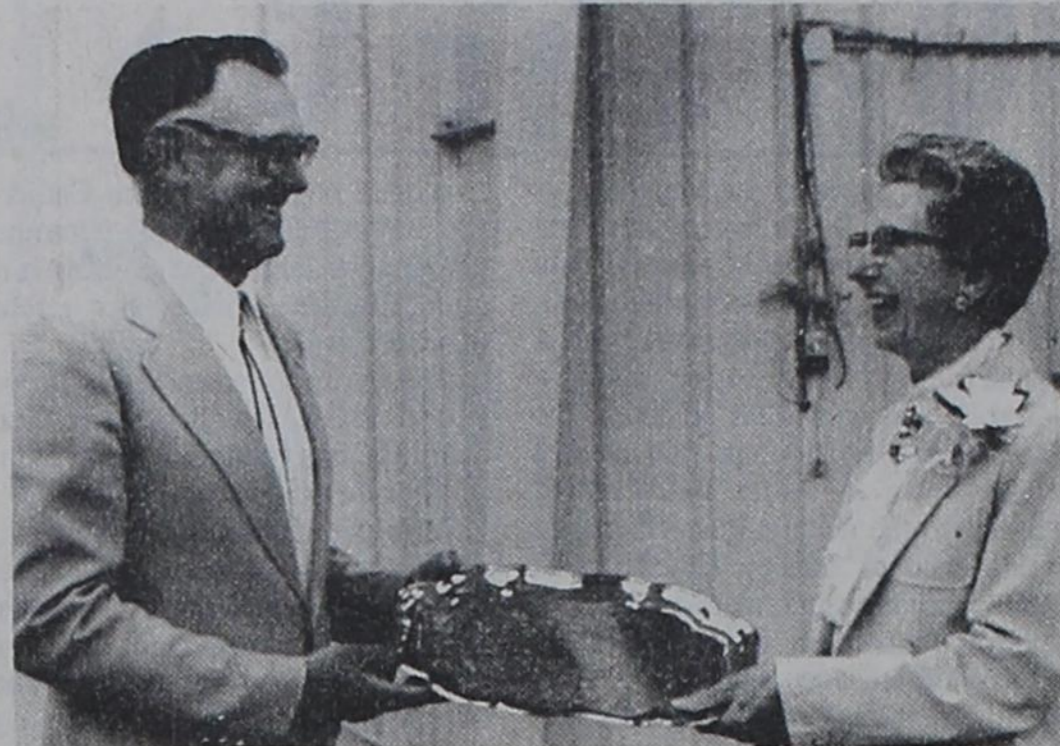
"I think it will not be nearly as good for us as it will be for Happy, but we will benefit," said Pct. 2 Commissioner Jeff Robertson.

Commissioners then heard the flip side of the DOE coin—an update from Delbert Devin, head of the Nuclear Waste Task Force, on work on a proposed site for a permanent, high-level nuclear waste dump about 40 miles north of Dimmitt.

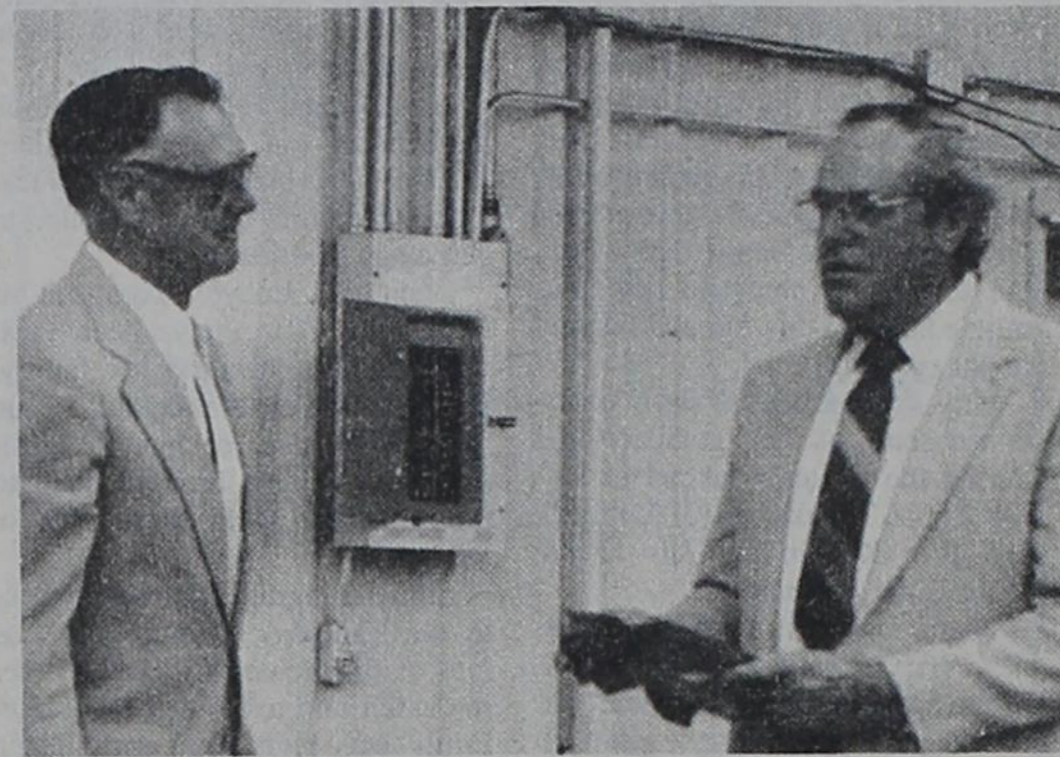
The site is one of three being considered by DOE for the nation's nuclear dump.

Devin said Steve Frishman, a

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SCS HOMEMAKER OF THE YEAR
... Clarence Behrends presents tray to Annie Harder



CONSERVATION FARMER OF THE YEAR
... Norman Hinchliffe receives award from Clarence Behrends, left

'Awareness Week' begins Monday

"Awareness Week" will begin Monday in Dimmitt.

The Chamber of Commerce asks that all local residents, for one full week, make all their necessary purchases in Dimmitt.

The campaign has three main goals: (1) to determine the impact

of the concentrated effort on the city's economy, (2) to encourage shoppers to talk with local retail and service people about their needs, and how they can be better served, and (3) to generate an "awareness" by both shopper and merchant that may lead to increased

local trade.

The campaign will begin with a kickoff breakfast at 7 a.m. Monday in Lamar Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church. All interested persons are invited.

A breakfast of scrambled eggs, bacon and Hopson's sausage will be served, with donations of \$1 per person requested to help defray the cost. Garland Coleman will head up the cooking crew, and volunteers will help serve.

"We'll have a short program—not over 30 minutes, so everyone can get to work on time," said Merchants Committee Chairman Walt Hansen, who will serve as the emcee.

"Awareness Week" will start at the breakfast table," Hansen said. "We want the dialogue between the shoppers and the merchants to begin there. We're going to call for critiques from shoppers, and for the merchants' viewpoints."

Winners of a drawing and slogan contest will be determined by judges today (Thursday), and the winning entries will be put together to form a trade-at-home emblem for

Five qualify for state UIL

Five county students have qualified for the state UIL academic contests after placing in the regional contests Friday and Saturday in Levelland and Big Spring.

Joey Flores, second in shorthand, and Joel Wilson, second in Lincoln-Douglas debate, will represent Hart High School.

From Nazareth, Russell Acker, first in informative speaking and second in ready writing; Allen Birkenfeld, third in editorial writing; and Stacy Albracht, gold medal winner in news writing and feature writing, will compete in the state contest May 7 through 9.

Also honored from Nazareth was Phillip Durbin, top scorer in physics.

Basketball reunion, games set Saturday

The second annual "Bouncing for Breath" basketball games and reunion will be held Saturday at 3 p.m. at Dimmitt Middle School.

The reunion and games will benefit Cystic Fibrosis.

Games will feature former Bobbies and Bobcats and Kids, Inc. basketball teams.

A reunion of all former Dimmitt Bobcats and Bobbies will be hosted by Peggy Webb, A'llan Bradley, Geneva Schaeffer, Stan Byrnes, and Myrtle Lois and Scott Moran at 3 p.m., with all former high school

Dimmitt. The winners will be announced and the emblem unveiled at the breakfast.

Chamber Manager Delores Heller reported that seven drawings and 18 slogans have been entered in the contests. First-place winners will receive \$30 gift certificates good anywhere in Dimmitt, and the two runners-up will receive \$15 each.

"Awareness Week" is one of the biggest trade-at-home campaigns here in years.

"What we're trying for is to have one week in which everybody abstains as much as possible from shopping out of town," Hansen said. "We think this will stimulate more communication between the stores and the shoppers, and will result in better service to the customers."

"We're asking people to make a total commitment to our town for just a week to see what effect it will have for both the merchants and the shoppers," Merchants Committee member Jim Killingsworth said. "We'll gladly take the extra time to communicate with you if you'll take the time to come in and talk. We want your complaints—we need to know what you want."

Many local stores are advertising specials during "Awareness Week" to provide an incentive to local residents to trade at home.

RES schedules pre-registration

Pre-registration for pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten students at Richardson Elementary School will be held Wednesday from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m.

Pre-Kindergarten is for children who will be four before Sept. 1, and Kindergarten is for children who will be five before Sept. 1.

Parents should bring the child, for eye and ear examinations, and the child's birth certificate and immunization record.

Hinchliffe, Harder top SCS honorees

Norman Hinchliffe and Annie Harder were honored by the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District as the Absentee Conservation Farmer of the Year and the Conservation Homemaker of the Year at the District's annual awards banquet Friday at the Expo Building.

The featured speaker for the evening was Carlos Calvert of Dimmitt.

Hinchliffe and Harder along with the second place essay winner in the county, Russell Acker, were also regional winners and will be honored Tuesday at the Regional SCS banquet in Lubbock.

Harder and Hinchliffe were regional runners-up and Acker submitted the third place essay.

Hinchliffe, originally from Mexico, is a resident of Earth and farms 1,360 acres in Castro County.

He began working for the Soil Conservation Service in 1949 and worked in Hamilton and Hamstead until 1958. He holds a degree in agronomy from Texas A&M University.

He and his wife, Jerry and their four children, David, Karen, Camille and Jason moved to Earth in 1960. In 1970, Hinchliffe became the co-owner and manager of Earth Ag Supply, a farm supply store.

Hinchliffe was selected as the Conservation Farmer of the Year for his conservation practices throughout the years.

He has practiced conservation cropping systems, crop residue management and irrigation water management through the use of surge valves and a LEPA system that was installed on his center pivot sprinkler system on his 1,029 acres of cropland. He has established a farmstead windbreak of Russian live and Afghanistan pines which is irrigated by a drip or trickle irrigation system.

In Sept. 1983, he initiated a conservation plan with the Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District on 640 acres and installed 3,197 feet of irrigation pipeline, two side-row sprinklers and established 28 acres of alfalfa as well as 35 acres of Bermuda and Jose Wheatgrass on graded borders.

During 1983, he also added 720 acres to the original contract with conservation practices scheduled. Before the year was up, a center

pivot sprinkler was installed for more practical water management.

In 1985, three more center pivots were installed, as well as 4,818 feet of irrigation pipeline.

Hinchliffe installed 1,150 feet of irrigation pipeline, established 12.8 acres of Jose Wheatgrass and 37.6 acres of Switchgrass during 1986.

He is scheduled to seed 40 acres of Plains Bluestem grass in 1987.

He has been an outstanding conservation leader in the community and is a leader in civic organizations in the Springlake-Earth community.

In selecting Harder as the Conservation Homemaker of the Year, the RWSWCD said "the Harder home is a beautiful sight, with several windbreaks that are both practical and beautiful. Many small trees have been planted in the yard to replace trees lost during several extensive hail storms. Annie and her husband, Ernest, always have a large garden and can and freeze most of their food. Conservation is a favorite subject of the Harders, and they are outstanding in practicing what they believe."

The Harders were married 45 years ago in Custer County, Okla. They have three sons, Gerald, Norman and J.D., all graduated of West Texas University with degrees in agriculture. All the sons reside in Hereford.

Residents of the Easter community, the Harders farm there and are active in the Frio Baptist Church. Annie has been active in the Frio Homemakers Club.

She has several hobbies which include assisting her daughter-in-law, Michelle Harder, in making her famous corn husk dolls. Annie has a beautiful doll collection on display in her dining room. Her other hobbies include raising many beautiful houseplants and sewing for her family and neighbors.

Her contributions to her family, neighbors and community have earned her the admiration of all who know her.

Poster and essay winners were also honored at the banquet.

The second place essay winner in the county, Acker will receive a \$50 bond. Acker's sister, Lorelea finished first in the county contest. She will receive a \$75 bond.

Poster winners include Blake Ellis, fifth grader at Dimmitt Middle School, first; Brandon Schilling, sixth grader from the Nazareth schools, second; and April Bennett, sixth grader from the Hart schools, third.

Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	74	28	
Friday	78	38	
Saturday	77	38	
Sunday	78	39	
Monday	78	40	
Tuesday	80	42	
Wednesday	81	44	
April Moisture			0.05
1987 Moisture			1.81

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer

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As shoppers, are we making full use of our town?

Do we study the ads and keep our eyes out for the bargains and services that are available to us?

Are we really aware of the number of good service people we have in town—people who are as good at what they do as anyone anywhere?

If not, maybe it's high time we became aware of some of these things. That's one of the purposes of "Awareness Week" in Dimmitt next week.

And as a shopper, do you think our business people are really aware of what you want and need? That's another goal of "Awareness Week"—to make sure they know.

I'm in a unique position to study what's available in town, because I work with our business and service people almost every day, and I write many of their ads for them.

I buy everything I can here because I make my living here. It isn't at all hard for me to trade at home because my paycheck comes from advertising revenue from local businesses. If I take the money they've paid me and spend it out of town and help put some local guy out of business, then I haven't gotten a bargain at all.

Most business and professional people who understand the cycle of generated dollar turnover and sales-tax benefits probably feel the same way as I about trading at home.

If I can't find what I want, I don't mind asking. We all buy a lot of items that we don't have to have by 4 o'clock, or by Tuesday, that can be special-ordered.

I've got just one personal complaint: shoes. I wear a size 12, and you can't get much selection in that gauge of boat anywhere—even in metropolitan shoe stores. But now I've found a brand of everyday shoes that I dearly love: (made in Texas, by gosh—by the San Antonio Shoe Co.). During "Awareness Week," I'm going to ask if somebody here can land the dealership for SAS's,

so I won't have to go out of town to find them. (And it won't be just for me—there must be a thousand pairs of SAS shoes doing their thing for tired feet around town.)

Books. Do you like to read the latest best-seller? If you can't find it on the local book racks, you don't have to go to Lubbock, Amarillo or Plainview to get it. Just call or stop by our public library. Brick Autry tells me that Rhoads Memorial now orders books for an average of 50 persons per week who want to either check out or buy a new book. The library stays in constant touch with publishers' lists of new books, and is now plugged into a computer network to provide even faster book-finding service.

There are lots of ways we can all promote more trade in Dimmitt if we just stay aware of the possibilities. For instance, when the Ladies' Golf Association holds its annual Ladies' Partnership/Dimmitt Darlin's Tournament in June, it will award local gift certificates as prizes for the tournament winners. This will encourage players from out of town to shop here also.

Some of us don't think about these odds and ends as we go about our daily shopping routines. But these little things add up, and when they're bundled together they can have a lot of impact on the town.

That's what "Awareness Week" is all about. We need to be more aware of shopping habits that can help or hurt our town. And if we want something changed, we need to communicate with the merchants involved. When it comes to retail trade, it's the shopper who ultimately calls the tune, and who determines whether an individual store—or a town—will survive.

My Dad always wrapped it up simply and directly with his 15-word slogan: "When you trade at home you help to keep a place at home to trade."

By Don Nelson

On the Go

with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

"Music Through the Years!"
That was the theme of the First Baptist Church choir banquet held Friday night in the Fellowship Hall. The tables were decorated with a black and white music staff, a treble sign and notes all along the tables with music fans. Red candles and bows in white vases added color to the decorations. The menu consisted of brisket, baked beans, rolls, potato salad, tossed salad and pina colada cake. Wes and Kimberly Wellborn accompanied by Shirley Peggram, brought the inspirational and entertaining program. They sang selections from the 30s, 40s, 50s 60s and 70s as well as other numbers. Several celebrities were seen among the guests, Loretta Lynn, Tina Turner, Ray Charles, Tom Jones and his wife, Papa and Mama Cass, Annie Get Your Gun, Willie Nelson and his twin brother, Lulu Roman, Kenny Rogers and his wife and Minnie Pearl. Debra Ball, the social chairman and her committee planned this fun and inspirational evening.

Guy and Oleta Walser entertained some of their grandchildren during the Easter weekend including Tricia Touchstone of Lubbock and Ron Rankin and his friend, Jeana Elms of Amarillo. Clara Dollar's brother, August Ehni arrived early Saturday morning to spend a day or two with her. He lives in Woodbury, Minn. It was the first time in about 7 years that they have seen each other. Bonnie, Jessica and Andrew Bellville and Tammy and Brandon Beard of Amarillo also spent the weekend. Clara's brother, Augie, was going to El Paso to visit his sister, Molly Warner and her husband Bob, then to Tucson, Ariz., to see his mother, Anna Ehni and his sister and her family, Ella and Bob Lehman and family. The Colorado Children's Chorale captivated the hearts of all who attended the Community Concerts program on Friday night. 30 talented young singers, grades two through eight, under the artistic direction of founder Duain Wolfe, sang many children's songs in the first half of the program and then performed a musical, "Tunes in His Head," by Samuel Lancaster. The harmony was superb. The children acted out their parts convincingly and completely enthralled the audience. The Colorado Children's Chorale celebrated the union of music and youthful energy. These fine singers prove that talent, dedication and professionalism can be developed at any age. Ushers were Lori Glidewell and Lisa Widick. Tina Rawlings, Ann Ethington and Deanne Clark traveled to Clarendon where they toured the restored home of the S.W. Lowe family. The home is a 1904 landmark of Panhandle ranching heritage with a superb example of Queen Anne Victorian architecture and is now owned by Tina's sister-in-law, Dr. Zell SoRelle. Dr. SoRelle is responsible for the restoration and registration by the National Historical Society. She has now retired from her teaching at West Texas State University in linguistics and phonetics and now conducts tours for individuals or groups and gives Victorian teas. Dr. SoRelle has traveled world-wide and has placed many furnishings and momentos from her travels in her home. Tina, Ann and Deanne then visited the Methodist Church, soon to celebrate its 100th birthday. Dee Williams, formerly of Dimmitt, was practicing the organ for worship services and visited with the ladies. Jim Hays, cousin of Robert Benton, was practicing the organ (installed in 1912) at the Episcopal Church, and sent greetings to the Benton family. Nancy Ross hosted her bridge club this past week. She served a tasty pasta salad and cheesecake to Sandra Clark, Pat Braafladt, Stefanie Love, Martha Hyman, Deanne Clark, Martie Benton and Joyce Rickerd. Sandra won high score and Pat won second high. Jean Petty flew to Houston to visit her brother and to drive her mother home.

Debbie Felts heard from Catherine Ekern, formerly of Dimmitt, who reports that life in California is great, but she misses her tennis players. The Percy Parsons family drove Percy's sister, Jewell home to Graham. She has been visiting in Dimmitt for the past several weeks. Jerre Shultz had her piano students perform in their final recital for the year at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. A large crowd of parents and relatives and friends heard the 21 students play their pianos and then were served punch and cookies. Certificates and pins were presented to the students who played in Plainview Saturday where they were judged in National competition. Doricell and Johnnie Davis took an evening out to celebrate their January anniversary this past week. Doricell reports that it was nice to slip away together. Gene and Lucye Thompson of Cleveland, Tenn., have been visiting their daughter and her family, Elaine and Alan Steinle and Jenna. They were here for Jenna's birthday party. Elaine brought them to the museum while they were in Dimmitt. Emily Clingsmith was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a fun day of bridge. Emily won high score and Oleada Schumacher won second high score. Others playing were Virginia Crider, Sal DiCuffa, Cleo Forson, Era Heckerson, Edith Graef, Opha Burks, Neva Hickey, Helen Braafladt, Ferne Dickey, Louise Mears, Jo Gregory, Loranel Hamilton, Elizabeth Huckabay, and Rosalee Hawkins. The "Festival of Learning," was observed in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday. 30,000 balloons were released Monday. My great-granddaughter, Adria Lankford, participated in the activities on Monday and my granddaughter, Lauren Lankford was a member of the Amarillo High Sandie Band that played on Tuesday. The band had just returned from Corpus Christi where they had performed for the festival contest there. I went with Mary Lynn Saturday

"Seasons of Life," musical experience for the family of God was presented by the 125 member choir at the First Baptist Church in Amarillo Sunday evening. This inspirational musical was compiled by Bob Oldenburg and arranged by Lanny Allen. Janice Davis was the pianist; David Lowe, organist; James Beckham and Toby Scarborough, percussion; and Stephanie Bowen, harp. The four seasons were observed: 1. "Spring — More than Life," with songs such as "I've got Peace Like a River," "If You Want Joy," and "Love is the Theme." The spotlight was on groupings of spring flowers. 2. "Summer — More than Freedom," with songs including "Glorious Freedom," "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory," "My Country 'tis of Thee," with the spotlight on the American and Christian flags. 3. "Fall — More than Thanksgiving," with songs "All Good Gifts," "My Jesus, I Love Thee," "To God Be the Glory," and "How Great Thou Art," with the spotlight on fall flowers and trees with autumn leaves. 4. "Winter — More Than Family," with the choir singing "Home, Sweet Home," "Bless This House," "Together," "Happy the Home," and "A Christian Home," with the spotlight on huge Christmas wreaths and greenery. Bill and Mary Lynn Lankford furnished the flowers and decorated the church for this special occasion. An ordination service honoring Lanny Allen was observed following the service. This choir will be going to England in June to present the musical in the churches there. This presentation was a practice session Sunday. Bob and Phyllis Mooney and I were among the out-of-town guests. I always see Larry Oglesby, an usher and former Dimmitt resident, when I attend church services in Amarillo. Wayne and Paula Proffitt observed their 14th wedding anniversary over the weekend.

afternoon to Amarillo where she practiced with a trio that was to sing on Sunday morning. One of the ladies was Bobbie Walser Coffman, a cousin of Guy Walser of Dimmitt. We had a good visit with her. Jeff Watts, who has been invited to join the Barry Wood Ministries in Basketball Outreach 1987 to Kenya, gave his testimony at FBC on Sunday morning. They will be involved in basketball clinics and playing games with Kenyan athletes. Keri Hodges Ferguson and her six-week-old son, Tyler, of Edmond, Okla., have been visiting Beth and Jack Hodges of Panhandle. Keri drove to Tulsa Friday to visit her brother, Boyd Hodges and came to Dimmitt to see her grandmother, Boral Hance. Boral went to Panhandle with Keri and enjoyed seeing her great-grandson. Keri and Tyler returned to Edmond Tuesday.

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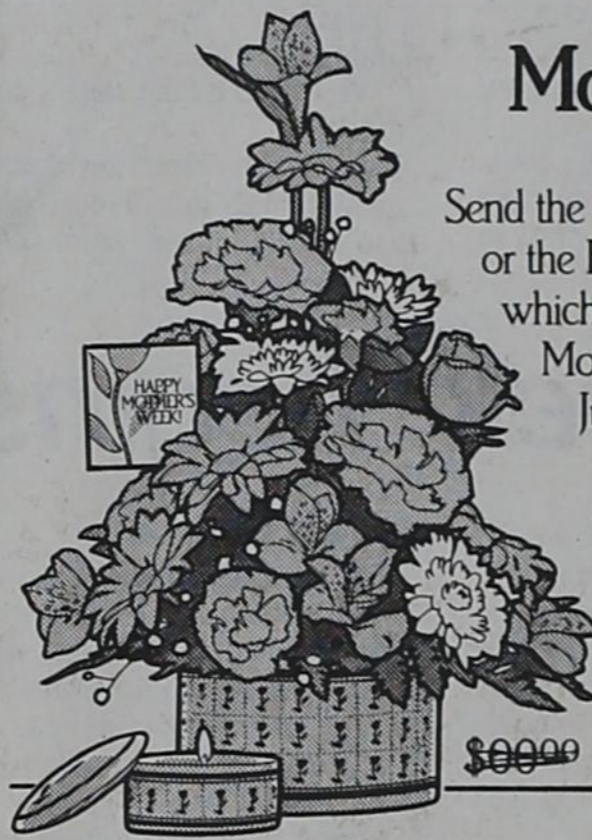
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Awareness Week

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He used only the best wieners, buns and relishes that he could buy. He always treated his customers with respect, and asked them how they wanted their hot dogs.

His hot-dog stand became a gathering place for a growing crowd of customers at lunchtime. His business flourished. He did so well, in fact, that he was able to send his son to college.

He swelled with pride when his son graduated with a degree in business, and started helping him with his hot-dog stand.

"Business is so good, I'm thinking of opening another stand," he told his son.

"Oh, no, Dad," the son said. "This is not a good time for expansion. The economy is shaky, the value of the dollar is declining in the world market, and the stock market can't keep its upward trend much longer. Hard times are coming."

"Thank goodness my son is so smart," the man said. "He kept me from making a big mistake."

Then the son said, "Dad, the way you're running your business isn't cost-effective. You're spending too much for your materials, and the expense is cutting into your profit margin. You should start using cheaper wieners and buns, cut down on your choice of relishes, put more ice in the drink cups, and serve fewer chips with your hot dogs. Hard times are coming."

"My son is smart and educated, and knows about these things, so I'd better listen to him," the man thought. And he did what his son suggested.

Business fell off. "Dad, your sales are down, so you'd better start using the cheapest wieners you can find, and go to day-old buns," the son said. "Hard times are coming."

Again the father followed his son's advice. Soon he had no more customers, and had to close his stand.

"My son was right," the old man said. "The hard times are here, just like he said they'd be."

If it's so easy to turn things around when times are good, then isn't it possible to turn things around when the times aren't so good?

It's certainly worth a try. As shoppers, we are all being asked to buy every necessary thing that we can in Dimmitt next week, and talk with our business people about how they can serve us better.

We urge you to take part in "Awareness Week," May 4-10. Maybe we can turn things around.



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Your Church Needs YOU Need Your Church

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rev. Norman McCutchen, Pastor 302 SE 2nd Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....11:00 Evangelistic Service.....7:00 Wednesday— Mid-Week Service.....7:00	HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC Father Brendan Sherry Nazareth—945-2616 Sunday— Sunday Morning Mass.....9:00 Saturday— Saturday Night Obligation Mass.....7:30 Week Days— Morning Masses.....7:30 Baptism—last Sunday of each month.	FIRST UNITED METHODIST Vernon O'Kelly, Pastor 110 SW 3rd 647-4106 or 647-4107 Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....10:45 MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi.....5:30 Evening Worship.....6:30 Wednesday— General Meeting WCS, Morning.....9:30 Choir, Night.....7:30
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Ken Cole, Pastor 1201 Western Circle Drive Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....11:00 Training Union.....6:00 Evening Worship.....7:00 Wednesday— Prayer Meeting.....7:30 Choir Rehearsal.....8:10	ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Hart Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator Tuesday— Evening Reconciliation.....7:00 Evening Mass.....8:00 Sunday— Sunday Morning Mass.....11:00	IGLESIA DE CRISTO E. Lee and SE 3rd Evangelista—Jose Valdez Sunday— Bible Study.....9:30 Morning Worship.....10:30 Evening Worship.....6:00 Wednesday— Bible Classes for all.....7:30
LEE STREET BAPTIST Phone 647-2300 Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....11:00 Training Union.....6:00 Wednesday— Mid-Week Services.....7:30	CHURCH OF CHRIST SW 4th at Bedford Greg Harper, Minister Sunday— Bible Study.....9:30 Morning Worship.....10:30 Evening Worship.....6:00 Wednesday— Bible Class for all.....7:30	MACEDONIA BAPTIST 412 North East Street Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....11:00 Training Union.....6:00 Evening Workshop.....7:00 Monday— W.M.U.....4:30 Tuesday— Brotherhood.....7:55 Wednesday— Prayer Meeting.....7:30 Friday— Sanctuary Choir.....
CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 309 NW 4th - 647-3403 Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Morning Worship.....11:00 Evening Worship.....6:00 Wednesday— Wednesday Service.....7:00	NEW HOPE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James Alexander, Pastor Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Morning Worship.....11:00 Evening Worship.....7:30 Wednesday— Mid-Week Services.....7:30	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Norbert Choong, Administrator 1001 W. Halsell—647-4219 Saturday— Evening Mass.....5:00 Sunday— Morning Mass.....8:00 Morning Mass.....9:30 Weekday Mass— Friday.....8:00 Reconciliations— Friday.....7:00 Saturday.....4:15-4:45
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 600 Western Drive - 647-5478 David Keller, Minister Sunday— Bible Study.....9:45 Morning Worship and Lord's Supper.....10:50 Evening Worship.....7:00 Wednesday— Bible Study.....7:00	SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST Bentley Gwyn, Pastor Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Morning Worship.....11:00 Training Union.....6:00 Evening Worship.....7:00 Wednesday— Prayer Service.....7:30	PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA MEXICANA 301 NE 7th — 647-7289 Sunday— Sunday School.....9:45 Morning Worship.....10:45 Evening Worship.....6:00
LA ASAMBLEA CRISTIANA "Full Gospel" - 400 NE 5th Pastor Ruben Velasquez Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Morning Worship.....11:30 Sunday Night.....7:00 Wednesday— Wednesday Night.....7:30 Friday— Prayer.....7:30	FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Hart Steve Ulrey, Pastor Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Morning Worship.....11:00 U.M.U.....5:00 Evening Worship.....6:30	LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St. Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Sermon.....11:30 Lord's Supper and Feet Washing.....11:30 Evening Worship.....7:30 Wednesday— Wednesday Services.....7:30
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Edward D. Freeman, Pastor Sunday— Church School.....10:00 Common Worship.....11:00 Wednesday— Bible Study.....7:00	LA IGLESIA DE DIOS DEL PRIMOJENITO East Halsell St. Sunday— Sunday School.....10:00 Sermon.....11:30 Lord's Supper and Feet Washing.....11:30 Evening Worship.....7:30 Wednesday— Wednesday Services.....7:30	

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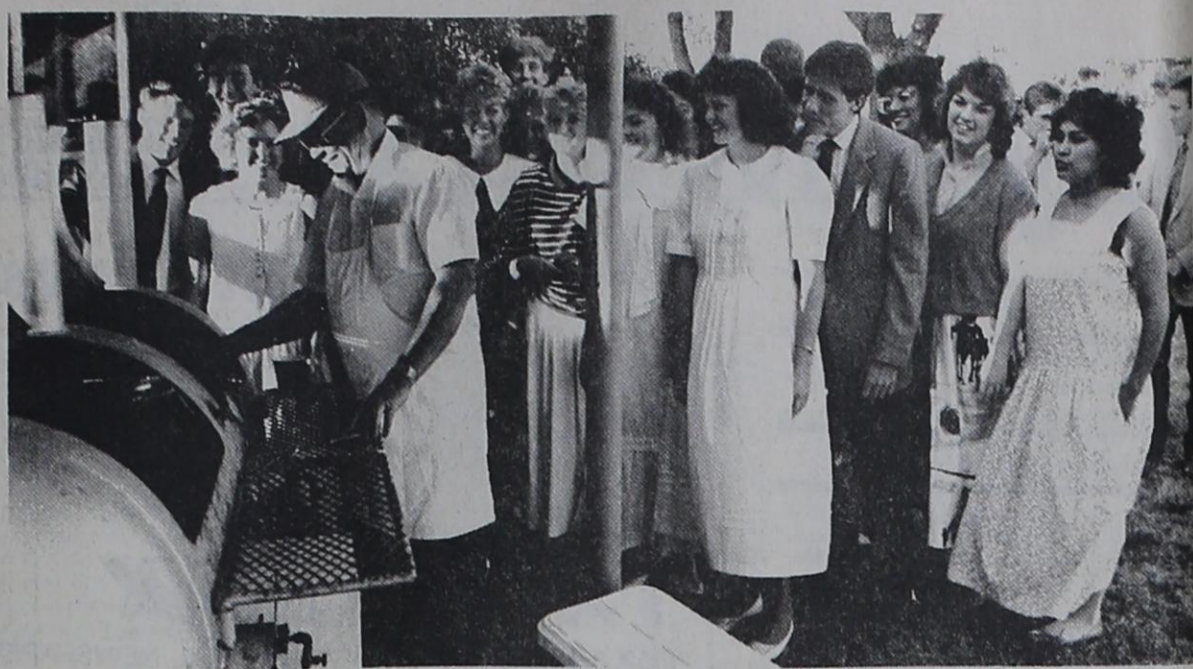
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GREAT EXPECTATIONS — Dimmitt High School Key Club members wait anxiously while volunteer chef E. M. Jones finishes the steaks for their Installation Banquet Thursday evening at The Calico Teapot. Thirty-four Key Clubbers from Dimmitt and Hereford attended.

Key Club installs Dannevik

Paul Dannevik became the president of the Dimmitt High School Key Club for the coming year at the club's annual Installation Banquet last Thursday evening.

Other new officers installed were Cary Buchanan, vice-president; Kristi Petty, secretary; Stacy Wilson, treasurer; and Beth Sams, reporter.


Installing officer was District Lt. Gov. Justin Flood, who was accompanied by a delegation from Hereford.

Thirty-four Key Club members from the two cities attended the banquet, which was held at The Calico Teapot and featured steaks grilled by E. M. Jones.

The Key Club is a volunteer service organization for high school students, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

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7-M Thriftway will be the top seed for the Castro County Men's Volleyball League tournament starting Monday at King's Pro shop at Broadway and Jones in Dimmitt.

Joining the Thriftway team as top seeds at the end of the round-robin are Seale's Raiders, Spurs and Hays' Contenders. Other teams in the tournament will be Dimmitt Printing, Video Magic, King's Pros, Stump's Dudes, Over The Hill Gang, King's Bronks, Har-

man's and the Cobras.

The public is invited to attend the games at no charge. The tournament will start at 7:30 p.m.

A new summer league will start May 13. Anyone interested in playing or entering a team may call Joe King at 647-5205 or 647-4587.

PMH benefit rodeo scheduled

A group of "concerned citizens" will hold a rodeo and dance to benefit Plains Memorial Hospital May 29 and 30 at the Dimmitt Rodeo Arena.

Performances will be held each night at 8:30 p.m., and will be followed by a dance at the arena slab featuring South 40.

The rodeo will include traditional rodeo events plus novice bareback and bullriding. Books will be open from 12 to 6 p.m. on May 26 at 794-2317.

Persons interested in participating or making donations to help with expenses may call Sue Evans at 938-2253 or Billie Terry at 647-2191.



THE DIMMITT FFA Livestock Judging team won second place in the Area I contest held recently at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Top, from left, are advisor Randy Waldrip, Charlynn Hunter, Kim Gleghorn and Dr. Robert Long, animal science chairman at TTU; seated are Trampas Moke and Chad Smithson. 92 teams competed in the contest.

Immigration meeting set

A meeting to explain the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 will be held May 11 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Dimmitt City Hall.

Dr. Richard A. Edwards, an Extension Service marketing specialist from Texas A&M University, will give an overview of the Act, discuss employer sanctions, and detail the legalization process of employees.

"This law will affect everyone, not just in agriculture. If you write someone a paycheck this meeting will be of benefit to you," said County Extension Agent Seth Ralston.

The meeting is being sponsored by WIFE, the Dimmitt Chamber of

Schacher, Harman are USAA honorees

Wayne Schacher and Renea Harman, both of Dimmitt, have been named award winners by the United States Achievement Academy.

Schacher, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schacher of Dimmitt and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Acker of Nazareth, was nominated by Dimmitt High School Counselor John Thomas.

Renea, the daughter of Billy and Carolyn Harman of Dimmitt and granddaughter of Bill and Paula Harman of Dimmitt and Everett and Bea Cole of Hart, was nominated by Dimmitt Middle School science teacher Janice Smith.

The two will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook.

Varner reports for duty

Marine Gunnery Sgt. Marcus J. Varner, son of Betty F. Varner of 802 W. Andrews in Dimmitt, recently reported for duty at Marine Corps Development and Education Command in Quantico, Va.

DHS lists honor roll

The fifth six weeks honor roll has been announced for Dimmitt High School.

The list includes:

Seniors—Jacalyn Thompson, Ronna Lewis, Kerri Collins, Joel Nelson, Jacquelin Spinhome, Cara Odom, Scott Hill, Charlynn Hunter, Sharla Richards and Jesus Yanez;

Juniors—Chanin Roes, Jim Nelson, Cary Buchanan, Reagan Frye, Greg Gentry, Scott Sava, Denise Schulte, Jerry McMillon, Patrick Killingsworth and Toni Gabel;

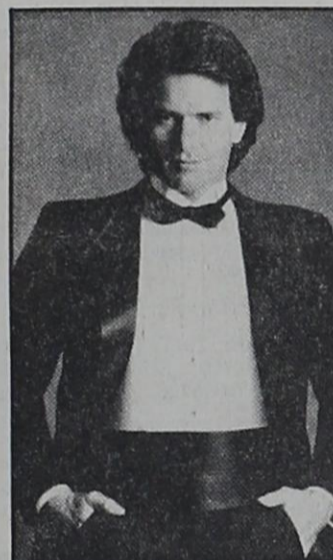
Sophomores—Wayne Schacher, Brian Stewart, Kelly Goolsby, Aaron Odom, Jo Hyman, Maggi Paxton, Beth Sams, Justin Nelson, Becky Rukowski and Sydelle McDonald;

Freshmen—Danna Ralston, Tito Villanueva, Kristi Sims, Jennifer Hanners, Tish Miller, Linda Mora, Sandra Sandoval, Kara Schulte, Barry Hill and Justin Shultz.

Bradley earns honor

Kyle Bradley of Lubbock, son of Carl and Jeri Bradley of Lubbock and grandson of Weldon and Irene Bradley of Dimmitt, has been named Academic All-American by the National Secondary Education Council.

Bradley, who attends Lubbock High School, was nominated by Coach David McKinnis.



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Letter

School should change policy

Dear Editor,
Although the school year is almost over, and the current school policies have been in effect for some time, I am asking the local school board to have a special meeting regarding the rule that discriminates against the girls in varsity athletics.

The current policy says girls in basketball are not allowed to be cheerleaders unless they give up basketball. This rule is unfair.

If cheerleaders can be involved in other activities and basketball is the only activity that has to be affected by cheerleading duties then it seems it is very clear that girls in basketball are not being treated equal or fair compared to the other school-related activities that are also time-consuming and demand a lot of extra efforts, such as FFA, band, choir, speech, drama, etc.

Other area schools allow the varsity girls to be cheerleaders. If it were such an impossibility, then surely all our area schools would have a rule similar to Dimmitt's. The current Dimmitt rule was voted into effect several years ago because of some problems. My feelings are that the problem was handled appropriately then. Discipline should have been used and responsible adults should have made the misbehaving girls aware that they could and would be replaced if they did not shape up.

Regardless of that situation, the rule is not fair now. It penalizes students who have the ambition, talent and physical capabilities to be cheerleaders.

The rights of this small group of girls in varsity athletics are being taken away because of the alleged wrongs of a group of girls some years ago. Is this fair?

School officials say cheerleading and athletics will be a hardship on the girls. Who has the right to decide what group of girls or boys will and will not have a hardship due to extra-curricular activities? It seems to many people that we have approached about this issue that the rule is unfair and that the decision should be left up to the girl or boy who wants to try out and his or her parents, not the school board or superintendent.

My daughter and other girls in athletics want a chance to be cheerleaders, but they don't want to give up basketball. They can do both. Other towns in the area do both, and we can too, but we need your support.

Our kids have a right to go out for cheerleader and not have to give up anything.

Linda Dutton

DMS names top students

The honor roll for the fifth six weeks has been announced at Dimmitt Middle School.

Students on the list include:

- Fourth grade—Zachary Bell, Moniah Olson, Joe Juarez, Carla Petty and Lisa Yeary;
Fifth grade—Brandi Morgan, Amy Wooten, Jennifer Harris, Justin Roberts, Brian Simpson, Kim Gabel, Stace McDaniel and Leslie Nelson;
Sixth grade—Monica Garcia, Amber Griffith, Halley Bradley, Amy Beck, Jeremy Langford, Wendi Ethridge, Shad McDaniel, Matt Sims and Haylei Wall;
Seventh grade—Scott Atchley, Holly Axtell, Michelle Garcia, Leslie Keaton, Kns Keih, Christy Killough, Candace Matthews, Reyes Sanchez, Monica Villanueva and Susan Waggoner;
Eighth grade—Paul Axtell, Amanda Boothe, Dena Hanes, Chad Killingsworth, Royce Schulte, Michelle Smith, Michelle Hardee, Ryan Hardee, Casey Gentry and Carol Petty.

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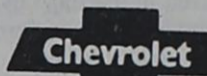
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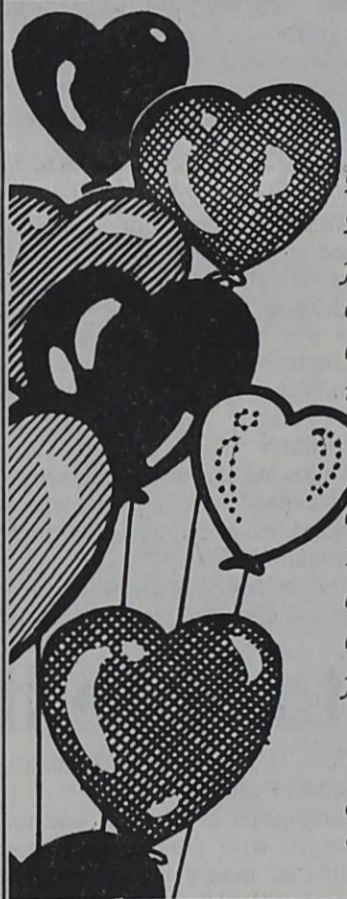
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People

Oliver and Heiman wed Saturday in formal, double-ring ceremony

A formal, double-ring ceremony in Holy Family Catholic Church at Nazareth, united Sandra Lea Oliver and Wayne Dennis Heiman in marriage Saturday afternoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rayberne Lee Oliver of Rule. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Heiman of Nazareth.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Brendan Sherry, pastor.

The altars were adorned with white lilies accented with red bows. Candelabras holding red candles were placed on the sides of the altar and red bows marked the pews.

Music was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Greg Birkenfeld and Mrs. Rudy Chehayeb, soloists and pianist, Fannie Tatum.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal-length white gown designed of Venise lace and satin. The bodice was fashioned of Venise lace over satin and featured a sweetheart neckline trimmed in seed pearls. Long French puffed sleeves of satin and lace, formed petal points at her wrists.

The skirt was created with a sheath of lace over satin and featured an attached overlay of satin and lace panels which flowed into a cathedral-length train.

She wore a satin derby hat covered with Alencon lace and pearls which sported an attached tiered veil of bridal illusion.

She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses that was highlighted with red rose buds.

Barbara Oliver of Rule, sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Sammie Anders of Abilene, sister of the bride, Mona Schulte of Nazareth and Deanna Huseman of Amarillo, both sisters of the groom.

Each attendant wore a gown of red debutante satin featuring an off the shoulder ruffle. The long-waisted skirts were created with graduated hemlines forming trains.

The attendants carried white roses with red and black ribbon streamers.

Best man was Rodney Heiman of Amarillo, brother of the groom.

Groomsmen were Ronnie Oliver of Knox City, brother of the bride, Darrin Heiman of Nazareth, brother of the groom and David Bownds of Nazareth, friend of the couple.

The groom was outfitted in a white tuxedo with tails.

Groomsmen wore black tux-



MRS. WAYNE HEIMAN
... nee Sandra Lea Oliver

does with tails and white pleated shirts with red bow ties and red cummerbunds.

Flower girls were Sarah Anders of Abilene, niece of the bride and Tisha Huseman of Amarillo, niece of the groom.

Ring bearer was Kelly Anders of Abilene, the bride's nephew.

Tonya Huseman of Amarillo, niece of the groom and Andy Anders of Abilene, nephew of the bride, were candlelighters.

Guests were seated by Ted Huseman, Vance Reed, Darryl Schacher and Tommy Thompson, all of Amarillo.

Following the wedding ceremony, the couple were honored with a wedding reception at the Nazareth Community Hall.

The bride's table was covered with a white satin cloth trimmed in

black rosettes and black ribbon streamers. The table featured silver and crystal appointments.

The groom's table was covered with a red satin cloth and featured silver appointments.

The couple plans to make their home in Canyon after the wedding.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Rule High School. She received a bachelor of science degree in physical education from Abilene Christian University in 1978 and earned her Master's degree from West Texas State University in Canyon in 1985. She is employed with the Nazareth Independent School District as a coach.

A 1978 graduate of Nazareth High School, the groom is employed as a supervisor at Great Western Distributing of Amarillo.

Afternoon ceremony unites Spinhirne, Willit

Regina Spinhirne and Bruce Willit exchanged wedding vows Saturday afternoon in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Amarillo.

Rev. Bill Brashears officiated at the formal, double-ring nuptials.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spinhirne of Dimmitt and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Willit of Newcastle, Penn.

The couple repeated their wedding vows before an altar adorned with floral arrangements of peach, orange and white gladiolas and carnations, greenery and baby's breath and two brass candelabras entwined with greenery.

Soloists, Eddie Boyd and Ernie Boyd, performed selections including "Song of Ruth," "Forever More," "Trumpet Voluntary," "In His Time," and "Water Music." The soloists were accompanied by Arlis Hamilton of Amarillo on the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a formal length wedding gown of chiffon featuring a Victorian neckline and lace covered bodice accented with seed pearls. The full, sheer sleeves of the gown gathered at her elbows with tapering lace sleeves beginning at her elbows, forming points at her wrists. Covered buttons and loops accented the back of the bodice and the sleeves. Falling from a princess waistline, the full skirt was edged in lace and flowed into a cathedral-length train.

Her bridal bouquet was created of silk roses, stephanotis, lily of the valley and ginger blossoms and was highlighted with pearls and satin ribbon streamers.

Jackie Spinhirne of Dimmitt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Collette Acker and Melinda Acker, both of Amarillo.

Each attendant wore a tea-length gown of peach moire taffeta designed with full sleeves with button cuffs below the elbows and princess waistlines.

Presbyterian happenings

There is a Sunday church school class for everyone every Sunday at 10 a.m. The adult Bible class meets at the home of Emily Clingingsmith. All other classes meet at the church.

"A Tool for Living," will be the subject of pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

"Ways to Use the Proposed Directory for Worship," will be discussed at the mid-week service Wednesday at 7 p.m.



MRS. BRUCE WILLIT
... She's the former Regina Spinhirne

They carried formal, cascading bouquets of orange gerberas, miniature white carnations, greenery and ginger blossoms with highlighting orange and peach satin streamers.

Jeff Willit, brother of the groom, of Rochester, N.Y., was best man.

Mike Spinhirne of Amarillo, brother of the bride, and Bruce Norcini of Midland, were groomsmen.

Sara Bezner of Lewisville, niece of the bride was flower girl.

Ring bearer was Joshua Spinhirne of Amarillo, the bride's nephew.

Dustin Spinhirne of Amarillo and Jeff Bezner of Lewisville, nephews of the bride, were candlelighters.

Ushers were Marvin Spinhirne of Mesquite and Kevin Spinhirne of Lubbock, the bride's brothers.

A reception honoring the newlyweds was held at St. Mary's Hall.

A four-tiered wedding cake decorated with peach daisies and a porcelain bride and groom top-

piece, decorated the bride's table with a centerpiece of silk ivy and peach flowers. Arrangements of peach and blue silk flowers and ivy plants were also part of the table decor.

The bride's traveling attire was a yellow cotton sleeveless dress with a white jacket, white hose and white shoes.

The couple are enjoying a wedding trip to Jamaica and will make their new home in Amarillo when they return Sunday.

The bride is a 1979 graduate of Dimmitt High School and graduated from West Texas State University in 1983 with a bachelor of business administration degree. She works for Security Federal Savings and Loan in Amarillo.

The groom graduated from Nashannok High School in Newcastle, Penn., in 1977 and graduated from Penn State in 1981 with a degree in petroleum engineering. He is employed with Betz Industrial in Amarillo.

Bike-a-thon to benefit cancer research

The annual "Wheels for Life" bike-a-thon is scheduled for May 17, and Dimmitt bike-a-thon chairman Carolyn Harman, urges residents to join the bike ride to be held at the High School track.

This ride will raise funds to support the battle against childhood cancer and other illnesses being studied at St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

Participants in the ride line up sponsors who pledge a certain amount of money per lap or per mile completed by the participant. All riders turning in money will receive a certificate. Those who raise \$25 receive a certificate and a St. Jude t-shirt. Anyone who raises \$75 will receive a barrel tote bag, a t-shirt and certificate.

Sponsor forms can be picked up at Harman's Department Store, Richardson Elementary School or Dimmitt Middle School.

Anyone interested is invited to attend.

or run as well as ride bikes. Any transportation is allowed as long as it is not motorized.

Harman said she needs riders from the little dribblers basketball teams, scout troops, church groups or individual riders or sponsors to make the bike/walk-a-thon a success.

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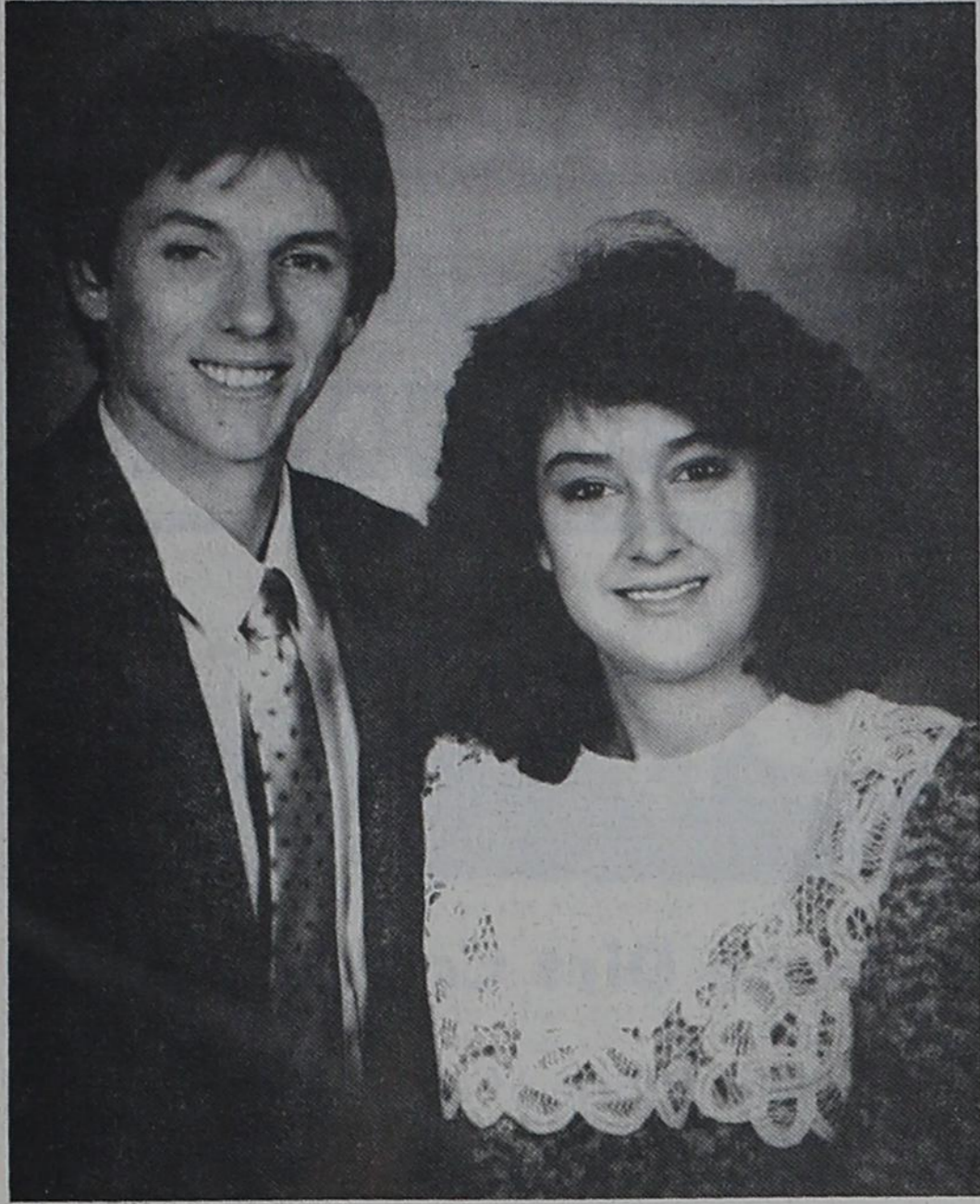
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Engagements



Kevin Cleveland and Lori Potts

Cleveland-Potts

Bill and Sandra Potts of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lori Suzanne, to Kevin Lee Cleveland, son of Kenneth and Libby Cleveland of Dimmitt.

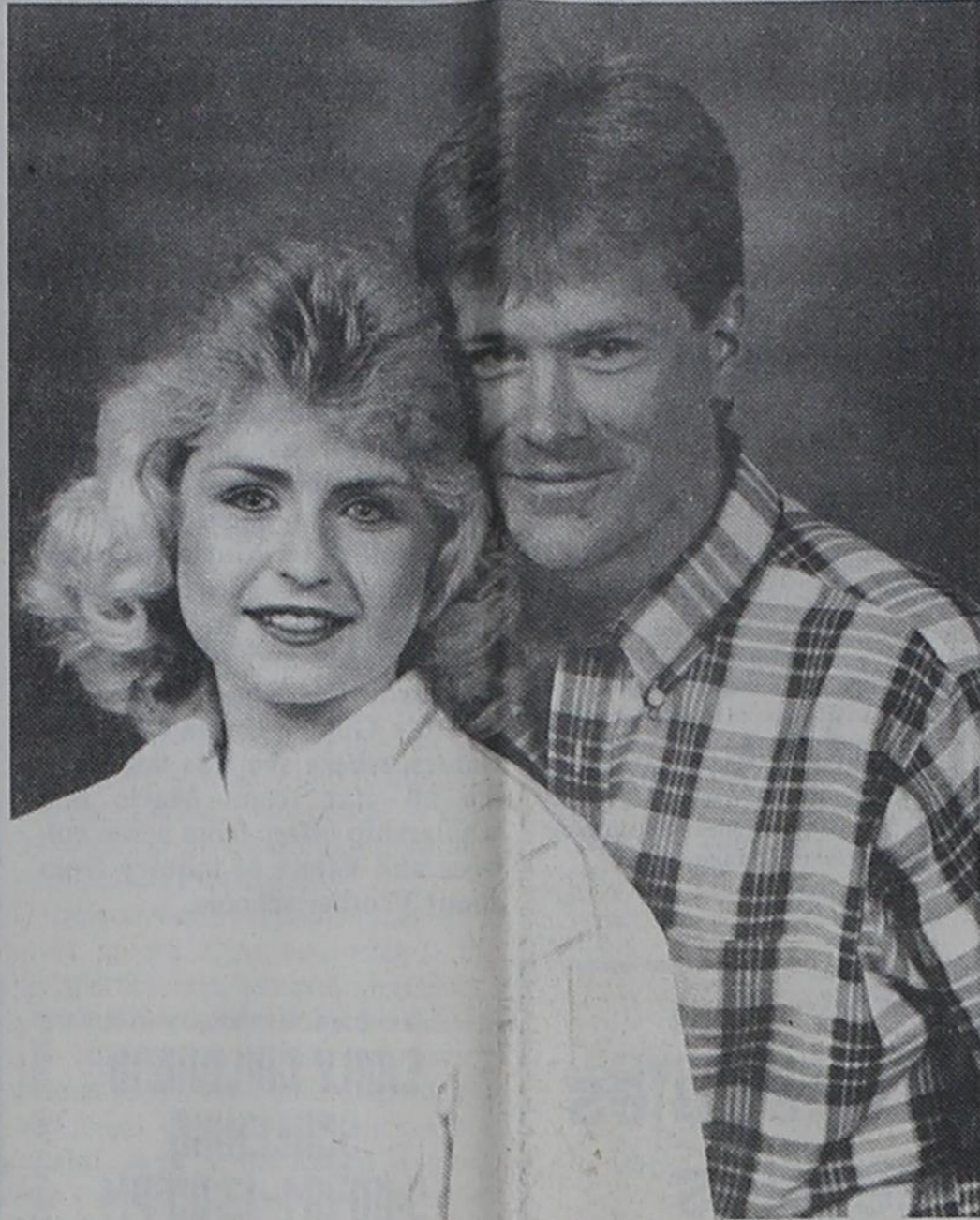
The couple plan to wed Aug. 1 in the First United Methodist Church at Dimmitt.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Dimmitt High School. She is a sophomore at Wayland Baptist University, majoring in education.

She is employed by Doug Proffitt, CPA, in Dimmitt.

The prospective groom was awarded his bachelor of science degree in physical education from Wayland Baptist University Saturday and will be the head boy's basketball coach at Silverton High School. He is a 1983 graduate of Dimmitt High School.

The couple plans to make their home in Silverton following the wedding.



Duann Rettman and Doug Warren

Rettman-Warren

Duann Rettman and Doug Warren plan to exchange wedding vows June 20 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Rettman. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waggoner of Dimmitt.

The prospective groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Warren of Hereford.

Rettman is a 1984 graduate of Hereford High School and is employed by Hereford State Bank.

Warren is a 1983 graduate of Hereford High School and is employed by Kustom Koach Kraft.



Francis Kern and Regina Pender

Kern-Pender

Charles and Regina Pender of Umbarger announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Regina Christine, to Francis Walter Kern, son of Bud and Rita Kern of Nazareth.

The couple plans to exchange wedding vows May 23 at 3 p.m. in Holy Family Catholic Church at Nazareth.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding, reception and dance.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Alamo Catholic High School in Amarillo. She is a junior attending West Texas State University in Canyon, majoring in social services. She is employed with the Catholic Diocese of Amarillo.

Kern is a 1984 graduate of Nazareth High School and is a senior

at Texas Tech University, majoring in ag engineering. He is employed with Kern Plumbing and Electric in Nazareth.

The pair will reside in Nazareth after the wedding.



Priscilla Perez and Armando Chavira

Perez-Chavira

David and Santos Perez of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Priscilla Perez, to Armando Chavira, son of Etella R. Chavira of Cuavtemoe Chihuahua, Mexico and the late Del Fino Chavira.

The couple plans to exchange wedding vows June 20 at 3 p.m. in the Expo Building in Dimmitt in a civil ceremony with Justice of the

Peace presiding.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception and dance following at the Expo Building.

Perez attended Dimmitt High School.

Chavira works for Iowa Beef Packers in Amarillo.

The couple plans to reside in Amarillo after the wedding.

Summers, Martinez compete in "Best-Dressed" contest

Camille Summers and Bobby Martinez, both of Dimmitt, competed recently in the "Miss and Mr. Best-Dressed Texan" at South Plains College in Levelland.

Summers, daughter of Gerald and Patty Summers, was nominated

by the Home Economics Dept. Martinez, son of Santos and Ester Martinez, was nominated by Gillespie Hall.

They modeled their own casual and formal wear and were interviewed by judges regarding their choices of clothing.

Auxiliary sets awards brunch

Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will hold their annual awards brunch Tuesday, May 12 at 10 a.m. in Rhoads Memorial Library.

Members will be awarded pins for volunteer hours served during the past year.

Newly elected officers will also be installed at the meeting.

New officers are Nell Ingram, president; Betty Freeman, 1st vice president; Lucille Drerup, 2nd vice president; Irene Blanton, secretary; Mattie Seale, treasurer; Mary Emma Matthews, reporter; and Jackie McLeroy, historian.

Ministerial Alliance

Ken Cole will be the benevolence chairman for May.

Norbert Choong will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of I Timothy 6:3-10 Tuesday in the rectory of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church at 10 a.m.

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SISTER ADRIAN (left), third grade teacher at Nazareth Elementary School, and NES Principal Mary Nell King (right) present gold medals and certificates of achievement to second graders Jami Jackson and Jill Ramaekers for participating in a Read-A-Thon sponsored by World Book Encyclopedia. 53 Nazareth students participated in the program.

Nazareth students earn encyclopedias

53 Nazareth students were recently presented with medals and certificates for their reading performance in the World Book Encyclopedia "Partners in Excellence Read-A-Thon."

The students read 699 books in a seven week period. They pledged to read at least seven books in a seven-week period, and pledges for each book read were collected from family and friends to use in purchasing *The World Book Encyclopedia* for their classrooms.

World Book matched the money raised by the students with a contribution to help purchase the encyclopedias.

Earning gold medals for reading 10 or more books were B.J. Klein, Jaime Hatla, Summer Nelson, Ashley Hoelting, Jonathon Johnson, Adam Johnson, Cassidy Wilhelm, Scott Brockman, Karmen Pohlmeier, Ron Backus, Tara Johnson, Colby Pohlmeier, Rhonda Maurer and Melinda Schmucker;

Shawn Pohlmeier, Mindy Hoelting, Jami Jackson, Jill Ramaekers, Tracy Maurer, Marcus Brockman, Margie Durbin, Bryan Braddock, Heather Braddock, B.J. Kern, Sarah

Senior Citizens

Castro County Senior Citizens Center is located at Third and Jones in Dimmitt and is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., including the Domino Center.

Quilting, crafts and table games are daily activities. A nutritious meal, open to the general public, is served each week day from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bridge is played on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, beginning at 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge is played on Monday evenings beginning at 7 p.m.

There is a noontime Bible study every Monday.

An evening of table games in enjoyed every Tuesday evening beginning at 7 p.m.

Membership is open to everyone who is 50 years of age or older without discrimination as to sex, color, race, ethnic background, national origin, religion, denominational preference, political party, economic status or handicap.

Menu

MONDAY — Stew, cornbread, salad, tea, coffee and dessert.

TUESDAY — Roast, potatoes, gravy, English peas, salad, bread, tea, coffee and dessert.

WEDNESDAY — Pork chops, sweet potatoes, blackeyed peas, salad, bread, tea, coffee and dessert.

THURSDAY — Oven-fried chicken, hominy casserole, green beans, salad, bread, tea, coffee and dessert.

FRIDAY — Ham casserole, beets, salad, bread, tea, coffee and dessert.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in Hospital: George Estrada, Millie Lust, Geneva Schaeffer, Phillip Provence, Jeffrey Chaney.

Patients Dismissed: Julia Cantu, Pedro Cabello, Maria Lopez, Ruby Bagwell, Beatriz Sifuentez, Rosalinda Jimenez, W.E. Grant, Eddie Montgomery, Israel Rodriguez.



Ruby and Beatriz Sifuentez of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Yvonne Sifuentez. She was born April 21 at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed 7 lbs., 12 1/4 oz. and was 21 inches long. She has an older sister, Yvette. Paternal grandparents are Juan and Teresa Sifuentez of Dimmitt. Maternal grandparents are Francisco and Lalo Rodriguez. Great-grandparents are George and Julie Sifuentez.

WIFE reschedules meetings

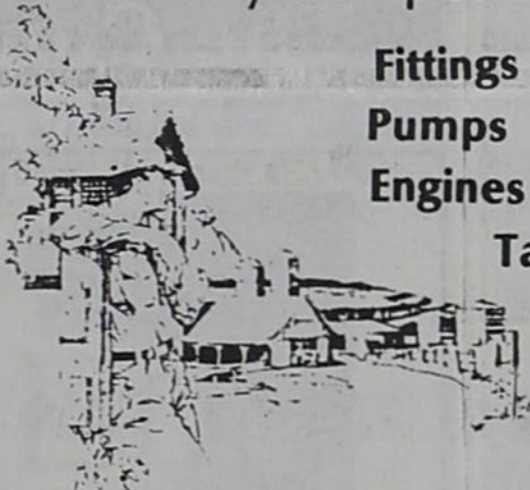
Panhandle Agri Partners, the local chapter of WIFE, will hold their regular monthly meeting May 11 at 7 p.m. in City Hall.

The meeting was normally held on the first Monday of each month, but have been changed.

The meeting will be a joint meeting with the Extension office and officials to discuss immigration laws.

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MARLO HARTMAN of Wheeler, daughter of Albert and Rita Hartman of Nazareth, has signed a basketball scholarship agreement with North Texas State University in Denton. Twice named all-state, Marlo averaged 24 points and 12 rebounds a game last year. She shot 57% from the field and 70% from the free-throw line. She played in last month's Golden Spread All-Star Games, where she was named to the all-star team. Marlo had scholarship offers from seven colleges and letters of inquiry from about 30 other schools.



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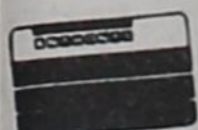
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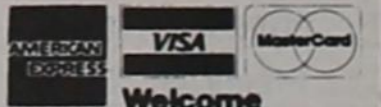
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Nazareth

By Uirgh Gerber, 945-2669

Many relatives and friends attended the wedding of Wayne Heiman and Sandy Oliver on Saturday afternoon in Holy Family Catholic Church with Rev. Brendan Sherry, officiating. Reception and dance followed at the Nazareth Community Hall.

Funeral mass was read for Elizabeth Rickwartz, 76, of Amarillo, Saturday in St. Mary's Catholic Church with Rev. Brashers, officiating. Burial was in Holy Family Cemetery at Nazareth with Rev. Brendan Sherry, pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church, officiating. Survivors include three brothers, Herman of Amarillo, Conrad of Las Vegas, Nev., and Joe of Channing; four sisters, Marie Brockman of Nazareth, Rose Fricmel of Buffalo, Mo., Phyllis Podzemny and Irene Kleman, both of Amarillo.

Philip and Dora Pohlmeier spent Easter weekend in Aurora, Colo., with their daughter, Rita.

Jerry and Tricia Rose spent the weekend in Albuquerque, N.M. with Jerry's sister, Shirley.

Congratulations to J.R. and Clara Stork on their 40th wedding anniversary. Mass was celebrated at St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Churches in Dumas Saturday afternoon. A reception and dance followed at the Parish Hall.

Brenda Chchayeb of Irving and Becky Hoelting of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Dickie and Bernice Hoelting. They attended the Oliver-Heiman wedding.

Alice Hochstein and her friend, Elizabeth McCain of El Paso, visited in the May Hochstein home over the Easter holidays. Alice works at the El Paso Refinery and Elizabeth teaches junior high students in El Paso. Also visiting over Easter were George, Mimi and son Jeremy Hochstein, Alex Hochstein and Joe Hochstein, all of Amarillo.

Bob Hochstein of Luling spent a

week here with his mother, May Hochstein. While here, Bob, May and Bernie attended the baptism of Jeremy Lewis, infant son of George and Mimi Hochstein, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Amarillo with Msgr. Blum, officiating. Bob and his sister Bernie are Jeremy's godparents.

John Hochstein of Hartington, Neb., now employed with Excel in Plainview; visited relatives in Nazareth Saturday afternoon. He is the son of Gerald and Joan Hochstein of Hartington.

Congratulations to Tim and Karen Peddy of Canyon on the birth of a son, Jared Michael, Sunday in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Grandparents are Herman and Marilyn Birkenfeld and Byron and Alice Peddy of Gruver.

Herman and Marilyn Birkenfeld and Marvin and Darlene Schulte returned last week from a trip to Belgium and Germany.

Arriving in Brussels, Belgium, they were met at the airport by Darryl Birkenfeld. He drove them to Leuven to the American College, where he is a theology student. Later, the group toured the college at the town of Leuven, enjoying the market places, the cobblestone streets and the outdoor eateries. The next day was spent in Brugge, just a few miles from the Belgian coast and the North Sea. This city was also a great contrast between the medieval and the modern with its ancient stachouses, beautiful churches and canals, surrounded by new underground parking lots, modern banking facilities and frittuurs, (french-fry shops). Brugge is supposedly the only town in the world where McDonald's had to close its doors for lack of business. There were many quaint Belgian lace shops and bicycles were everywhere.

From there, they dove through Luxembourg to Germany, where they spent five days viewing the

beautiful German countryside. Equally fascinating were the great forests, compact farms, well-kept houses and their modern highway system (with no speed limit). They toured a dairy farm near Blicskastel, where the animals were kept in confinement and much of the feeding and cleaning were done with hand labor. The dairy family was delightful, especially the old German grandmother who was overjoyed at having her picture made wearing a Texas Stetson hat!

One of the trip's highlights was the drive along the Rhine River with all its boat traffic and many beautiful castles dotting the various hillsides. They were in a massive traffic jam during the Easter holiday on the Autobahn near Koln, so they missed getting to see the great cathedral there.

They visited with Herbert Birkenfeld, a cousin, at Bellmar, near Kassel. He took them to Vinsbeck, where the Birkenfeld family originated. There they visited the village church and cemetery and toured the town's schloss. Vinsbeck is approximately 35 kilometers from the boarder of East Germany.

They attended Good Friday services at the Nato base chapel in Gelsen Kirchen, where Darryl does parish ministry each month. This is the base which houses the Awac planes. They spent the night there with two Canadian families who treated them to barbecued salmon and told interesting stories of their childhood days in Canada and Newfoundland.

Driving back to Belgium, the group touched on the Netherlands, as the trip took them through about 100 miles of Holland.

Easter Sunday Mass was held at the college chapel in Leuven. Most of the seminarians were away for vacation, so the choir consisted of one student from Louisiana, one from Sioux City, Iowa, and two of our Texans. The priest was from the Phillipine Islands and the Mass in the English language was a welcome change.

That afternoon the group boarded an electric train at Leuven and rode to Brussels. The two ladies had never ridden a train before. At Brussels they saw the town square with its interesting statues and spent some time at the outdoor plaza. The train ride back was a longer one as the train stopped off at each village. A trip like this one is not easy to describe in just a few paragraphs. It was a memorable experience!

What's Cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for the week of May 4 through 8.

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MONDAY—Chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, winter mixed vegetables, rolls, butter, honey and milk.

TUESDAY — Cheeseburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, peanut butter cookies and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Mexican fiesta, buttered rice, lettuce and tomato salad, cherry cobbler and milk.

THURSDAY—Hot dogs with chili and cheese, whole kernel corn, pinto beans, Jello and milk.

FRIDAY—Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, fried okra, rolls, butter, fruit and milk.

HART

MONDAY—Barbecue on a bun, pinto beans, cole slaw, apricot cobbler and milk.

TUESDAY—Baked ham, hot rolls, June peas, candied yams, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Cheeseburgers, salad, french fries, peaches and milk.

THURSDAY — Pinto beans with ham, cornbread, fried okra, buttered spinach, peach cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY—Chicken fried steak, wheat rolls, green beans, whipped potatoes, peach cobbler and milk.

NAZARETH

MONDAY — Mexican casserole, sopapillas, peas, peaches and milk.

TUESDAY—Spaghetti and meat sauce, corn, hot rolls, cherry cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY — Hamburgers, french fries, prunes and milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, apple cobbler and milk.

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

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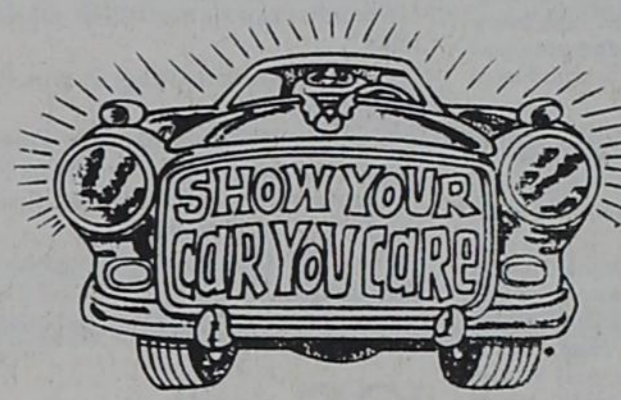
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Survivors benefits may also be paid to unmarried children of a deceased worker up to 18 or 19 if they are full-time students in an elementary or secondary school. Children who are disabled before 22 can get benefits at any age as long as they continue to be disabled.

A surviving spouse may get full benefits at 65 provided he or she had been married for at least 10 years. They may get full benefits at any age if caring for a child of the deceased worker if the child is under 16 or disabled. Reduced payments may be made at 50 or 60 if the person is disabled.

A surviving divorced spouse who had been married for less than 10 years may also receive benefits if he or she is caring for a child of the deceased worker, provided the child is under 16 or is disabled.

Under some circumstances, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and dependent parents 62 or older may qualify for survivors payments on the deceased worker's record.

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Bentsen agrees to cattle import study

US Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, agreed last Thursday to seek an investigation of a sharp increase in live cattle imports from Mexico.

Bentsen assured the Senate Beef

Caucus he shares their concern and said he will ask the Finance Committee to direct the International Trade Commission to investigate the rising imports.

"Last year, we imported over a million head of cattle from Mexico," Bentsen said. "Given the rate

of imports during the first quarter of 1987 we can expect that number to increase to over 1.9 million head this year.

"We need more information on this upsurge, on how it might affect the cattle industry in Texas and other states, before deciding what action might be required."

In a letter to Bentsen, Sens. Max Baucus of Montana and Malcolm Wallop of Iowa, co-chairmen of the caucus, said the study "could help us all decide a reasonable response to the sudden increase in Mexican live cattle imports."

The Meat Import Act of 1979 does not cover imports of live cattle from Mexico and Canada because "at the time the Act passed Congress there was little need to con-

trol live cattle imports," the letter said. "Now, the situation may have changed. Imports of live cattle have increased precipitously in the last several months. Such large numbers of cattle have crossed the border that many cattlemen fear the US cattle market may be seriously undermined."

"We are not necessarily alleging that these imports are subsidized or even that US cattlemen are being harmed by these imports, though the latter appears to be the case. There is simply not enough information available on this situation. That is why more information is desperately needed so that those of us in Congress can make informed decisions on Mexican live cattle imports."

IA students win honors

The Dimmitt High School Industrial Arts Club won ten first place ribbons in the South Plains Industrial Arts contest held April 19 in Lubbock.

Many of the top projects, including the first place club projects—a 1971 Camaro and a 1971 Vega—will compete this weekend in the State IA contest in Waco.

Placings included:

First year woodworking—First place: Donald Martinez, cedar chest; Jerry Lopez, cedar chest; Sandra Sandoval, night stand; Second place: Jad Gabel, desk, Barry Hill, desk;

Third place: Clifford Garcia, bookcase; Shawn Ewing, bookcase; Elaine Cavazos, headboard; Fourth place: Kevin Bruton, curio cabinet; Jad Gabel, bookcase; Justin White, gun cabinet.

Second year woodworking—Second place: Joe Yokum, amoir; Alma Murillo, amoir; David East, guitar;

Third place: Coby Moke, cupboard; David East, night stand; Shannon Powers, wall unit;

Fourth place: Miguel Yanez, twin beds; Todd West, standing mirror.

Third year woodworking—First place: Jay Mirelez, dresser;

Third place: Todd Durham, roll top desk; Fourth place: Chris Miller, bed.

First year metalworking—First place: Kevin Wheelless, cycle trailer;

Second place: Frank Rodriguez, engine stand; Zay Bradley, welding trailer.

Second year metalworking—Second place: Jesus Yanez, barbecue grill.

First year power—First place: Francisco Rodriguez, Vega engine.

Second year power—First place: Mike Hauf.

Architectural Drawing: 2. Kirt Patel; 3. Johnny Flores.

Group restoration project: First place, Farnall tractor, Ty Lively and Mike Hauf.

Club projects: 1971 Camaro, first place, and 1971 Vega, first place.

The 1971 Camaro was runner-up in the open division.

4-H'ers earn district wins

Several Castro County 4-H'ers recently participated in the District 4-H Judging Contest held at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Results included:

Senior Livestock Team—Brian Klein, Matt Geller and Wendel Huseman, eighth;

Junior Livestock Team—Monty Moore, B.J. Klein, Casey Summers, Brian Merritt, Jason Nelson, Jason Wooten and Wesley Ralston, eighth;

Senior Horse Team—Joel Nelson (first in performance, second in reasons, first high individual), Justin Nelson (second in performance) and Kay Lynn Gieghom, second place overall, first in performance, second in reasons;

Junior Horse Team—Jill Geller (third in performance, first overall), Kim Spring (second in performance, third overall), Justin Gieghom and John Fuller (first in halter), first in overall, halter and performance;

Senior Decision Making—Danna Ralston, Jennifer Carter and Kara Schulte, second overall, second in reasons first in placings;

Junior Decision Making—Sheri Hunter (second in reasons), Tessie Newton, Amy Wilson, Toni Baker and Jamie Baker, third overall, second in reasons, third in placings.

ICC will show movies

Immaculate Conception Church will show three movies Sunday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Church at NW Ninth and Halsell in Dimmitt.

The movies include "Shane," a Western set in the 1880's; "America the Beautiful," a photographic tour of the country; and "Call it Courage," a Walt Disney production about a South Seas youth who journeys for the first time beyond his island and barrier reef.

The movies are through the courtesy of Rhoads Memorial Library. A love offering will be taken afterward to benefit the ICC Building fund.

Bell presents SSC program

Michelle Bell presented a program on the Super Conducting Supercollider to the Dimmitt Kiwanis Club Monday at K-Bob's Steak House in Dimmitt.

18 members and one guest attended. Jay Parks was recognized as the club's newest member, and will be formally inducted at Monday's meeting.

The club's monthly board meeting will be held Monday at 7 a.m. at the Colonial Inn Restaurant.

Dance is set

A semi-formal dance featuring Texas Crossroads will be held Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Nazareth Community Hall.

Admission is \$3.50 per person or \$6 a couple.

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HEIFER CALVES

13 Mixed, 408 lbs.	\$74.70
21 Mixed, 433 lbs.	\$74.00
8 Charolais, 406 lbs.	\$74.00
26 Crossbred, 478 lbs.	\$69.90
6 Whiteface, 210 lbs.	\$97.00

STEER CALVES

3 Whiteface, 380 lbs.	\$90.50
7 Charolais, 531 lbs.	\$77.00
8 Mixed, 393 lbs.	\$83.75
10 Whiteface, 511 lbs.	\$78.75
18 Black, 469 lbs.	\$78.00

FEEDER HEIFERS

5 Mixed, 808 lbs.	\$64.00
4 Black, 611 lbs.	\$66.60
7 Mixed, 599 lbs.	\$66.50
21 Whiteface, 596 lbs.	\$66.00
25 Whiteface, 610 lbs.	\$65.20
12 Whiteface, 710 lbs.	\$65.90
10 Mixed, 705 lbs.	\$65.25
12 Mixed, 687 lbs.	\$65.10
10 Charolais, 680 lbs.	\$65.00
40 Mixed, 767 lbs.	\$63.30
46 Mixed, 665 lbs.	\$65.90
39 Mixed, 585 lbs.	\$66.30
13 Black, 563 lbs.	\$68.25
30 Charolais, 685 lbs.	\$65.00

FEEDER STEERS

5 Red, 857 lbs.	\$65.00
3 Black, 638 lbs.	\$70.00
2 Black, 805 lbs.	\$68.00
8 Mixed, 639 lbs.	\$73.00
13 Black, 746 lbs.	\$69.00
15 Crossbred, 885 lbs.	\$65.10
37 Mixed, 819 lbs.	\$66.60
23 Mixed, 633 lbs.	\$73.70
48 Mixed, 693 lbs.	\$70.50
94 Crossbred, 751 lbs.	\$69.70
30 Mixed, 747 lbs.	\$68.80
14 Crossbred, 877 lbs.	\$66.10
8 Charolais, 762 lbs.	\$69.25
19 Whiteface, 753 lbs.	\$70.20
15 Mixed, 612 lbs.	\$75.80
45 Crossbred, 677 lbs.	\$69.00
15 Whiteface, 633 lbs.	\$74.80
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Obituaries

Florence Allen

Florence Lucille Allen, 81, of Amarillo, died April 22. Services were held Saturday at Fairview Baptist Church with Rev. Windell Taylor, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Memorial Park under the direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral directors.

Mrs. Allen was born in Indian Territory and had lived in Amarillo 36 years. She was an active member of Fairview Baptist Church and was a homemaker. Her husband, Mark C., died in 1979.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Whitlow of Amarillo and Shirley Underwood of Dimmitt; four sons, J.C. Grant of Burseson, Billy Joe Grant of Fort Worth, Robert Grant of Amarillo and Roscoe Grant of Cressan; a brother, Eugene Cochran of Lincoln, Ark.; four sisters, Fern Waite of Lincoln, Edith Remington and Wilma Cochran, both of Prairie Grove, Ark., and Nove Grant of Amarillo; 15 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be to Fairview Baptist Church, Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, or a favorite charity.

Bob Ellis

Bob Ellis, 69, died Wednesday. Services were held Friday in Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Ronnie Travis, pastor of First Baptist Church of Knox City, officiating. Burial followed in Westlawn Memorial Park.

Mr. Ellis was a native of Seymour and moved to Dimmitt in 1956 from Fayetteville, Ark. He was a retired mill operator at Dimmitt Feed Yard, where he worked for many years. He was a member of Lee Street Baptist Church, Odd Fellows Lodge No. 159, and was one of the founders of the Dimmitt Domino Club.

He was married to Dorothy Morris in 1954 in Fayetteville.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jim Bob of Dimmitt; a daughter, Sue Slough of San Angelo; three stepsons, Harley Daniel of Hereford, Frank Daniel of Granbury and Harold of Oklahoma City; three sisters, Ella Mae Steakley of San Angelo, Dellie Stokes of Prairie Grove, Ark., and Mabel Cude of Brady; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Charles Doss, T.D. Claborn, Clyde Damron, James Slough, Bill Glidewell and Tommy Kellar.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Dimmitt Domino Club.

Memorials may be to the American Heart Association.

Elizabeth Rickwartz

Elizabeth Rickwartz, 76, of Amarillo, died Thursday.

Mass was held Saturday in St. Mary's Catholic Church with Rev. W.S. Brashears, pastor, officiating. Graveside services were held in Holy Family Cemetery in Nazareth with Rev. Brendan Sherry officiating.

Miss Rickwartz, born in Nazareth, had lived in Amarillo for 60 years. She was a retired seamstress and was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, St. Mary's Altar Society and Amarillo Senior Citizens.

Survivors include three brothers, Herman of Amarillo, Conrad of Las Vegas, Nev., and Joe of Channing; four sisters, Phyllis Podzemny and Irene Kleman, both of Amarillo, Marie Brockman of Nazareth and Rose Friemel of Buffalo, Mo.; and seven nephews.

Memorials may be to Alzheimer's Disease Foundation.

More about

Commissioners...

(Continued from Page 1) state government official who works with Gov. Bill Clements' staff, will be able to meet with commissions from Castro, Parmer and Swisher counties in May to discuss a DOE-funded study on effects the spectre of the landfill has already caused in the area.

"The agriculture impact will probably be greater on Castro County, 40 miles away, than on Oldham County, much closer to the

site," Devin said. "The buyer's market is not as good as it would be if this site were not being considered at all." Devin said there are already psychological and stress problems caused by the preliminary activities concerning the site, and that a study needs to determine what type of affect an accident would have on area medical facilities.

Devin also told the commission-

ers NWTF is in need of funding, and is urging farmers to donate \$1 per acre to NWTF. "There are lots of things we could do with more funds."

Commissioners also discussed plans for Constable James Dobbs, talked with Tax Assessor-Collector Billy Hackleman about a new computer in his office, and discussed the county's automobile insurance.

Imagine a lawn that repels weeds, resists disease, dislikes fertilizer, stays green late in the season and—best of all—barely grows! According to *International Wildlife* magazine, a Canadian geneticist says he has produced 35 lines of such a miracle grass from 17 alpine species. The Canadian government is already using the slow-growing grasses along highways, but it will be another four years or so before they're available commercially.

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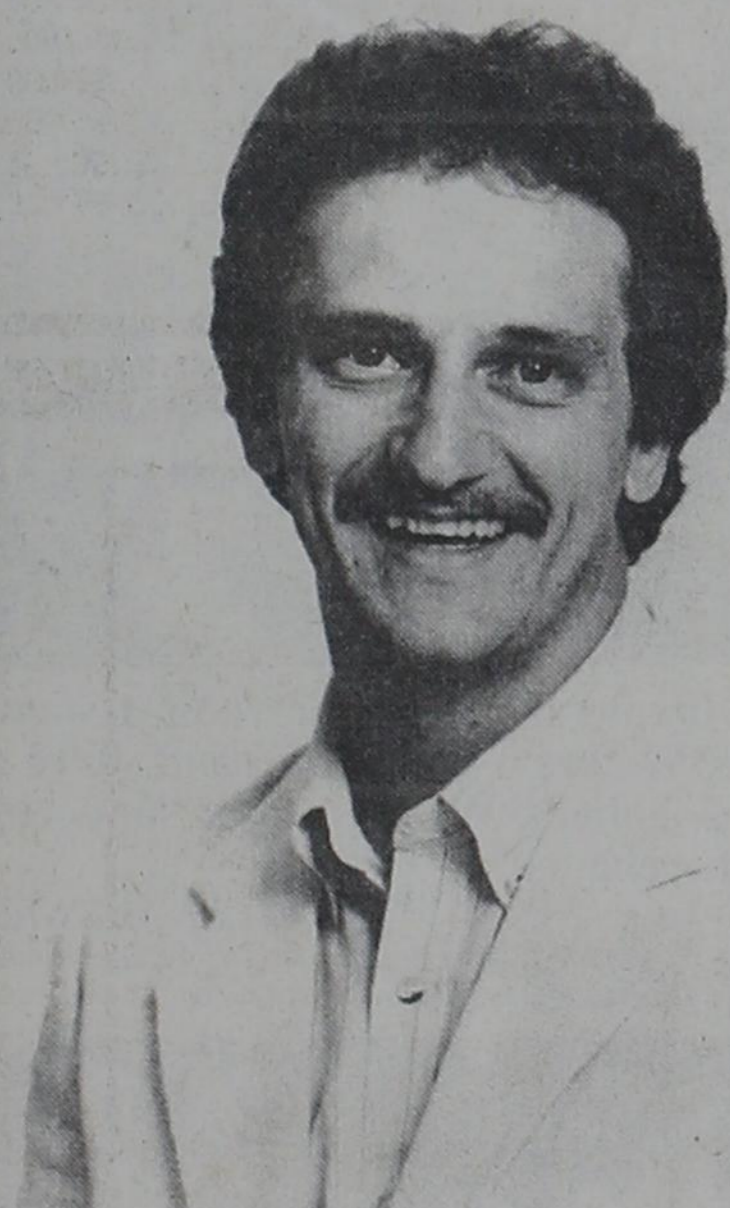
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REEFORD BURROUS
City Manager



"My wife and I do just about all our shopping here in Dimmitt. When you deal with local merchants, if it doesn't fit or isn't right, they will exchange it. We need to support the community. If we don't, we won't have anything left here."

ANDY SCHUMACHER
*President of the Castro County Senior Citizens Association
Presenting senior citizens identification card for a discount
at Killingsworth True Value Home Center to clerk Danny Montes.*



"Anthony's always has very good specials and we like to take advantage of that. Dimmitt is the county seat and we have to come into town to run errands and it is convenient to shop here when we come."

**MARIA GONZALES AND
NAVIDAD CASTILLO OF HART**

Let's all conduct a one-week experiment together.

The Chamber of Commerce asks you to make all your necessary purchases in Dimmitt stores for one week — Monday, May 4 through Sunday, May 10, to see what the impact will be. If the store doesn't have what you need, tell them about it. They want to hear from you. They want to serve you the best that they can, and to do this they need to know what your needs and preferences are.

If you can't find it in Dimmitt and have to go to another town to get it, okay. But please try to buy in in Dimmitt FIRST.

SPECIALS! SPECIALS!

To encourage you to shop in Dimmitt during "Awareness Week," many stores are advertising money-saving specials during the week. Look throughout this week's and next week's issues of the *News* and tune in to KDHN Radio for advertised specials.

Many stores will have unadvertised specials during the week, too. You may be pleasantly surprised when you stop in!

Don't Miss the KICK-OFF BREAKFAST Monday, May 4—7 a.m.

The city-wide "Awareness Week" will begin with a kick-off breakfast at 7 a.m. Monday in Lamar Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church. You're invited!

You'll be served a breakfast of scrambled eggs, bacon, juice and hot biscuits. You'll be asked to give a dollar donation; the Chamber of Commerce will pay the difference.

Winners of the "trade at home" and slogan contests will be announced and the emblem will be unveiled. The program won't last more than 30 minutes, so you can get to work by 8. Come on out and see what it's all about.

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That's why next week is being called "Awareness Week."

There are many advantages to trading at home—the sales taxes that come back to the city for services and growth, the continuation of stores that you really need, the dollar turnover that secures and created jobs for our neighbors . . .

Pride enters into it, too. We all want to continue to be proud of our hometown. If we work together, we can **earn** and **achieve** pride in a community in which the wage-earner, the farmer, the business owner, the professional all support each other. We can continue to have all the volunteer programs that make our community life richer. We can weather hard times and hard competition together.

Dimmitt without its characteristic pride wouldn't be Dimmitt, would it?

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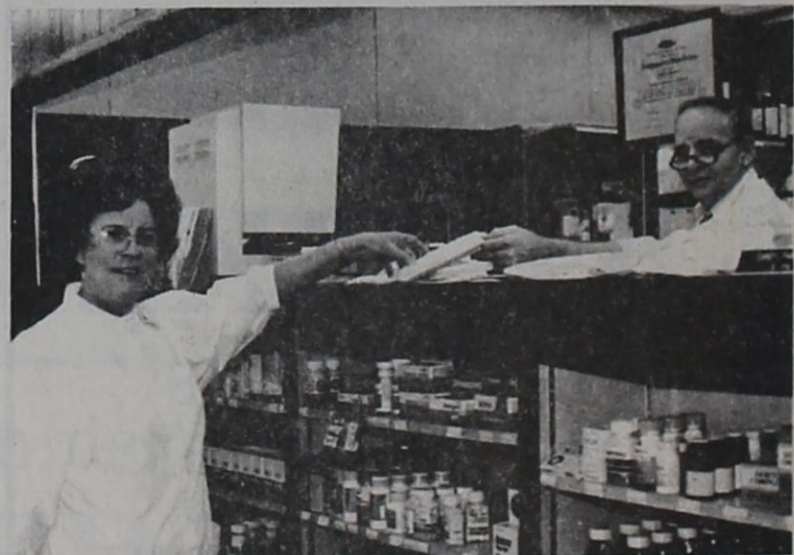
"I shop in Dimmitt because it's convenient and I know and trust the people. The merchants here are more accommodating and they support us in our community endeavors so we should support them in their businesses. I urge you to do all the shopping you can in Dimmitt."

LOIS WALES
*President of Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE)
Extension Homemaker of the Year*



"I shop in Dimmitt because everything I want I can buy here. We are a small town and we're all friends and neighbors. We need to be supportive of our local merchants."

GAINELL MINNICK
*Past President of Delta Kappa Gamma
Curriculum Director of the Dimmitt Independent School District.*



"I have my prescriptions filled in Dimmitt because it's convenient and I know I can trust the pharmacists. If I need something on a weekend, I know they will come down and open up to serve me."

PAULINE HOYLER
Licensed Vocational Nurse at Plains Memorial Hospital