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Happy Thanksgiving

# The Castro County News

35

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## City may have landfill problems—again



Thanksgiving, 1989

Sandy Heiman of Nazareth and Richard Wood of Dimmitt will gather with their families and friends Thursday for the traditional Thanksgiving...basketball? In case you don't know, Heiman coaches the Nazareth Swiftettes and Wood coaches the Dimmitt Bobbies. Their teams will meet each other

at 1:30 p.m. in the opening round of the Queens Classic Tournament at Wayland Baptist University's Hutcherson Center in Plainview. And when there's a basketball match-up such as that, between two of the top-ranked teams in the country-side, the turkey will have to wait. (Centerpiece by Seale Florist)

City Manager Reeford Burros told the Dimmitt Aldermen Monday night that proposed Environmental Protection Agency guidelines for landfill operations may bring financial woes for Dimmitt and other small towns.

At a recent meeting of the Texas Municipal League, information was circulated on the new rules, which would go into effect Feb. 1, 1990, with municipalities given 18 months from then to come into compliance.

Burros said the rules would require cities to maintain "at least a million dollars" in an untouchable escrow account to be held for 30

years after the closing of a landfill site to insure adequate maintenance funds for that 30-year period.

A speaker at the TML meeting, Hector Mendieta, director of the Solid Waste Management Division of the Texas Dept. of Health, told the gathering that the stringent, inflexible requirements could force smaller communities to carry their refuse to a regional site at great expense. He also estimated that it would take most cities four years to be able to comply with the new standards, and not the 18 months allowed.

Burros recommended that the (Continued on Page 7)

## Beet harvest back on track

Unseasonably warm temperatures in the area recently forced a brief slowdown on beet harvest, but everything's back to normal now.

Holly Sugar began stockpiling beets at its dump stations, including the one between Dimmitt and Nazareth, and at its facility in Hereford, the first part of November, but the temperatures weren't cooling down like they normally would have, and the harvest was slowed down.

Once the temperatures started cooling down at night, beet diggers returned to the fields in full force and officials at Holly Sugar hope to have harvest completed by the end of the month.

"For a period of time there, until the weather cooled down at night, we were restricting harvest," said Dennis Printz, agricultural manager at Holly Sugar in Hereford. "We just slowed harvest for a while. We never pile beets until the weather cools off a little bit. Harvest is back

in full swing now. We'll probably finish up around the end of the month.

From all indications, Printz feels like this year's beet harvest is going to be about average.

"We've had good sugar contest this year and right now it looks like the yields (tonnage) will be about average."

### Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	51	18	
Friday	45	18	
Saturday	51	17	
Sunday	62	17	
Monday	72	28	
Tuesday	69	33	
November Moisture			0.00
1989 Moisture			12.01

KDHN RADIO  
US Weather Observer

## Tax rebates take big jump

State Comptroller Bob Bullock's office contacted two local taxing entities to confirm the large amount on tax return checks issued for the month of November.

Castro County and the City of Dimmitt showed 141.49% and 190.80% increases, respectively, over November 1988.

Bullock's office said the increases were attributable to a company expanding its facilities, but would not release the name of the company. Both taxing entities were informed that it would be a one-time occurrence.

"They told us not to let it distort our budget figures," said Jo Hamilton, head of the City Administrative Dept. for Dimmitt. "It made a nice Christmas present for the city."

A spokesperson for Bullock's office said the expanding company had purchased building materials tax-free, but did not use the mater-

ials for re-sale, so then a "use tax" must be paid.

Castro County received a payment of \$31,568.56, while in November of 1988, the amount was only \$13,072.36. Dimmitt received \$82,199.16, while the amount for November of 1988 was only \$28,266.08.

The balloon payments also distorted year-to-date figures for the two entities, bringing Dimmitt up to \$306,206.59 this year, 49.52% ahead of the same period last year, which netted \$204,789.21. Castro County has received \$128,764.05 this year, 66.73% more than last year's \$77,230.39 for the same period.

The other taxing entities in the county, Hart and Nazareth, were unaffected.

Hart's November 1989 payment was \$2,071.33, a 17.70% increase over the \$1,759.83 received for November 1988. For the year-to-

date, Hart has received \$15,063.40, down 5.74% from the \$15,981.11 taken in the same period of 1988.

November's payment for Nazareth was \$1,939.14, down only 1.84% from the \$1,975.53 received in November 1988. With \$14,468.45 coming in so far for 1989, it shows a .21% decrease from the \$14,438.73 received for the same period in 1988.



### It's time to write to Santa

It's time for all children from pre-school age through third grade to get out their pens, pencils, crayons and paper and tell good old Santa Claus what they want for Christmas.

Children may mail their letters or drop them by the News' offices, located at 108 West Bedford in Dimmitt. The News will accept letters from children until Dec. 14. The letters will be printed in the Dec. 21 Christmas edition, and will be forwarded to Santa at the North Pole.

## Gramm to visit here next week

US Sen. Phil Gramm will be in Dimmitt next Thursday at 1:45 p.m.

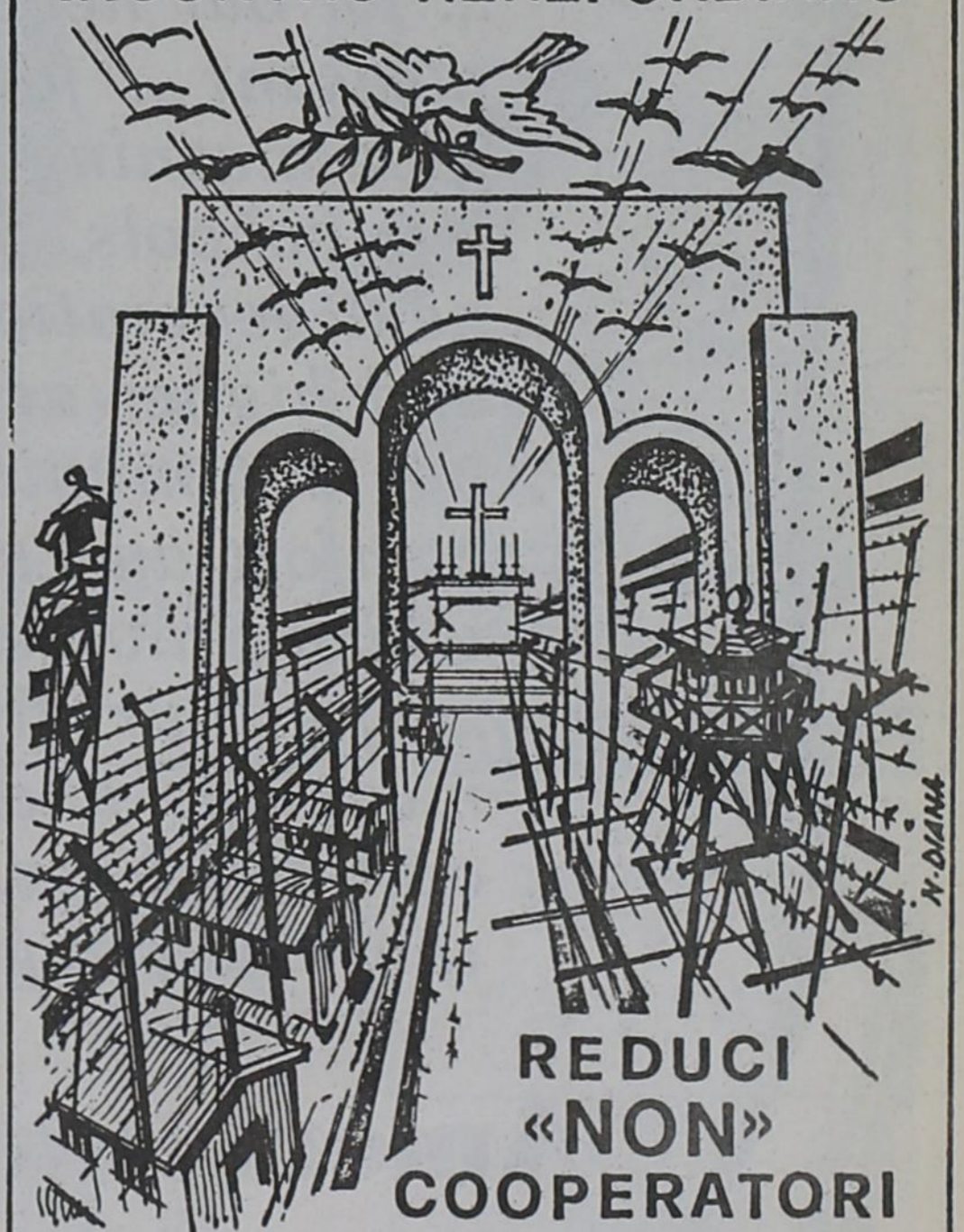
The senator will participate with students at Richardson Elementary and Dimmitt Middle School as part of the schools' "USA Participation Day" in a program that examines our American heritage.

"America—Home of the Free and the Brave" will be the theme of the program, which will be held in the Richardson Elementary's west cafeteria.

"I am committed to assist teachers and parents in planting seeds of patriotism deep in the hearts of America's next generation of leaders," Sen. Gramm said.

The program will include musical presentations by the Dimmitt High School Band and Choir, and a color guard presentation. Also, six elementary students will be selected to read essays they have prepared for the program on "Why I Am Thankful to Live in America" and "The Cost of Freedom." The latter portion of the program will be devoted to a "mini press conference" involving Sen. Gramm and the "student media."

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THE ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR, who had been held at the internment camp outside of Hereford during World War II, held a reunion in Pesaro, Italy, Sept. 15-17, and sent this specially designed post card in commemoration of the event. Nineteen signatures were on the back of the card. The pen and ink drawing, featuring an outline of the POW Memorial Chapel, is highlighted with beams of red, white and green, the colors of the Italian flag.

## Holiday Calendar

Dec. 2—The Dimmitt Young Homemakers annual arts and crafts bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Expo Building.

Dec. 2—The annual Christmas Home Tour, sponsored by the Republican Women will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tickets, which are \$3, may be purchased from any ROW member or at one of the homes. Homes on the tour include Alvin and Frances Frazier's, 1000 Oak; Terry and Belinda Hill's, West Halsell; and David and Pat

Keith's, 1001 Oak. The annual bake sale will be in the Keith home. Proceeds from the tour will go to help with the foster children's Christmas party and to help send a girl to Bluebonnet Girls' State.

Dec. 3—The Bethel Community will sponsor a Christmas dinner at 12 noon, immediately following church services, at the Bethel Community Building. The meal will be a potluck dinner and each family attending is asked to bring two dishes. The Methodist Men's Quartet will sing and lead Christmas carols.

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

We all received a blessing by going to the Canterbury Villa on Thursday morning. Katherine Vardell brought the devotion on prayer, and it inspired us all. She asked, "What was the first prayer you ever heard?" And of course the answer was "Now I lay me down to sleep." Her scripture was taken from James, Chapter 1. She also read a delightful poem.

Then the First Baptist Church "twins" (Richard Young and Rev. Paul Kenley—they were dressed alike) sang "Just Over in the Glory Land" and "Moment by Moment," accompanied by Phyllis Mooney. Renise Blair sang a song from Psalm 63 and "On That Day I'll Learn How to Sing."

Others enjoying singing were Connie Ivey, Ysleta Ball, Gertie Waggoner, Mauzee Youts, Irene Carpenter and Mary Edna Hendrix. We sang several Thanksgiving songs. The dining room was decorated for Thanksgiving with paper turkeys and orange paper streamers.

Ina Rae Cates was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a fun day of bridge. Ina Rae won high score and Bernice Hill won second high. Others playing were Dude McLauren, Oleada Schumacher, Sal DiCuffa, Neva Hickey, Virginia Crider, Edith Graef, Susie Reeves, Johnnie Vanoy, Ferne Dickey, Emily Clingsmith, Alma Kenmore, Helen Braafladt, Louise Mears, Cleo Forson, and Elizabeth Huckabay.

On Monday night, several from Dimmitt attended the community concert in Plainview, who presented "Stand Up and Cheer!" with the Johnny Mann Singers and Dancers. This is a clean, talented group of young people. They sang several old-time favorites—"You'll Never Walk Alone," a George M. Cohan medley, "Yankee Doodle," and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Johnny Mann and the singers led the audience in a sing-along on the numbers "Take Me Out to the Ballgame," "Five Foot Two," "You Are My Sunshine," "Daisy," and "Shine On Harvest Moon."

On Tuesday night the community concert association of Hereford presented "A Broadway Celebration," starring Lainie Nelson, Susan

Watson, George Ball and Dan Gettinga. This is another talented group and some of their selections were a medley from Rogers and Hammerstein's "Oklahoma" and "The Sound of Music," along with "Send in the Clowns," "Phantom of the Opera," "Hello, Dolly," and "Man of La Mancha." We visited with several from Dimmitt, Earth and Hereford.

Dimmitt was decorated for Christmas on Thursday night. There was much excitement with Santa Claus appearing, the stores being open and serving refreshments and drawings for two bicycles. At 9 p.m., Richard Young and Wayne Proffitt led the group in Christmas carols.

Some friends of Flo Nichols of Tulia attended the Tour of Homes in Tulia on Tuesday afternoon. Those that I saw from Dimmitt were Esta Vandiver, Sue Merritt, Marie Perrin, Myrtle Lois Moran, Geneva Dennis, Oleta Gollehon and Irene Carpenter. I saw some friends I knew in Tulia, but it has been too long since I lived there, and the babies have grown into young women.

The homes that we toured were pretty — Mr. and Mrs. Howard Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Gary House, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat George. We enjoyed the delicious tea and pick-up foods in the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Darwyn Metcalf. Thanks, Flo, for inviting us.

Mauzee Youts drove to Monahans, picked up her daughter, Pat Sleigh, and drove on to Dallas to visit Pat's daughter and family. Then back to Monahans for a weekend visit with other members of Pat's family. On Saturday night, they met Pat's daughter, Julie and husband, in Odessa for a visit and supper. On Sunday afternoon, they went with friends of Pat and Slick's to the Midland Theater to see a production.

A surprise birthday party was given by members of the First Baptist Church choir for Richard Young on Wednesday night following choir practice. A pretty blue and white birthday cake with "Happy Birthday, Richard," was served with ice cream to the choir members and Rev. Paul Kenley.

Richard received many birthday cards and a cornucopia filled with "goodies." At his home, he received many birthday cakes, steaks and a skillet.

Lucille Dollar and daughter, Brenda Allen of Anchorage, Alaska, went to North and South Carolina for a visit with Lucille's brothers and sisters.

Flo Touchstone of Lubbock was in a television commercial last week, which showed her trying to park a white Suburban. She tries many times and gives up and finally a Jeep slips into the parking space and a lot of little boys jump out.

Tracy Hatla is in the DeVry school in Irving, and was here recently visiting his parents, Glenn and Diane Hatla.

Wayne Mohon's grandmother, Mary Lee Ellison of Clovis, N.M., celebrated her 100th birthday Nov. 15. The family had a reception and family reunion Nov. 12 at the Kingswood Methodist Church in Clovis. Attending were Wayne and Faye Mohon, Debora and Bruce Huseman of Nazareth; Beth and Joe Raper of Spearman; Clell Bonifield (Faye's father) of Canyon; Jere Don and Pat Mohon (Wayne's brother and sister-in-law) of Arlington; and many other friends and relatives. The reception was hosted by her children and grandchildren. She had a cake with 100 candles on it which were lit while everyone sang "Happy Birthday."

Last Thursday was Rex Wooten's birthday. Some of the crew at the bank baked Rex a special sponge cake with different candles — seems they wouldn't blow out and a knife couldn't cut the cake. But this cake will last a long time, Rex.

Houston and Doris Lust drove to Nashville, Tenn., and Houston's cousin, Melvin and Earline Settle, joined them and they went to a large farm show at Moultrie, Ga., and on to Orlando, Fla. to see the Epcot Center, MGM Studio Tour, the Magic Kingdom, and other things in general. Then they went to Key West, Fla., and back up the west side of Florida. They also got to see the launching of the space shuttle in Fort Lauderdale. The foliage in Tennessee and Arkansas

was beautiful.

Earl and Della Branson from Innisfail, Canada are here visiting his aunt, Mrs. Earl Lust, along with the James Bradford family. They really got a thrill out of seeing the cotton gin, cotton being stripped and the module builder.

Thursday night Earl and Della joined the Houston Lust family for supper. Glenn and Barbara Lust came over from Lazbuddie, along with the Rex Lust family and Sue Summers and family.

## Check new voter cards

Castro County Tax Assessor/Collector and Voter Registrar Billy Hackleman announced that 4,512 voters' registration cards were mailed out last week.

He stated that voters should immediately examine the salmon and white colored cards to see if there are any mistakes in the voter's name, street address, mailing address or birthdate.

If there are mistakes, the correct information should be noted on the card and it should be returned to Hackleman's office, and a new card will be issued. "If all information on the card is correct, the voter should sign the card and keep it," Hackleman said.

The new cards will be valid from Jan. 1, 1990 through Dec. 31, 1991, replacing the current white card, which expires Dec. 31.

Incorrect cards may be returned in person at the courthouse, or mail them to Billy Hackleman, Voter Registrar, Courthouse, 200 E. Bedford, Dimmitt, Tex., 79027.

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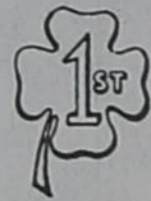
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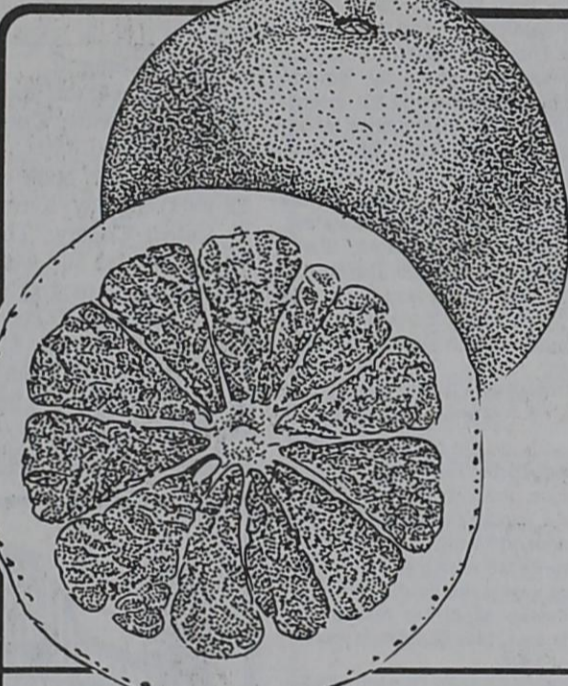


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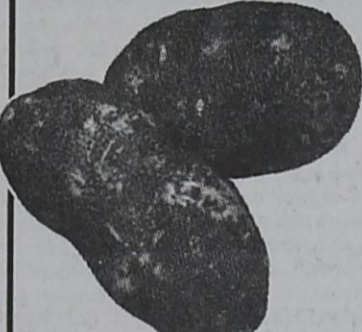
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# Church Happenings

## Presbyterian Church

There will be a Sunday school class Sunday at 10 a.m.

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

Morning prayers will be said Wednesday at 6:30.

"The Rich Young Man," Matthew 19:23-30, will be the subject of the mid-week Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m.

## Ministerial Alliance

Allie Balko will lead the Castro County Ministerial Alliance in a study of Habakkuk 2 Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church in Hart.

Claude Hendricks will be the welfare chairman for December.

## Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

There will be a Thanksgiving Day dance, sponsored by the church, tonight (Thursday) from 9 p.m. to 12 midnight at the Expo. Z-93 will provide the music and admission is \$3.50 per person. Only students in the sixth grade and older will be admitted.

The following are the candidates for the Pastoral Council election to be held this weekend. Eight seats are up for election. Candidates are Chris Garza, Irene Granado, Sal Ortiz, Lily Clark, Marcelina Acevedo, Mary Ann Lara, Juanita Hernandez, Oleta Schumacher, Frances Anes, Shirley Brockman, Guila Silva, Tina Gonzales, Paul Fuentes, Henry Rivera, Joe Garcia, Estella

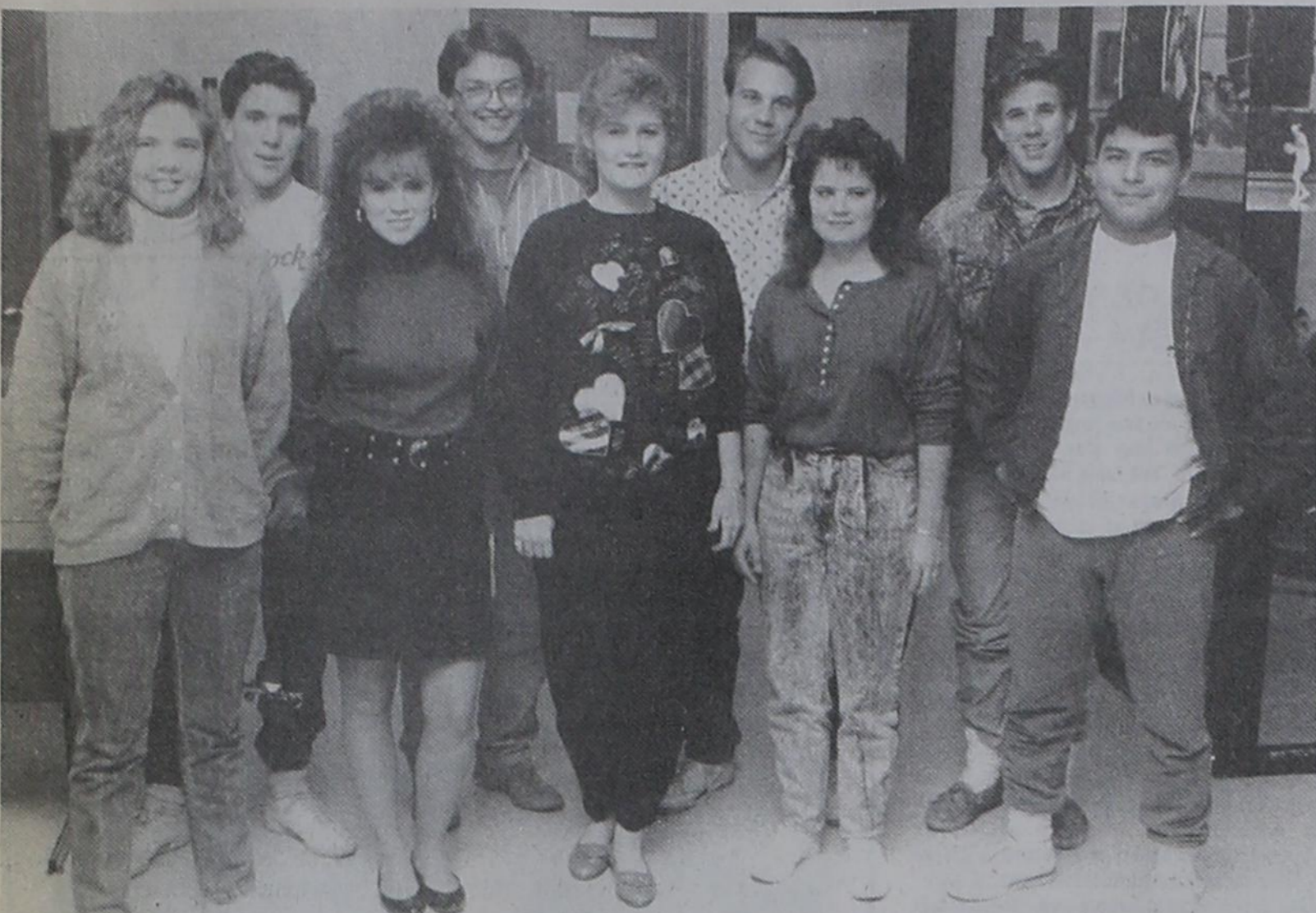
Rodriguez and Sulema Olivero.

Mark your calendars: Our fourth annual feastday and Christmas party will be Saturday, Dec. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Expo Building. We will also celebrate the end of our three-year long RENEW process. Parishioners are asked to bring a covered dish, salad or dessert. The parish will provide the meat. We hope that our annual door-to-door appeal for donations through Emilio Nino will raise enough funds to give every child there a present. During the last three years this event attracted well over 300 children from throughout the city. Thanks to the generosity of the business commu-

nity, we were able to bring some cheer to those children on each occasion. A pastoral council organizing committee consisting of Connie Martinez, vice president; Guila Silva, secretary; and Paul Garcia, member, is coordinating the celebration.

There will be a Prayer Town Youth Rally Saturday. Those interested are asked to contact Juan or Felis Nino at 647-5661 or Guila Silva, 647-5264 by Wednesday for travel arrangements and further details.

During the ninth week of RENEW, we focus on welcoming Jesus.



**SPC JOURNALISM WINNERS** — The South Plains College campus newspaper, *The Plainsman Press* won first place in the general excellence at the Texas Community College Journalism Association conference last weekend at Midland. Among the staff members are (front, from left) Tracy Turner of Whitharral, Jeannie Cruz of Ropesville, Teena Newman of Sudan, Theresa

Verkamp of Nazareth, all mass communications majors; Alfonso Bernal of O'Donnell, an education major; and (back row, from left) Tim Rickman of Lubbock, a photography major, Billy Smith SPC journalism instructor and sponsor of the Plainsman Press, Jeff Loke of Lubbock, a photography major, and Jody Herring of Levelland, a mass communications major.

## Sunnyside By Teeny Bowden, 647-5703

Announcement was made last week of the engagement and Jan. 6 wedding of Jodie Riley and Kyla Boozer in Dimmitt. Both are students at Texas Tech University and will continue their studies until their graduation in 1990. They will make their home in Lubbock after the wedding. The couple will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday from 10 to 11:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Stanley Schaeffer.

Cliff and Naomi Brown of Hale Center visited with Lee and Louise Bradley and family recently. Naomi underwent major surgery in Lubbock Nov. 3 and was dismissed Nov. 10. She is doing fine. Cliff had added cooking to his other chores.

Doug Louder went back to Lubbock Tuesday for a checkup. They made a culture on the fluid draining from the cyst. The fluid is getting thicker now and will just quit as the body begins to absorb it. The doctor said he was doing fine.

Ezell and Verba Sadler were in

Farwell Thursday night to enjoy a Thanksgiving supper for their bluegrass music group.

Ezell and Verba left Friday to meet Patricia Powell of Canadian at the lake at Breckenridge. They will attend the 50th wedding anniversary reception for their cousins, Hollis and Marci Lee Buchanan in Abilene Saturday and will go back to the lake Saturday night.

Sharon's aunt, Wanda, and her husband, Warren Gehring of Indianapolis, Ind. stopped at Tex and Norma Conard's last weekend on their way to California.

Sharon and Larry Sadler, Stacy Norman, Jeremy and Joshua, Laura Hurtado and Matt, and Ezell and Verba Sadler had supper with them Monday night.

A Mexican fiesta supper was enjoyed Wednesday night before prayer meeting at the church.

The pastor has been writing term papers during the last two weeks. He's also staying busy with all his sermons and other responsibilities.

Norman and Cheryl Norman of Alpine spent last Sunday night with Ezell and Verba Sadler and left after dinner Monday on their way to Canadian. They came back by on their way home Thursday afternoon. They traveled through El Paso, where he had a doctor's appointment Friday.

Weldon Bradley of Dimmitt brought his cousins, Debs and Audrey Widner of Melrose, down to see Ezell and Verba Sadler Wednesday afternoon.

The Sunnyside Gin has ginned approximately 1,200 bales of cotton as of Friday, and the cotton harvest is beginning to wind down. It wasn't a very good year for cotton, as far as grades are concerned, due

to the early freeze and no frost.

Several in the community have been stricken with colds and the flu recently. Sharon Sadler came down with the flu last Thursday. Stacy Norman took Jeremy and Joshua to get shots for sore throats, knocking them out of attending the 50th wedding anniversary celebration in Abilene.

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## Arts and crafts festival planned

Wesley United Methodist Church in Hereford will hold its ninth annual Festival of Arts and Crafts Dec. 2 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Hereford Community Center.

Only a limited number of booths are available and applications will be screened. Booth fees are \$10 and applications may be obtained by writing Marilyn Bell, 121 Ironwood, Hereford, Texas 79045, or by calling 1-364-0181 after 6 p.m. You may also write to Ellen Collins, 801 Miles, Hereford or call 1-364-0774.



## Let's Count Our Blessings

For family and friends, bountiful food on the table, love and laughter in our hearts, we are truly thankful. Let's cherish our good fortune in life all the year through, as we express our thoughts of Thanksgiving today.

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CHURCH**  
647-5712, Sunnyside

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Perry Hunsaker, Pastor  
938-2462, Hart

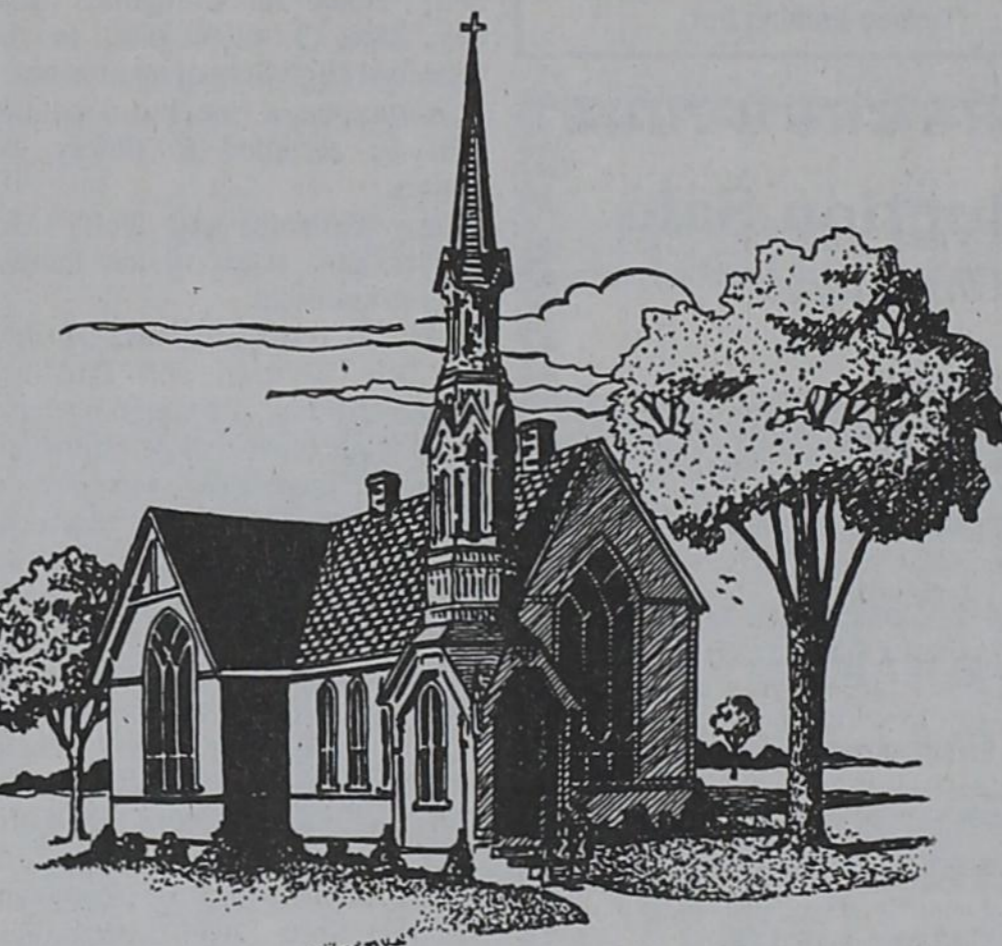
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Pastor Ruben Velasquez  
"Full Gospel"  
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**FIRST UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH**  
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110 SW 3rd, Dimmitt

**IGLESIA DE CRISTO**  
Pedro A. Gonzalez, Minister  
E. Lee and SE 3rd, Dimmitt

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Rev. Norbert Choong, Pastor  
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BAUTISTA MEXICANA**  
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# People

## Ramey and Powers wed in double-ring ceremony

Ann Marie Ramey and Shannon Dale Powers exchanged wedding vows Nov. 4 in an informal, double-ring ceremony in Dimmitt.

The couple exchanged wedding vows at Lee Street Baptist Church in Dimmitt with Jim Ritter officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Edgar Ramey of Garland and Judy Flippo of Houston. The groom is the son of Jackie and Ronda Powers of Dimmitt.

An archway decorated with an arrangement of white and navy blue carnations suspended from the top, decorated the church. Blue bows marked the second and fourth pew.

Jerre Shultz, pianist, accompanied soloists Don Nelson and Cyndy Reynolds in performing the couple's musical selections including *Forever I Do, Just You and I* and *The Wedding Song*.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a tea-length white satin gown featuring French lace. The bodice buttoned down the back and was accented with French lace over a satin string strap bodice. The long sleeves were fashioned of French lace. A satin bow accented the waistline of the gown.

She carried a bouquet of white flowers with a hint of navy blue

ribbon. The bride's throw-away bouquet was made of mixed white and navy carnations.

Maid of honor was Kendra Flippo of Houston, the bride's sister.

She wore a tea-length navy blue dress designed with puffed sleeves accented with roses at the shoulders. Bows highlighted the waistline of the gown. She carried a bouquet of white and navy carnations.

Best man was Joe Porter of Dimmitt, friend of the groom.

Tonya Powers of Dimmitt, the groom's sister, was flower girl. She carried a basket with navy and white flower petals.

Raymond Powers of Dimmitt, the groom's brother, was the ring bearer.

Guests were seated by Tim Elliott and Prentiss Washington, both of Dimmitt, friends of the groom.

The couple were honored with a reception following the wedding.

The table was covered with a white cloth. Navy and white napkins accented the table, which held the bride's three-tiered cake, decorated with navy roses around the bottom.

The couple enjoyed a wedding trip to Amarillo following the reception.

For her traveling attire, the bride chose a white, long-sleeved shirt and a black skirt. She wore a corsage of white carnations and navy ribbon roses. Navy blue accents completed the outfit.

The couple will establish their home in New London, Conn. in December. He will be stationed with the US Coast Guard there.



MRS. SHANNON POWERS  
...nee Marie Ramey

The bride attended schools in Amarillo and graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1989. She is employed at the Castro County Recreation Association.

The groom is a 1988 graduate of Dimmitt High School. He attended Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

### Who's New

**Plains Memorial**  
It's a girl for Joe and Angela Hochstein of Dimmitt. Allison May was born last Wednesday, Nov. 15, at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed 9 lbs., 1 oz. and was 20 inches long at birth. Her paternal grandmother is May Hochstein of Nazareth. Maternal grandparents are James and Alice Hund of Hereford. She has a great-grandmother, Marie Noggler of Hereford.

Alicia and Manuel Martinez of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Veronica Crystal, who was born at 3:55 a.m. Friday at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Veronica weighed 7 lbs., 2 oz. and was 20 inches long. Her paternal grandparents are Merihildo and Josephina Martinez of Mexico. Maternal grandparents are Santos Villegas of Floydada and Maria E. Alvarez of Dimmitt. Great-grandparents are Santos and Celia Alvarez of Dimmitt.

Santana and Tammy Garcia of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby girl, Courtney Jo, who was born last Thursday, Nov. 16, at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. She weighed in at 6 lbs., 11 1/2 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. Her grandparents are Lucy Gil, and Ray and Josie Garcia, all of Dimmitt. Her great-grandparents are Rita Garza of Lubbock and Narciso and Emilia Gauna of Dimmitt.

**Out of Town**  
Bryan and Beckie Armstrong of Lubbock are parents of a girl, Carrie Ann, born at 8:30 p.m. Nov. 13 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 6 lbs., 6 oz. and was 19" long. She has a big brother, Jimmie, who is three years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Armstrong of Dimmitt, M.G. Northcut of Fort Stockton and the late Carrie Northcut.

Teresa and Sandy K. Parsons IV of Dimmitt are the parents of a baby boy, Donovan James, born Nov. 9 at 6:15 p.m. at South Park Medical Center in Lubbock. He weighed in at 7 lbs. and 7 oz. and measured 20 inches long. He has an older brother, Shawn, 8. Grandparents are Harold and Laura Broadstreet of Lubbock and Margie and Sandy Parsons III of Dimmitt. Great-grandparents are Lois and Sandy Parsons II and Hardy Wright, all of Wellington.

It's a girl for Elio and Esmeralda Sepeda. Krystal Yvette Sepeda was born at 11:34 a.m. Nov. 12 at Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia. She weighed in at 8 lbs., 1 1/2 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. She has an older sister, 10-year-old Ivonne; and two older brothers, 12-year-old Isaac and eight-year-old Roderick. Maternal grandparents are Domingo and Leonila Guardiola.

## Chamber Singers to present concert

The Hereford Chamber Singers will present their Christmas concert, "Home for Christmas" Sunday, Dec. 3, at 4 p.m. in the Hereford High School auditorium.

Admission is free, but donations will be accepted to defray expenses.

Any Gilliland and Duffy McBrayer have solos in the family-oriented musical.

"Home for Christmas," written by Don Wyrzen and Phil and Lynne Brower, is a touching letter of a young woman's warm and treasured memories. It is also an "experience of love"—a very deep and extraordinary love shared between those in a very ordinary family.

Participants in the program other than the soloists will be Michael Power, host of the show; Claudia McBrayer, who plays Karen; John Claypool, the Scripture voice; Jill Laing, who plays Shannon; Keith Flood in the part of Rob; and children Scott Shaw, Aaron Gilliland, Lydsi Ames, Sheila Teel, Christi Wallace, Sara and Brian MacLaskey and Kurtis, Kyle and Kerri Flood.

Technical assistance will be given by Hereford High School play production students.

Also featured in the program will be musical selections by the ladies'

saxet, a men't quartet and a piano duo composed of Linda Gilbert and Jan Walser.

Karen Flood is the director for the production. Bill Devers serves as choral director and Elva Devers is the accompanist. Dr. A.T. Mims is chairman of the Chamber Singers.

### Army, Navy and Air Force News

Tech. Sgt. Emigdio J. Sandoval has graduated from an Air Force major command non-commissioned officer academy.

The sergeant has received advanced military leadership and management training.

He is a management supervisor with the 4450th Combat Support Group at Nellis Air Force Base in Nevada.

Sandoval, the son of Emigdio and Maria Sandoval of Dimmitt, graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1979. He received an associate degree in 1985 through the Community College of the Air Force.

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Thanks to the people in Dimmitt and Castro County who supported us in all our efforts by shopping and having lunch with us Friday.

Thanks to Georgia Wall and The First State Bank for selling tickets and displaying our TV and Bell Pull. Edith Graef won the TV and Rosmary Wilhelm won the Bell Pull.

Remember to buy your Christmas greetings at The First State Bank. Deadline is Dec. 14.

Thanks again,  
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You are invited to a Baby Shower honoring Teresa Parsons and her infant son Donovan James Monday, Nov. 27 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the home of Susie Bradford 1604 Sunset Circle

Selections at Anthony's and Tots and Teens.

You are invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Kyla Boozer bride-elect of Jodie Riley Saturday, Nov. 25, 1989 10 a.m. to 11:30 noon in the home of Mrs. Stanley Schaeffer 116 Andrews, Dimmitt

Selections at Parsons, Seale Florist and The Village Shop.



**FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO 4-H**—Deana Sageser (right) receives a "Distinguished Service Award" plaque from the national president of the National Association of Extension 4-H Agents recently. She was honored at the NAE4-HA's national convention held in Mobile, Ala.

## Sageser is honored

Deana Sageser of Dimmitt was cited as a National Association of Extension 4-H Agents' Distinguished Service Award honoree during the 1989 "Jubilee" National Association of 4-H Agents Conference, which was held in Mobile, Ala. Nov. 5-9.

Eighty-nine Distinguished Service Awards were presented to Extension professionals from among the 3,150 counties that conduct 4-H and youth development work. The Distinguished Service Award is a special recognition for the 4-H youth professional, selected by Extension co-workers. Outstanding service to the organization within their state is the major criteria for selection.

Sageser has accomplished and has been involved in numerous activities during her Extension career. She has held numerous committee assignments in the District 4-H Agents Association, currently serving as district director. She is a past state vice president.

Sageser, a member of the district, state and national associations of Extension Home Economists, American Home Economics Association, Epsilon Sigma Phi, is serving as president of the Texas Tech Extension Exes. She is a certified home economist and attends professional association meetings and participates in educational trainings.

She has been the Extension Agent-Home Economics in Castro County since January 1987. During

her tenure in Castro County there has been an increase in school enrichment, impressive participation in state food shows, state fashion shows, state scholarship recipients, state record books, national short courses and the top three places at the State 4-H Roundup. Sageser has also been involved in 4-H Clothing and Food and Nutrition projects, helped increase record book participation, served as a sponsor for Electric Camp, Leaders Lab, State 4-H Congress and serves as a District 4-H Council Committee advisor.

She does yearly 4-H Club programs and is instrumental in the county's 4-H Achievement Banquet, Charm School, 4-H Week, the child care clinic, latch key program, stock show concession stand. She helps with the American Cancer Society's "Kiss A Pig" contest among 4-H'ers, and the group collected over \$1,800. She also works with 4-H members on applying for scholarships.

In the other counties Sageser served, she has had 4-H'ers qualify for the state fashion show, named as scholarship recipients, had a participant in the national record book contest, and a top participant in the State 4-H Roundup. She also helped with a participant in the state wool contest.

Sageser was named to Who's Who in the South and Southwest in 1988 and was listed among the "Outstanding Young Women of America" in 1981.

## Four sentenced in district court

A 26-year-old Dimmitt woman pleaded guilty to the charge of unlawful delivery of cocaine and was sentenced to a seven-year felony probation term in 64th District Court recently.

After pleading guilty to the eight man, four woman jury, Dione Nelson-Steffens requested that the jury assess the punishment. The jury deliberated less than 20 minutes before returning the verdict, which also included a probated fine of \$5,000.

Terms of Steffens' probation in-

clude the payment of a \$40 per month probation reporting fee during each month of the seven-year term.

Testimony from an undercover narcotics agent of the Dept. of Public Safety indicated that Steffens had sold the controlled substance to the agent on Oct. 10, 1988, at a Southwest Ninth Street residence in Dimmitt. Laboratory analysis showed slightly over one gram of cocaine in the substance sold to the agent.

Jimmy Lee Hodnett Jr., 19, of Canyon, was placed on ten years felony probation in 64th District Court after pleading guilty to theft of cattle from a Castro County feedyard.

Hodnett was ordered to pay \$3,931.20 in restitution and a \$40 per month probation reporting fee.

Hodnett was the second of two men convicted for the theft of cattle following an investigation by an agent of the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers Association. Hodnett admitted his participation in one theft on April 1.

felony probation after completion of the jail sentence.

Modesto (Max) Ellis, 36, of Earth, was assessed an eight-year prison sentence to be probated four years after pleading guilty to aggravated assault in connection with a June 19 incident in Dimmitt during which 21-year-old Max Sifuentes was reportedly shot.

He will pay a \$750 fine, court costs of \$133, \$40 per month reporting fees and \$1,232.52 for medical bills and property damages. He also agreed to donate \$50 to the Castro County Crime Line.

## Foster kids need help for holidays

If you had the chance to make a Merry Christmas for a group of children who might not have one, wouldn't you want to do it?

Well you've got the chance. The Golden Spread Foster Parents Association in Deaf Smith, Castro, Parmer and Oldham counties is asking for donations to help sponsor a Christmas party for foster children placed in these counties.

State funds are supplied to assist with the foster children's daily needs, but there isn't any extra money for Christmas.

Anyone interested in giving can make donations directly to a special account at the Hereford State Bank or to any member of the Golden Spread Foster Parents Association. Donations can also be mailed to the association in care of Dee Hernandez, P.O. Box 2062, Hereford, Texas 79045.

If anyone needs more information about the foster care program or the Christmas party, they can call Hernandez at 364-8527 or Charlene Connally at 364-3936.

Most of the money donated will be used to purchase Christmas gifts for the foster children — usually practical items such as clothing and shoes, but toys are also accepted

gifts. For a lot of the foster children "it's the only Christmas they have," according to Charlene Connally, a member of the foster parents organization.

The group hopes to receive donations sufficient to allocate \$75 to \$100 per child for about 20 foster children in the four-county area. The money will also be used to fund a Christmas party, complete with Santa Claus, for all foster children in the area.

During the party Santa will present each child with one gift. The children will also celebrate Christmas in each of their individual foster homes.

Christmas funds aren't the only need expressed by representatives of the 25 members of the parents' group.

Foster parents are in great demand and anyone who is interested in becoming one or in providing support for existing foster homes is urged to attend the monthly meetings at the Hereford Community Center on the third Tuesday of each month.

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aldermen speak to every congressman they can to seek relief for smaller towns.

Mayor Wayne Collins pointed out that Sen. Phil Gramm will be in Dimmitt next week, and suggested that they seek a meeting with him to discuss the problem.

In other business, the aldermen voted to renew the city's franchise agreement with Energas Company for a ten-year period, with the addition of a clause concerning payment of attorneys' fees in the case of a suit.

A resolution was signed authorizing the city to seek a grant from the Federal Aviation Administration for needed improvements to the city airport.

The aldermen allowed Burrous to change the hours of operation of the city landfill, so that it will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. on weekdays during the winter months, with the Saturday hours remaining at 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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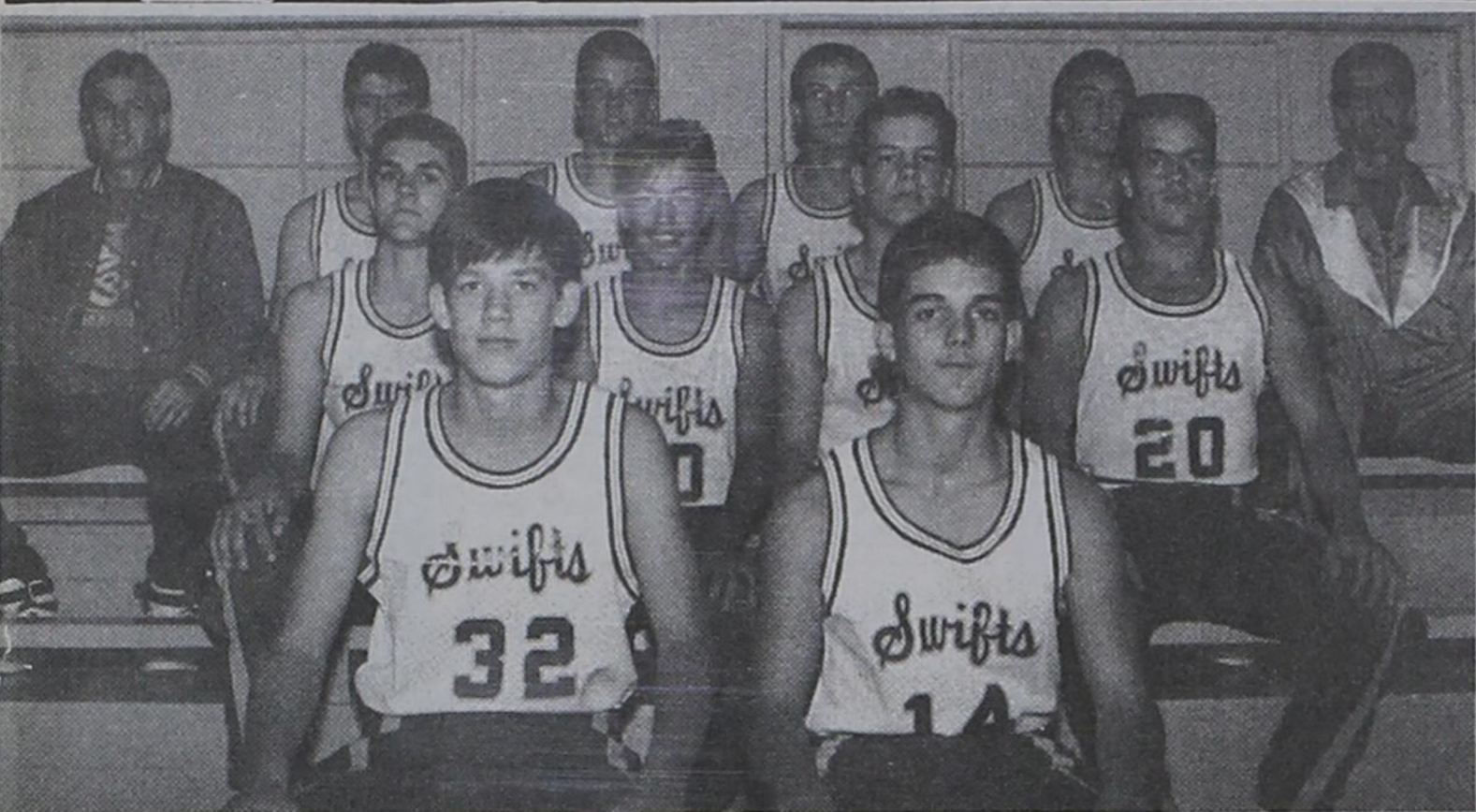
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# Boys Tip-off '90



THE NAZARETH SWIFTS for 1989-90 are (bottom, from left) Michael Schmucker and Lynn Nelson; (middle, from left) Marty Gerber, Adrian Farris, Wade Hoelting and Rusty Schacher; and (top, from left) Assistant Coach Joey Waldo, Mac Annen, Brian Schmucker, Scott Huseman, Bob Kern and Head Coach Mark Makeever.

## Swifts

### New coach, team ready for season

Things are definitely looking up for the Nazareth Swifts this year.

The Swifts suffered through a rebuilding season last year, but are loaded with experience, a new coach, and an attitude that can do nothing but help them achieve their goals this year.

Head Coach Mark Makeever is excited about the prospects this year's team offers him in his first season.

"My goal is definitely to make the playoffs, Makeever said. "I've only seen them for a week, but I've watched films from last year. I probably should set higher goals, but I definitely want to make the playoffs. After last year's 6-20 record, if we made the playoffs this year I'd say we'd have a successful season. And I think we can do it," he said.

"There's by far a lot more talent here than I've worked with before and it excites me to have this quality of athletes to work with. We can do so many more things. Down the road we're planning on being up there with the Swiftettes, winning state titles."

Returning to the Swifts' starting lineup this season are Brian Schmucker, a 6-0 wing who averaged 12 points and seven rebounds; Wade Hoelting, a 5-10 junior guard who averaged nine points and three caroms; and Scott Huseman, a 6-32 senior post, who tossed in eight points and snared five rebounds. Joining the trio will be Marty Gerber, a 6-0 senior post; and Michael Schmucker, a 6-0 freshman point guard.

Bob Kern, a 6-1 senior post is a returning letterman.

Rounding out the varsity squad are Lynn Nelson, a 5-8 sophomore guard; Adrian Farris, a 5-7 freshman guard; Mac Annen, a 6-1 sophomore post; and Rusty Schacher, a 5-9 senior guard.

Offensively the Swifts will operate with a double post, high-low offense and will also run a motion offense "when we have more time to prepare it," Makeever said.

Defensively it's man-to-man.

"I believe in pressure defense and in really working. Eventually we'll run a man-to-man. That's my number one defense. We'll put on a man-to-man run and jump press," Makeever said.

"Our defense is our main strength right now. I think we've got a little bit of quickness to help out with that. Wade's got good speed and Michael's quicker than he appears to be. We've got Adrian and Lynn coming in off the bench and they're pretty quick. They're probably not as quick right now as they can be, but that'll come with time."

Makeever's main concern about his new charges is offense.

"I know people are going to be on Wade and Brian to score. Our offense concerns me right now, but if Scott can do what I think he can, it's going to open up everything else. I think Michael's also going to come around. As they year goes on I think Adrian's also going to surprise us with outside shooting. Lynn's going to improve through the year and I think Mac's getting better. He's big and he's still growing."

## Swifts

Player	Ht.	Pos.	Cl.
Wade Hoelting	5-10	G	Jr
Lynn Nelson	5-8	G	So
Adrian Farris	5-7	G	Fr
Mac Annen	6-1	P	So
Brian Schmucker	6-0	G	Sr
Bob Kern	6-1	P	Sr
Rusty Schacher	5-9	G	Sr
Marty Gerber	6-0	P	Sr
Scott Huseman	6-3	P	Sr
Michael Schmucker	6-0	G	Fr
Head Coach, Mark Makeever			
Assistant Coach, Joey Waldo			

The Swifts will rely on Hoelting from the outside—especially from the three-point range.

"Wade's our most consistent shooter from the outside right night. He's been shooting the ball real well and is accurate on three pointers. Michael has the capabilities of being a good outside shooter.

"We'll have Brian set up on the wing, but he'll do most of his storing inside off of penetrations. We'll play him both at post and wing," Makeever said.

Nazareth's bench will be another strength this season, if Makeever has anything to say about it.

"I'm going to try and play at least eight or nine people. If we're going to play pressure defense, we'll have to. The guys are all working together. That's one thing I stress. All the way from the last man all the way up, everybody's treated the same.

"Their attitude is good now, but at the beginning of the year it always is. I had them fill out cards on what their personal goals and team goals were. Some of them said 'Make the playoffs.' A few of the older guys have said they want to win regional and a few have said they want to make it to state. I'm glad to see they've got high goals. They've been working real hard."

They'll have to if they want to achieve their goals.

"From what everybody tells me, the district's up for grabs this year. Everybody lost a lot last year and I think we lost less than most teams. Happy's got the only returning coach in our district."

"I'm excited, but tentative about this year. I know we've got good kids, but we're playing tough competition from top to bottom.

"We have quite a few open dates and it just concerns me the guys may not keep their heads up. We're playing strictly AA and AAA schools. The first team we play in the Abernathy Tournament is AAAA Lubbock Friendship. I think we can compete and beat some of these teams, but if we don't I just hope we don't get our heads down.

"It's good to play strong teams. I just hope the guys realize we are playing bigger schools," Makeever said.

"We're shooting with a new coach this year. I'm preparing for two months from now when district starts. We've got to be ready to make a run for the playoffs, and I think we'll be there."

## Bobcats

### Team is heavy with sophs

Remember that great Bobcat class a couple of years back, that came on as sophomores and went to state three years in a row? All-stater James Alexander, all-regionals Jeremy Warren and Warren McDonald, along with Jim Nelson, Cary and Brad Buchanan, Blaine Gregory and Paul Dannevik?

Well, it may be *deja vu* time. The Bobcat varsity has more sophomores than anything else this year, and Coach Ken Cleveland has high hopes for them.

"Our sophomores are playing a lot better than you'd expect sophomores to play," Cleveland said. "Some of them are playing like seniors."

He added, "This has always been a good class—they've worked hard, they play together well, they make their grades. They're just an exceptional class. I think that overall, they're about as sound as the class that had James, Jeremy, Warren, Jim and that bunch when they were sophomores."

There are five sophomores on this year's varsity lineup, and three of them — Robert Ruiz (6-1 forward), Billy Ray Thomas (5-10 forward) and Mark Horn (5-11 forward)—made last year's varsity squad as freshmen, with Ruiz as the team's sixth man.

Two other sophomores are showing a lot of promise: Miguel Saucedo and Armando Arce, both 5-9 guards.

And still another good sophomore prospect—6-2 post Richard Newman—may be moved up from the junior varsity.

These sophomores join three seniors and three juniors to make up the 1989-90 Bobcat squad.

Anchoring the team is the only returning starter from last year's regional finalists—6-1 senior post Justin Shultz, an all-district performer last season. His classmates on the squad are David Edwards (6-0 guard) and Jerry Lopez (6-0 post).

The three juniors are lettermen Jermaine Williams (5-9 guard) and Ricky Solomon (6-1 post), along with Chip Thrasher (6-0 forward).

First-game starters were Saucedo and Williams at guard, Solomon and Thrasher at forward and Shultz at post, but "everybody's playing a lot right now, and it's going to take several weeks to settle on the top five," Cleveland said.

They're getting tested early with a typically tough schedule. They had their hands full against Levelland Saturday and Palo Duro Tuesday, and will go into the Borger Tournament Friday. Then will come the Lions Pioneer Classic in Plainview and the ever-tough Caprock Tournament in Lubbock, with games against Hereford, Morton, Slaton, Abernathy and Randall sandwiched between.

Morton, Abernathy and Farwell are the only smaller-division schools on the pre-district schedule.

## Bobcats

Player	Ht.	Pos.	Cl.
Justin Shultz	6-1	P	Sr
Jerry Lopez	6-0	P	Sr
David Edwards	6-0	G	Jr
Jermaine Williams	5-9	G	Jr
Ricky Solomon	6-1	P	Jr
Chip Thrasher	6-0	F	Jr
Miguel Saucedo	5-9	G	So
Armando Arce	5-9	G	So
Billy Ray Thomas	5-10	F	So
Robert Ruiz	6-1	F	So
Mark Horn	5-11	F	So
Head Coach, Kenneth Cleveland			
Assistant Coaches, Alan Steinle and George Rasor			

Morton is being coached again by Ted Whillock (whose teams battled Cleveland's Bobcats for state honors year after year in the '70s). And Abernathy and Farwell "are both real good teams that gave us all we could handle last year," Cleveland said.

As for the District 2-AAA race this year, "Most of the other teams have three or four starters back, so I'm looking for a tough race," Cleveland said.

"The one that's looking the toughest is Floydada, with four starters back," he said. "Tulia has a 6-7 kid, several 6-5's and a 6-3, and they've got some talent."

"I really look for the district race to boil down to Dimmitt, Floydada and Tulia, and possibly Friona—they've got four starters back, too," he added.

Cleveland believes this year's Bobcats will give fans their money's worth.

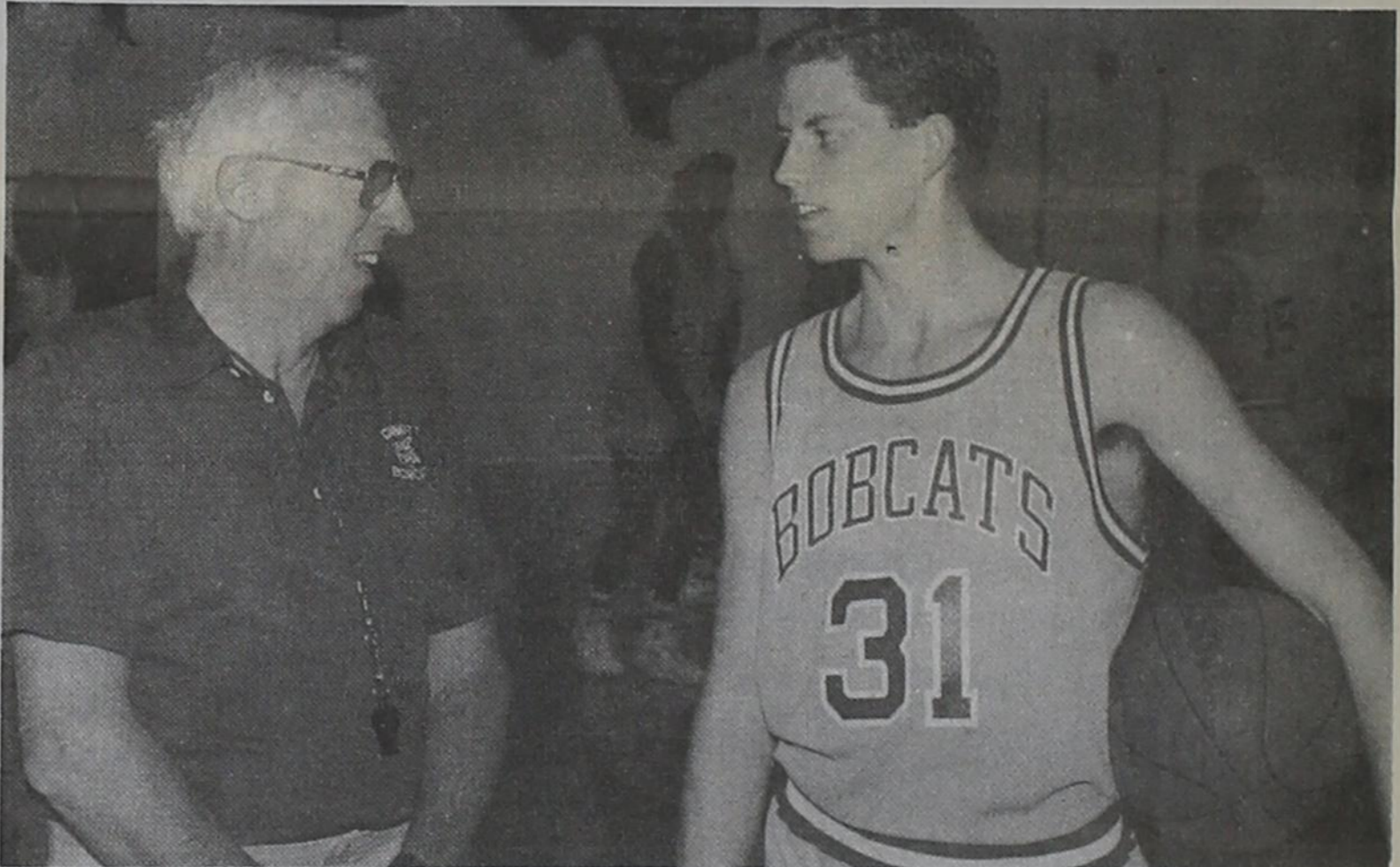
"I've had a lot of people say how much fun it was to watch last year's team play," he said. "I think this bunch will be just as much fun to watch. I know they're fun to coach, when you have a bunch of kids who are smart, very responsive, and with a lot of natural talent."

This year's Bobcats have a heavy load if they're to start the decade of the '90s the way their predecessors carried the '80s.

The Bobcat record in this decade is an imposing one: district champions every year, regional finalists in '85 and '89, regional champions in '82, '83 '84, '86, '87 and '88, state finalists in '86, state champions in '82 and '83. . . .

One thing you can probably lay money on: this year's team will give Coach Cleveland his 800th win. He was standing at 788 (vs. 243 losses) going into Tuesday night's game against Amarillo Palo Duro.

But as for the rest of it—district, bi-district, area, regional, state—don't bet on it. Just hang in there with 'em and hope.



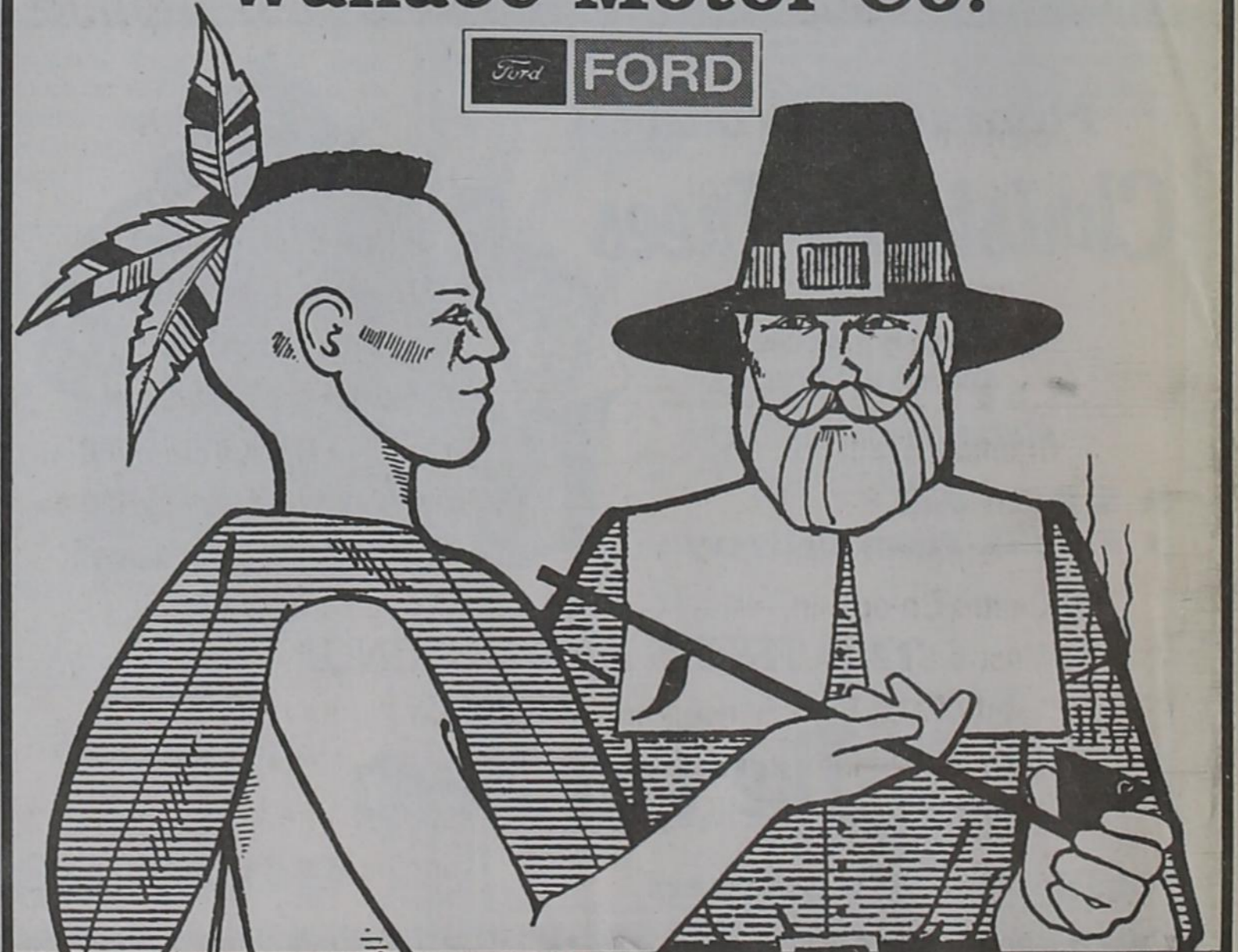
'KEEP 'EM STEADY, JUSTIN'—Bobcat Coach Ken Cleveland pow-ows with his only returning starter, 6-1 senior Justin Shultz, an all-district

performer last season. This year's Bobcat squad includes three seniors, three juniors and five sophomores.

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 10:00—Consolation Semifinals\*  
 10:30—Championship Semifinals  
 2:00—Seventh Place\*  
 5:00—Consolation Championship  
 6:45—Third Place  
 8:30—Championship

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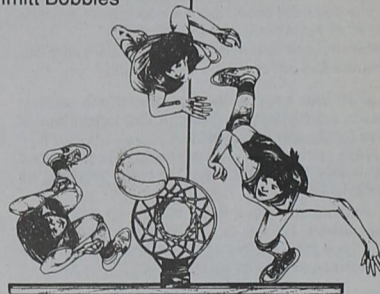
**Queens Classic Tournament**

Nov. 23-25, 1989  
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**THURSDAY:**  
 10:00—Happy vs. Lubbock Monterey  
 1:30—Nazareth Swiftettes vs. Dimmitt Bobbies  
 3:30—Levelland vs. Hale Center  
 7:00—Plainview vs. Canyon

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# Boys Tip-off '90



**HOOK 'EM HORNS**—Stepping onto the court for the Hart Longhorns this season will be (back row, from left) Rey Velasquez, Blair Brown, Junior Isaguirre, Daniel Ramirez, and Head Coach Paul Abundez; and (kneeling, from left) Ernest Alcala, Craig Skiles, Felix Grajeda, Ricky Ojeda and Adam Gonzales.

## Longhorns

### Hart boys have playoff plans

The Hart Longhorns want a spot in the playoffs. That's what the Horns and Coach Paul Abundez will be working for, but there's a lot of tough competition to get by first.

"Our district will be almost identical to last year. It's going to be very competitive again. Abernathy, Farwell and Hale Center will be tough," Abundez said.

Last year Farwell led the District 3-AA race and wound up in Austin in March. That's something Abundez would like to see for his team this year.

"Last year we had five of the six teams in our district win 18 or more ballgames so we're very competitive and I expect the same thing again."

Abundez' Longhorns will be right in the thick of the race with two returning full-time starters, a part-time starter and a letterman with experience.

Returning to Hart's starting lineup this season will be Ricky Ojeda, a 6-0 senior who averaged 11 points and eight rebounds while earning honorable mention all-district honors. He'll be joined by Daniel Ramirez, a 6-0 senior guard and Craig Skiles, a 5-10 senior forward. Junior Isaguirre, a 6-0 junior post, is also back from last year's team.

"I've got four good people coming back. That's not bad, but we lost Junior Washington, Andy Castillo and Steve Lee. Junior was a big kid and that's one advantage we had last year. We used him inside and he really dominated," Abundez said.

"Ricky Ojeda is a good all around player. He's pretty versatile and I can switch him around. He's fairly consistent with three pointers, but I really don't want to use him just as a three point shooter because he's so dominant inside, too. I expect him to penetrate and do all kinds of things inside the paint."

Ramirez will also add to Hart's outside game and Abundez said he "can really count on him."

Skiles didn't start at the beginning of the year last season, but by the time district rolled around he was there for the opening tip-off.

"He's pretty quick," Abundez said. "He plays good offensively and defensively. I'm really counting on him to help us a lot."

"Another guy that's really moving up this year is Blair Brown. He was on junior varsity last year and did a good job. He's got a pretty decent shot and has a good three-pointer," he said.

Longhorns			
Player	Ht.	Pos.	Cl.
Craig Skiles	5-10	F	Sr
Junior Isaguirre	6-0	P	Jr
Ricky Ojeda	5-9	F	Sr
Felix Grajeda			
Blair Brown	5-9	F	Sr
Rey Velasquez	5-8	G	Sr
Ernest Alcala	5-9	G	Sr
Daniel Ramirez	6-0	P	Sr
Head Coach, Paul Abundez			
Assistant Coaches, Leslie Young and Allen Dews			

"This year we'll be quicker than last year. I'm expecting us to run the ball a little more and play a little bit more pressure defense. We've got plenty of presses to run. We've got some zones and we'll go full court man-to-man. We're really going to mix it up. We'll have a lot of stuff to hit different people with. I honestly feel that we can create some turnovers this year due to the quickness that we'll have," he said.

"Our main weakness is probably depth. We're moving a lot of junior varsity people up. We just aren't going to have a lot of experienced people on the bench. They did real well on JV last year, though, and I think they'll eventually come through for us," Abundez said.

Hart's going to have a tough schedule to help them prepare for the District 3-AA battle.

The Horns opened against Lubbock Christian Saturday, a team that finished as the state champion among private schools last year.

Hart played with the Eagles for the first half Saturday, owning a 33-28 lead at half time. The Horns lost their spark in the second half; however, and would up on the short end of the scoreboard, 72-57.

"We're going to have a real competitive non-district schedule and it's going to benefit us," Abundez said.

"I'm excited about the year because the kids are. I know what these kids are capable of. Their attitude is good and they are hard workers. They'll listen and get after it."

"I think we're headed in the right direction," he said.

# Bobbies, Naz to meet in Queens' Classic

The Bobbies and Swiftettes will spend their Thanksgiving in Plainview this year, fighting for the championship trophy of the 1989 Plainview Queens' Classic.

The teams will face each other in the opening round on Thanksgiving day today (Thursday) at 1:30 p.m. in Hutcherson Center on the campus of Wayland Baptist University in Plainview.

Other first round games scheduled today (Thursday) are Plainview and Canyon, 7 p.m.; Levelland and Hale Center, 3:30 p.m.; and Happy and Lubbock Monterey, 10 a.m.

The winner of the Dimmitt-Nazareth contest will take on the Plainview-Canyon winner Friday at 7 p.m. The losers of the two games will play at 1:30 p.m. Friday.

The winners of the Levelland-Hale Center and Happy-Monterey contests will square off Friday at 3:30 p.m. while the losers of the games tangle at 10 a.m. Friday.

Saturday's schedule begins with the seventh place game at 10 a.m., the consolation championship contest at 1:30 p.m., third place match-up and 3:30 p.m. and the championship game at 7 p.m.

The Queens' Classic traditionally has been one of the toughest tournaments in the state and it's no wonder, with two state champions, two regional finalists, a state finalist team, regional qualifier among

the teams in this year's brackets.

Levelland captured its fourth-straight Class AAAA state crown in 1989, and Nazareth snared its second straight Class A state title. Happy ended its season in the regional finals at the hands of the Swiftettes. Canyon made it all the way to the state finals in Class AAA, but lost in a heart-breaker. Dimmitt was defeated in the regional finals by Canyon. Lubbock Monterey, always tough, qualified

for regional and Hale Center was also a playoff team last season.

So, it's no wonder the tournament is ranked among the state's best.

Teams in the college division include Wayland Baptist University, Central State University, Arkansas Tech University, Claflin College, Grand Canyon University, University of Arkansas at Monticello and Oklahoma City University.



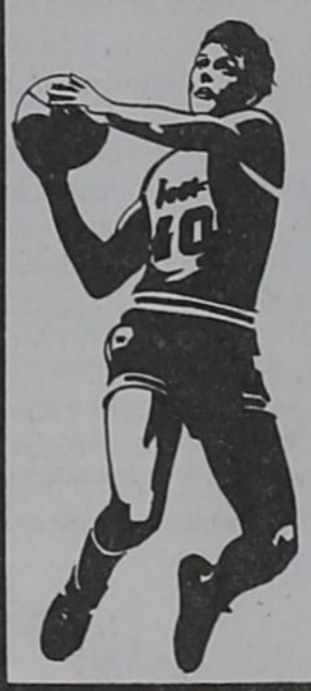
**BOARD BATTLE**—Nazareth's Peggy Huseman (12) pulls down a rebound, snatching it away from Muleshoe's Brenda Matthews (44) and Monica Sivent (52). The Swiftettes beat the Lady Mules, 54-46, in the contest Saturday at Nazareth.

## Week's Schedule

**TODAY**—Swiftettes vs. Bobbies, first round, Queens' Classic at Hutcherson Center in Plainview, 1:30 p.m.  
**FRIDAY**—Swiftettes and Bobbies in Queens' Classic; Bobcats vs. Palo Duro, first round of Borger Tournament, 6:30 p.m.  
**SATURDAY**—Swiftettes and Bobbies in Queens' Classic; Bobcats in Borger Tournament; Junior Varsity Longhorns and Longhorns at Morton.  
**TUESDAY**—Bobcats vs. Hereford and Bobbies vs. Lubbock Coronado in Dimmitt; Swifts and Swiftettes at Shallowater; Junior Varsity Longhorns, Junior Varsity Lady Longhorns, Lady Longhorns and Longhorns at Springlake.

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## Scoreboard

**THURSDAY**  
 Swiftettes 79, Tulla 43

Nazareth 24 23 16 16 — 79  
 Tulla 12 11 8 12 — 43  
**Scoring:** Nazareth—Darla Leavitt 19, Dana Schulte 15; Tulla—Nikki Altman 10, Jennifer Tucker 9.

JV Swiftettes 63, Tulla 35

**SATURDAY**  
 Lady Horns 49  
 Lubbock Christian 61

Hart 13 13 14 9 — 49  
 LCHS 13 13 11 24 — 61  
**Scoring:** Hart—Shelly Knox 18, April Bennett 14; LCHS—Phillips 26, Pritchett 17.

Longhorns 57  
 Lubbock Christian 72

Hart 15 18 8 16 — 57  
 LCHS 18 10 22 22 — 72  
**Scoring:** Hart — Ricky Ojeda 17, Danny Reyna 15; LCHS—Rogers 31, Perrin 24.

Swiftettes 54, Muleshoe 46

Nazareth 14 16 11 13 — 54  
 Tulla 10 13 18 5 — 46  
**Scoring:** Nazareth — Tami Ball and Darla Leavitt 18; Muleshoe — Heather Hutton 12, Wendy Green 13.

Swifts 55, Muleshoe 52

Nazareth 18 10 13 14 — 55  
 Muleshoe 7 13 18 14 — 52  
**Scoring:** Nazareth — Wade Hoeltling 21, Brian Schmucker and Scott Huseman 11; Muleshoe — B. Bush 21, Roberts 9.

Bobbies 57, Levelland 42

Dimmitt 16 14 10 17 — 57  
 Levelland 6 15 10 11 — 42  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt — Renae Josselot 24, Gloria Gauna 17; Levelland—Michell Echols 13, Britney King 12.

Bobcats 58, Levelland 57

Dimmitt 12 16 19 11 — 58  
 Levelland 15 17 12 13 — 57  
**Scoring:** Dimmitt — Miguel Saucedo 12, Jermain Williams and Justin Shultz 11; Levelland—Darrin Waters 17, Craig Schonertstedt 13.

JV Bobcats 62, Levelland 48

JV Swiftettes 28, Muleshoe 40

JV Bobbies 31, Levelland 22

JV Longhorns 49, Lub. Christian 29

JV Swifts 46, Muleshoe 41

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# Nazareth takes pair from Muleshoe

The Mules and Lady Mules kicked, bucked and hee-hawed around Saturday, but still couldn't manage to upend the Nazareth Swifts and Swiftettes, even though it was too close to call a few times.

The Swiftettes defeated the Lady Mules 54-46 after a close, hard-fought contest; and the Swifts managed to pull out a 55-52 victory over the Mules in Nazareth.

In their season opener Saturday, Nazareth's boys came ready to play and it's a good thing they did.

The Swifts jumped out to an early lead over the Mules in the first quarter, and that was what it took to win the game.

It helped that the Swifts outshot the Mules in the first stanza. Nazareth was 7 of 11 from the field including three three-pointers by Wade Hoelting, while Muleshoe was only 3 of 14. From the line the Swifts were perfect, one of one, while the Mules missed two of three opportunities.

Muleshoe outscored the Swifts in the second and third stanzas and tied the home team in the final quarter, but it wasn't enough. The lead Nazareth built up in the first quarter carried them to the victory.

Hoelting, who would up with 21 points in the game, opened the scoring by nailing a three pointer from the baseline with just 15 seconds gone. Scott Huseman added a basket and free throw with 6:06 to give the Swifts a 6-0 lead. Brian Schmucker scored on an of-

fensive rebound with five minutes left, and before Muleshoe knew it they were down by eight and hadn't scored yet. Over the next three minutes Nazareth outscored the visitors 10-7 and held an 18-7 lead after the first eight minutes.

But Muleshoe wasn't ready to die yet. They battled back and gave the Swifts a run for their money for the rest of the game.

In the second stanza the Mules outscored the Swifts 13-10.

Hoelting hit his fourth three-pointer with 7:20 left in the first half, giving the Swifts a 21-7 lead, and hit another with for a 24-10 lead later. Muleshoe quietly worked away at the Swifts lead, narrowing it to eight points at half time, 28-20.

The Swifts had a battle on their hands in the second half, but managed to hold on for the win.

Muleshoe cut Nazareth's lead to six points early in the third period, and from then on it was a battle. The Mules tossed in 18 points while holding the Swifts to just 13 in the third period and narrowed Nazareth's margin to 41-38 as the buzzer sounded. The teams battled to an even 14-14 fourth quarter, and the Swifts held on for a 55-52 win.

Hoelting's 21 points led the Swifts. Schmucker and Huseman each added 11 for the home team.

The Swiftettes were playing without starter Noel Johnson, who was sick.

There seemed to be a lid over the Swiftettes' basket early in the game. Nothing would fall.

Darla Leavitt, who tied with Tami Ball for high point honors with 18 points in the contest, put the Swiftettes on the boards first with a pair of charity tosses with 7:18 left in the opening stanza. The Swiftettes didn't score again until the 5:40 mark, when Ball hit Leavitt under the basket and she scored her fourth points of the game.

Muleshoe tied the game at four with 3:27 left on a jump shot by Lori Cuevas, but Nazareth quickly countered with a free throw and bucket by Ball.

Leavitt put the Swiftettes up 9-8 with 1:13 left, but Muleshoe returned the favor and took its first lead of the game when Cuevas hit another jumpshot with 58 seconds left.

Nazareth's girls weren't about to let the Lady Mules take control of the game and scored five points before the period ended to take a 14-10 lead.

The Lady Mules made a run at the Swiftettes early in the second half, but a balanced scoring attack by the defending state champions gave the Swiftettes a 30-23 lead at half time.

The Lady Mules ran off a string of four points before, cutting Nazareth's lead to three, before the Swiftettes scored their first points of the second half. The score came as close as a point, 34-33, with 5:10 left when Brenda Matthews scored

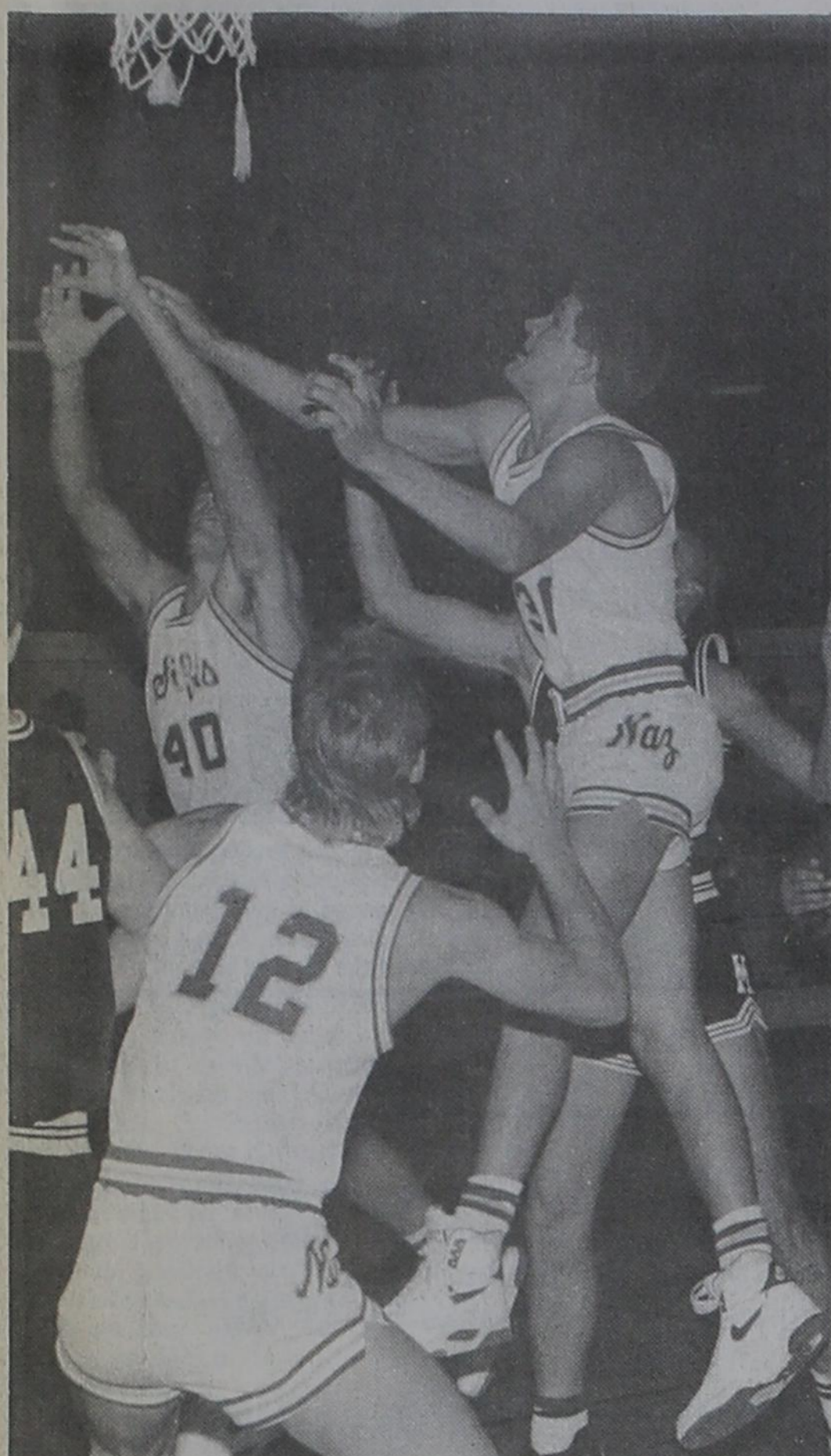
for Muleshoe.

The teams traded baskets for the remainder of the period and the Swiftettes held a 45-41 lead after three quarters had expired.

Nazareth went up by nine points, 50-41, when Ball connected on a three-pointer with 6:40 left in the game, but the Lady Mules weren't ready to be corralled. They cut the score to four points, 50-46, with 3:39 left on a free throw by Cuevas, but that was the last time the basketball would sail through their bucket and the Swiftettes held on for a 54-46 win.



STEPHANIE BROCKMAN, a 1989 graduate of Nazareth High School, is a 5-6 guard for the Eastern New Mexico University Lady Zia basketball team this season. Brockman is a freshman physical education major and is the daughter of Cyril and Mitzie Brockman of Nazareth.



THE SWIFTS converge on the basket after Muleshoe misses a shot during action Saturday afternoon in Nazareth. Brian Schmucker (40) and Marty Gerber (30) fight for the rebound as Wade Hoelting (12) prepares for an outlet pass.

## Makeever is new boys' coach at Naz

Mark Makeever, an Illinois native, is the new boys' head basketball coach at Nazareth High School.

Makeever comes to Nazareth from Allison, where he served as boys' and girls' head coach.

He attended Parkland Junior College in Champagne, Ill. and played basketball for two years. He earned all-state honors his sophomore year.

From there he went to Panhandle State in Goodwell, Okla. He started one or two games his junior year, but was mainly used as a sixth man. In his junior year, the team went 35-5 and made it to the national tournament. When he was a senior the team went a few games over 500 and he earned second team all-district honors.

After he graduated he took a job as the assistant varsity and head junior varsity coach at Panhandle. He sat out the next year, and went back to school to earn his teaching degree.

"I went back to Panhandle and Earl Diddle, who was coach then, asked be to be his assistant and I accepted. I went to Allison next," Makeever said.

"The first year I was at Allison the boys made the playoffs. We were 18-9 on the season and got beat by Vega in the area round. The second year we lost quite a bit and

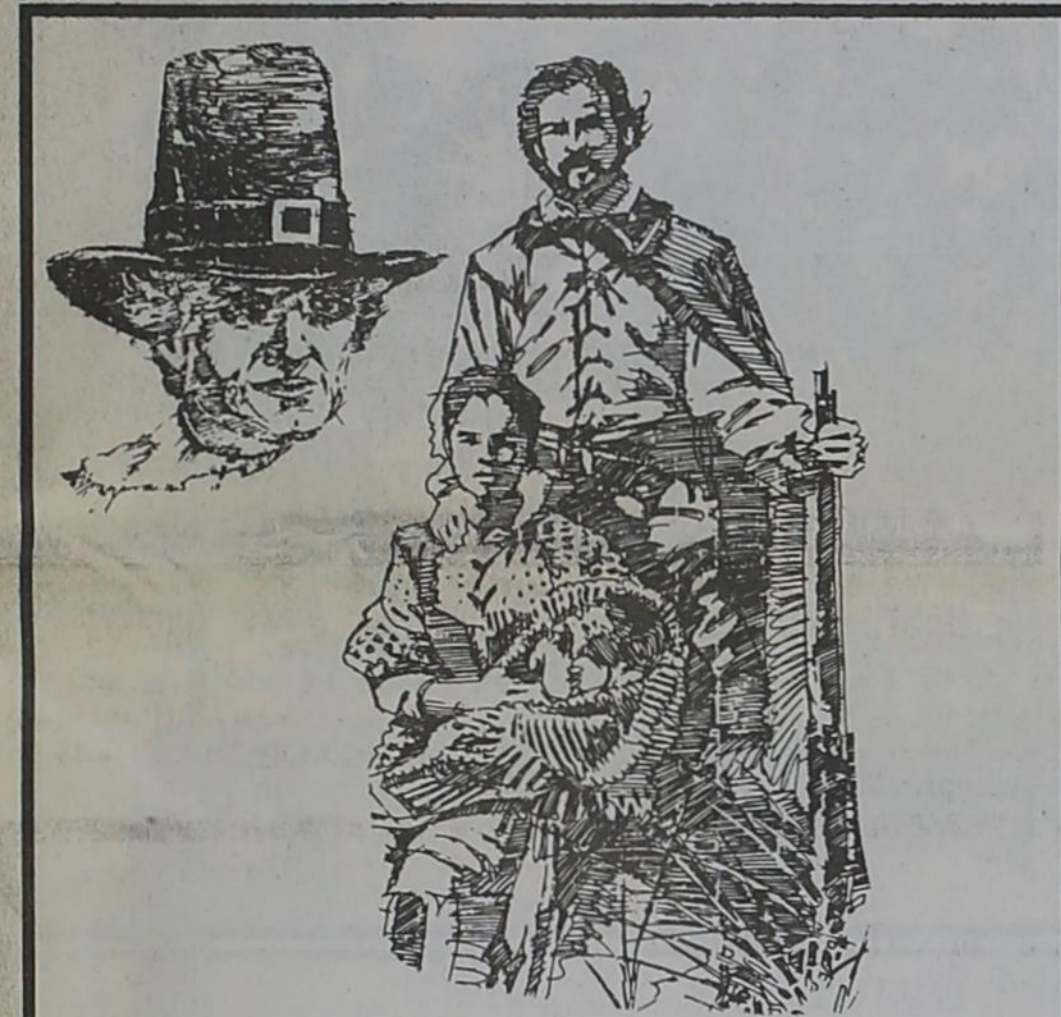
were down to five guys, but still went 13-10. I thought it was almost a more successful season than the first one because of all we went through. I also coached the girls that year and we went 5-17, which was an improvement, if you can believe it."

In Makeever's second year as the girls' head coach at Allison, the girls were 12-10 and finished third in district.

Makeever said he accepted the job at Nazareth because he felt like it would be a good experience for him.

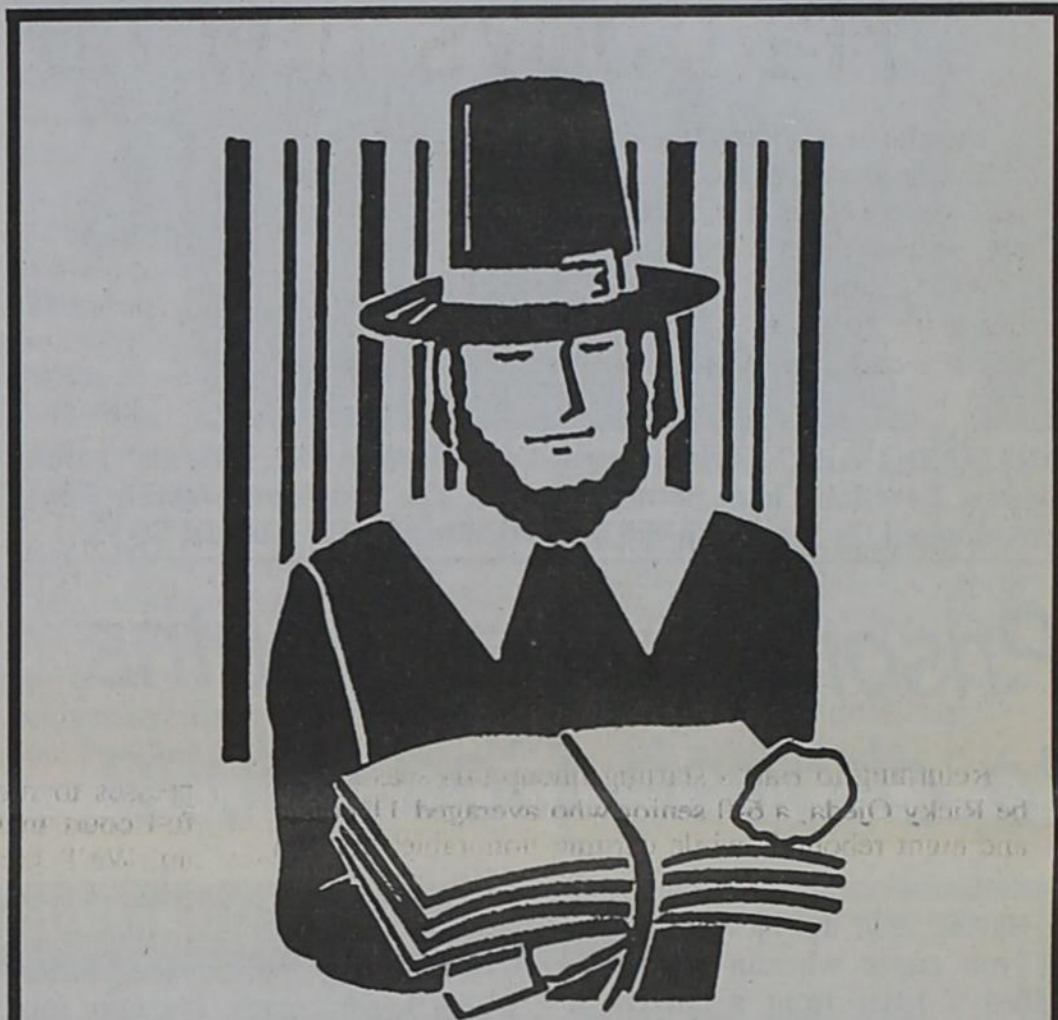
"I wanted to move up. I have enough confidence in my coaching career and I think I'll get more exposure here. I like the tradition. They have been to state with the boys just a few years ago and not many schools can say that. And with the girls tradition, I felt like the boys have to be seeing what it takes for them to do that.

"Mr. Johnson (N. Dean Johnson, Nazareth's new superintendent) came here, and he contacted me and got things rolling. Then Coach Waldo (Joey Waldo, new assistant boys' basketball coach) decided to come here and I liked that. I'd known Joey for the past couple of years. We played Outsiders Basketball and stuff. We think we can get a good program going here," Makeever said.



Let's pause a moment and reflect upon the true meaning of the Thanksgiving holiday . . . and all the gladness it brings to us.

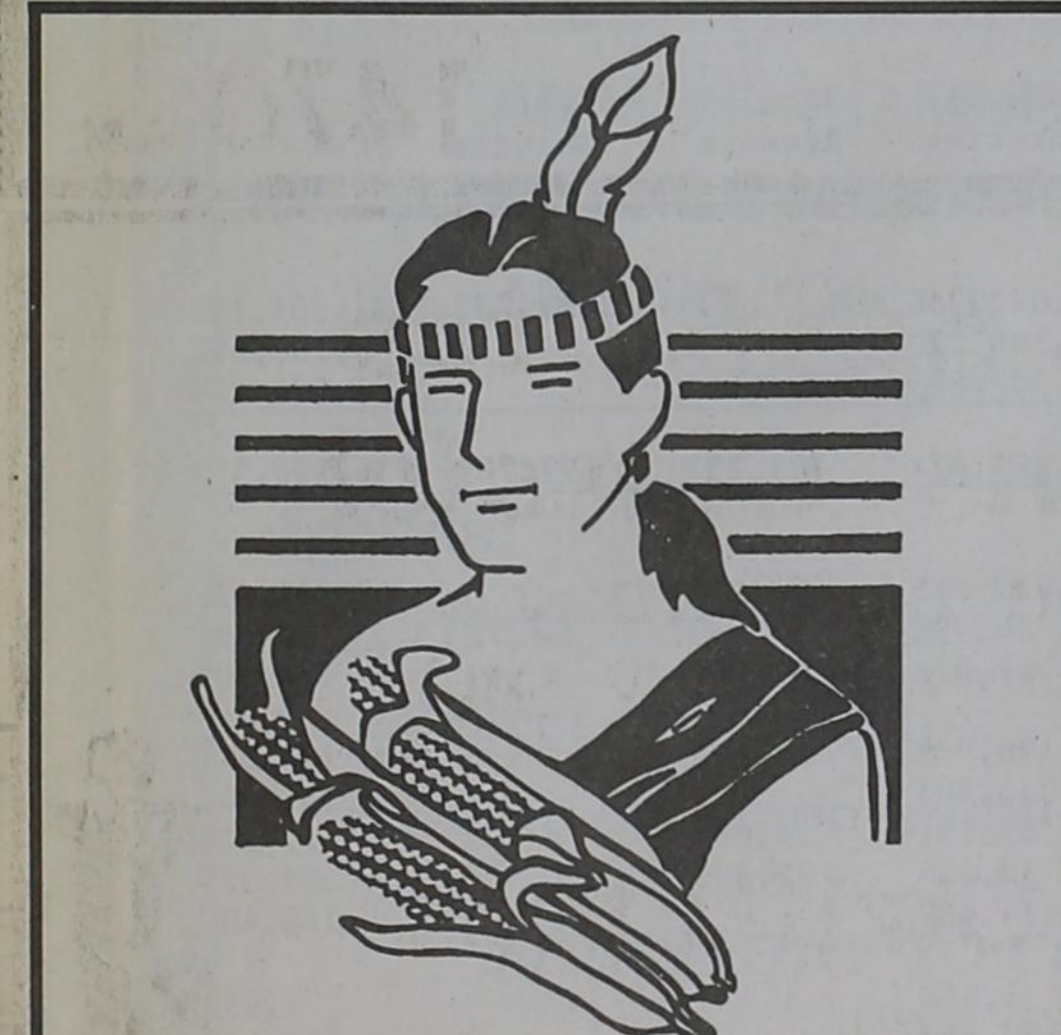
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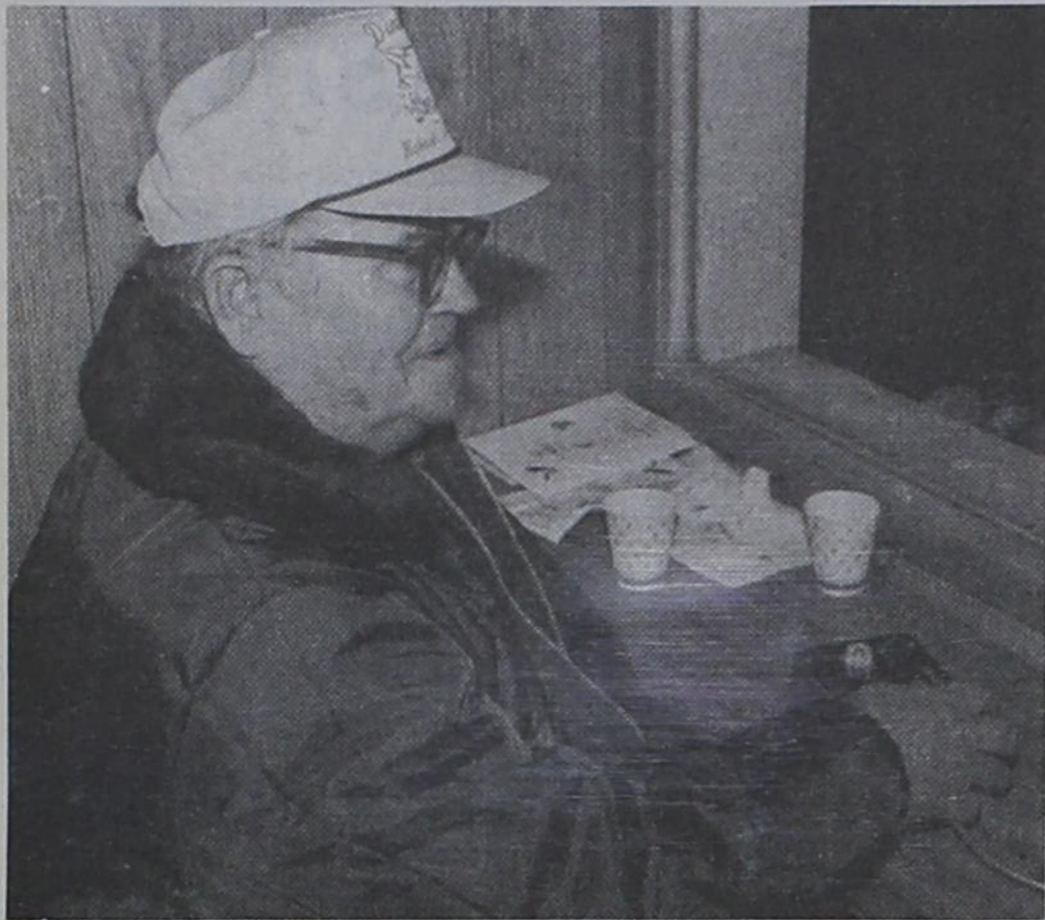
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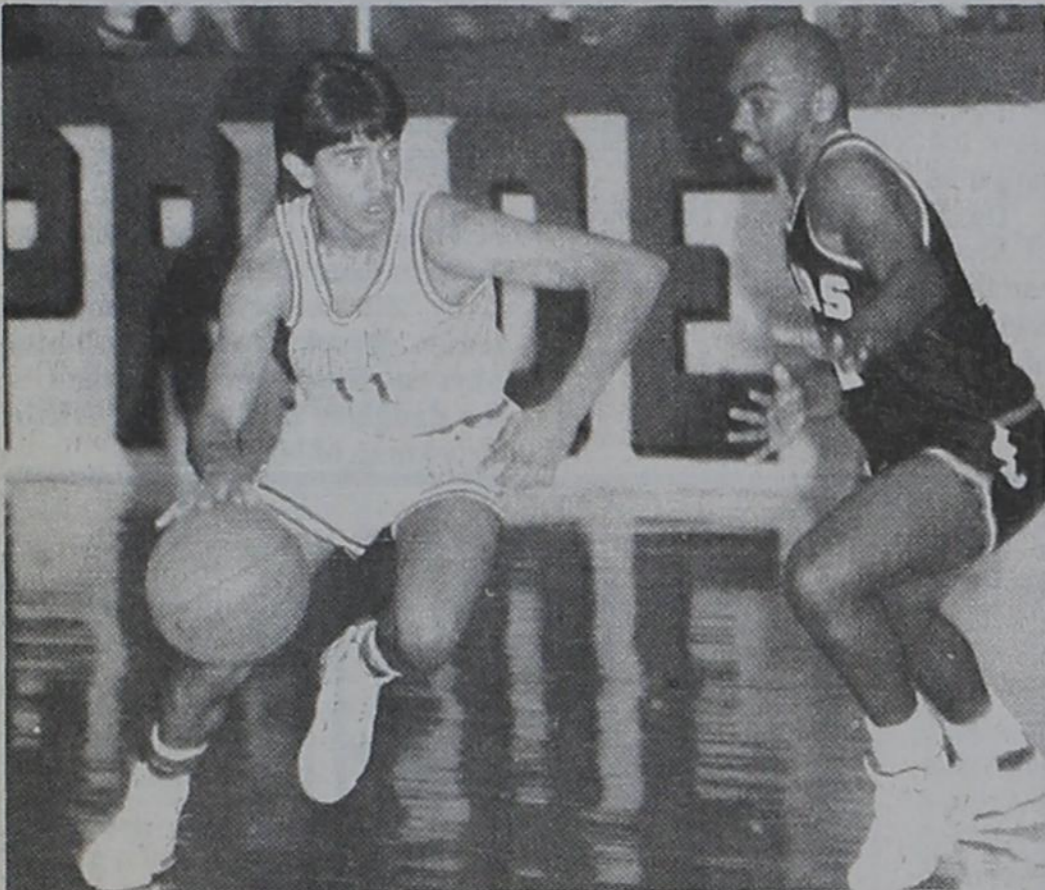


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**35 YEARS AT THE CLOCK**—Clyde Damron has completed his 35th football season as Dimmitt High School's official timekeeper, and is swinging into his 35th basketball season. During that time he has never missed a home football game, and has missed only three or four home basketball games. He was an eighth grade math teacher when he started operating the game clocks in 1954. After 16 years of teaching, he retired "about 20 years ago" to farm and operate the Dimmitt Motel—but he didn't give up the timeliest job in town.



**ARMANDO ARCE** drives toward the lane in the Bobcats' game against Levelland here Saturday night. The rough-and-tumble bout was close all the way, with the Bobcats downing the Loboes, 58-57.

## Bobcats go into Borger Tourney

Last year, Dimmitt's Bobcats won one game and lost two in the Borger Tournament on Thanksgiving weekend. Then they went on to become Region I-AAA finalists.

That may show how much they improved during the season. But it also shows how tough the Borger Tournament is.

The 1989-90 Bobcats will be looking for both tough competition and improvement as they go into the Borger Tourney Friday. They'll face Amarillo Palo Duro in the opening round at 6:30 p.m. in the Borger High School main gym.

The first-round game between the Bobcats and the Dons will be a rematch of their Tuesday night contest here.

"I don't look forward to playing Palo Duro back-to-back, but that's the way the tournament bracket came out," Coach Ken Cleveland commented.

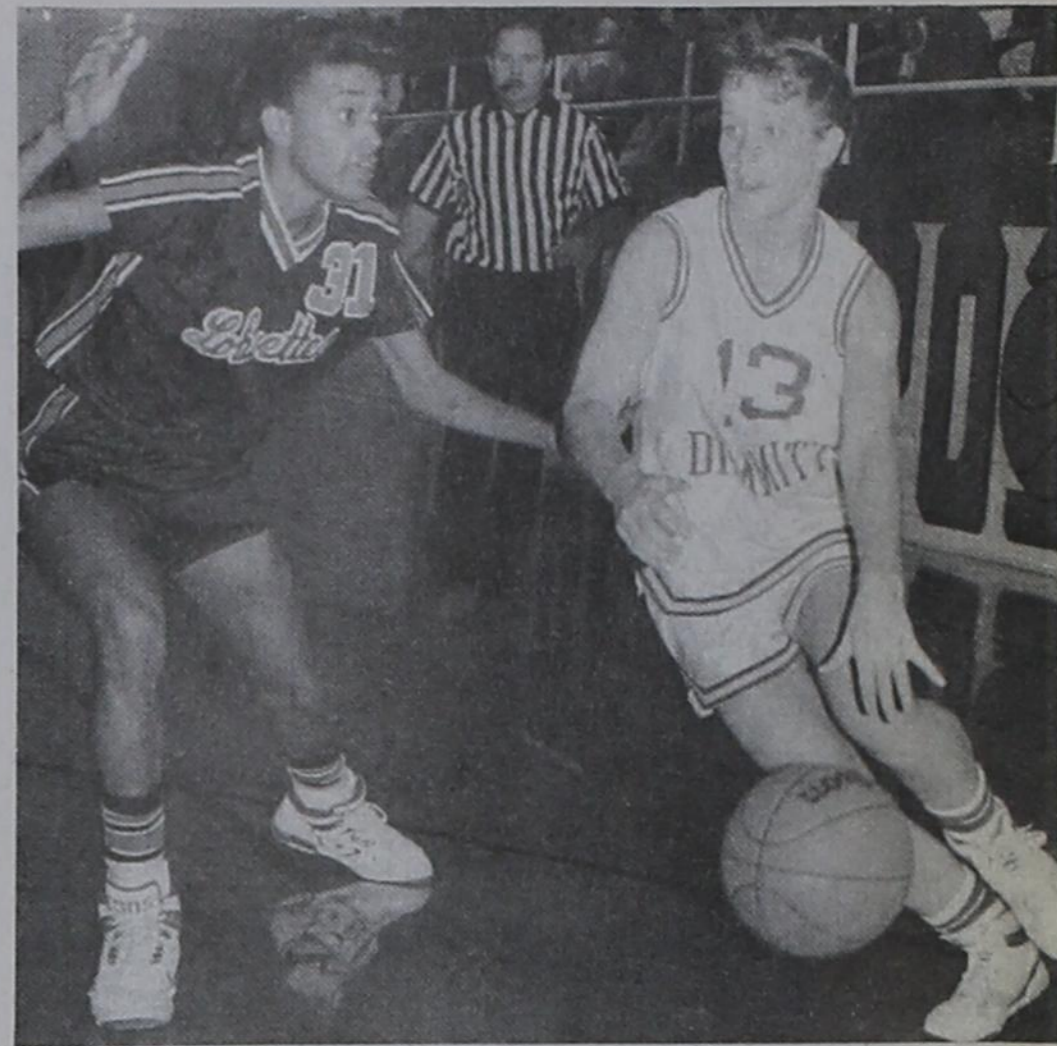
The Dons were the co-champions of District 3-5A last year, but lost their five top players. Several of this year's Dons are still in their first week of basketball after going into the football playoffs. Still, they're expected to be tough, as usual.

Expected to pace the Dons are Chris Clay, a 6-4 transfer who paced Amarillo Christian School to a state championship last year, and returning senior lettermen Carlton Franklin (5-9 guard), Doug Crow (6-2 forward) and Don Sims (6-4 post).

Other opening-round games Friday will match Canyon Randall vs. Amarillo Caprock at 3, Frenship vs. Lubbock Coronado at 4:45, and Lubbock Christian vs. Borger at 8:15.

The Dimmitt-Palo Duro winner will meet the Frenship-Coronado winner at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in the championship semifinals. Losers of these two first-round games will tip off at 10 a.m. Saturday in the consolation semis in Borger High School's auxiliary gym. These will be the first two games Saturday; the other semifinal contests will follow.

Losers in the two consolation semifinal games will go back on the floor of the auxiliary gym at 2 p.m. to play off for seventh place. The consolation championship game will be at 5 p.m., followed by the third place game at 6:45 and the championship bout at 8:30.



**RENAE JOSSELET** drives goalward in the second quarter of the Bobbies' game against Levelland here Saturday night. Josselet dished off to teammate Gloria Gauna, who scored to give Dimmitt a 24-14 lead. The Bobbies defeated the defending Class AAAA state champion Loboettes, 57-42, as Josselet paced the scoring with 24 points.

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## Prisoner urges youths to choose God's love

Dear Editor:  
 Having read the Nov. 2 edition of your paper wherein you published a letter from a citizen of Dimmitt concerning the children, I felt the need to express my concern for and about the children of today.

One word stuck with me from that letter—God. It's hard as a youth today to be concerned about God, with so much coming at you, so very fast and from every direction.

To me now, being a young adult, I can see God's direction clearly.

And still I find it a difficult one to follow.

With every poison imaginable within hands' reach, it's very important to teach the children the power and love that God has for each of them. It can be found in the biggest to the smallest of cities, and so can the poison.

My hope for every youth of this city is that the choice will be God.

Sincerely,  
 An Inmate of  
 Castro County Jail  
 (Name On File)

### Statement For Publication

### Dimmitt Independent School District Summary Of Revenues And Expenditures Year Ended August 31, 1989

	General Operating Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Debt Service Fund	Total
<b>REVENUES</b>				
Local	\$1,807,366	\$	\$ 97,787	\$1,905,153
State Program Revenues	3,186,222			3,186,222
Federal Program Revenues	327,883	701,292		1,029,175
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>5,321,471</b>	<b>701,292</b>	<b>97,787</b>	<b>6,120,550</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>				
Instruction	3,029,545	501,925		3,531,470
Instructional Computing	30,498			30,498
Instructional Administration	97,072	87,837		184,909
Instructional Resources and Media Services	128,079	14,495		142,574
School Administration	331,903			331,903
Guidance and Counseling Services	63,191	34,035		97,226
Health Services	32,436	32,890		65,326
Pupil Transportation - Regular	174,489			174,489
Pupil Transportation - Exceptional Children	1,453			1,453
Co-curricular Activities	160,430			160,430
Food Services	460,632			460,632
General Administration	245,729			245,729
Debt Services			162,588	162,588
Plant Maintenance and Operations	651,913			651,913
Computer Processing	25,113			25,113
Community Services		30,110		30,110
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>5,432,483</b>	<b>701,292</b>	<b>162,588</b>	<b>6,296,363</b>
<b>REVENUES IN EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>(111,012)</b>		<b>(64,801)</b>	<b>(175,813)</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE, SEPTEMBER 1, 1988</b>	<b>2,810,286</b>		<b>202,390</b>	<b>3,012,676</b>
<b>FUND BALANCE, AUGUST 31, 1989</b>	<b>\$2,699,274</b>	<b>\$ -0-</b>	<b>\$137,589</b>	<b>\$2,836,863</b>



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## Water District begins soil moisture monitoring program

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District personnel are expecting to find drier than normal soil moisture conditions over most of the Water District service area when annual pre-plant soil moisture monitoring begins in mid-November.

The southern High Plains normally receives 16 to 17 inches of its annual rainfall by November. Through October, however, most of the Water District service area had received only 11 to 13 inches of rain.

"We anticipate that soil moisture conditions will be so dry that most irrigators in the Water District will need to irrigate to fill their pre-plant soil moisture profile. Having a full soil moisture profile at planting helps ensure maximum economic yields," says Mike Risinger, soil scientist with the USDA-Soil Conservation Service and coordinator of the Water District's soil moisture monitoring program.

Data collected at the 271 soil moisture monitoring sites will be used to construct soil moisture availability and deficit maps for the 1990 pre-plant season. The maps will be provided to the news media for publication as soon as they are completed. These maps will illustrate the estimated moisture avail-

ble in the soil profile for plant use; the moisture distribution within the soil profile; and the amount of water that must be applied to bring the soil profile to field capacity.

Water District personnel measure soil moisture conditions with neutron moisture meters. The neutron moisture meter is one of the most accurate soil moisture measuring devices available. Readings are taken at six-inch intervals throughout the five-foot soil profile by inserting a neutron probe into a previously-installed aluminum access tube. Landowners who allow

Water District soil moisture monitoring sites on their land are provided with data regarding their field's individual soil moisture conditions.

The High Plains Water District reminds producers that Water District personnel Jerry Funck, Obbie Goolsby, Arnold Husky and Mike Risinger will be out in the fields taking soil moisture readings from November to January. Blue and white Water District vehicles are easily identified and personnel will be happy to answer landowners' questions while collecting the soil moisture data.

## Congressman speaks at WIFE national meeting

Congressman Sid Morrison congratulated Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) on their involvement in making America what we want it to be during his noon speech on Nov. 11 to WIFE's 13th annual convention. He cited involvement as being the key component to our legislative effectiveness.

Rep. Morrison believes it is better to write the impending farm bill, leaving it open for changes which may be necessary as the General Agreement on Trade and Tariff (GATT) conclude; rather than writing a farm bill around GATT. He stated the 1990 Farm Bill will be aimed at encouraging farmers to grow for the market rather than the farm program.

Devon Woodland, president of the National Farm Organization

(NFO) addressed the group earlier in the day. Agricultural people must work together, forget petty differences and meet the challenges of the future. The 1990 farm bill will see more input from environmental and consumer groups than ever before. Woodland stated he felt one of the largest problems in America is foreign investment. "America ought not be for sale," he said.

Delegates elected 1990 officers. They include Elaine Stuhr of Bradshaw, Neb., president; Joyce Spicher of Hingham, Mont., first vice president; Mildred Brown of Hale Center, second vice president; Norma Hall of Elmwood, Neb., secretary; and Wanda Zuroff of Richie, Mont., treasurer.



## Acker establishes consulting firm

Former Dimmitt resident Arnold P. Acker, and William G. Sarver have formed a professional consulting firm serving the insurance industry and financial institutions in the areas of surety claims, litigation support, loan administration and contract administration.

Acker serves as chief executive officer of the new firm, Acker, Sarver and associates, Inc. He originally founded the company in 1978 as AACON, Inc., a construction management and related services company. The company was activated in 1988 when it assumed the files of ORU Group, Inc., a subsidiary of RCG International.

Acker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Acker of Dimmitt and is a graduate of Dimmitt High School.

Sarver, who serves as president of the company, recently joined the firm from an international consulting firm where he was manager of surety services.

Both are registered professional engineers.

"This move is consistent with our primary goal of providing the insurance industry and financial institutions with the highest quality construction and engineering-related consulting services," Acker said. "With the addition of Bill Sarver as a principal, we enhance our capabilities in construction litigation and expand our collective experience in construction management and engineering."

Prior to establishing the firm, Acker, an engineering graduate of Texas Tech University, was a construction management consultant for a national consulting firm where he performed investigations and managed construction contracts in excess of \$500 million in value.

Sarver, a graduate of Texas A&M University, entered the surety consulting field in 1979 when he became vice president of the Southwest Regional office of a national consulting firm providing technical and construction management services to the insurance industry and financial institutions.

During the past 18 months, the firm has completed more than 100 assignments employing 20 consultants in nine states. Acker is in charge of the firm's corporate office in Fort Worth and Sarver manages the Dallas office. Other offices are located in Los Angeles, Calif., Orlando, Fla., and Indianapolis, Ind.

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**Agenda:**

1. Hear audit report
2. Elect one director
3. Vote on amendment to Bylaws

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# Police Calls

A car-pedestrian accident Saturday night at the roadside park at the Y on South US 385 sent a 21-year-old Dimmitt man to the hospital with an injured knee and cuts and scratches.

Julian Sabedra was taken to Plains Memorial Hospital, according to police reports, where he was stabilized, then transferred to an Amarillo hospital for special treatment.

Russell Heath, 21, of Dimmitt, told police he was driving his 1977 Camaro east through the roadside park, when four male pedestrians attempted to block the roadway. Heath told officers he swerved to avoid the four, but one of them ran in front of his car, trying to hit it with a tire iron, and was struck by the auto.

Heath was not injured, and damage to his vehicle was rated moderate. No citations were issued.

Investigation is continuing into another accident in which one of the vehicles left the scene. Early Saturday, two vehicles collided in the parking lot of the Town & Country Store in Dimmitt. A 1985 Pontiac Trans Am driven by Antonio Aguilar, 27, of Hereford and owned by Hector Hernandez of

Friona, was struck by a 1980 Olds Cutlass, owned by Edna C. Hernandez of Dimmitt, driver unknown. According to the police report, witnesses said the Cutlass backed out, backed around and struck the Pontiac, then left without giving any information to the driver of the Pontiac. Aguilar was cited for no proof of liability insurance.

At 12:15 a.m. Sunday, Raul Ramos, 23, of Dimmitt was driving a 1985 Chevy Monte Carlo in the parking lot of the Expo building, waiting in line to exit the parking lot. George Perez Sanchez, 23, of Dimmitt, attempted to back a 1977 Ford pickup out of a parking space and the pickup struck Ramos's vehicle. No injuries were reported, damage to both vehicles was rated light, and Sanchez was ticketed for no liability insurance.

Two men are being held in the county jail awaiting revocation of probation hearings in district court. Eloy Estrella Catano, 22, of Dimmitt had been on probation from felony charges of burglary of a building, Jaime Hernandez Dozal, 27, of Oklahoma City, Okla., had been on probation from felony charges of criminal mischief and escape.

A 22-year-old Olton man was stopped by a DPS trooper last Thursday for running a stop sign, and was also cited for no proof of liability insurance. The man was listed on outstanding DPS warrants and a Lubbock warrant for theft. He was released after paying all the warrants and the local charges.

A 45-year-old Olton man is out on \$1,700 bond on misdemeanor charges of DWI, unlawful carrying of a weapon and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was stopped by a DPS trooper Saturday evening.

Early Monday morning, a patrolman discovered a break-in at Richard's Town Pump #2 at 503 E. Bedford in Dimmitt. Entry was apparently gained through a broken window, and five cases of beer, valued at \$54.95, were reported taken. Damage to the window was estimated at \$50.

Three unrelated incidents were reported Sunday night at the Star Dance Hall in Dimmitt. An 18-year-old Dimmitt man was arrested at 10:50 p.m. for public intoxication and disorderly conduct when he refused to leave the establishment. At 11:30 p.m., a man told officers that another man had grabbed him, pushed him and threatened him. At 11:48 p.m., a Dimmitt woman told police that a man had punched her in the face.

Three incidents of criminal mischief were investigated.

One incident involved damage to three vehicles parked at the Dimmitt High School east parking lot Friday night. A pickup was seen in the parking lot "doing doughnuts," propelling gravel into the air and damaging the three vehicles, including a 1986 Ford owned by Bill Ray Thomas of Dimmitt, a 1981 AMC Spirit owned by Armando Arce of Dimmitt, and a 1986 Dodge owned by Miguel Saucedo of Rt. 2 Hereford. All three vehicles sustained broken glass, and Arce also claimed damage to the paint on his car. Police information said that the owner of the suspect vehicle later called police and informed them that he has made arrangements to pay for the damages.

Another incident also happened at the high school at 1:15 a.m. Sunday. Max and Martin Martinez told police that a suspect kicked the passenger-side front window on their parents' car and broke it. Damage was estimated at \$150.

Roger Rodriguez told police late Friday that someone had damaged the bed of his 1989 Chevy pickup with a hoe handle, causing \$900 in damages. The vehicle had been parked at the Town & Country Store in Dimmitt.

Gregoria Ramirez told police Sunday afternoon that a suspect had admitted opening her mail without her permission.

Fourteen inmates were held in the county jail Monday.

The cat-gut used to make strings for violins and tennis rackets has nothing to do with cats. The word comes from *kit*, an old term for a small fiddle.



PLAINS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL Auxiliary's annual buffet and bazaar netted the group about \$4,000 Friday, with the proceeds designated for projects benefitting the hospital. Here, Carolyn Watts (left) tells Auxiliary member Reta Welch how many bazaar items she wants.

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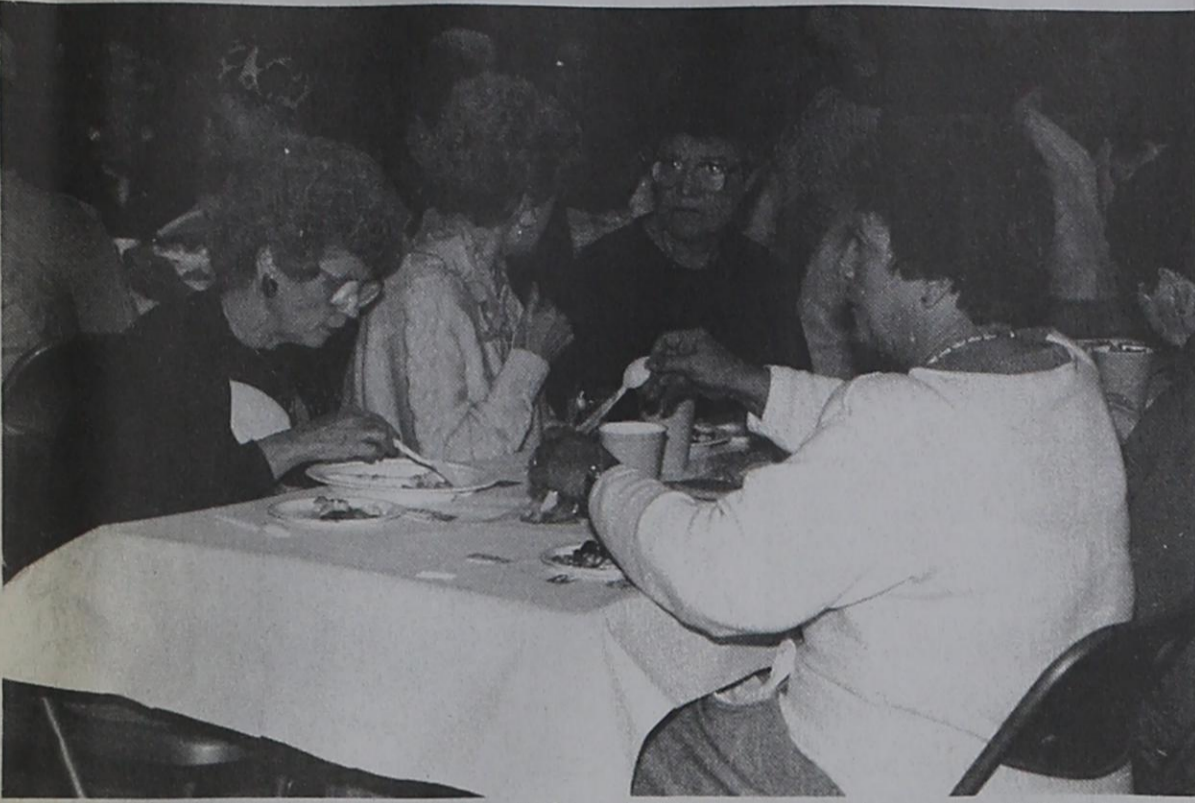
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ENJOYING HOME-STYLE COOKING at the Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's annual Buffet and Bazaar Friday are (from left) Marzelle Powell, Billie Gwyn Davis, Frances Frazier and Sue Broderson. The auxiliary netted approximately

\$4,000 from the day's events, including the meal, bazaar, prize drawings and Operation Christmas Greeting. About 350 to 400 were served at the meal.

## PMHA nets \$4,000 from buffet, bazaar

The Plains Memorial Hospital Auxiliary netted about \$4,000 Friday from their annual buffet and bazaar.

A crowd estimated at 350 to 400 ate at the buffet meal of turkey and dressing and all the trimmings.

Sale of bazaar items was estimated at \$1,500. Other funds were brought in from prize drawings for a bell pull and a color television, and from Operation Christmas Greeting. Winner of the bell pull was Rosemary Wilhelm of Nazareth. Edith Graef won the television set.

Operation Christmas Greeting is

an annual fund-raiser for the auxiliary. Community members are asked to donate the amount they would normally spend in sending holiday greetings to local friends. Those making donations are then listed in a community greeting card published in the Christmas issue of the News.

Donations to the project may be made at the First State Bank of Dimmitt or by contacting any auxiliary member.

All proceeds from auxiliary projects are used to benefit the hospital.

### What's cooking?

Here are the school lunch menus for Dimmitt, Hart and Nazareth for Nov. 23 to Dec. 1.

- DIMMITT**  
**THURSDAY—NO SCHOOL!**  
**FRIDAY—NO SCHOOL!**  
**MONDAY**—Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, pickles, onions, chocolate pudding and milk.  
**TUESDAY** — Weiner boats with cheese, Ranch Style Beans, corn on the cob, rolls, butter, pears and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** — Beef tacos with cheese, buttered rice, shredded lettuce, cherry cobbler and milk.  
**THURSDAY** — Fried chicken with gravy, creamed potatoes, mixed vegetables, rolls, honey butter and milk.  
**FRIDAY** — Pizza, battered squash, whole kernel corn, Jello, and milk.

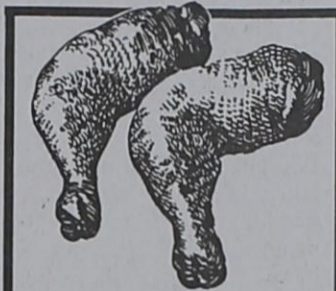
- HART**  
**THURSDAY—NO SCHOOL!**  
**FRIDAY—NO SCHOOL!**  
**MONDAY** — Chicken strips, hot rolls, green beans, whipped potatoes, cherry cobbler and milk.  
**TUESDAY**—Beef stew, combread, tossed salad, peaches, chocolate cake and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** — Cheeseburgers, French fries, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, fruit cocktail and milk.  
**THURSDAY** — German sausage, combread, coleslaw, northern beans, apple cobbler and milk.  
**FRIDAY** — Frito pie, salad, pinto beans, cookies and milk.

- NAZARETH**  
**THURSDAY—HOLIDAY**  
**FRIDAY—HOLIDAY**  
**MONDAY** — Nachos, pinto beans, tossed salad, apple cobbler and milk.  
**TUESDAY** — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, hot rolls, Jello and milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** — Hamburgers, French fries, pineapple cake and milk.  
**THURSDAY** — Enchiladas, corn, tossed salad, sopapillas, peach cobbler and milk.  
**FRIDAY**—Roast, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, brownies and milk.

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# Nazareth

By Virgie Gerber, 945-2669

The annual Christian Mothers' Thanksgiving dinner was well attended Sunday afternoon at the Nazareth Community Hall with 625 parishioners and friends from the surrounding area enjoying a delicious meal of turkey, dressing and all the trimmings.

The annual raffle, held on Sunday with the dinner, was a huge success, due to the generosity of those special people who donated their creative handiwork to the raffle this year. Those with winning tickets were Mary Kleman, nativity set; Joyce Birkenfeld, telephone; Margie Albracht, yard snowman and a macrame; Becky Book, cross-stitched sweatshirt; Mike Foskey, embroidered pillow cases; Rita Kern, yarn Santa Claus; Darlene Schulte, socket set; Lynette Kleman, portable television; Regina Hoelting, crocheted baby blanket; Willie Faye Huseman, wreath; and Dickey Hoelting, crocheted clothes hangers.

The holiday arts and crafts bazaar was also held at the school cafeteria with many booths and a wide variety of items to choose from.

Additional special ministers of the Eucharist were installed at both masses this weekend at Holy Family Church. They were appointed for our parish by Bishop Leroy Mattheisen. These parishioners are Sam and Cindy Albracht, Shelly

Albracht, Kirsten Birkenfeld, Marty Gerber, Cecil and Norita Hoelting, Gwen Hoelting, Wade Hoelting, Janay Johnson, Patti Kern, Monica Kleman, Alice Palazzino, Marla Ramaekers, Dana Schulte and Nikki Schulte.

A surprise birthday party and supper honoring Alma Conrad on her 80th birthday was held in the home of Cyril and Mitzie Brockman on Saturday, Nov. 11.

All of Alma's children attended the celebration. They included Vincent and Rosemary Ramaekers of Umbarger, Ted and Jeanne Conrad of San Angelo, LeRoy and Colette Hoelting of Colorado Springs, Howard and Suse Bacon of Amarillo, Clyde and Angie Venhaus of Dumas, and Tommy and Brenda Conrad of Colorado Springs. Other members of Alma's family attending were her brother, George Herzog and wife, Billy Evelyn of Stanton; her sister, Cecilia Herzog of Dallas; her sister-in-law, Isabel Herzog of Energy; and her nephew, Karl Herzog and his wife, Cathy of Odessa. A very special guest was Thelma Kelly of Midland. She and Alma were very close friends in the early 1930's. A most enjoyable time was had by everyone and the honoree had "the surprise of her life."

Charley and Beverly Hill, and Jim, Sandy, Monty and Jake Hoelting, drove to Wichita Falls last

Thursday. They visited with Traci Hill in the afternoon, then watched the basketball game between Midwestern University and Oklahoma

## Obituaries

### Pearl Fisher

Services for Pearl Odom Fisher, 87, of Yukon, Okla., were held Monday in the First Baptist Church at Dimmitt with Rev. Larry Odom and Rev. Paul Kenley, officiating.

Burial followed in Westlawn Memorial Park in Dimmitt under the direction of Turner Funeral Home of Yukon.

Mrs. Fisher was born in Stonewall. She married Elvis Fisher in 1920. She and her husband moved to Hereford in 1967. She was a homemaker and a Baptist. She moved to Yukon after her husband's death.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Bud Fisher.

Survivors include four sons, Forrest Fisher and Bill Fisher, both of Amarillo, Dale Fisher of Harrah and Don Fisher of Pratt, Kan.; three daughters, Geri Dupuy of Yukon, Evelyn Deal of Piedmont and JoAnn Barnett of Amarillo; a sister, Gladys Richardson of Bakersfield, Calif.; two brothers, M.B. Odom and Raymond Odom, both of Dimmitt; 18 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

### C.A. Hance

C.A. "Shorty" Hance, 84, of Dimmitt died Monday afternoon at his residence after a brief illness.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt. Burial followed in West Lawn Cemetery under the direction of Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home.

Mr. Hance was born May 20, 1905 in Fannin County, and moved to Dimmitt in 1938. He was a retired farmer, and was the owner of Hance's Used Cars for the past nine years. He married Oleada Key on May 1, 1930 in Durant, Okla. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Harry of Sacramento, Calif.; two daughters, Sandra Honea of Plano and Martha Kay Isaacs of Dimmitt; three sisters, Cletha George of Dimmitt, Ella Mae Barker of Bells, and Moeta Smith of Austin; a brother, D.E. Hance of Savoy; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

### Lila Roberts

Graveside services for Lila Belle Roberts, 86, of Crosbyton, were held Tuesday in Crosbyton Cemetery with Rev. Wendell Horn, pastor of the Crosbyton First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Burial followed under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Crosbyton.

Mrs. Roberts died at 1:05 a.m. Sunday in Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Kirk. She married Cecil Perry Roberts March 6, 1921, in Coolidge. He died Jan. 26, 1954. She was a homemaker and a member of the Crosbyton First United Methodist Church. She moved to Crosby County in 1925 from Limestone County. She moved to Dimmitt in 1981.

Survivors include a son, C.P. Roberts of Midkiff; two daughters, Dorothy Pringle of Lubbock and Doris Wilson of Hereford; two sisters, Esterlean Hobbs of California and Mattie Curry of Crosbyton; nine grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

### 14—Cards of Thanks

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Without the people of Dimmitt, we couldn't have borne the loss of our darling granddaughter, Sharon Raper. The words of comfort, prayers, visits, cards, food and flowers have helped sustain us. We are very grateful, and will never forget your kindness. May God bless you.

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Timothy Michael, infant son of Debbie and Bert Navar of El Paso, is still in the hospital, but has gained four pounds and is holding his own. He was born prematurely on Oct. 7. He is the grandson of Walter and Anita Schilling of Dimmitt.

On Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 13 and 14, Sister Adrian Wewers, Brenda Schulte, Mary Nell King, Jocelyn Pohlmeier, Mona Brockman and Mary Beth Gerber attended a School-Community Team Training meeting held in Amarillo at the Region XVI Education Service Center.

Congratulations to Kerry and Jenny Teafatiller of Tulia on the birth of a son, Tanner Brandon, who was born Nov. 16 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He has an older brother, Aaron. His grandparents are Jodie Edwards of Tulia and Louis and Gin Huseman of Nazareth.

Jeanie Birkenfeld underwent surgery last week at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She is doing fine and should be home soon.

Congratulations to Joe and Angela Hochstein of Dimmitt on the birth of a daughter, Allison May, Nov. 15 at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. Grandparents are May Hochstein of Nazareth and James and Alice Hund of Hereford.

## Hance selects Byrnes, Hopson

Republican gubernatorial candidate Kent Hance recently named Stanley Byrnes and Dorothy Hopson as the Castro County Co-Chairmen of his campaign.

"These people are some of the best grass-roots leaders in the community," Hance said. "With their strong support I'm confident we will have the best organization of any campaign."

Hance has named county chairmen in 150 of the state's counties and has compiled a list of more than 5,000 volunteers from across Texas.

"Voters are looking for an experienced candidate who is ready to lead on Day One," Hance said. "I have the experience Texas needs as we enter the next decade."

"I have outlined a specific program for dealing with the challenges that face our state," Hance said. "As governor I will lead a serious battle against crime and drugs, improve our public schools and fight for our continued economic recovery."

Hopson said that she and Byrnes, along with Ralph Smith, headed Hance's local campaign the last time he ran for governor four years ago.

"Every Castro County citizen who wants to support Hance needs to remember to vote in the Republican Primary in April," Hopson reminded.



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in the holiday spirit with  
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To all,  
a very happy thanksgiving.

## Easter Grain



Let us be thankful for *sight*, with  
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