



CHARLIE AND EDITH GRAEF
... With "delayed" sales trophy and savings bond

Graef gets state trophy—two years after winning it

Each year, members of the Texas Federation of Square Dance Clubs sell raffle tickets to help promote square dancing throughout the state.

The three state winners receive a new Cadillac, a new pickup or a \$2,000 Dillard's gift certificate.

It's a good deal for local square-dance clubs, too, because they get to keep a percentage of the proceeds from their members' sales.

Two years ago, the state federation sought out the top ticket-selling square dancer in Texas.

It was Charley Graef of Dimmitt. He single-handedly sold 1,900 of 'em.

"They bought a trophy and a \$50 bond to give to me in 1987," Graef said. "They were going to present it to me at a Top o' Texas dance in Amarillo. But I was square dancing in Red River and couldn't be there.

"Well, they lost the trophy. They kept telling me they had it for me somewhere."

The 1987 trophy stayed lost until...

"They finally found it and got it to me last week," Graef reported. "A man and his wife from the Top o' Texas Club came to one of our (Dimmitt Promenaders) dances and brought it to me."

Graef's sales secret is enthusiasm. He's as enthusiastic about his ticket-selling as he is about square dancing.

He doesn't use the hard sell, or pressure tactics. He just—well, if you've never bought a raffle ticket from him, it's only because he hasn't caught you when he had them in his pocket.

Carrizales is acquitted

A 242nd District Court jury deliberated about an hour last week before acquitting Juan Carrizales of theft charges.

Carrizales, 32, of Hereford, had been indicted in connection with theft of feed rations from 3-K Cattle Feeders near Easter last July.

Carrizales was identified as the driver of one of two pickup trucks hauling 6,000 pounds of grain from the location.

A co-defendant, Gregory Zepeda, 44, of Hereford, a former employee of 3-K Cattle Feeders, was convicted on the same charge last fall and testified for the defense.

Weather

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	97	64	
Friday	89	64	
Saturday	87	62	.45
Sunday	88	60	.10
Monday	93	61	.05
Tuesday	100	65	
Wednesday	88	58	
July Moisture		0..60	
1989 Moisture		7.09	

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DISD eyes 19-cent hike

Four years ago, liberal school funding by the state enabled the Dimmitt Independent School District to lower its property tax rate by 19 cents.

This year, it appears that the district will have to tack that 19 cents back on, mainly to pay for state-mandated teacher salary increases.

Even a tax hike of 19 cents per \$100 taxable value won't keep the school district out of a deficit budget during the coming year, Business Manager Gene King told the school board during a budget report last Thursday night. He said that a 19-cent tax-rate increase—from the present 68.4 cents to 87.4 cents—would still leave a \$75,000 deficit.

But by cutting the budget on non-payroll items by 20% and not replacing three teachers who have resigned or retired, the budget deficit could be cut to about \$45,000 for 1989-90, King said.

If the school district were to fund all departments at this year's level and add on the salary increases, it would require a 35-cent hike in the rate, King noted. He said he felt such a hike would not be acceptable to the taxpayers, and that the district should concentrate on cutting the size of both the budget and the tax increase.

"School administrators I've talked to are looking at tax increases of 12 cents to as high as 41 cents," Supt. Robert Ryan told the board.

King led an item-by-item discussion on budget progress, showing how a first-draft projected deficit of

\$318,000 had been cut to \$45,000 through a combination of budget cuts and a proposed 19-cent tax increase.

By state law, the school board must adopt its budget and set the tax rate by Aug. 20.

The board revised the 1989-90 school calendar to increase spring break to a full week next March. As a result, school will begin Aug. 31 instead of Sept. 5, in-service training for teachers will begin a day earlier, and March 12 and 13 will be added as holidays. Snow make-

up days will remain April 16 and May 4, subject to later revision.

In other action, the DISD board: —Approved a set of goals and guidelines for the district's Gifted-Talented Students Program.

—Heard updates from King on the asbestos abatement project and summer maintenance projects, all of which are "on schedule," King said.

—Ruled on proposed changes in the Dimmitt High School Handbook, but postponed action on a proposed new policy pertaining to

foreign exchange students (see separate story, Page 11).

—Approved a bid by Southwestern Life Insurance Co. to renew the district's student insurance blanket policy covering UIL events, industrial arts and vocational agriculture activities in grades 7 through 12, at the current premium of \$9,400.

—Approved a "Partners in Education (PIE)" school volunteer program for Richardson Elementary, proposed by Principal Les Miller and Assistant Curriculum Director Doricell Davis.

Nazareth gets TEA's verbal okay on transfers after denial scare

Nazareth Independent School District has resolved a problem that caused the Texas Education Agency's accreditation department to deny all transfer students into the Nazareth ISD for the 1989-90 school year, and has received a verbal okay on all transfers for the 1989-90 year.

According to N. Dean Johnson, Nazareth superintendent, TEA denied the transfer applications after two submitted reports showed a variance affecting the majority/minority enrollment by more than 1%.

One of the reports, the Fall Survey of Pupils, October 1988, listed 21 hispanics and 221 non-hispanics enrolled at Nazareth. A May 1

report on transfer students listed 41 non-hispanics transferring into the district, Johnson said. After TEA computed the two reports, it decided the school's transfer students couldn't be approved because of the difference.

"After we received the letter denying the students we went through our current enrollment. We listed 14 hispanics and 223 non-hispanics on the enrollment for this year. We also discovered that four of our transfer students from last year had moved, two were going to live in Nazareth and two had received exceptions because their parents worked in the district," Johnson said. "After reviewing the records, we discovered the number of transfer students was down to 33."

As of Monday, Johnson said the school has received a "verbal acceptance" of the 33 transfer students for the 1989-90 school year.

"The matter has been cleared up now, and we expect a written confirmation of the acceptance by the first part of next week," Johnson said.

The board discussed the need for new lockers in the fieldhouse and gave Supt. Johnson the authority to purchase the materials and allow the coaches to build them.

Contracts were offered to Frankie Hopkins as band director, Mitch Williams as assistant coach, Martin Diesterhaft as science teacher, and Kim Makeever as an elementary teacher.

In other action the board: —Approved a lease purchase agreement with Hemphill Enterprises for a new activity bus.

—Authorized Supt. Johnson to make accounting and banking changes.

—Accepted a bid from Bell

Quality Dairy Products for milk products for the cafeteria for the next school year.

—Authorized the advertisement for bids on vehicle fuel for the next school year, with bids to be opened by the board on Aug. 9.

—Accepted a bid from Wilhelm Carpentry for the renovation of the audio-visual building.

—Appointed the principals as the teacher appraisers in lieu of hiring outside appraisers.

—Approved an amount to be paid to coaches to attend one coaching clinic per year.

—Discussed the Texas Education Agency Accreditation Monitoring Visit Report.

Jury sentences Lopez to jail

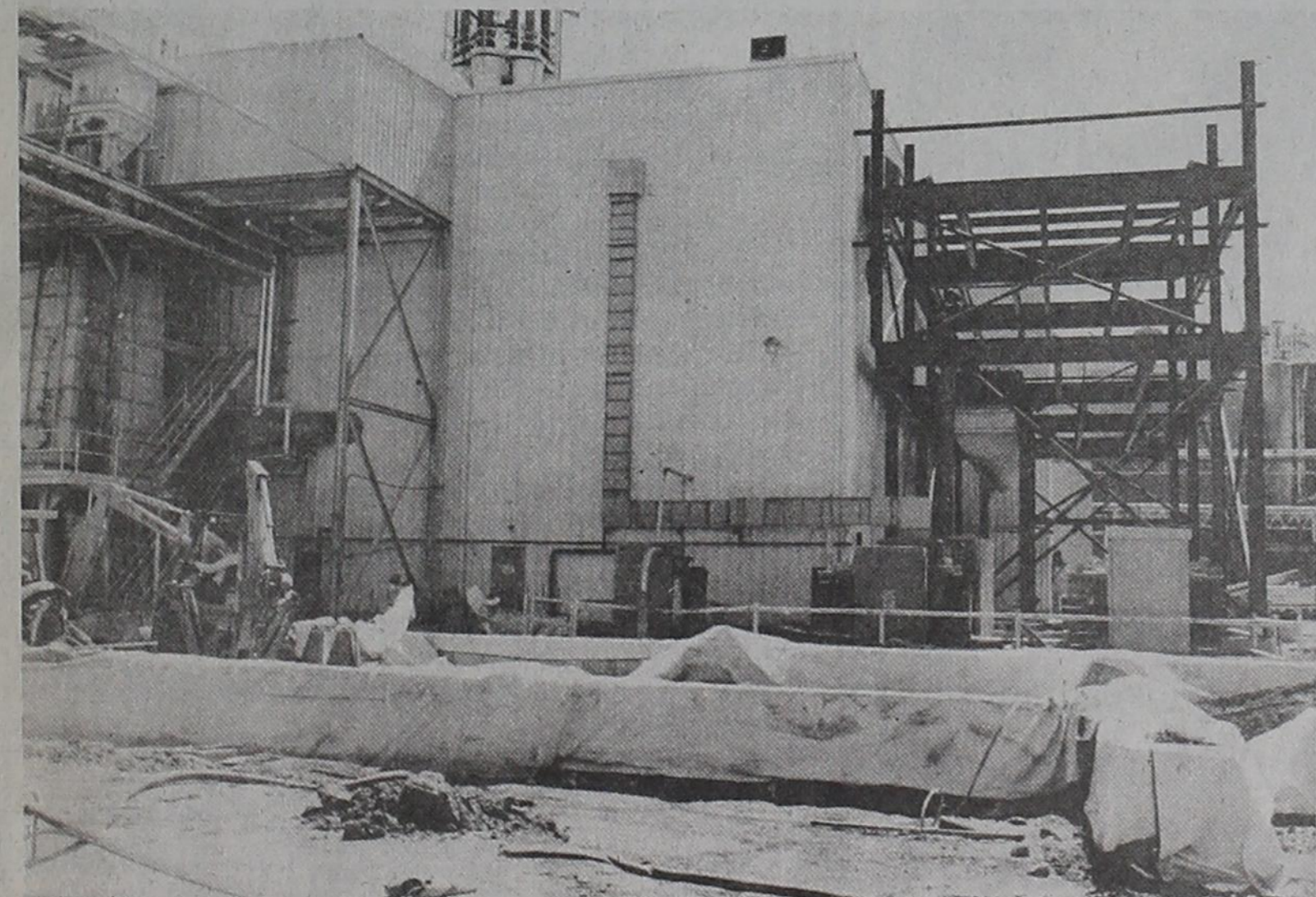
A 242nd District Court jury last Thursday sentenced Rosendo Lopez, 31, of Hereford, to one year in the Castro County jail after finding him guilty of criminal trespass.

Lopez was charged with breaking into the Sunnyside home of Lillian Carson in 1985. Mrs. Carson testified that she had found a door ajar when she returned home, and while searching the house, discovered Lopez inside a heater closet.

Lopez was tried on a charge of burglary of a habitation, but the jury found him guilty of the lesser charge of criminal trespass, reportedly because it could not be proven that he had actually taken anything from the home. The jury gave him the maximum sentence on the criminal trespass charge.

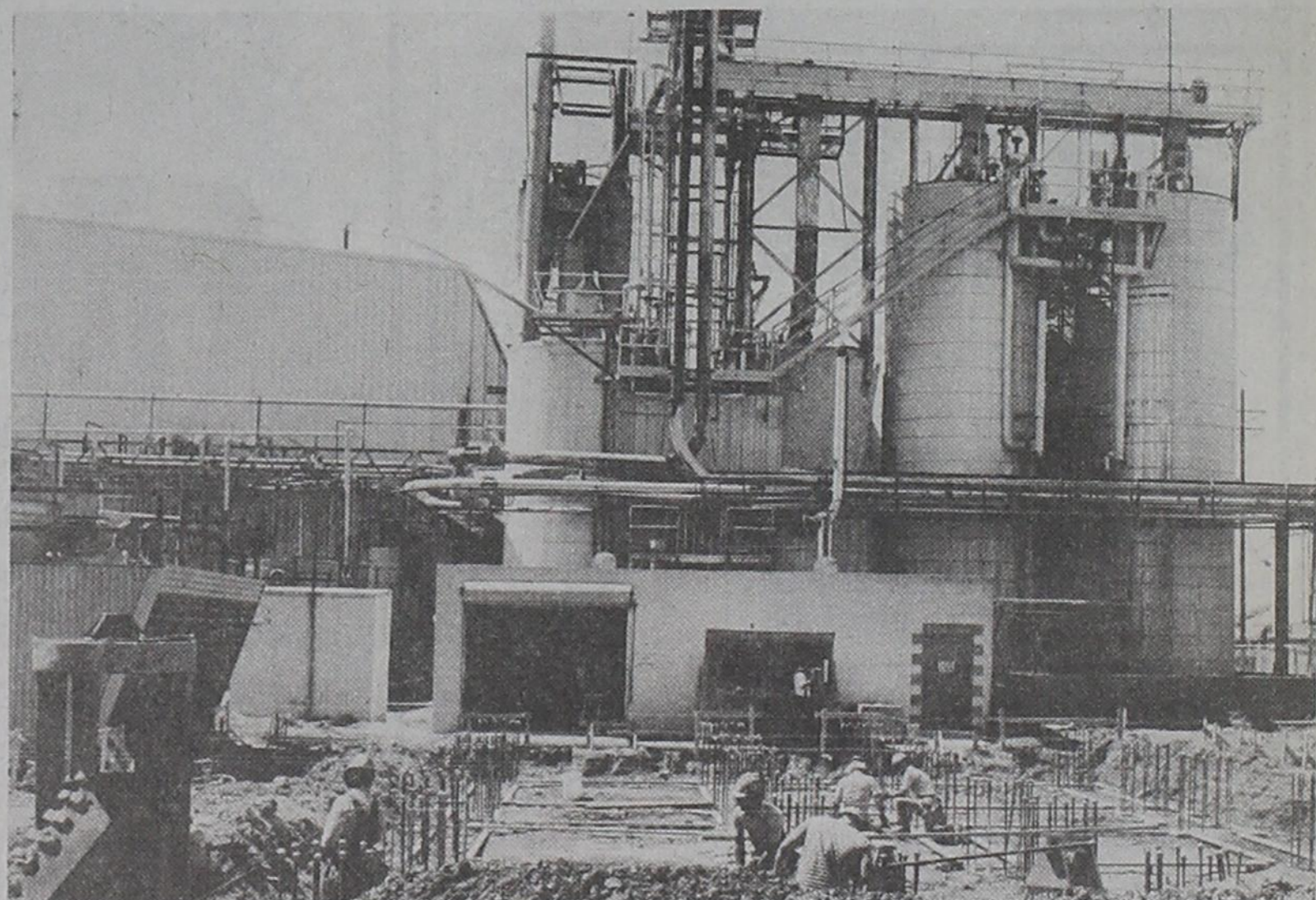
District Attorney Jimmy Davis said Lopez fled the area after posting bond, and eventually was arrested in Houston on a fugitive warrant in 1988, then was returned here to face trial.

We're talking major steel and concrete here



WORK IS UNDERWAY on the initial phases of the \$30 million expansion of the American Fructose Corp. plant. Here, workers prepare to fill in the foundation for a west expansion of the mill-house (foreground) while the framework goes up

for a south expansion. The west expansion will house the gluten mill dewatering and drying equipment, while the south expansion will house both old and new equipment for the fiber-washing process.



WORKERS PREPARE the site where six new, bigger steeping tanks will go up just north of the present tanks. The present tanks hold 2,400 to 4,000 bushels each; the six new tanks will steep 6,000 bushels apiece. The steeping is the first

operation in preparing corn to be ground and milled. The expansion project will increase the grind capacity of the plant by about 60%, from 32,000 bushels to more than 50,000 bushels per day.

On the Go with Mary Edna Hendrix, 647-3343

The Methodists held their Vacation Church School this past week using the theme "The Bible—Word of God's People." 125 children from the third through sixth grades attended the school, led by Lynn Sides. Suzan Sanders assisted Lynn.

The closing program was held in the Fellowship Hall Friday, and parents and visitors enjoyed a picnic lunch with sandwiches and cookies.

Jane and Scott O'Kelly are in

New Jersey and New York visiting Jane's aunt, brother and sister-in-law this week.

Margaret Parsons and Mildred Bradford are in Levelland attending the Methodist Women's School of Missions.

Don Ethington was surprised by friends on his birthday Saturday. Well wishers shared cake and ice cream, brought cards and sang Happy Birthday.

The Methodists had a family night hot dog and cookie meal

Sunday night. They enjoyed relays and other games.

Marie and Dale Winders have just returned from a trip to Arkansas and reported enjoying blue grass music and visiting with friends.

The Eddie Adams family took their vacation in the south. Decatur, Ala., and Gatlinsburg, Ga. were on the agenda. They enjoyed hiking and sight-seeing in the Smokey Mountains.

Saturday was another day of showers, weddings and receptions!

A pretty bridal shower for Deborah Mohon was given Saturday morning in the Fellowship Hall at the First Baptist Church. Deborah's mother, Faye, and Bruce Huseman's mother, Patsy, welcomed the guests. Deborah's sister, Beth Raper of Spearman, was there taking pictures. Faye and Christy Killough served fruit, fruit breads, orange juice and coffee to several friends and relatives.

A beautiful wedding was held in St. Anthony's Catholic Church at Hereford for Debra Sava and William Bridenbaugh, Jr. Saturday. (Debra is another one of my friends from by "Library Days.") Don Nelson and Susan Coleman sang several selections, accompanied by Deanne Clark.

The reception was held at the Hereford Country Club. Delicious pick-up foods filled one table. The beautiful four-tiered bride's cake was on another table and the groom's chocolate cake with colorful icing fruit graced another.

Some of the former Dimmitt residents that I visited with at the reception were Lana Downing and Amy from Louisiana (Lana told me her daughter, Laura, had married a Louisiana cowboy); Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, the former postmaster; Barry and Stephanie Love of Plainview; Gay Keaton and children of Canyon; Charley and Bev Hill, Todd and Traci of Nazareth; and Janis Fore England and her daughter of Amarillo.

Ralph and Velma Lambright entertained their grandson, Jim Barton of Norman, Okla., for a few days.

Several members of the First Baptist Church attended Music Week at Glorietta Baptist Conference Center at Glorietta, N.M. last week. Richard and Colletta Young were sponsors and the youth attending were Mitzi Heller, Amy Boothe, Alice and Molly Young, Amy Littlefield, Chad Ellis, Shawn Stanton, Sharla Jackson and Shawna McSpadden. Some of the girls and Colletta gave a report on the trip Sunday night. They attended choir practice and Bible study early each morning, went back to the cabin for lunch, and had a free time in the afternoon. In the evening they had a worship service. Each night they had a different theme, and one night they had two Christmas musicals. There was an orchestra and a band there. The entire congregation was just like a

big choir, with an extra 145 youths participating. The group came home with a new outlook on music. They learned to relate to others through music.

During their free time they went to Santa Fe, toured the Indian ruins, went to the river and "rafted without a raft," rode bikes, met a lot of people, had fun with a bear trap outside the cabin, and had some excitement with a mouse in the house.

Out of town visitors at the museum last week were Randy Noel, Terry Noel, Ricky Reese and Muriel Simoneau, all of Plainview. Daniel Trigo brought Chris Alex of El Paso by to visit. Dorothy Sheffy, Jean Morris, Syd Lynn and Irene Sepeda brought their kindergarten and first grade classes to the museum Thursday morning. Nola Wood donated four wagon wheels to the museum and spent several hours painting them red and white.

Cleo Forson was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club that met at the Senior Citizens Center for lunch and a day of bridge. Loranel Hamilton won high score and Dude McLaren was second high. Others playing were Louise Mears, Neva Hickey, Elizabeth Huckabay, Sal DiCuffa, Ferne Dickey, Emily Clingsmith, Edith Graef, Virginia Crider and Helen Braafladt.

Connie Ivey honored Irene Carpenter on her birthday with a lunch at K-Bob's Monday, July 10. Other club members attending were Geneva Dennis, Tommie Sue Nisbett, Mauzee Youts, Hazel Bagwell and Mary Edna Hendrix. Later in the evening I served a salad and sandwich supper in my home. Jauvada Curtis joined us for this fellowship.

Recently Oma Dee Heard honored her daughter Pam White with a surprise birthday party. Several of Pam's teacher, friends and church friends came to wish her well. After the guests arrived, Tammy Heard brought Pam out. The afternoon was spent in visiting and eating homemade orange and pineapple sherbet and cake.

On Friday night Dan and Oma Dee Herd took Pan White and children to Palo Duro Canyon to meet Walter, his great aunt and uncle, and Walter's sister and family. They saw part of TEXAS before the rain hit. Dan and Oma Dee didn't see TEXAS. They came back to Canyon and visited with Joe, Joyce and Brian Higgs, who were there from Kansas.

On July 10 the Heards gathered at Danny and Tammy's and had a birthday dinner together honoring Pam White.

On Saturday night Dan and Oma Dee Heard and the Walter White family went to Amarillo to the Bell Road Crossings Clubhouse for a surprise "Over the Hill" birthday party for Martin Young of Sunray. The event was hosted by his wife, Kay, and three daughters, Ramonda, Darena and LaCretia, who

composed and sang a song in tribute to their Dad. His granddaughter, Ashley Cartrite, also sang to him.

Pick-up foods, cake, coffee and punch were served to the guests.

Four of Martin's brothers and a sister attended. The evening was spent in watching Martin open his gifts, taking pictures, sitting around the pool visiting and listening to LaCretia sing.

Jo Hyman and her roommate, Beth Beard of Houston, were home for the Fourth of July weekend. The Hymans showed Beth the countryside. She was really interested in the different crops we grow

here. They visited all of Jo's friends, but were ready to get back to Texas A&M and their studies.

Kristin Vaughan of Dallas is in Dimmitt visiting friends and relatives including grandparents Charles and Betty Vaughan, Mary Edna Hendrix, Gary and Sherrie Baldrige and Kevin.

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Literacy workshops planned

Individuals who are interested in helping educate adults who cannot read, can become a literacy tutor by attending a workshop Wednesday and next Thursday, July 27, in Tulia.

Anyone interested in attending the workshop should contact Rhoads Memorial Library at 647-3532. There is no charge for the workshop, but those planning to attend are urged to register by today (Thursday).

The workshop will be held at the Swisher County Library, in the basement of the Memorial Building, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. both days, with a scheduled lunch break each day.

The session is sponsored by the Texas Panhandle Library System, which has contracted with the Amarillo Literacy Council for training team members to conduct the workshop.

The 10-hour tutor-training program instructs volunteers to teach non-reading adults based on the Laubach Way to Reading four-book series, which enables students to learn the different sounds of vowels and consonants individually and as a whole. They learn to pronounce words by syllables which helps students improve reading and spelling skills.

The workshop is open to anyone who is interested in teaching functionally illiterate adults to read.

Senior Citizens

MONDAY — Lima beans and ham, spinach, cornbread, salad, dessert, tea and coffee.

TUESDAY — Chicken fried steak, potatoes and gravy, green beans, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf, macaroni and cheese, black-eyed peas, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

THURSDAY — Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, vegetable sticks, salad, bread, dessert, tea and coffee.

FRIDAY — Chicken sandwiches with the trimmings, French fries, dessert, tea and coffee.

Presbyterian Happenings

The adult Bible class will meet at the church at 10 a.m.

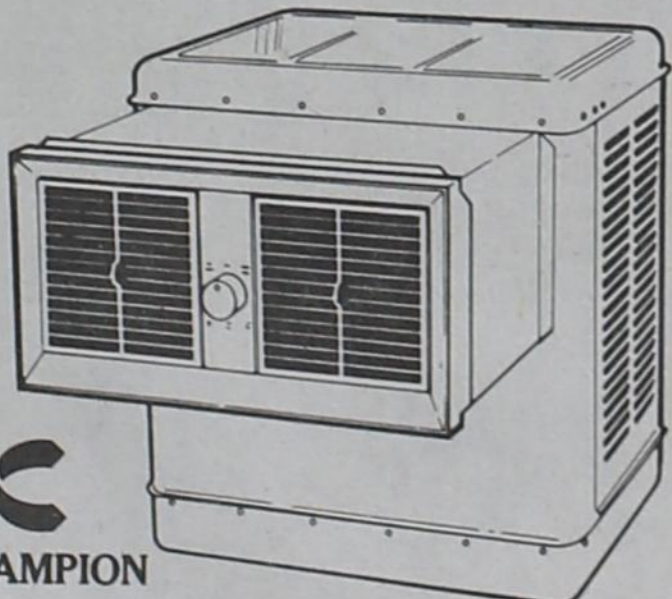
"Mary, Martha and Lazarus" will be the subject of Pastor Edward D. Freeman's sermon at the morning church worship service at 11 a.m.

Morning prayers will be Wednesday at 6:30.



KAY GLEGHORN of Dimmitt recently attended the second annual Texas Agricultural Youth Congress in Austin, sponsored by the Texas Dept. of Agriculture. The event brought together 75 of the top vo-ag students in the state as part of an effort to encourage young people to pursue a career in agriculture. She was recognized by Deputy State Agriculture Commissioner Mike Moeller at the close of the four-day meeting.

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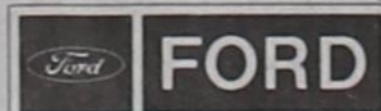
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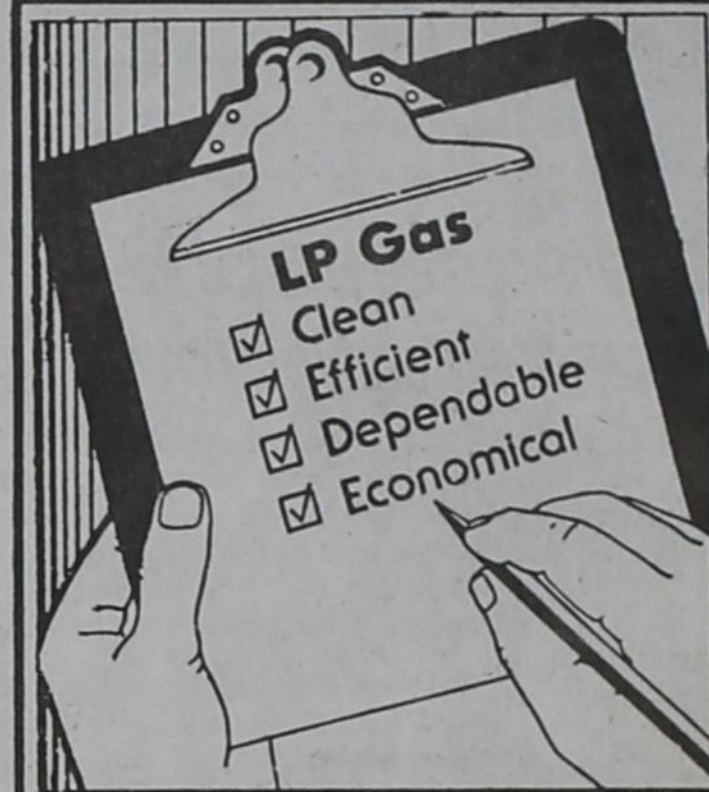
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Our Historians

The people of our county owe an increasingly large debt of thanks to a very active group among us—the Castro County Historical Commission.

During the past four years, members of this commission have brought three state awards to our county for their work in preserving our history and heritage. That gives an idea of how dedicated they are and how highly they are regarded by the Texas State Historical Commission, which judges the preservation and restoration work being done in all 254 counties.

Teeny Bowden of Sunnyside is the commission's chairman, Madge Robb is the vice-chairman and Clara Vick is the secretary-treasurer. Other members are Lon Woodburn, George Bagwell, Norman Nelson, Curtis Tate, Erma Lee Kennedy, Nola Wood, Lynn West and Delores Heller.

The commission's most recently completed project became an international event that created a lot of favorable publicity for our county—the renovation of the memorial chapel at the Hereford Prisoner of War Camp. The successful completion of this project was celebrated just last month by people from throughout the Panhandle, along with a delegation of former POWs from Italy.

Through a lot of hard work and documentation, the commission has gotten seven sites and events approved for official state historical markers. They are:

- The 7-Up Ranch, home of the J. W. Carter Family, the county's first settlers (dedicated July 4, 1981);
- The POW Camp chapel (dedicated on Memorial Day, 1983);
- The Shootout on Jones Street (dedicated July 4, 1983);
- The Summerfield-Damron Corner (dedicated April 14, 1985);
- The Arney School (dedicated Aug. 25, 1985);
- Castro County Courthouse (dedicated July 4, 1987);
- Holy Family Catholic Church (dedicated Aug. 21, 1988).

Also, the commission was responsible for restoring the old Flagg Cemetery, with a marker dedicated there on Memorial Day, 1988.

The commission is working toward getting a historical marker placed at the site of the old OYO Ranch just north of Dimmitt, and also hopes someday to have an archives building on the museum property.

The group's main project now is the county's centennial history book, *Castro County, Texas, Volume II, 1891-1991*. You could help them a lot by starting to work now on the history of your family or business.

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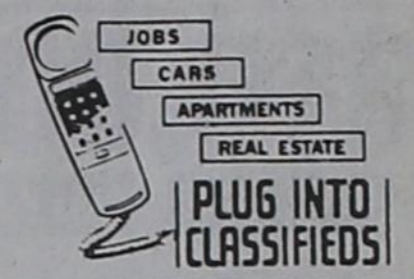
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2—For Rent

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8A—Student Job Opportunities

HOUSEWORK NEED TO BE DONE? If so, contact Mariza Rodriguez at 647-3314 for any kind of cleaning. 8A-8-tfx

HATE HOUSEWORK? I'm willing to do any housework. Ironing is my favorite job. Please call me at 647-5751 or come by 719 W. Stinson. Mandy Flores. 8A-8-tfx

2—For Rent

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647-3123

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8A—Student Job Opportunities

NEED A BABYSITTER? I am 12 years old and want to babysit children over 2 years of age. I charge \$1.50 per hour for each child. Call Carrie Sheffy, 647-4682. 8A-8-tfx

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12—Notices

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9—Help Wanted

14—Cards of Thanks

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15—Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
Castro County Commissioners Court will receive bids for an emergency generator for the Courthouse and jail. Bids will be opened on Aug. 6 at 10 a.m. Specifications are available at the county judge's office.
All bids will be opened on Aug. 6. Castro County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive formalities.
MRS. M.L. SIMPSON, JR.
County Judge
Castro County, Texas
15-14-2tc

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE Cause # 88-03-B-5811-TX

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY VS. DAVIS, ODELL, Cause # 88-03-B-5811-TX and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the city of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property to wit:

The South 35 feet of Lot 3, Block 49 of the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of ODELL DAVIS BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANT DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 83, PAGE 252 OF THE OFFICIAL RECORDS OF CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$627.82 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF DIMMITT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

THE CHINESE, after inventing gunpowder, attached rockets to their arrows to make them fly farther.

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15—Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Cause # B-5895

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY V. VARGAS, EUSTACIO, Cause # B-5895, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the City of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

All of Lot 6, Block 116 of the Original Townsite of Hart, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of THE ESTATE AND HEIRS OF EUSTACIO VARGAS BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 136, PAGE 479, IN CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$366.87 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, HART INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF HART.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard, III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Cause # B-5901

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY VS. BERMEA, RAFAEL, Cause # B-5901, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the City of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

All of Lot 11, Block 117 of the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of THE ESTATE AND HEIRS OF RAFAEL AND AURELIA BERMEA BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 124, PAGE 536, IN CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$85.08 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF DIMMITT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard, III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

15—Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Cause # 88-03-B-5821-TX

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY VS. HERNANDEZ, TERESA, Cause # 88-03-B-5821-TX and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the City of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

All of lots 3 and 4, Block 3 of the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of TERESA HERNANDEZ BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 112, PAGE 245, OF THE OFFICIAL RECORDS OF CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$4,438.41 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF DIMMITT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard, III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Cause # B-5903

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY VS. LEONARD, W.J., Cause # B-5903, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the City of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Lot 23, Block 132 of the Original Town of Hart, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of THE ESTATE AND HEIRS OF J.B. SLADE BY VIRTUE OF A WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 60, PAGE 531, IN CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$429.05 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, HART INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF HART.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard, III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

15—Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
Cause # 88-03-B-5807-TX

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CASTRO

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 242nd Judicial District Court of Castro County, on the 6th day of July, 1989, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CASTRO COUNTY VS. BLACKWELL, MCGEE, Cause # 88-03-B-5807-TX, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 1 o'clock p.m. on the 1ST DAY OF AUGUST, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of said month at the OFFICIAL door of the Courthouse of said Castro County, in the City of DIMMITT, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Lot 2, Block 28, of the Original Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas.

Levied on the 6th day of July, 1989, as the property of THE ESTATE AND HEIRS OF MCGEE BLACKWELL BY VIRTUE OF A QUIET CLAIM DEED RECORDED IN VOLUME 123, PAGE 312 IN CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS, to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$4,977.93 with interest from the 6TH DAY OF APRIL, 1989, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CASTRO COUNTY, DIMMITT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, CITY OF DIMMITT.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 6th day of July, 1989.
LONNY RHYNES, SHERIFF
CASTRO COUNTY, TEXAS
By: Joe B. Hoard, III, Deputy
15-13-3tc

THE FIRST true automobile was steam-powered. Its inventor was jailed after he drove it into a brick wall.

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Farm Credit Bank files suit to protect investment

Officials of the Farm Credit Bank of Texas (FCBT) took legal steps recently to protect its billion dollar investment in assets purchased from the failed Federal Land Bank and Federal Land Bank Association of Jackson, Miss. The assets include agricultural mortgage loans in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi.

The Texas bank has petitioned the court to allow it to intervene in a lawsuit filed in the Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria Division.

The suit was filed by the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Jackson (FICBJ), First South Production Credit Association (PCA) and the Farm Credit Bank of Wichita (FCBW) against the Farm Credit System's regulator, the Farm Credit Administration, and its Acting Board Chairman Marvin Duncan.

According to FCBT Chief Executive Officer Donald R. Rogge, the lawsuit challenges the charter that the Farm Credit Administration awarded the Texas bank in December 1988. This charter granted the Farm Credit Bank of Texas the authority to make long-term mortgage loans in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi.

"With more than \$1 billion in loans and 148 employees in these three states, we have a tremendous investment and are committed to serving the long-term credit needs of Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi farmers and ranchers," Rogge said. "We must protect the money that we already have spent on behalf of our stockholders to return agricultural credit service here."

Rogge stated that the Texas

board of directors was negotiating a merger with the FICBJ when the lawsuit was filed.

Under its current charter, the Farm Credit Bank of Texas has nearly \$4 billion in loans to 60,000 borrowers in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas.

The \$1 billion in loans in Alabama, Louisiana and Mississippi was awarded the Texas bank in an open bid process late last year. The bid process included the charter for these states.

A congressionally-mandated merger of the Federal Land Bank

and Federal Intermediate Credit Bank in each Farm Credit district took place in 1988. Since the Federal Land Bank of Jackson was in receivership at that time, the FICBJ had no merger partner until the charter was awarded to the Texas bank.

Merger discussions between the FICBJ and the Texas bank have been underway for some time. The Farm Credit Administration had requested that the merger take place by August 10, 1989. The lawsuit also challenges the merger of the FICBJ and the Texas bank.

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AUCTION

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10 A.M., THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1989 - Dimmitt, TX

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5-POINT GIN will be AUCTIONED FOUR WAYS and will be sold ONE OF THESE WAYS OR A COMBINATION, whichever brings the most money.

#1. WHOLE PACKAGE (Land and Buildings and All Equipment). #2. REAL ESTATE ONLY (Buildings, Office and Water Well). #3. BULK BID ON EQUIPMENT ONLY. #4. PIECEMEAL OF EQUIPMENT (ABSOLUTE)

LAND: Approximately Seven Acres.

EQUIPMENT INCLUDES • 5 Continental 90-Saw Gins Stands • 5 Motors (20 HP) • 5 Mitchell Super Champ 9-Saw Feeders • 5 Air Controls & Motors • Seed & Trash Conveyor w/10 HP Elec. Motor & Gear Reducer • Samuel Jackson Moisture Control Unit, N.G. • 40" Flatback Cast Iron Fan • 25 HP Elec. Motor • Water Well (Pump & Pressure Tank) • Mitchell Supermatic Burner • 40" Cast Iron Flatback Fan • 25 HP Elec. Motor • Murray 40" Flatback Fan • 40 HP Elec. Motor • Hardwick-Etter 25" Cast Iron Fan • 30 HP Elec. Motor • Lummus 40" Flatback Fan • 50 HP Elec. Motor • Smith 50" Flatback Fan • (2) 75 HP Elec. Motors • 50" Flatback Fan • Tower Dryer, 15-Shell • Continental Steady Flo w/1.5 HP Gear Motor • 15 HP Elec. Motor • 60" Dropper • 15 HP Elec. Motors (2) • 72" Dropper • (2) 20 HP Elec. Motors • 24" Distributor • 20 Distributor • 2 Hardwick-Etter 10" Burr Machines • (9) 10 HP Elec. Motors • Murray 40" Flatback Fan • 50 HP Elec. Motor • 7-Cyl. Incline Cleaner • Hardwick-Etter Slick Machine • 60" Dropper for Live Overflow • (2) 4-Cyl. Airline Cleaners • 2 Rock Catchers • 4 Travelling Suctions, 12.5", 1 w/Air Controls & Y's, 2 without Suction Pipe • (2) 40" Exhaust Fans • 60" Endless Flat Belt Conveyor (For Green Boils) • Moss Revelation Lint Cleaner (In Tandem) with (2) 20 HP Elec. Motors • 20" Twin Trash Fan • Constellation Single Lint Cleaner w/20 HP Electric Motor • 54" Battery Condenser & Gear Box • (3) 42" Hartzell Fans • Belt Feed (Without Belt) • 5 HP Brake Motor • Continental EJ Trampler • Lummus Press w/9 3/8 Ram • Lubbock Electric Press Pump w/Elec. Motor • Motor & Tank for Air Comp. • Seed-O-Meter 20-Lb. Dump, Seed Scales & Dropper • 3 HP Elec. Motor • Root Blower • Rotary Lift • 3 HP Motor • Farmers' Seed Hopper • Burr House • 5-Drawer Metal Desk • 2 Index Files, 27-Drawer • 35" Murray Fan (Motor Missing) • Lummus Heater (No Controls)

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D.H.S. CLASS OF 1979 GATHERS FOR 'CUP NIGHT' AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY ... One of the highlights of two-day class reunion here over weekend

Webb is named district manager

Lanny J. Webb has been named district manager of the Hereford district of Energas. Webb, formerly assistant district manager in Amarillo, joined the company in 1964. Throughout his tenure with the company he has been active in civic and community affairs. He is a member of the Rotary International and the 82nd Airborne Association, 325 Chapter. Webb, a native of Tyler, and his wife, Marilyn, have three children. They will be relocating to Hereford.

ICC Happenings

The first annual Catholic Charismatic Conference of the Diocese will be held July 28-30 at the Diocesan Activity Center in Amarillo. Guest speakers include Fr. Sam Jacobs, chairman of the National Service Committee of the US Catholic Charismatic Renewal and Bobbie Cavnar, senior coordinator for the Christian Community of God's Delight. Because of this, our Jamaica celebration scheduled for the same weekend, will be postponed until Aug. 6.

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DHS Class of '79 has lively reunion

A golf tournament, banquet in the high school cafeteria, Country Club dance and "cup night" highlighted the two-day reunion of Dimmitt High School's Class of 1979 Friday and Saturday.

Fifty-two of the class's 72 graduating members were here for the reunion — an attendance rate of 71%. Also, several others who were members of the class in earlier years but who moved or didn't graduate here, came back for the reunion.

Class members first gathered at the James Bradford home, where Jean Bradford Whitehead hosted a chip-and-dip party Friday evening. Later they went to the high school and recreated "cup night," placing cups in the main entrance lattice work to spell out "1979."

Most of Saturday's activities were held at the Country Club—a golf tournament in the morning, family time around the swimming pool in the afternoon and a reunion dance that night. But for the main banquet, they went to the high school cafeteria for a dinner catered by Mary Cluck.

At the banquet, classmates chose the recipients for a lot of awards—none serious.

Kelly Hill was elected "Reunion King" and Diane Love "Reunion Queen." Cindy Kelley and Eddie Oldfield were selected as "Most Changed," while Jo Beth Bates and Johnny Merritt were chosen as "Least Changed."

Laura Lapins, who works with a foundation fund in Virginia that concentrates on environmental programs, and who will soon join a Washington-based organization that lobbies for a cleaner environment, was chosen as the class member "Most Likely to Be Interviewed by Sixty Minutes Within the Next Ten Years." She also won the travel award.

Fort Worth attorney Heidi Bruegel Cox was chosen for the "Success in Reaching Goals" award.

Tim Fewell won the balloting as "The One Who Uses the Least Shampoo," and Raynell Fagan Johnson (mother of three) won the "Fertile Myrtle" honors.

Here's a listing of class members who posed for the group photo

above during "cup night":

Kneeling, from left, are Kelly Hill of Fort Worth, Teresa Lantz Hopping of Hereford, Jo Beth Bates of Dimmitt, Cindy Kelley of Lubbock, Tami McMaster Griffith of Dimmitt, Natalie Cline Bright of Canyon and Tim Fewell of Denton.

Women in the second row, from left, are Teresa Falcon of Dimmitt, Heidi Bruegel Cox of Fort Worth, Raynell Fagan Johnson of Dimmitt, Leanne Crozier Holloway of Rockwall, Ydolina Sepeda Nino of Amarillo, Elonda Mixson Kirkland of Plainview, Angela Ross Touchstone of Mansfield, Kathy George Burks of Dimmitt, Cheryl Robb Harmon of Amarillo, Laura Lapins of Charlottesville, Va., Cara Miller Shiu of Houston, Kimberly Pegram Wellborn of Canyon and Jolene Creighton Montana of Roswell, N.M.

Others, from left, are Alejandro Navarro of Dimmitt, Jesse Enriquez of Rosenberg, Jimmy Esqueda of Levelland, Joe Arce of Dimmitt, Danny Reyes of Dimmitt, Paul Parsons of Lubbock, Rosa Saenz Sifuentes of Dimmitt, Erma Herrera of Klute, Randy Lunsford of Amarillo, Henry Ogas of Muleshoe, Johnny Merritt of Amarillo, Belinda Bryant Guy of Memphis, Mark Summers of Kansas City, Kan., Shelly Minnick of Dimmitt, Sonie Karo Beasley of Hereford, Kyle Wise of Dimmitt, Belinda Black Firth of Aubrey, Susie Cluck of Dimmitt, Steve Maples of El Campo, Kyrene Collins Black of Dimmitt, Diane Love of Amarillo, Jack Stewart of Canyon, Sue Rita King Myatt of Dimmitt, Lisa Wales of Irving, Danny Ortiz of San Diego, Calif., Sandy Martin Burns of Pampa, Jean Bradford Whitehead of Amarillo, and Laverne Lee Patterson and David Patterson of Hughes Springs.

Also attending, but not pictured, were Brenda Johnson Burgess of Springfield, Mo., Gordon Oldman of Mangum, Okla., Eddie Oldfield of Amarillo, Ricky Rickerd of Dimmitt, Estella Trigo of Levelland, Larry Bossett of Kermit, Leslie Heard of Dimmitt, Ruben Lopez of Friona, Kimmie Hollums Moyers of Dimmitt and Ronnie Sears of Dimmitt.

A videotape was made of the dinner and individual interviews, and copies are available for \$20 each, with proceeds to go to the Gary Bruegel Memorial Scholarship Fund. Anyone wishing to order a copy may contact Bobbi (Mrs. Fred Jr.) Bruegel, Box 289, Dimmitt, 647-2318.



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CO-SWEETHEARTS—The Dimmitt Lions Club will have not one, but two club sweethearts during the coming year. They are Renae Josselet (left), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Josselet, and Jamie Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Baker. Both are juniors in Dimmitt High School. (Photo by Garner Ball)

'Don't Bag It' lawn care

Let grass clippings lie, expert says

When you hear the sound of revving lawn mowers, can the sight of bagged grass clippings be far behind? Not only far behind, but vanished, says the creator of a lawn care campaign to eliminate the bagging chore.

"Grass clippings increase the volume of residential solid waste by 20 to 25 percent from March to September," said Dr. Bill Knoop, a turfgrass expert with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Dallas.

The added waste places considerable burden on disposal operations and landfill space, not to mention the homeowners who bag all those clippings.

"Fortunately, traditional lawn care practices can be adjusted easily to remedy the problem," said Knoop.

To help lawn keepers change their ways, Knoop devised the "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Plan. It recommends watering, fertilizing and mowing practices that allow you to leave grass clippings on the lawn.

"It's a tested, proven plan that benefits everyone," said Knoop. "It reduces the trouble and expense of

lawn care for homeowners, and helps them conserve water and landfill space and improve the environment."

Early last year, representatives from the Extension Service, the City of Fort Worth and Fort Worth Clean City Inc. teamed up to promote the "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Plan in a pilot waste reduction campaign.

"Our municipal landfill has an estimated 16 years of use left at the current rate of waste disposal," said Tom Davis, director of the Fort Worth Department of City Services.

"We're not facing a landfill crisis, but we recognize the need to conserve the remaining space," said Davis. "In addition, the city could save about \$200,000 in annual disposal costs if all the residents here stopped bagging grass clippings."

By last March, organizers were ready to launch the "Don't Bag It" campaign. As part of the kickoff, volunteer homeowners were recruited to serve as official "Don't Bag It" demonstrators.

"We originally planned to enlist 100 demonstrators, but response was so great we made special ar-

rangements to handle 190," said Bob Whitney at the Tarrant County office of the Extension Service.

As a result, "Don't Bag It" yard signs have sprouted across Fort Worth on the lawns of selected volunteers. Other volunteers, who belong to the Extension Service's Master Gardener program, are supervising the new demonstrators.

The Extension Service is modeling a "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Program after the Fort Worth campaign and will have it available for other cities later this year.

A similar program, based on Extension Service recommendations, was conducted successfully by the City of Plano in 1981. Called the "Waste-Saver" Lawn Care Plan, it was motivated more by city officials' concerns about operational efficiency, said Knoop.

In its first year, according to city reports, the program saved Plano \$60,000 in garbage collection costs, despite a 12 percent growth in the number of households served. Participating residents saved another \$22,000 by purchasing fewer plastic bags.

Waste reduction programs like these provide an opportunity for local governments to comply with the Texas Solid Waste Disposal Act. In 1987, the state legislature amended the act to establish a state policy ranking the order of preference for solid waste management as follows:

1. minimization of waste production
2. reuse or recycling of waste
3. treatment to recover energy or other beneficial resources
4. land disposal as the least preferred option

"Regional and local waste man-

agement plans must reflect due consideration of this preference by assessing current efforts, identifying additional opportunities, and making recommendations to encourage and achieve a greater degree of waste minimization, reuse and recycling," said Gordon Epler, environmental quality specialist with the Division of Solid Waste Management, Texas Department of Health.

Basics of the "Don't Bag It" Lawn Care Plan are as follows: (Details of mowing heights, fertilizer rates and fertilizer application dates are not included because they vary by location and type of turf).

Watering: During the driest period of summer, lawns usually require one inch of water every five to six days. Most hose sprinklers put out one-fourth to one-third inch of water per hour. If water runs off the lawn before one inch is applied, turn the sprinker off, let the water soak in for about one hour, then continue watering. The best time to water is early morning.

Mowing: For optimum results, mow every five to six days instead of once a week. As a rule of thumb, do not remove more than a third of the leaf surface at any one time. Grass clippings left on your lawn will not contribute to thatch, but will return valuable nutrients to the soil.

Fertilizing: The ratio of nutrients in the fertilizer, and the rate and frequency of application all affect how fast grass grows. Fertilize only so the lawn can grow at a reasonable rate and still have good color. For slow, even growth, use a fertilizer containing either sulfur-coated urea or ureaformaldehyde as a nitrogen source.

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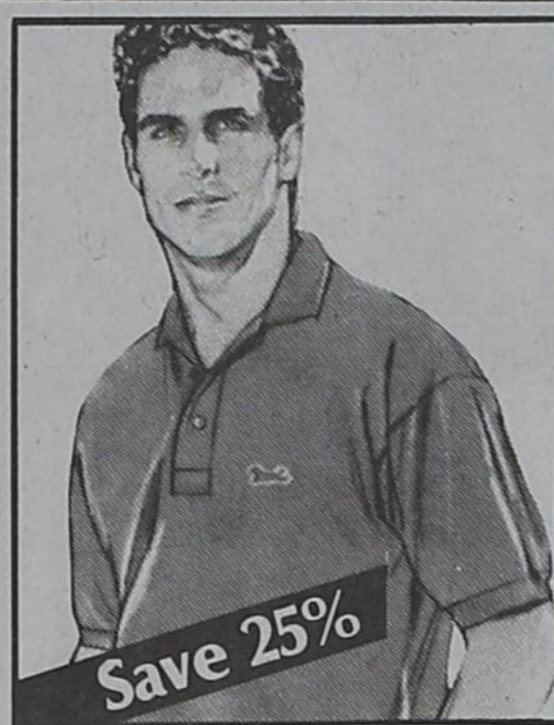
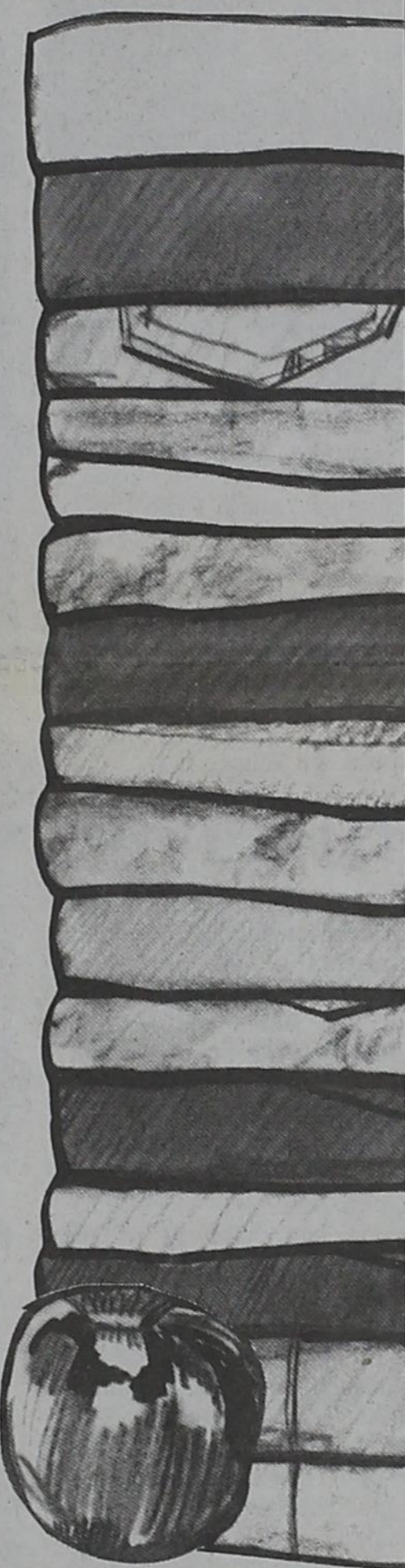
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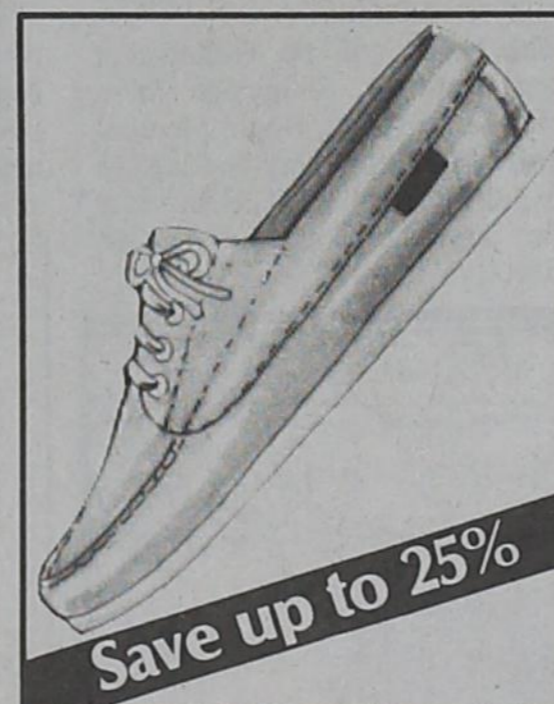
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Newlyweds establish new home in Nazareth

Mr. and Mrs. James Victor Kern are home in Nazareth following their May 13 wedding and a honeymoon trip to Colorado and New Mexico.

The bride is the former Violet Elaine Burnam, daughter of Ovella Post of Amarillo and Monroe Burnam of Lubbock. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kern of Nazareth.

The couple exchanged wedding vows May 13 at 3 p.m. in a formal, double-ring ceremony performed by Rev. Brendan Sherry at Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

Mary Lynn Olvera, organist, and Debbie Schmucker, soloist, performed the couple's musical selections.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents.

Teresa Wesley of Amarillo, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Jeretta Hill of Amarillo, sister of the bride; and Janette Stephens of Lubbock, Carol Kern of Nazareth, and Patricia Kern of Dallas, all friends of the bride.

Dale Wilhelm of Nazareth, friend of the groom, was best man.

Mohon is feted

Debbie Mohon, bride-elect of Bruce Huseman, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday in the Fellowship Hall of Dimmitt's First Baptist Church.

Guests were greeted by the honoree, her mother, Faye Mohon; and the prospective groom's mother, Patsy Huseman.

Guests were registered by Billie Kirby of Dimmitt.

Assorted fruit, breads, melon balls, juice and coffee were served to guests by Christy and Faye Kilough. The table was covered with a white linen cloth and featured a silk arrangement centerpiece in an antique crystal vase. Silver and crystal appointments completed the table decor.

29 hostesses presented the honoree with a microwave, Fry Daddy and several pieces of her selected dishes and flatware.

Special guests include the prospective groom's mother, Patsy Huseman of Nazareth; and the honoree's sister, Beth Raper of Spearman. Out of town guests included Nettice Waggoner and Virginia Bonifield of Canyon, Denise Rogers of Converse and Geor-gin Wilson of Claude.

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4-H record book winners are named

Castro County 4-H members' record books were judged on the county level recently, with several of the entrants' efforts receiving ribbons.

In the Junior I division, blue ribbons were awarded to Shawn Pohlmeier, poultry; Kaci Schulte, food and nutrition; Will Shannon, dog care; Cody Annen, achievement; Coby Summers, Mark Mitchell and Tawnee Lynn Matthews, swine; Andrew Teaschner, electric energy; Sy Olson, beef; and Shaun Furr, sheep. Red ribbons were won by Wesley Mays, shooting sports; Colby McDaniel and Dagon Newton, swine; Margie Durbin, clothing; and Jana Nelson, food and nutrition.

Blue ribbons in the Junior II category were presented to Moriah Olson, beef; Nadine Schulte, photography; Cory Mays, shooting sports; Wesley Ralston, swine; Beth Teaschner, fashion review; Lyndy Mitchell, clothing; Tisha Rice, housing and home environment; and Karmen Pohlmeier, food and nutrition. A red ribbon was awarded to Stace McDaniel, swine.

In the senior division, blue ribbons were won by Danna Ralston, swine; Lorelea Acker, food and nutrition; Mac Annen, sheep; Lee Kleman, dairy; Kim Spring, horse; Kalina Pohlmeier, achievement; and Kara Schulte, Santa Fe. Casey Summers, horse; and Tessie Newton, sheep, were presented red ribbons.



Carol Renee Cluck and Thomas Allen Wing

Wing and Cluck to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cluck of Van Buren, Ark. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carol Renee, to Thomas Allen Wing, son of Joe and Shirley Wing of Van Buren.

The bride-to-be is the grand-

daughter of Retta Cluck of Dimmitt and Grace Monzingo of Memphis. Grandparents of the prospective groom are Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Lee of Van Buren and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wing Sr. of Decatur, Ill.

The couple will recite their wedding vows July 28 at 6 p.m. at the Windsor Park Baptist Church in Fort Smith, Ark.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Cluck graduated from Fort Smith Christian School. She holds a degree in home economics with a specialization in early childhood education from Oklahoma State University. She teaches kindergarten at Fort Smith Christian School.

He graduated from Fort Smith's Northside High School and holds a degree in secondary education from the University of Arkansas. He is a history teacher and assistant coach at Fort Smith Christian School.

Fair books are available

The 1989 Castro County Fair Books are now available at several places in the county.

The fair books contain the rules and entry blanks for items to be displayed at the fair.

The books will be available at Flagg Fertilizer, Sunnyside Farm Store, Easter Grain, Home Mercantile in Nazareth, Pay-N-Save in Hart, the Chamber of Commerce office and the County Extension office.

Schaaf to join staff at ICC

Patrice Schaaf has been hired as a pastoral assistant at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Dimmitt.

Schaaf will begin her new job in August, according to Rev. Norbert Choong, pastor of ICC.

She holds a bachelor of arts degree in Latin American Studies and Spanish from the University of Minnesota; and a teaching certificate and bachelor of arts degree in psychology from Cloud State University. She also holds a master of arts degree in religious studies from the Maryknoll School of Theology in New York.

She has extensive and varied pastoral experience, after working in parish and campus ministries in Minnesota, Abilene, Dallas, and Stockton, Calif. She has also served overseas in Merida, Mexico and Santiago, Chile.

Who's New?

Plains Memorial

It's a boy for Rosa and Victor Cardona of Dimmitt. Jacob Cardona was born July 6 at 3:47 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital in Dimmitt. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces and was 21 inches long. He has three older siblings, 14-year-old Sonia, 12-year-old Mirella and 6-year-old Laura Patricia. His paternal grandparents are Socorro Puentes of Juarez, Mexico and the late Manuel Cardona. Maternal grandparents are Juan Colomo and Manuela Escobedo of Mexico.

Tony and Diana Gonzales of Dimmitt are the parents of a new baby girl, Michelle Nicole, who was born July 10 at 12 p.m. at Plains Memorial Hospital

in Dimmitt. She weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces and was 20-1/2 inches long. She has an older brother, 9-year-old Eric Jonathan. Her paternal grandparents are Elida Gonzales of Dimmitt and Petro Gonzales of McAllen. Maternal grandparents is Manuela Ruiz of Dimmitt.

Out of town

Mark and Vera Hoelting of Greenville are the parents of a baby girl, Heather Jean, born July 15 at Greenville. She weighed in at 7 pounds, 5 ounces and was 20 inches long. She has three older siblings, 6-year-old Marcey, 4-year-old Erin and 2-year-old Tanner. Her grandparents are Cecil and Norita Hoelting of Nazareth and Ida Gibson of Dimmitt.

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William C. and Catherine Hochstein

Anniversary celebration set

William C. (Junior) and Catherine Hochstein of Nazareth will be honored on their 40th wedding anniversary with an open house reception and a mass said in their honor Sunday.

The mass will be said at 11 a.m. Sunday at Holy Family Catholic Church in Nazareth.

The couple's 13 children will host an open house and reception from 2 to 3 p.m. at the Nazareth

Community Hall. Friends and family are invited to attend.

William C. Hochstein married the former Catherine Schacher July 19, 1949, in Nazareth. He is a farmer and she is a housewife.

The couple have 13 children including Sharon Brockman, Patti Kern, Carol Kern, Diane Huseman, John Hochstein, Micky Hochstein, Mary Jean Hochstein, Randy Hochstein, Bobbi Hochstein and Bill Hochstein.



Lisa Ann Grace and Michael Paul Warren

August wedding planned

Lisa Ann Grace and Michael Paul Warren plan to exchange wedding vows Aug. 12 at St. Mary's Church in Farmington, N.M.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Grace of Aztec, N.M. Warren is the son of Jimmie and Nelita Collins of Farmington and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Venhaus of Nazareth.

Grace is a 1989 graduate of Aztec High School. She is employed at Dillard's Dept. Store.

Warren is a 1984 graduate of Kirtland High School. He served in the US Army and is currently attending college at Embry-Riddle in Prescott, Ariz.

Rev. David Fletcher and a Partnership Mission Group, including some of his relatives, left Amarillo Wednesday morning for Kenya. His older sister and her son will be on David's team. Debra, Hadley, Haley and Harmony and other relatives saw them off at the airport, then Debra and the children went to Gruver to stay a week with her parents, John and Doris Armes, and other relatives. They visited with David's grandmother Saturday evening.

Dr. Lanny Hall, president of Wayland Baptist University, filled in for Rev. Fletcher Sunday morning. On Sunday night James Norrell showed a Billy Graham film, "The Prodigal."

Gerald Elkins had charge of the Wednesday night prayer service in the pastor's absence. Mrs. Beatrice Shirey and her daughter, Mary Jane, and her children of Earth visited the services.

A tank on a trailer started whipping and hit the railing on the bridge across Running Water Draw recently. It came loose and dumped its load of diesel, spraying the entire mulberry tree, just when it looked like it might live. The leaves are either dying or discolored.

Mrs. Dolly Herrington of Farwell, mother of Judy Waggoner, underwent knee replacement surgery in Lubbock Methodist Hospital June 26. She came home with Judy Monday, and is doing fair. Saturday Judy took her to Farwell to check on her home, and will take her back to the doctor Monday.

Louise Alair is progressing fair, but may have an infection in the last knee which had surgery. She, too, had to go back for a check-up.

Kathy Kerr of Hereford had major day surgery in Lubbock Monday. James and Joan talked to her Saturday, and she was still very sore. They visited with James's parents in Ropesville Saturday; his mother is still very weak. Her parents from Wolfforth came home with them to spend Saturday night and attend the birthday party for their granddaughter, Amber Kerr, in Hereford Sunday. Becky and Kathy Norrell visited with James Sunday and attended both the morning and evening services.

Teeny Bowden talked with Debra Fletcher Saturday night. David called from Nairobi, Kenya, last Thursday. He reported that they got there all right and were going to get to sleep in a hotel there that night before setting up their tents in the bush country Friday. This was probably his last opportunity to call until he gets to Gale and Verna Sadler's in Tanzania.

Teeny Bowden, Clara Vick and Madge Robb attended the funeral services for Cornelia Annen in Nazareth Monday afternoon. She had been an active member of the Castro County Historical Commission for many years.

Dara Fennell and Kelly Green of Earth were married in the home of her parents, Doug and Judy Louder, Tuesday morning. Rev. David Fletcher performed the ceremony. They will make their home in the Earth area.

Swaney Lilley's mother from West Germany and her mother's sister from Holland left Wednesday after a visit to see the new baby. They spent a week, then went on to California and came back by and visited with Brent and Swaney and little son again. Gary Lilley's son, John, who is now 13, has been here for a visit with Johnnie B. and Shorty, Gary and Brent and family. He left the 26th for his home in Houston, but wanted to stay here—

he doesn't like city living.

.52 of an inch of rain was recorded for Friday night. There was no hail damage, but there might have been some light, small hail.

Verba Sadler and her Hereford Bluegrass Band played at Dawn Saturday afternoon as they held their community's centennial celebration. Ezell accompanied her.

Ezell and Verba Sadler and Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler attended the Blue Grass Festival in Farwell Saturday night.

J. B. Hensley of Hale Center attended the Sunday morning church services with Ezell and Verba Sadler, and had dinner with them.

Teeny Bowden, Sharon Sadler and Embree Roy and Willie Mae Sadler went to Friona Sunday afternoon to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of Tom and Ruth Parson at the Calvary Baptist Church. However, they learned that the celebration was on Saturday, not Sunday as reported.

Gerald and Pat Elkins talked with Gale and Verna Sadler in Tanzania Saturday night, but they had not heard yet from Rev. David Fletcher.

Joyce Welty of Sudan, formerly of Hart, visited in both services Sunday with LaWanda Wilson and spent the day with her and Glenn. She attended Sunnyside Church as a child. She is now a teacher and Sunday school coordinator in her church.

Willie Mae and Embree Roy Sadler took Carrie Buchanan to her home in Childress Monday and came back by Memphis, where they visited with Floy and Posey Holmes, a cousin of Willie Mae's.

Frances and Jesse Pharis of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Eules and Hazel Waggoner, and with Winston and Eddie and their families.



Debbie Murdock and Doug Smith

Murdock to wed Smith

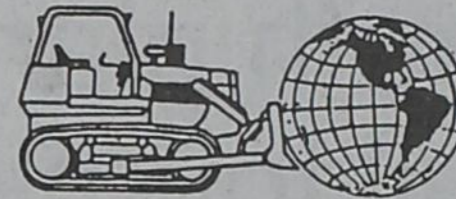
Bobby and Wanda Murdock of Dimmitt announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debbie, to Doug Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Sabetha, Kan.

Amarillo.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and West Texas State University. She is employed as an administrative assistant at Merrill Lynch.

The couple plans to exchange wedding vows Nov. 4 at the Washington Avenue Christian Church in

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Nursing home wins contest

Canterbury Villa Nursing Home in Dimmitt captured first place in the District 9 window decorating contest, which was sponsored by the Texas Health Enterprises, Inc.

The local nursing home will receive its award for the winning sign at a reception today (Thursday) at 1 p.m. in the lobby at Canterbury Villa. Pat Cline, director of marketing of Texas Health Enterprises, Inc., will also present the home with a check for \$150.

Everyone is invited to attend. The first place sign was displayed at Higginbotham - Bartlett Co. May 14 to 20. Those responsible for the contest entry were Nikki White, Regina Steffens, Mary Jo Fielding, Ella Higdon and Doris Frazier, activity director.

With the first place district finish, the local nursing home's sign will be entered in a regional contest, covering all the districts. The winner will receive a check for \$500.



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Sports

County marksmen win district shoot



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The Castro County 4-H Trap Club captured 22 medals at the District II Trap Meet, which was held July 7 and 8.

Brian Simpson, Cory Mays and Michael Ellison teamed to capture third place in the junior division in trap, second in skeet and first in trap and skeet overall.

Wesley Ralston and Wesley Mays won first in the two-man sub-junior division in skeet and first in trap and skeet overall.

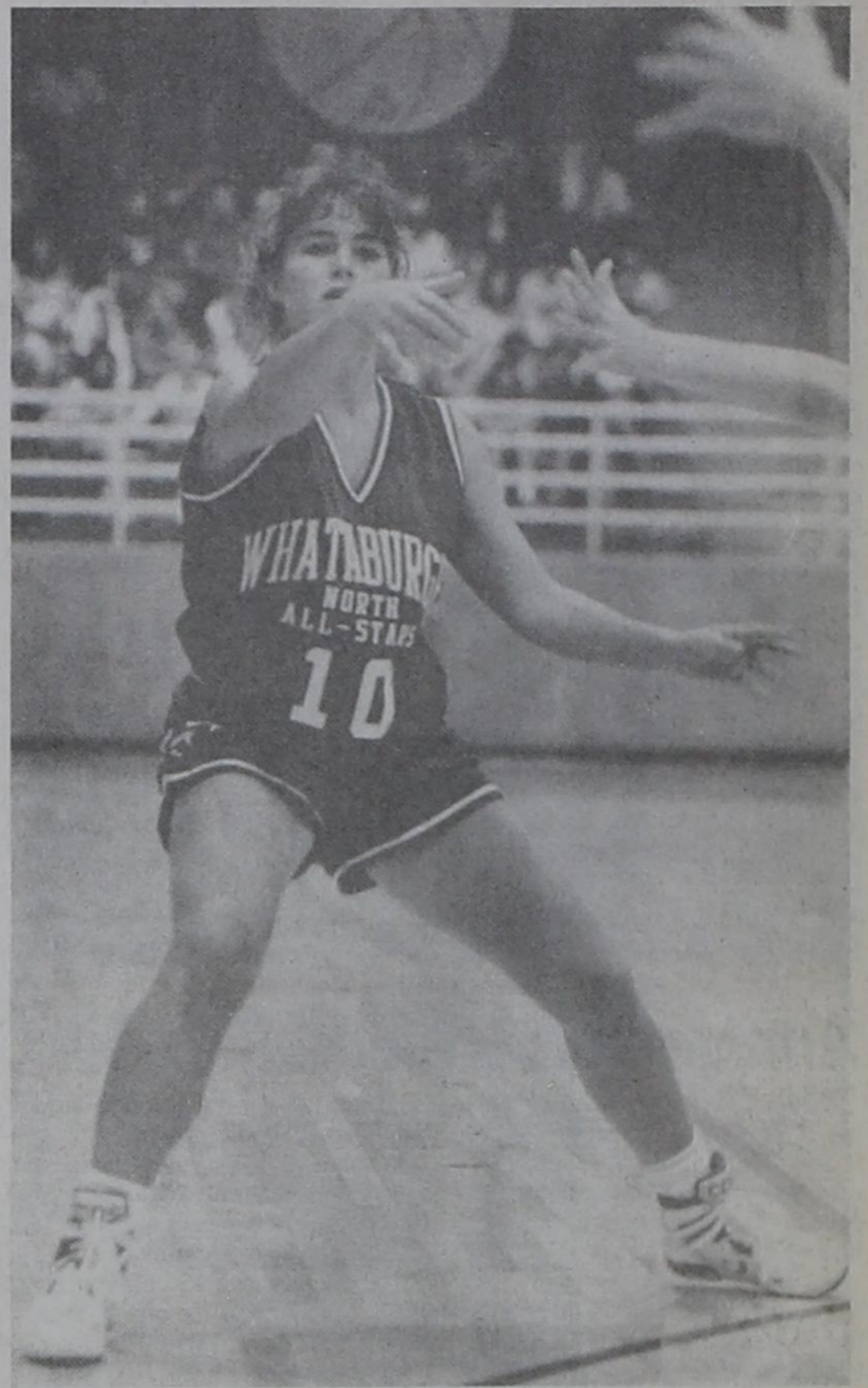
Ralston was awarded a silver belt buckle for being the high overall individual in the sub-junior division.

Tucker Schumacher and Eric Mays captures second in the sub-junior two-man skeet contest and second in the trap and skeet overall competition.

Cory Lust, Jason Wooten and Andy Hill won third in the three-man sub-junior trap contest.

Michael Ellison finished as runner-up individual in the overall trap and skeet junior contests.

The 4-H'ers were accompanied on the trip by Randy and Debbie Schumacher, Ruby Lee, Anthony and Mary Mays, James and Bea Simpson, Sarah Hill, Bobbie Wooten, Janet Mays, and Seth and Anita Ralston.



STEPHANIE BROCKMAN of Nazareth passes off to a teammate during action at the 1989 Whataburger Girls' All-Star Basketball Game, held July 8 at Austin's Toney Burger Activity Center. Brockman's team, the north squad, triumphed over the south, 81-78 in a close contest.

Nazareth plans softball tourney

The Nazareth Community Center will sponsor an open softball tournament, Class D, July 31 through Aug. 6, at the field in Nazareth.

There will be a men's and women's division and admission fee is \$100 per team. Entry deadline is next Thursday, July 27. Anyone who wishes to enter a team should call 945-2530, 945-2534 or 945-2634.

Blue dot softballs will be furnished and sanctioned umpires will rule over the games.

Trophies will be awarded for first, second and third places and individual awards will be presented to members of the first and second place teams.

Golf tourney, cookout to benefit WT football

The second annual West Texas State University Buffalo Stampede Golf Tournament and Cookout will be held Sunday at the Castro County Country Club.

The golf tournament is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. and the hamburger cookout will be held at the pool beginning at 7 p.m.

Anyone who wishes to enter the golf tournament should contact Randy Smithson, 647-4151; Don Sheffy, 647-3444; Layne Myatt, David Schaeffer or Eddie Sutton, 647-2145; or the Castro County Country Club, 647-4502. Those wishing to attend the meal only, should call Barbara Bain, 647-4400; or Nancy Fuller, 647-4151. Reservations for both should be made by Saturday.

Cost for the golf tournament is

\$20 per person, which includes the cookout. Prices for the cookout are \$5 per person.

WTSU head football coach Steve Graf and his staff will be on hand to visit and play golf. They also extend a special invitation to all Buff fans, 12 and under, to come and have a free hot dog with them and learn about the Junior Buff Club from 12 noon to 1:15 p.m. Youngsters attending should contact Bain; Diane Sanders, 647-4391; or June Sutton, 647-4639, by Saturday.

All proceeds from the day's activities go to benefit the WTSU football program.

Golfers flock to Dimmitt for annual Doc Render

The annual Doc Render golf tournament was held at the Castro County Country Club July 8 and 9, drawing golfers from across the state, and even a few from out of state.

More than 70 teams participated in the tournament and enjoyed a steak dinner July 8 at the Country Club.

The top three teams in each flight were:

Championship Flight: 1. Touchstone and Touchstone, 133; 2. Wydick and Jackson,

134; 3. Renner and Renner, 137.

President's Flight: 1. Byrnes and Lindsey, 135; 2. Davis and Clary, 139; 3. Avery and Anderson, 140.

First Flight: 1. Bradley and Shirey, 143; 2. (tie) Macha and Lee, and Young and Gressett, 146; 3. Richardson and Cook, 147.

Second Flight: 1. Lindsey and Tucker, 143; 2. Cleveland and Buckley, 148; 3. Schulte and Sageser, 149.

Third Flight: 1. Bain and Miller, 147; 2. (tie) Langford and House, and White and Compton, 152; 3. Sanders and Moore, 153.

Fourth Flight: 1. Bradford and Bradford, 160; 2. Gilbreath and Carpenter, 162; 3. McDonald and Bell, 165.

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Hair-code, dress-code talk proves times have changed

Fifteen years ago, a furor over Dimmitt High School's hair code for boys (long vs. short) almost split the community.

But times change. When Principal R. L. Stockstill proposed a slight change in the boys' hair code at last Thursday night's meeting of the Dimmitt School Board, several trustees wondered aloud why the school should even be responsible for dictating hair length and styles.

Stockstill proposed that the maximum length for a boy's hair in the back be to the top of the shirt collar, instead of the bottom of the collar.

Several men on the board said their own hair couldn't pass muster under that rule.

"I don't think hair is an issue any more, as long as it's well groomed," Board President David Schaeffer said. He added, "I think the principles of grooming should come from the home."

"Seventy-five percent of the student body already conforms to this

hair code," Stockstill said. "The ones we want to address are the rebels who throw their hair in our face, so to speak."

"It seems like the school administrators have enough to do already," trustee Cheryl Pybus observed. "If they had nothing else to do but measure hair..."

"When I was in school they checked us every week," trustee Rick Wright commented.

But the board didn't see the hair code as a big deal, or the proposed change as necessary. They ordered Stockstill to leave the hair-length policy the same as it was.

The board also nixed another proposal, to prohibit boys from wearing earrings at school.

"I don't see how we can prevent boys from wearing earrings unless we prevent girls from wearing earrings," Schaeffer said.

"I'm opposed to boys wearing earrings, but I don't think that regulation is appropriate," trustee Max Newman said.

The board approved proposed deletions of dress-code rules that prohibit students from wearing shirt-tails outside, or boys wearing shoes without socks.

"Fashions change," Stockstill explained. "Boys can now buy shoes with which no socks are to be worn. And girls wear shirts and blouses that aren't designed to be tucked in."

So there are no longer any dress-

code restrictions on shirt-tails or socks.

These codes are all part of the DHS Handbook, which also addresses such subjects as attendance rules, behavior requirements, extracurricular activities, counseling services, tornado drills and alarms, etc.

Board members commended Stockstill for a page he added to the handbook on the subject of patriotism.

The school is in a quandary about attendance rules because, as Supt. Robert Ryan explained, "The adoption of the new attendance law by the legislature was not accompanied by repeal of the old law." The attendance policy stated in the DHS Handbook, he said, "is intended to hold us until we get the new state board policy."

The board voted to postpone action on a proposed policy regarding foreign exchange students. Ryan had proposed a policy patterned after the one used by the Arlington Independent School District. But Marty Benton, regional coordinator for the American Field Service, told the board that the proposed policy was restrictive and vague, and that it failed to address specific goals, principles and practices of the AFS program and other accredited student-exchange programs.

Benton also presented a petition signed by a number of residents interested in the AFS program.

The board adopted a motion by Pybus to postpone action until the board's August meeting "due to discrepancies between the proposed policy and the AFS chapter's requests." Schaeffer, Pybus and Ryan agreed to revamp the proposed policy and were urged by trustee Don Moore to consult with the local AFS chapter while drafting it.

The board approved a motion by Newman to adopt the high school handbook as amended, with the exception of a foreign exchange student policy. Faced with a printing deadline on the handbook before school starts, the trustees agreed that the handbook statement on foreign exchange students could simply refer the student to the district policy.

Grand jury hands down indictments

A 64th District Court Grand Jury has handed down 12 indictments.

Jay Dee Garrity of Hart was indicted on a charge of delivery of marijuana.

Porfirio Nanez of Hereford, was indicted on aggravated assault, stemming from a May 20 incident in which a teenage girl was injured when a broken bottle was thrown into the motor vehicle in which she was a passenger.

Indictments were handed down against Christopher Brooke Burris, 19, of Hereford, and Jimmy Lee Hodnett Jr. of Canyon, on charges of cattle theft.

The grand jury also returned indictments against Elias Martinez of Hart and Jesse Duran of Austin, charging theft in the sale of a used car to a Hart woman.

Other indictments were handed down against David Michael Cable, 24, burglary of a building; Jesus Rosales of Dimmitt, assaulting Jay Lee Touchstone on April 1; Joe Reyes Jr., and Roy Salinas Jr. on separate incidents of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle; Federico Montez, driving while intoxicated (third offense); and Lupe Martinez for theft of purses from local schools during February.

Hart Crime Watch group plans meeting

The Next meeting of the East of Hart Neighborhood Watch will be next Thursday at 8 P.M. in the Hart Golden Group Building.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Hoard, the county's crime prevention officer, will review the crimes that have occurred in the area in the last two months, and area captains will report on their recent observations.

Hoard also will show a film, "America's Toughest Gang," which depicts the beginning of the Neighborhood Watch program in the US.

The meeting is open to all interested people.



JENNIFER HANNERS OF DIMMITT (standing, right) poses with other delegates to Texas Bluebonnet Girls' State, held in Seguin June 13-23.

Jennifer Hanners runs for governor at Girls' State

Jennifer Hanners, daughter of Gerald and Susan Hanners of Dimmitt, jumped into the activities at the 1989 session of Texas Bluebonnet Girls' State, running for governor.

"I lost, but am better for the experience," Hanners said. "I wasn't interested in politics or government except at our school, but Girls' State presents issues and politics in such a patriotic, impressive way, that I now find all that interesting."

Hanners was appointed to the

Texas State Commission on Women and was a member of the House. She learned to debate issues and speak on bills. She said she enjoyed meeting girls from across the state, singing Girls' State songs, attending the flag ceremonies and abiding by the "no outside contact" rules, Girls' Staters must follow.

"I was overwhelmed favorably, and wish to thank the Republican Organization for Women and the American Legion for making this experience possible," she said.

Henderson pleads guilty

Marshall Lynn Henderson, 30, of Plainview, formerly of Dimmitt, was sentenced to 10 years in the Texas Dept. of Corrections and was ordered to pay a \$5,000 fine after pleading guilty to unlawful delivery of a controlled substance.

Henderson was sentenced in Judge Marvin Marshall's 242nd District Court after he entered a guilty plea in the Oct. 19, 1988, sale of cocaine to an undercover agent at a southwest Dimmitt residence.

District Attorney Jimmy Davis indicated that the case was investigated by agents of the Panhandle Regional Narcotics Task Force at the same time other drug arrests were made in the area last fall.

Henderson had a precious burglary charge in Castro County 10 years ago.

He remains in Castro County Jail awaiting transfer to the Texas Dept. of Corrections.

Vo-ag teacher to be introduced at DYF meeting

John Baker, Dimmitt High School's new vocational agriculture teacher and FFA advisor, will be introduced at a meeting of the Dimmitt Young Farmers next Thursday night.

The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock in the high school vo-ag department.

Mike Odom, DYF president, urged parents of students who will be taking vocational agriculture this year to attend and meet Baker.

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The Senior Citizens dinner was well attended Sunday with several out-of-town guests joining for the meal. Rev. Neal Dee, our new pastor, offered a prayer, and Dora Albracht asked us to join her in a prayer for deceased member, Cornelia Annen. We all enjoyed a delicious chicken dinner. Estell Keys of Plainview and Cecil and Norita Hoelting were guests of Ella Hoelting; Bert and Marie Venhaus of Dumas, George Venhaus of Happy, Sister Jean Marie Hilvers and Dom and Eleanor Schreiber of Clovis were guests of Paul and Lillian Venhaus and Helen Backus; Bo and Clara Cowell of Amarillo were guests of George Schacher, Charley, Bev, Todd and Traci Hill were guests of Meta Stork; and Jenny Gerber of Odessa was a guest of Virgie Gerber.

Congratulations to Pierce and Pat Brockman of Garland on the birth of a girl, Shana Marie, on July 15. Grandparents are Don and Pat Maas of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Cyril and Mitzie Brockman of Nazareth. She has a great-grandmother, Agnes Brockman of Nazareth. Shana has an older brother, Jerad.

Tony Matthew, infant son of Jey and Shari Penquite of Springlake-Earth, was baptized Sunday morning during mass in Holy Family Church with Rev. Neal Dee, pastor, officiating. Godparents for the baby were his grandparents, Rodger and Edna Rae Schilling.

Congratulations to Mark and Vera Hoelting of Greenville on the birth of a girl, Heather Jean, on July 15. She has two older sisters, Marcey and Erin and a brother, Tanner. Grandparents are Cecil and Norita Hoelting of Nazareth and Ida Gibson of Dimmitt. She also has a great grandmother, Ann Schulte.

Kathy and Jackie Birkenfeld, Angela Acker, Charley, Bev, Todd and Traci Hill, Sandee and Whitney Hoelting, Virgie Gerber, Charlotte Acker, Twila and Jamie Bingham, Sidney and Leona Gerber and Renee Ramaekers attended the wedding of Debra Sava to William Bridenbaugh, Jr., on Saturday in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford. A reception was held following the ceremony at the

Hereford Country Club. Visiting in the Vincent Pohlmeier home this weekend were their grandsons, Jeff and Todd Williams of Amarillo; daughters, Rosella, and grandchildren, Robin and Ryan, of Tipton, Okla. Lisa Pohlmeier and her two nephews, Rob and Clint Kendrick of Dallas visited with the LeRoy Pohlmeier family this weekend and also enjoyed the "Suds and Sounds." Clint stayed here to attend a basketball camp at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview this week. His mother, Linda, will be here Thursday to watch some of the basketball and to visit her parents, the LeRoy Pohlmeiers.

Sandee Hoelting and children, and Virgie Gerber spent last Thursday in Plainview watching tennis. They ate lunch with Granny Hankins and Sylvia Hoelting. Whitney, Barry and Wade spent the night with them. Wade Hoelting won the 16 and under division and Michael Schmucker won the 14 and under division in the Plainview Open Tennis Tournament.

The annual "Suds and Sounds" benefit, sponsored by the Nazareth Knights of Columbus, was held Saturday. Proceeds went to the Texas State Deaf Program. Six bands provided music for the event, including our own Rough Riders Band. Although the evening was cut short by a rainstorm, everyone enjoyed the time with their friends, good food and music.

Jackie, Jason, Tiffany, Bryan and Chad Dobmeier of Grygla, Minn. are here visiting Jackie's parents, Check and Vincent Guggemos, and Brigetta Dobmeier. Check is recuperating after spending several weeks in the hospital and is doing better.

Eleanor Seifried, Esther Schraeder and Florence Schilharst of Ohio were here for Cornelia Annen's funeral. They were all good friends of Cornelia's. Lucy Leinen, their aunt, took them to see their cousins in Dimmitt, Dick and Shirley Schacher, Sunday night. Lucy and Betty Acker also took them to Groom Tuesday to visit another aunt, Mary Britten, and then to see the Texas Production in Palo Duro Canyon. On Monday

night after the funeral Lucille Drerup hosted a get-together for the Ohio women and their cousins of the Ed Drerup family.

Family members of Tricia Rose of Tulia hosted a surprise birthday party for her Wednesday night at the Gerber home. Everyone enjoyed playing either tennis or bocce ball.

Raelene Hoelting survived surprise 40th birthday party Saturday at her home. It was hosted by her sister and sisters-in-law, Cince, Edna, Bernita, Vera, Bev, Lisa, Cheryl, Barbara, Stevie and Rose Ball. Everyone was appropriately dressed in black. A surprise to everyone was Susie (Dobmeier) Schulte from Luling, and her three daughters, who made her appearance at the party also dressed in black with a chalk white face, carrying a sword which portrayed "Father Time."

A special recipe "dirt cake" in a clay pot made up to represent a tombstone was served after lunch.

Ronald Blake, infant son of Barry and Rhonda Boyett of Austin, was baptized in St. Thomas Moore Catholic Church of Austin with Father Elmer, pastor, officiating. Godparents for the baby were both grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Boyett of Austin, and Ronnie and Regina Hoelting of Nazareth.

The Nazareth senior class of 1969 recently gathered at the Nazareth Legion Hall for a 20-year reunion. On Saturday night most of the class went to Palo Duro Canyon to see the musical drama TEXAS. Sunday morning after mass at Holy Family Church and a breakfast they toured the Nazareth school building to remember old times and to see how much things have changed. After recounting some of the memories, the class understood why Father Neal Dee prayed for their teachers! Those classmates able to attend were Glen and Charlotte Warren of Plano; Tony and Erlene (Birkenfeld) Fritz and girls of Temple; Kenny and Lynn Wagner and Jennifer Houston; Bill and Tammye Lange, Candace and Jason of Gainessville; Jim Brockman and children of Hereford; Jo Ann (Guggemos) Patton of Houston; Terry and Rosemary Huseman of Canyon; Bob

and Bev Schulte and children, Carroll and Denise Gerber, Roger Gerber, Virgil Wilhem. Bill Schacher, Darlene (Birkenfeld) Schulte and Bernie and Lou Wethington and Brad, all of Nazareth. Unable to attend were Hal Brockman of Albuquerque, N.M.; Angela (Conrad) Venhaus of Dumas; Anna Beth Hoelting of San Antonio; Genevieve (Braddock) Ward of Amarillo; Joyce Brockman of Tulia; Alejandra (Martinez) White of Amarillo; and Gabriel Gamboa of Hewitt. Interesting letters were received and read at the reunion from Hal Brockman of Albuquerque and Kevin Wilhelm of Oceanside, Calif. All attending reported a wonderful time and wished each other the best for the next 20 years.

The Nazareth High School class of 1939 plans to hold its 50-year reunion Saturday, Aug. 5. We will meet at the home of Virgie Gerber at 3 p.m. Reservations have been made to have dinner at K-Bob's in Dimmitt at 6:30 p.m. An "All Class Reunion Dance" will be held at the Nazareth Legion Hall with the "Melody Six" providing the music. A small admission will be charged. Come and help us celebrate! The 9 a.m. mass at Holy Family Church Aug. 6 will be offered for the class and its deceased members.

Bar None Rodeo set

The KKYN Bar None Rodeo will begin today (Thursday) and continue through Saturday in Plainview.

Nightly performances begin at 8 in the Bar None Rodeo arena on South FM 114.

The rodeo parade will begin Saturday at 2 p.m. in downtown Plainview. Area riding clubs, floats and bands are encouraged to participate.

A rodeo dance with music by Slow Motion will be held Friday and Saturday at the north end of the rodeo arena. Dances both nights begin at 9 p.m.

Together We Can



RISHA AMMONS, (right) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ammons of Merkel, formerly of Hart, poses with Con. Charles Stenholm of the 17th Congressional District. Ammons served as an intern in Con. Stenholm's office in Washington, D.C. for a month this summer.

Ammons serves as congressional intern

Risha Ammons recently served a summer internship in the office of Congressman Charles W. Stenholm. She was one of four college students from the 17th District chosen to serve a one-month internship in the Washington, D.C. office.

couldn't have asked for a better group of people to work with or a more ideal way to spend a month of the summer."

While working on Capitol Hill, Ammons had the opportunity to attend House sessions, committee and subcommittee meetings and markups, receptions and a speaker series. She also assisted in researching constituent inquiries and participated in the day-to-day operations of the office.

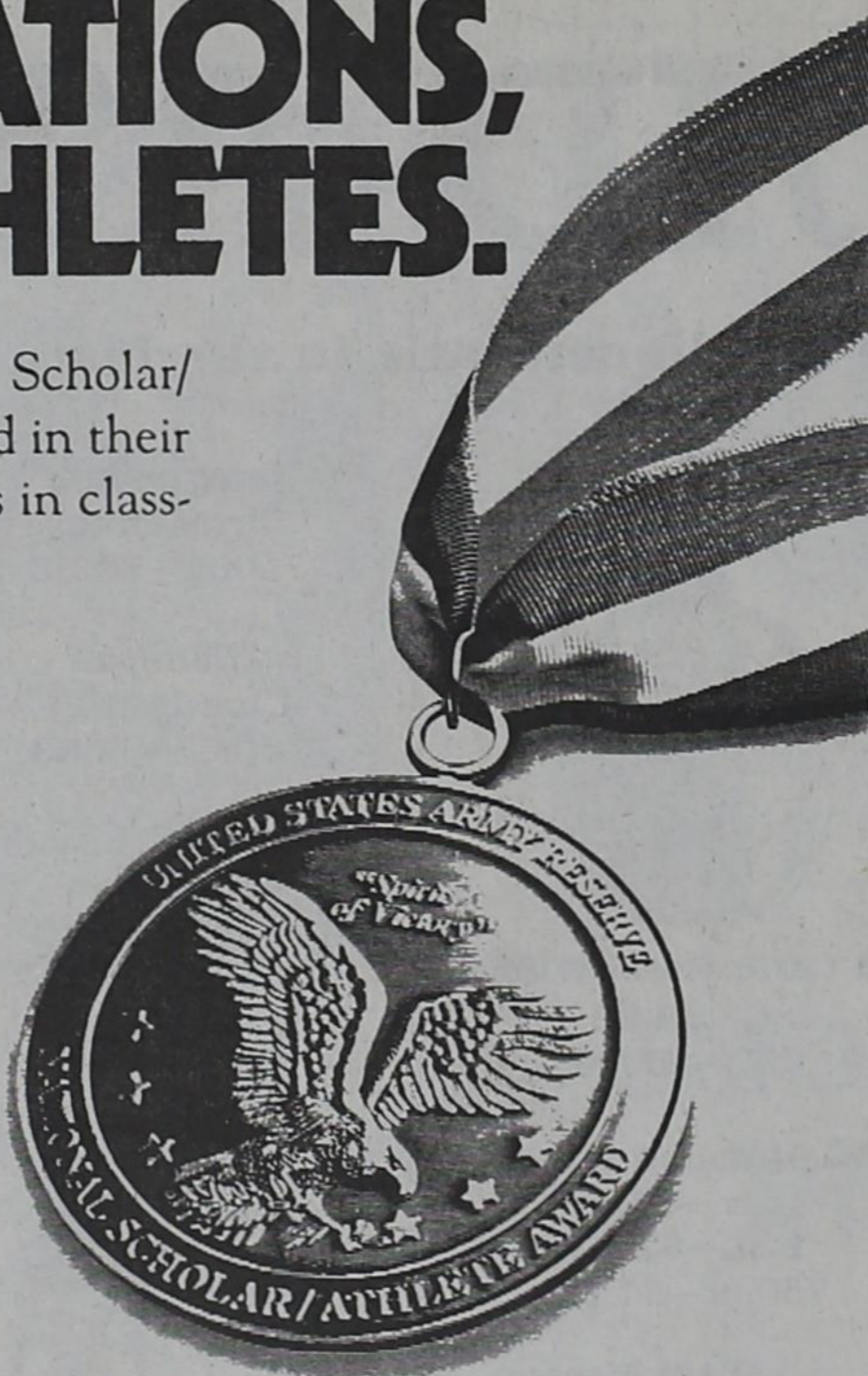
Ammons was selected through a screening process involving a selection committee. College students, teachers or residents from the 17th Congressional District, who are interested in government are eligible to apply for an internship which includes a one-month stipend to cover basic living expenses.

Ammons is a junior speech communications major at Texas A&M University. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ammons of Merkel, formerly of Hart, and graduated from Hart High School.

CONGRATULATIONS, SCHOLAR/ATHLETES.

The following students have been selected as Scholar/Athletes of the year. They have been recognized in their high schools for their outstanding achievements in classroom and sport, in academics and athletes.

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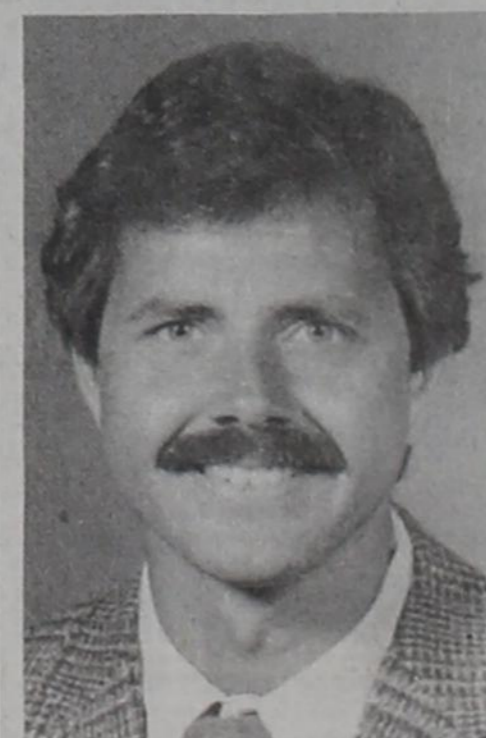
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Young adults need to budget for financial fitness

Summer signals a time of new jobs for many new graduates. It's a time when young adults enter the money world for real.

For the first time there are bills to be paid, financial information to be deciphered, credit to contend with, bank accounts to open, sav-



The Orangutan gets its name from a word in the Malay language meaning "man of the woods."

ings to think about and purchases to be made, all with your own paycheck. Creating order from chaos is a challenge for many young adults.

The first rude awakening comes with the realization that your paycheck is smaller than you expected it to be. Why? Perhaps you forgot about the various deductions for taxes, insurance, retirement or other payroll deductions. If you based your financial plans on the whole picture instead of just your take-home pay, go back to the drawing board. Avoid becoming over-extended. Base your budget on your take-home pay.

Drawing up a written budget is a

good idea. Try to estimate how much your expenses will be. First, make a list of all the main categories you'll be spending money for including rent, car payment, insurance, groceries, clothing, gasoline and utilities. Don't forget things like savings and loan repayments.

If the outgo on paper looks like it is going to exceed your take-home income, then you'll have to do some belt-tightening. Try reducing the amounts you estimate you will spend in certain categories. Remember, you must meet your basic obligations such as rent, utilities and loan payments first.

If you have a major shortfall, then you'll have to face some serious decision-making. Can you reduce your housing costs? What about sharing the rent with a roommate, or moving to a less expensive place? Can you reduce your food expenses by eating out less often, eating out at less costly places, or carrying your own lunch? Can you reduce your car insurance costs by taking a drivers' safety course or increasing the amount of deductibles? Look at every expense category to see if there are ways you can reduce what you spend.

If you have a student loan, make sure you always make your month-

ly loan payments. Failure to do so can ruin your credit rating. Being prompt in payments will save you the embarrassment of your creditors taking action against you.

While you are repaying your student loan, be careful about how much other debt you assume. Try to follow the rule of thumb that you commit no more than 20% of your monthly income to repaying consumer debt. That means the total of your student loan, car payment, personal loans and credit card payments should not exceed 20% of your monthly gross income. This rule of thumb excludes home mortgages.

If you go over 20% in consumer debt, you may find yourself using credit even more to stay afloat, making only the minimum payment due, or failing to pay all your bills every month. Eventually you will find yourself in deeper debt than you had ever guessed you would be.

It pays to be cautious and to establish a good credit history when you are young. Then when you need to borrow money in the future, you are more likely to be approved for a loan.

Getting organized may take some effort in the beginning, but it will pay off in the long run.

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WRESTLING WITH OUR FEARS

Our fears seem as big and as terrible as this alligator sometimes, don't they? Fear about this thing and that can paralyze us and prevent us from doing our daily work.

Many of our fears are real. A great many of our fears, however, are unfounded — a result of thinking and worrying about ourselves. Sir John Denham phrased it this way:

"My fears are causeless and ungrounded, Fantastic dreams and melancholy fumes."

There is only one thing that will dispel fear of this type. We must do something to get out of ourselves. That means loving and helping others.

The Bible puts it so well in I John 4:18. *"There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear; because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love."*

The Church is God's Agency designed to help you. We invite you to attend this week.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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Police Calls

The Sheriff's Dept. jailed two Hart men this week on warrants from other counties.

Jim Bob Hooper, 25, was booked on a warrant out of Swisher County charging violation of probation, and 22-year-old Hector Vega was picked up on a bond-surrender warrant out of Hale County.

The Sheriff's Dept. also arrested and jailed James Brian Herrington, 19, last Thursday on a charge of violating probation.

A 61-year-old Dimmitt man got into double trouble with the law Saturday night. First, the car he was driving almost hit a city police car in the 100 block of Northeast Eighth Street, and according to the officer, he was "driving all over the road." The officer stopped the man, then placed him under arrest for DWI and took him to the Sheriff's Dept. for booking. There, according to the officer, the man "advised

this officer that he was going to hit this officer in the mouth," and later "advised this officer that he was going to get even." The man was booked on charges of both DWI and disorderly conduct.

A 28-year-old man who reportedly was on a DWI bond was jailed and his bond was forfeited as the result of a subsequent DWI arrest Monday.

Bay Baldrige notified the Dimmitt Police Dept. Friday that a hydraulic jack had been stolen from the bed of his pickup. He described the missing jack as rust-colored with a two-piece, black-grip handle and a side handle.

Only one minor vehicle accident was reported during the week. It was a parking-lot mishap in which a 1988 Chevrolet Suburban backed into an unattended 1972 Ford Mustang, causing light damage to both vehicles.

Kids, Inc. serves up awards and ice cream

Almost 200 youngsters who took part in the Kids, Inc., summer T-ball, softball and baseball programs received recognition and award medals Tuesday night.

Another 500 or more adults gathered in the stands of the Expo Building for the season-ending awards party, which featured homemade ice cream and cookies for everyone.

Each team had its own decorated table on the floor of the Expo Building, and Kids, Inc. President Jerry Durham called the teams to the awards table one at a time, where coaches presented players with individual gold, silver, bronze or participation medals.

Here's how the teams finished in the three Kids, Inc. leagues:

T-BALL

1. Padres (8-0)
2. Angels (6-2)
3. Rangers (4-4)
4. (tie) Cubs (1-7)
4. (tie) Blue Jays (1-7)

SOFTBALL

1. (tie) Pirates (6-2)
1. (tie) Giants (6-2)
3. Dodgers (5-3)
4. Braves (2-6)
5. Tigers (1-7)

BASEBALL

1. Nazareth II (6-0)
2. Red Hots (3-3)
3. Nazareth I (2-4)
4. Skittles (1-5)

Durham expressed his gratitude to the coaches, umpires, those who worked to keep the ballparks in shape during the season, and all volunteers to donate time, money and work to the summer program.

He also awarded certificates to seven top young salespeople in the Kids, Inc. "Dimmitt Dollars" raffle.

Players sold tickets at \$1 each to help earn funds to replace equipment. The top salespeople were Kirk Webb, 324 tickets; Wesley Wright, 260; James White, 100; and Shawn Furr, Tony Brockman, Shane Furr and Shawna Kenworthy, 50 or more each.

Winners whose names were drawn at the end of the party were Karen Sheffy and Gary Webb. Each won \$100 worth of Dimmitt Dollars.



IT'S MEDAL TIME—Coaches Andy Mays and Prissy Booth do the honors with the silver medals for their T-Ball League team, the Angels, during the Kids, Inc., awards ceremonies Tuesday night.

At left are Kids, Inc. President Jerry Durham and his wife Beverly. A big crowd of players, parents and fans gathered for the awards program and ice cream supper.

Obituaries

Jerry Creek

Graveside services for Jerry Creek, 39, of Hereford, formerly of Dimmitt, were held Saturday in Olton Cemetery with Shawn Williams, minister at the Main Street Church of Christ in Olton, officiating.

Burial followed in Olton Cemetery under direction of Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home of Olton.

Mr. Creek died Friday morning at his residence.

Creek was born in Rangely, Colo., and moved from Dimmitt to Hereford in 1983. He married Kay Harwood in 1969 at Olton.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Leland and Jerry Jr., both of Riverside, Calif., and Johnie of Olton; his mother, Hazel Creek of Los Lunas, N.M.; three sisters, Rose Willoughby of Albuquerque, N.M., Mary Eppard of Aztec, N.M., and Theresa Williams of Olton; three brothers, Jimmy and Jeff, both of Los Lunas, N.M. and Bobby of Big Lake; and a grandchild.

Jesse Lane

Jesse L. Lane, 54, of Lubbock, former Dimmitt resident, died Friday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services were held Monday at the First Baptist Church in Smyer with the Rev. E.G. Lambright, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed in Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of Resthaven Funeral Home.

Born in Lubbock, Lane farmed in Smyer from 1952 to 1969, when he moved to Dimmitt. He farmed, raised and trained quarter horses in Dimmitt until 1985. He married Carolyn Havis on Nov. 19, 1960, in Lubbock. He was a member of the Friona Masonic Lodge and the First Baptist Church in Smyer.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Lana Lane of Lubbock; a son, Scott L. of Lubbock; and two sisters, Bobbie Hefner of Lubbock and Maurice Stinnett of Fort Worth.

Pallbearers were Bob Whitley, Hank Woodruff, Don Whitley, Billy Ray Burleson, Mark Smothermon and Chuck Nicholas.

Insects of Interest

Spider mites: Tiny pests, big problems

Spider mites are tiny, but they can cause big problems in home gardens.

These pests prefer tomatoes, beans and peas, but will attack many other crops. They do most of their damage in hot, dry weather, said Seth Ralston, county Extension agent.

Spider mites, also called red spiders, are only 1/6-inch in length and vary in color from white to green to red.

The tiny pests can build up quickly and completely engulf plants, Ralston said. Eggs laid on the underside of leaves hatch in four to five days. A complete life cycle takes three weeks, and as many as 20 overlapping generations can occur in a single year.

Mites spin a thin web which

often can be seen on heavily infested plants. They feed by inserting their mouth parts into the plant tissue and suck the juices. While feeding, they inject toxic substances into the plant, Ralston said.

Infestations of spider mites can be identified by tiny white spots on plant leaves. Heavy infestations cause bleaching or yellowing, first along the main leaf veins and then throughout the plant. Heavy infestations cause plants to shed buds and small fruit. Spider mites can completely defoliate a plant if not controlled, Ralston said.

Control of spider mites is often difficult and requires two to four applications of insecticide at five to seven-day intervals. Check plants frequently for spider mites, since the pests can build up rapidly.

Insecticides registered for controlling spider mites in gardens are diazinon, kelthane, malathion and sulfur; however, do not use sulfur on cucumbers, squash or melons, as severe plant change can occur.

THE GROWL of a male howler monkey sounds like a lion's roar.

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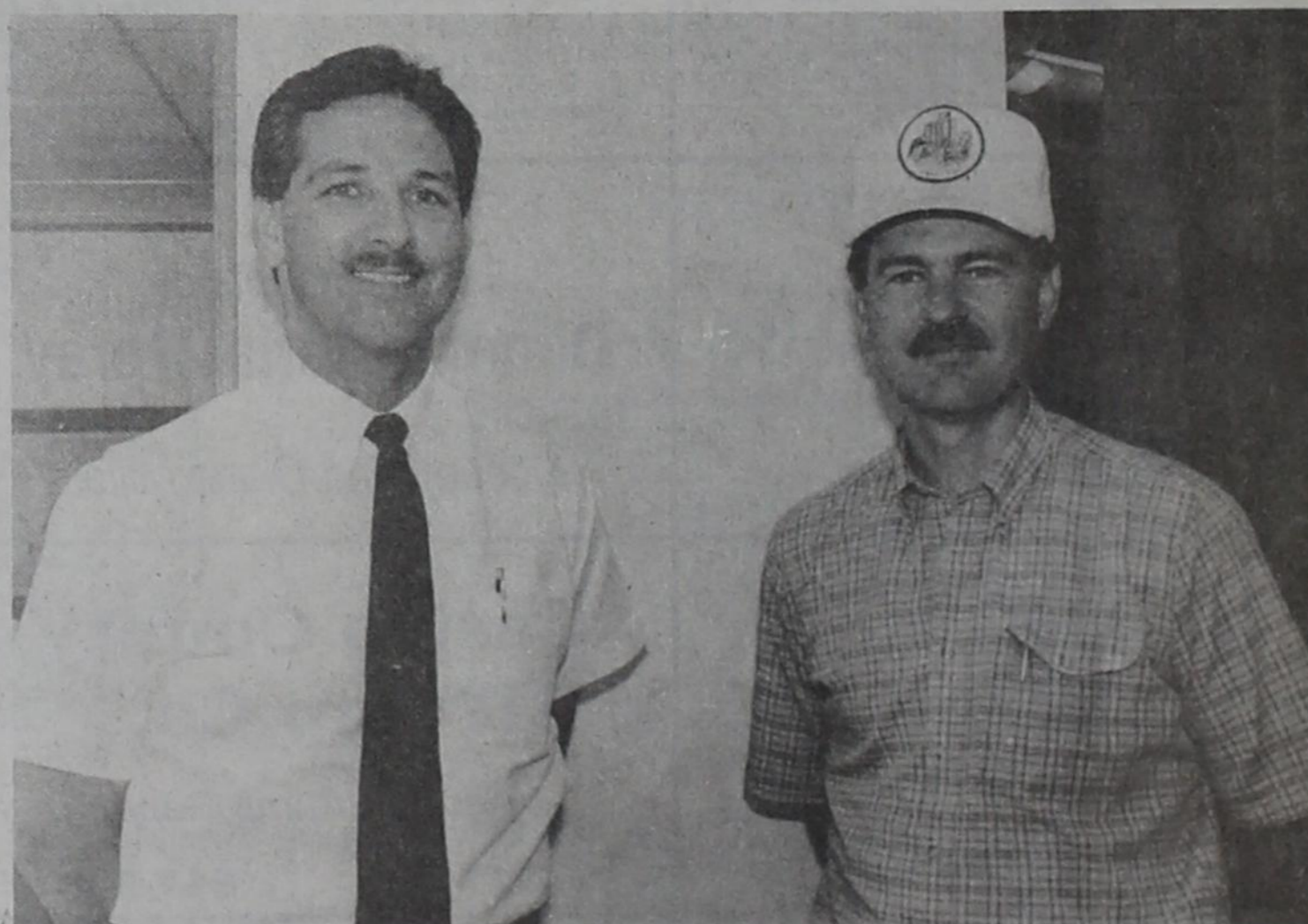
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