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Liberty Building Company was

awarded a contract to build a shed onto the existing warehouse in the

Lubbock County Museum for antique tractors in Shallowater, during a Monday County

Commissioner's Court meeting.

The \$27,888 bid, which was

\$3,000 lower than two other

proposals, calls for a prefabricated

Work to Begin on Lubbock County Museum Building



With Christmas a few weeks away, Jim Shirley, age 12, stays on top of things by stringing Christmas lights around the roof of his Shallowater

Farmers Hope for Better Growing Season Next Year

When the farmers get in the fields in the spring, tilling and fertilizing the soil in readiness for

Revival Set at First Baptist



The Missions Revival will be held December 14-17 in the First Baptist Church with David and Betty Ann Whitson, missionaries to Tanzania, East Africa doing the preaching.

There will be two services daily, Monday through Wednesday at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., and Rev. Whitson will be in the pulpit in both services this Sunday. The nursery will be open for all the services.

The public is cordially invited to come and hear these two fine people preaching on their mission work in this foreign country.

the planting season ahead, they hope and pray for a good year. Knowing they have Mother Nature to compete with is a big gamble, never knowing what she will deal them before harvest time is over.

This year was one of those years, when Mother Nature stepped in with wet, cold weather at just the right time to cut down tremendously on the expected yield in cotton for the 1975 season.

When the cotton really needed dry, sunny weather to help it mature, several days of unusual wet cold weather prevailed, leaving the stalks looking as if there had been a killing freeze in early September and cutting the yield over 1/2 million bales from the 2 million that was predicted at first for the South Plains area.

In talking with Carey Gooch, manager of the Shallowater Co-op Gin, Monday afternoon, he reported the ginning season was 93 percent completed with about 550 bales still in the fields in the Shallowater area.

The yield has been approximately 2 to 2/3 bales per acre in 6,967 bales already ginned at the gin compared to 10,338 ginned last year with a 3/4 bale per acre yield. The 1973 season saw 14,000 bales ginned at the local gin.

About all we can say is the season is almost over, we had a bad year for cotton. Look forward to a better one next year and with the help of Mother Nature and lots of luck and hard labor from you farmers, maybe it will be a better year.

Shallowater First Baptist Church Presents A Christmas Program

21st, beginning at 7:00 p.m., the First Baptist Church will present their annual Christmas program.

The Angel Choir, boys and girls, grades 1-4, will begin the evening with a program entitled, "The Birth of Christ." Mrs. Roy Baker is the director and Mr. Randy Barnes will be narrating the play. Mary and Joseph will be played by Sharisse Burgett and Trenton Chandler. Steffenie Wolski will be the 'Angel of the Lord', and a special in this program will be sung by Linda Shropshire, Traca Ellis, and Denise Adams. The three wise men, and all the other angels and shepherds want everyone to come and see them present their play and Christmas

The church sanctuary choir will follow with a Christmas Cantata entitled "Joy to the World", written by John Peterson. This contata was first published in 1968 and is a collection of several traditional Christmas carols that have been newly rearranged in music.

On Sunday evening, December the distinctive style of John W. Peterson. The message of the contata is joyful and as clear to understand as was the message given to the shepherds by the angels one night long ago. "For behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior who is Christ the Lord." Luke

The cantata contains five musical solos. Theronne Baker, Dorene DuLaney, and Linda Burgett will be the soprano soloists. Rusty Sherman will be the tenor soloist, and the baritone soloist will be Charlie Skidmore. Neff Preston will be the narrator. Julie Smith, the church pianist, will accompany the choirs. The choir is under the direction of John Tornell, minister of music.

Christmas is a joyful time and a time of music. The First Baptist Church would like to offer a special invitation to all to be present and to share in this inspiring evening of Christmas

building housing "certain critical items of equipment which can't stand the weather" to be erected over a portion of the current open gravel site. Arnold J. Maeker, whose firm contracts with the commissioner's court to do the county's architectural work, opened the The project involved "tieing

> Visitors will be able to walk under a shelter outside the fence bordering Avenue G while viewing the antique farm machinery, he explained.

onto (the existing) building with a

shed effect to cover certain critical

items of equipment, and running

the shed east to provide

protection for people outside the

fence," Maeker said.

Maeker said he guessed work would not begin until February.

"It will be a while before we see much on the ground. Their contract is for a 120 day completion. They'll need to get their drawings made (from the drafting) shop which needs to be sent in for approval," he explained.

"I doubt that they will do anything on the ground as far as the foundation until they expect the building to be delivered."

"We would be looking at February before actual work on the ground began," he said.

The museum currently houses old farm machinery from as far back as the turn of the century.

"If you're not going to take care of them, it's a waste of time and money," Maeker said.

Cantata Set by Choir of First United Methodist Church Here

A full day of worship and fellowship is planned this coming Sunday for members and guests of the First United Methodist Church when the annual Christmas cantata will be presented to the congregation by members of the church choir under the direction of Wayne Starch.

Narrated by the pastor, Rev. Tommy Ewing, the cantata "Love-Joy-Peace" by Tom Feltke will feature soloist, Alice McMenamy "A Christmas Folk Song", Laurie Lewis "Love Came Down at Christmas", "Mary's Love", Linda Blumer "A Christ-

Deadline Set for Christmas Issue

With the Christmas and New Year holidays just around the corner, the Suburban Today staff is very busy preparing the Christmas edition for the reader's enjoyment.

Since Christmas day falls on Thursday, the day the edition is usually mailed to subscribers, the paper will be published two days early, on Tuesday, Dec. 23rd. Therefore, the deadline for news in the Christmas edition will be on Saturday, Dec. 20.

Anyone having news or advertising for this edition, is urged to please get it in by the deadline date in order that the staff may get the paper published and in the mail, enabling them to have time to enjoy the holidays with their friends and loved ones. The paper will not be published on January 1 following the Christmas edition. The next issue will be Thursday, January 8, 1976.

Remember the deadline date and get your news in early. Call 832-4373 in Shallowater for all your local news. If no answer, please call the office in Lubbock at 763-4883.

mas Folk Song", and Cres Merrell "Beautiful Savior", accompanied by Mrs. Jim Meyers, organist and Mrs. Bailey Ireland, pianist.

The cantata will be presented during the morning worship service, beginning at 10:45 a.m. and the public is cordially invited to attend. The children's choir will sing two Christmas Hymns during the worship service also.

Following the cantata a church-wide covered dish luncheon will be held in fellowship hall and the youth and children of the church will present a Christmas play at 6 p.m. and closing the full day of services will be a Christmas tree in fellowship hall.

Methodist Home to Be Featured on **KMCC-TV Sunday**

The story of the Methodist Home at Waco "Nevesworthy" will be featured on KMCC-TV, Channel 28, Sunday, Dec. 14 at 1:30 p.m.

The 30 minute color program will include music, interviews and slides of the home, and promises to be a very interesting program to the viewers.

Choir to Present Cantata to Patients

The Shallowater First United Methodist Church choir will have the opportunity to present their Christmas Cantata to the patients and guests of the Methodist Hospital on Sunday, December 21 at 7 p.m. on closed circuit television.

The group feels this is a great opportunity to minister to those unable to be a part of worship service in their own church, due to

Have News? Call Dardie!

Mrs. W.F. (Dardie) Williamson is writing the news for Suburban Today again, after an assence of three months and requests everyone having news for the paper to please call her at 832-4373.

All local news is of great value and interest to the public and she urges everyone to contact her if they have news.

Dardie has had several years experience writing news, working for the Earth News-Sun in Earth for 41/2 years prior to writing for Suburban today.

It requires a great deal of time, and regardless how hard you try, a great amount of news is missed, not on purpose, but it happens. But with the help of all the fine folks in Shallowater and the surrounding area, we feel we will be able to publish news of local interest to the readers.

Errors are made in all papers, not on purpose, but a mistake is made in typing and not always caught when proof-reading. We feel, you as readers, understand this and will forgive us for a mistake in spelling a name.

So remember, if you have news, call Dardie at 832-4373 and she will be happy to take the news for the paper.



Mr. and Mrs. R.V. Howard, Waurika, Okla., visited over the weekend in the Louis McMenamy home. Mrs. McMenamy, their daughter, was dismissed from West Texas Hospital Saturday following surgery. Mr. Howard returned home the first of the week and Mrs. Howard remained to assist her daughter while she is recuperating at home.

Mrs. Wayne Moore and Kristi of Olton were visitors in the W.F. Williamson home Friday.

Mrs. Joan Grimes and Carol Stanton, Steve and Delinda in visited Sunday in Slide with Mrs. Dimmitt and enjoyed a delicious

Grimes parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Sunday visitors in the E.B. Reed home were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Misch and Linda, of Lubbock. Visiting Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reed and Linda, Ropesville, and Marion Reed of Vega.

Mrs. Kathy Jones and Tammy of Clovis were weekend visitors in the Don Rackler home.

Delinda Stanton and Bud McClain of Dimmitt were Friday night guests in the home of Delinda's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Stanton were Wednesday guests of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stanton, Steve and Delinda in Dimmitt and enjoyed a delicious

Restaurant Under New Ownernership

A new face at Shallowater Restaurant will be seen today (Thursday) when Jean Holt takes over as the new owner and operator of the business.

Assisting Jean will be her daughter and son-in-law, Carl and Sandra Jones, who reside at 703 13th Street. Jean has been a Shallowater resident for approximately 6 months and lives with her daughter and family. Carl is a serviceman, stationed at Reese Air Force Base. The Jones have two sons, 9 year old Ronnie and 7 year old Richard.

Jean formerly was office manager for several doctors in Lubbock, prior to taking over management of the restaurant.

She invites all former customers and new ones to be sure and drop in and get acquainted. Jean stated she would be striving to please the customers. Reservations can be made for parties and a special menu will be prepared for Christmas Eve day, closing at 6 p.m. and closed Christmas day, opening on Dec. 26 for regular business. They will also be open New Year's Day, serving the traditional black-eyed peas.

The business is open 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday quail dinner. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ricker and children, all of Dimmitt.



and Sunday from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Employees include Oleta Sandlin, Kerry Pender, Jo Vega, Willie Mae Percer, Bertha Dean, Toni Thore, Alma Baer, Steve Connor, and Terry Franklin.

Jean recently returned from Lompoc, California where she visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Holt and four month old son, Max. Ken is stationed in the Air Force there.

Everyone is urged to drop in and get acquainted with Jean. She is such a friendly person, you will be glad you did.

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by Joe Kelly

Stated simply and plainly, Texas A&M can, if it wants, attribute its defeat at the hands of Arkansas to greed. Had the Aggies not agreed to change their scheduled game from Nov. 1 to Dec. 6, the odds are strong that they would have beaten the Hogs.

A&M was rolling along. Arkansas was having its share of problems. But A&M saw a chance for national exposure and a pretty good bundle of each. It wielded to temptation

of cash. It yielded to temptation.

The Aggies got national exposure, all right, of the type that no school wants. It also got a bundle of money, which won't salve wounds, repair scars or straighten dents in their image.

It was a costly licking. For the second straight year the Aggies blew the Southwest Conference title and a berth in the Cotton Bowl. And the question that must be going through the minds of all Aggies, in College Station and elsewhere, is, can we win the big one? It's a good question.

So far the answer must be no. They had a golden opportunity last year, were humiliated by Texas. They had the same chance Saturday, were humiliated by Arkansas. Last year the Aggies went nowhere. At least, as some balm, they go to the Liberty Bowl.

But this was the No. 2 team in the nation. This was the team that led in defense, both total and against rushing. It was inconceivable that an injured club like Arkansas would win.

The Aggies were caught in an ideal position. They had just come off a hard victory over Texas, a game that had to have more emotional outlet than could be obtained just a week later.

Arkansas had two weeks to heal some of its injured. The Razorbacks also had Frank Broyles, who manages to rise to the occasion. And when the Aggies missed that chip shot field goal, you could almost hear the air esacpe from their balloon.

Then momentum, that word that you read about so much, entered. With only seconds left in the half, Arkansas connected on a touchdown pass and the glove was thrown.

The Aggies didn't recover. Indeed, they went downhill more and more in the second half, fumbling, failing to make the big defensive play, looking demoralized. And when time mercifully ran out, even the defiant Aggie Warm Hymn couldn't erase the misery, the utter dejection, the complete defeat.

This was to have been A&M's finest hour—an undefeated season, a conference title, a Cotton Bowl berth, the Open Sesame key to top recruiting, national recognition.

This was a team that had, much like a Juarez fighting bull, been developed for just such success. It was laden with experience, size, strength. It stood on the threshhold of the pinnacle of success—just in time for the rug to be pulled out from underneath its feet. The Aggies may never recover from the resulting crash.

Okay, Howard, tell it like it is. All right, Texas Tech's basketball team looked, for much of 40 minutes last Saturday, as though they were the Christians being thrown to the lions. And they helped those lions with exceeding generosity.

Oh, there were flashes of the team that beat Kansas State, but much of the time they played as though in shock. They didn't rebound well, they took bad shots, they let the press bother them, they couldn't hit free throws, they fouled, they had turnovers.

I felt sorry for Gerald Myers and his assistants, and I had to agree with Gerald when he said that he thought that, if they had played their usual game, they could have won.

Notre Dame was not that impressive and, on the occasions when the Raiders played good defense and worked for good shots, they looked capable. Unfortunately, they weren't consistent and the Irish gladly accepted Tech's generosity.

Possibly the most disappointing phase of the game was Tech's almost complete intimidation on the boards. Notre Dame outmuscled the Raiders, who seemed to fear injury.

Having seen Big 10 in person, officials grant much more leniency on the boards. It boils down almost to you can do anything that you're man enough to do, including shoving, elbowing, holding, pushing, or what have you.

The Raiders, in the foul-conscious SWC, are not used to such treatment. As a result, the Irish dominated the boards and the Raiders reached out gingerly instead of being aggressive, as you must in Big 10 territory.

Still, the tightness was obvious in their lack of free throw shooting ability, at least twice blowing two free throws with no apparent

It was disappointing, of course, not only for the Raiders themselves, but because they could have struck a blow for the conference. Instead, there will be tittering in other conference about "the best" in the SWC being beaten by 25 points.

It should make a better team. It also should make the Raiders a little easier to coach. If so, all is not lost by this game. Indeed, I think the Raiders will bounce back and become the team it is capable of becoming.

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Services Held for Maggie Lucille Price

Services for Maggie Lucille Price, 80, of 5510 27th St., were held Monday at 2 p.m. in Resthaven-Singleton-Wilson Funeral Home chapel with Owen Miller, minister of Monterey Church of Christ in Lubbock, officiating.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven-Singleton-Wilson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Price died at 11 a.m. Friday in Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

She married Robert R. Price 60 years ago and was very active in the Church of Christ and her husband was minister of the Churches of Christ in Vernon, Childress in the 30's and in Richmond, California for the next 30 years, moving to the Lubbock area 5 years ago and served as minister for the Shallowater Church of Christ for 1½ years.

Mrs. Price taught Bible classes in the churches her husband ministered for over 50 years, from these classes, 8 youth are now preachers. She taught child psychology and also authored a book entitled "Class Notes and Chapter Highlights on the Book of Acts."

She is survived by her husband: a son, Dan R. of Seminole; three brothers, Henry Jones and Jack Jones, both of Fort Worth, and Fred Jones of Los Angeles, California; a sister, Mrs. Louise Cozby of Fort Worth; three grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

8th Street Birthday Club

The lovely Howard Preston home was the scene of the monthly 8th Street Birthday Club meeting Saturday morning with 17 ladies present for the event.

Ladies having the pleasure of being special guests, having December birthdays, were Mrs. Adolph Wages, Mrs. Ila Merrell, Mrs. Floyce Preston and Mrs. Jewell Stanton.

The Christmas motif was used throughout the house in decorations. The serving table was laid with a lovely white cloth, centered with a beautiful Christmas arrangement.

Refreshments of coffee, punch and Christmas cookie squares, decorated with holly berries was enjoyed, and gifts were exchanged by the group.

Mrs. Preston was assised in hostess duties by Mrs. Scotty Moreland.

Methodist Women Hold Christmas Party Monday

United Methodist Women of Shallowater had their Christmas Party December 8th at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. C.E. Pair. The party, attended by fourteen members, began with a prayer by Mrs. Joann Ewing. Mrs. C.M. Thomas, president, presented Mrs. Retha Crowther with a special membership pin in honor of her devoted work to the guild. After Mrs. R.R. Warren gave the devotional and

Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Worsham Jr. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debra Susan to Sgt. Curtis Brusenham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Nims of Ft. Worth.

The couple will exchange vows January 16, in the First United Methodist Church in Shallowater.

The future bride is a graduate of Shallowater High School and is employed by the Lubbock Fire Department.

United Methodist Women of Kunsan, South Korea with the hallowater had their Christmas U.S. Air Force.

closing prayer, gifts were exchanged.

Besides wrapping paper to be given to the State School in Lubbock, members brought samples of their favorite Christmas cookies, cakes, cheese, rolls, and dips for refreshments. Hot spiced punch and coffee was served.





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Nov. 18, 1975	Ropesville	There	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity	4:00	Jan. 7, 8, 9, 10	Lubbock Invitational Tournament	There	JV Boys	T.B.A.
Nov. 21,	Post	Here	JV Boys, Varsity	5:00	Jan. 9;	Olton	Here	Varsity (boys)	8:00
Nov. 24,	Littlefield	There	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00	Jan. 9,	Frenship	Here	JV Girls, Varsity (girls)	5:00
Nov. 25,	New Deal	Here	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity	4:00	Jan. 13,	*Seagraves	Here	JV Girls & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 1	Anton	There	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity	4:00	Jan. 16,	*O'Donnell	There	JV Girls & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 2	New Deal	There	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity	4:00	Jan. 16,	Hereford	There	JV Boys	4:00
Dec. 4, 5, 6,	Roosevelt Tournament	There	Varsity	T.B.A.	Jan. 20,	*Stanton	Here	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 9,	Post	There	JV Girls & Varsity	5:00	Jan. 22, 23, 24	New Deal J.V. Tournament	There	VV Boys & Girls	T.B.A.
Dec. 11, 12, 13		There	Varsity	T.B.A.	Jan. 23	*Plains	There	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity (boys)	
Dec. 12	Lubbock	Here	JV Boys	4:00	Jan. 27	Christ The King	There	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 16	Bledsoe	Here	Varsity	6:30	Jan. 30	*Seagraves	There	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 16	Hereford	Here	JV Boys	5:00	Feb. 3,	*O'Donnell	Here	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00
Dec. 18, 19, 20		There	Varsity	T.B.A.	Feb. 6,	*Stanton	There	JV Girls & Varsity	5:00
Jan. 2, 1976	Christ The King	Here	JV Boys & Varsity	5:00	Feb. 10,	*Plains	Here	JV Boys & Girls, Varsity (boys)	5:00
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Motorcyclist Judy McBride, age 12, enjoys an easy Indian Summer ride.

Police Beat

Now that Christmas is near, so is the increase in house burglaries. Every year at this time, there is a sharp increase in house burglaries, as well as vehicle burglaries. The City of Shallowater will be no exception. Most vehicle break-ins are because people will leave packages in the car instead of putting them into the trunk. A lot of people forget to lock the door to their car. However, even if the car door is locked, it does not take long to open it. So always remember to place Christmas packages in the trunk of your car. If a burglar does not see any packages, he will not spend the time to open the car door. This would only increase the chances of his getting caught.

We are beginning to see the rise in house burglaries already in our city. We have had several more in the month of November than we had in October. If we don't try to do something to help the Police Department in stopping this, then we can look for more. There are several ways that you as citizens

can help. They are:

1. If you are going to be gone from home for a while and do not want to tell the people next door, then call us and we will drive by your house while on patrol.

2. When you leave home, turn on some lights and leave the drapes open so we can see any movement inside the house when we drive by.

3. Leave your radio on. It will not cost much, and because of the noise, any burglary will not know whether or not you are home.

4. Get to know the people who live next door. Learn what car they drive and where they park it. (This can tell you whether something is wrong or not). Tell them that you will watch their house for them when they're gone and they may do the same for you.

5. If you see a vehicle or a person that does not belong in your part of town, call us. We try to watch everything, but we can not be every place all of the time. (One house was stripped in 25 to 30 minutes. It does not take long for these guys, because they work at this all of the time, and they have their own system worked out.)

6. If you are expecting a package to be delivered, tell your neighbor so they can sign for it if you are gone.

7. If for any reason you are

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going to be out of town for a day or two, have someone pick up your papers, have your milk and any other deliveries stopped until you return. Above all, call us and let us know. It does not take long, and it just may save you a hardship.

8. Above all, do not leave a porch light on. This is a sure give-away that you are not at

9. If you see a strange car driving around your area, one that you have never seen before, call us, then we can check on it.

10. Do not place all your valuables in one place in your house. Put them in different places. The burglar does not want to spend time looking for items in several places. Of course, the best thing to do is to get a safety deposit box and put valuables in

11. Either mark, or take the serial number of everything in your house. Make a note of where and how you marked them, then place these records in a safe place. Put either your driver's license or social security number on any items marked.

The Police Department has two marking pencils at City Hall for you to borrow; all you have to do is sign for one of them, use it and return. One thing you must always remember is that if you should come home and find that you have been burglarized or think that someone may be in your house, call us. It may save your

These tips will not insure that your home will not be broken into,

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but the harder we make it for the burglary, the better the chance the burglar will not try, and even if he does, it will increase the chances of his getting caught.

Again, we wish to let you, as the citizens of Shallowater, know how to get in touch with us. During the weekdays 8:30 to 5:30 call 832-4521 or 832-4791. Holidays, weekends or nights call 765-9363. This is the Lubbock County Sheriff's office. They will know where we are at all times and can get in touch with us by means of the radio.

In closing, the Shallowater Police Department, along with the employees of the City of Shallowater, would like to wish each and everyone of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Shallowater Band Boosters Meet

Mrs. Floyd Epperson presided over the regular meeting of the Shallowater Band Boosters in the band hall Monday at 5:30 p.m.

Plans were made for the band boosters to have a concession stand for the Shallowater basketball tournament for grades 7-8-9 to be held December 18-19-20.

Workers are urgently needed to help in operating the concession stand and anyone desiring to donate their time and effort to a worthy cause are asked to contact Mrs. Joan Grimes during school hours at school or at her home by telephoning 832-4609 or call Mrs. Doris Epperson at 832-4669. Your help would be deeply appreciated.

During the Monday night meeting, films were shown of the Nov. 4 marching contest held at Jones Stadium in Lubbock, in which the Shallowater band won first in marching.

Bridal Shower To Honor **Debbie Worsham**

A bridal shower honoring Miss Debbie Worsham, bride-elect of Michael Brusenham, will be held



We would like to express our sincere thanks to each of you for the beautiful floral offerings, cards, prayers, food visits and every act of kindness shown us during the illness and passing of our beloved mother and grandmother. May God bless each of you and it is our prayer that when your dark hour comes you will find yourselves among such friends as you have proven to be.

The family of Ada Kimberlin

WANTED-574 people to purchase Pawned and unredeemed merchandise at 815 Broadway, Lubbock.

Saturday, December 13, beginning at 2 p.m. in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Shallowater.

Friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

Shallowater Study Club Meets

The Shallowater Study Club met on December 9th at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Jack Dulaney for their Christmas program. Hostesses were Mrs. A.R. Shipp and Mrs. Jack Dulaney. 23 members answered roll call to naming their favorite Christmas

Devotional was given by Mrs. Carey Gooch on "Christmas Means Gladness". The program entitled "Gather Round, Let's All Sing" was presented by Mrs. James McMenamy and Mrs. Bert Sinclair.

Members exchanged gifts and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be Jan. 6, 1976 at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. M.J. Williams.



MISCELLANEOUS

Two family garage sale, Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Toys, childrens clothes, bicycles, miscellaneous items. 1208 5th St., Shallowater

Lost-Small breed dog, long blonde hair, answers to the name of "Fanny". Not tagged. Reward! Call 866-4421.

For Sale-1 bedroom house and 3 lots in Ropesville, \$3,000 cash. See Dorothy Rasberry or call 562-3842, Ropesville.

For Sale-Used Kenmore automatic washer, See Joe Harris in North Ropes.

Mac's Antiques now open Tuesday through Saturday, 10:00 to 5:00. 608 Clovis Road. See us for your Christmas gifts. 832-4405 in Shallowater.

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Fire Dept. Hosts Salad Supper

Members of the Shallowater Volunteer Fire Department and their families enjoyed a delicious salad supper and 42 party Monday night in the Community Building.

Approximately 40 persons attended the get together in observance of the holiday season.

The serving table was laid with a lovely red Christmas cloth, centered with a red candle and accented with a white holy wreath.

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Basketball Spotlight



by Kim McMenamy The two basetball spotlights this week are two outstanding senior players for the Fillies and Mustangs. They are Kim Young and Chris Hutchings.

Kim starts on the varsity girls team at forward. She plays very aggressive basketball, getting lots of rebounds and steals. Kim is averaging a fantastic 18 points per

This is Kim's third year on varsity so she has lots of

experience to fall back on when things get rough. Kim really enjoys basketball and hopes the Fillies can go all the way this year.

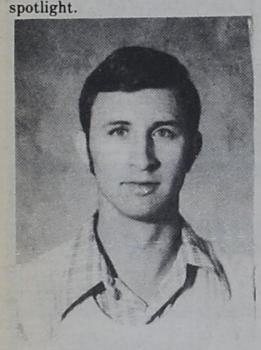
Chris Hutchings starts on the Shallowater Mustang varsity. He plays center and forward. He is 6 foot 5 inches tall and is very agile. Chris has a 15 point per game average, which is very good. He loves basketball and wants to do everything he can to win District. Chris also says he would like to play college basketball if possible.

students in selection of animal projects, etc.

"I've got some of the best kids you could ask for", commented Mr. Carr about his Ag students.

Teacher Spotlight by Melissa Martin

Hunting, fishing, knives and hogs are a few hobbies of Mr. Kenneth Carr, this week's teacher



Mr. Carr teaches Vo.Ag. I, II, III, and Gen. Ag Mechanics in Shallowater High School. He has been teaching here for two years. He has a B.S. Degree from Texas

Secretary of the First Baptist Church is the profession of his wife Joyce. They have two children, Mandy, age four, and Clay, age two.

"I want to help young people the way my Ag teacher helped me", is a comment Mr. Carr made about why he has chosen to enter the teaching profession.

During Mr. Carr's time with SHS, the Ag Department has established a new Ag farm about 1 miles east of the school and made a major increase in the equipment available for student use.

He is also sponsor of Future Farmers of America. Under his leadership the Ag Boosters, made up of interested parents and citizens, works closely with students in conducting a local stock show and participation in stock shows on the area and state

In addition to regular classroom activities he spends time aiding

Betty Crocker Test

by Anita Alvarado

Search for leadership in Family Living is a test of knowledge and attitudes about family life. This test is administered throughout the United States on December 2, 1975, to seniors boys and girls who wish to take it.

In Shallowater, 23 senior students took the test composed of 90 objective questions and a discussion question and requires about one hour.

In January the name of the student with the highest score will be sent a certificat and a small gift to the school. Scholarships are awarded to the top ten students in the nation.

Roving Reporter by Chris Hutchings

This week's Roving Reporter column is about last week's article on the Loch Ness Monster. Here are a few comments on this creature of the depths:

Mrs. Witcher-"I do not believe in the Loch Ness Monster."

Bill Dixon-"I believe in the monster, and I wish they would catch the thing so I could give my professional opinion about what it

Jeanye Hunter-"That's stupid. I don't believe any of it."

Laura Walker-"I believe in it because they wouldn't put so much effort into looking for it if there was not anything down there."

Barbara Stephenson-"I believe in it because they have valid evidence."

Mrs. Barker-"It's a biggggg mystery."

Mr. Jones-"Maybe so, maybe not so."

Kim Young-"I think if we had one in our town things would be more exciting."

Club News

by Sue Wall FFA

There are still a few packages of the FFA whole hog sausage available. The two pound packages may be purchased for \$3.50 from any FFA member. Contact Mr. Kenneth Carr if you are interested. Special orders of the sausage will not be available until after the first of the year.

FHA

The FHA members have been selling cookbooks this week. The profit made in this project will be used to finance the Sweetheart Banquet in the spring. Plans for Christmas activities are now in the making.

FTA

Future Teachers are busy marking up points on the 'ole point sheet, looking forwrad to convention time in February. The four students having the most points will go on the trip to Houston.

Band

A quick look inside the Band Hall found the Mustang Band hard at work perfecting the music for their winter concert in February. NHS

The National Honor Society met Monday night to have their Christmas party and discuss the activities they are planning for the Kindergarten.

The club would like to thank Allison Terry, Belinda Dunn, and Beverly Pair for an enjoyable evening this past Tuesday.

The NHS will be selling candy at the basketball game on Tuesday, Dec. 16th.

Speech Class

The Speech and Drama Department is working on their production of "Keep Your Halo Straight". The lead parts are played by Russell Martin and Jeff Love.

Jr. Class Play

The Junior class play which was scheduled for December 12 and 13 will not be presented then. The date for the presentation will be announced later.

DECA

There is a good assortment of candy at a good price selling in the DE Store. The school supplies are also selling well.

Mr. Jones is busy at work training the Pre-Lab students for selling in a store.

There will be a DE meeting next week and all members are urged to attend. The exact day and time will be announced later.

Senior Spotlight

by Melissa Martin

Geniese Grawunder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Grawunder is focused under the Senior Spotlight this week. Geniese is an 18-year-old Virgo.



Sewing, water skiing, cooking, reading, needlework and playing the oboe are her hobbies. Her favorite "things" are: food-baked potato (with everything on it), color-yellow, little puppies and kids. She also enjoys listening to band music and playing in the

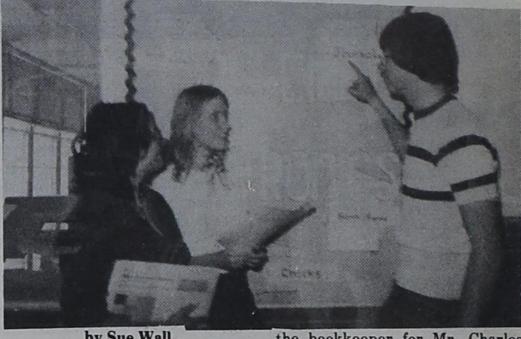
Geniese participates in many school activities such as FHA, where she is the money projects chairman; band in which she is reporter; NHS, and Annual Staff.

Band is Geniese's favorite subject. She comments, "because



Have a piece of carpet. Chet Webb and Gloria Lara are among several Home and Family Living students who are finishing up a class project, a patchwork carpet for the Home and Family Life Building.

Bookkeeping Class Begins Practice Set



by Sue Wall

What is it like to keep books for a large company? Under simulated conditions, 15 SHS students have begun to find out.

For the past 14 weeks these students have studied the fundamentals of an elementary bookkeeping cycle. The class has written checks, made journal entries, posted to ledger accounts, made financial statements, trial balances, and performed the closing activities at the close of an accounting cycle. "Now comes the proof of the pudding," comments Mrs. Dalton Potter, student teacher for the class.

Each student is "employed" as

music is expression of one's inner self. By playing in the band, I can excel as an individual and yet work with a "team" for a goal such as sweepstakes."

Geniese was elected 1975-76 Lions Club Queen this year. She also is a former 4-Her.

When asked what has been the most enjoyable part of the year, she replied, "Twirling". After graduation she plans to attend Texas Tech where she will try out for twirler.

"I saved the best year for last. I'm having a good time", comments Geniese of her senior

Ag Dept. Receives **New Equipment** Kim McMenamy

The Shallowater Vocational Agriculture Department has recently acquired over \$12,000 in new machinery, equipment, and

This year the school decided to take advantage of the Texas Education Agency's, Tools and Equipment program where the state pays 68% of the cost of tools

and equipment purchased. This is the first time in twelve years the Vocational Agriculture program has received a major amount of new equipment. Equipment received includes 7 AC welders, one which is a wire feed rig, an abrasive metal cutoff, two acetylene torches, and numerous other hand tools. The equipment is worth a total of \$12,000, but the school had to pay only a small fraction of this amount.

the bookkeeper for Mr. Charles Allen, owner of "Allen Electronics Service" and will be expected to carry out a full accounting cycle for the business.

The practice set, published by Gregg-Division of McGraw-Hill Book Company is constructed to accompany the 'Accounting 10/21' textbook used by many high schools.

The project will require 11/2 to 2 weeks for completion. Students will be allowed to work on the project only during the daily class period and will be encouraged to make decisions and carry out transactions on their own as much as possible.

Equipment Already In Use

Under the supervision of Mr. Kenneth Carr, Vocational Agriculture teacher, Ag Mechanics has built a new gate for the Ag farm and Ag III class is rebuilding an old gate for the Ag Farm.

Ag I is learning the basics of Agriculture.

Altogether it appears that the Shallowater Agriculture program and FFA is set for big accomplishments this year.

Shallowater School Lunch Menu

Monday, December 15 Hot dogs with chili and cheese Baked beans Sweet relish, chopped onions Apple Crunch, Milk

Tuesday, December 16 Chicken fried steak and gravy Mashed potatoes Blackeyed peas Hot Rolls, Butter Plain Jello, Milk

Wednesday, December 17 Baked turkey and dressing Giblet Gravy, Cranberry Sauce Green beans with bacon Candied sweet potatoes Hot Rolls, Butter Applesauce Cake, Milk

Thursday, December 18 Hamburgers on toasted bun Pickles, onion, lettuce, tomatoe French Fries with Catsup Cookies, Milk

Friday, December 19 Sack lunch, Potato chips Orange, Bell Bar

Not many people are as smart as they think they are.