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Rain termed 'one of best ever'

Monday night's big rain, the heaviest recorded in Dimmitt this year, was "one of the most beneficial rains this area has ever seen," said Edwin "Goose" Ramey, who has been keeping local weather records since 1920.

KDHN Radio Station, the official weather observation station here, recorded 2.05 inches after Monday night's heavy rainfall. The station's gauge showed an additional .67 of an inch at 7 a.m. Wednesday from the gentle rain that fell during Tuesday night.

"The rain actually got heavier after we read the gauge at 7," KDHN Manager Jerry Marvin said Wednesday morning. He predicted the three-day total might top the three-inch mark.

The rain was a lifesaver for local crops — especially corn — that had been subjected to five straight days of 100-plus temperatures and four more days of 90's since the last trace of rainfall.

"I don't know how it could have come at any better time for the corn," said Bill Dannevik, local agricultural engineer consultant. "Another 10 days of that hot, dry spell and it could have been disastrous."

The rain not only spared crops from further stress, but is saving farmers hundreds of thousands of dollars in irrigation costs. Dannevik said most farmers in the Dimmitt area can shut down their wells for at least five days, depending on what turn the weather takes next.

"Our crops generally are requiring half an inch of moisture a day, counting evaporation," Dannevik said. "If the sky clears and we get some warm breezes, we'll probably need to start watching the moisture situation real close again in five days. If it stays cool and cloudy, a lot of our fields are good for 10 [See GOOD RAINS, Page 6]

Embargoed corn goes on market

The Commodity Credit Corporation this week put embargoed grain on the market, to be sold at a price "not less than the formula price established by the Commodity Credit Corporation," said Marvin Barton, spokesman for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Sale of the grain began July 27, and the minimum order considered for acceptance was 1000 bushels. Sales will be made on a first come, first served basis.

Persons interested in purchasing the corn should contact the local ASCS office as soon as possible.

State ag commissioner to be honored tonight

A public appreciation dinner honoring Texas Commissioner of Agriculture Reagan Brown will be held tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the County Expo Building.

The public is invited to meet the state's top agriculture official, hear music by Dale Winders and the Flatland Bluegrass, and dine on barbecue, homegrown vegetables and homemade ice cream at a cost of \$5 per person.

Tickets are available at the office of the Texas Corn Growers Association, 112-A W. Bedford St., and will also be available at the door.

Co-sponsoring the event are the corn, grain sorghum, wheat and sugarbeet commodity groups, along with other friends of Brown in this area.

Brown has visited Castro County often during his term as the state's agriculture commissioner. He has helped the county expedite disaster

designation and emergency loans after severe storms, has helped open new export markets for High Plains feed grains, and has been a leader in the campaign for state gasohol legislation.

The evening will include a discussion of the marketing of embargoed grain in the local area by the Commodity Credit Corporation. Sale of the surplus corn started this week.

Both the Grain Sorghum Producers Association and the TCGA are protesting the government agency's "dumping" of the embargoed grain in this area, charging that the action is depressing the local grain market. The GSPA is planning a lawsuit over the issue, and is expected to report tonight how much money has been donated to its legal-action fund by area growers.

A special feature of tonight's program will be an appearance by Dale Winders and the Flatland Bluegrass.



ROBERT WATSON of Bray, County Wicklow, Ireland, will arrive at Amarillo Airport tonight [Thursday] to begin a year as an American Field Service exchange student in Dimmitt. He will live with the family of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel Jr. Here, the 18-year-old youth poses on a pier at Arkhow, a fishing village near his hometown.

Irish boy to be AFS student here

Robert Michael Watson of Bray, Ireland, will arrive tonight (Thursday) to begin a year as an American Field Service exchange student in Dimmitt.

He will live with host family

about dimmitt and castro county by b. m. n.

It has been a spell since I have attempted to write a column. I have had the urge, to write, any number of times but for one reason or another it would pass before I could get started. The urge was a little stronger tonight, Tuesday, than usual. I don't have any idea how it will turn out, but at least I have started.

This is being written Tuesday night. Tomorrow the congress will vote on some tax bills that are said to be the most important legislation ever to be passed by the congress. Right now it seems to be a tossup as to which piece of legislation will be adopted. Two, and possibly three, tax bills will be thrown in the hopper. One, the president's bill, will pass in the senate by a large majority. The same bill, co-sponsored by a republican and a democrat, will be introduced on the floor of the house. The democratic tax bill, written by the democratic

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

	Hi	Lo	Pr.
Thursday	103	62	
Friday	100	70	
Saturday	97	65	
Sunday	93	66	
Monday	92	65	
Tuesday	93	61	2.05
Wednesday	78	64	.67
July Moisture			3.15
1981 Moisture			11.88

KDHN RADIO
US Weather Observer



MISS HART for 1981-82 is Tamera Bowden [seated], a recent Hart High School graduate who captured the title over nine other contestants in the city's annual pageant Thursday night.

Other placers in the pageant, from left, were Diane Martinez, first runner-up; Norma Morales, second runner-up; and Robin Bowden, Miss Congeniality.

'Hart Days' winners named

When she graduated from Hart High School in May, Tamera Bowden received an "I Dare You" award.

Last Thursday she dared again, and charmed her way to the Miss Hart crown over nine other pretty and talented contestants.

The new Miss Hart, an 18-year-old who plans to enter Texas Tech this fall, was crowned by her predecessor, Cindy Brooks, at the conclusion of the one-hour stage portion of the pageant Thursday night in the Hart Elementary School gym.

The daughter of Bob and Nancy Bowden, the new Miss Hart was sponsored in the pageant by the Hart Lions Club.

Diane Martinez, 1981 HHS salutatorian, was named the first runner-up. She was sponsored in the pageant by the Latin American Organization.

The pageant's other two big winners were the youngest girls in the field. Second runner-up was Norma Morales, sponsored by the Chi Psi Sorority. Named Miss Congeniality was Robin Bowden, sponsored by Xi Mu Iota Sorority. Both girls will be high school sophomores in 1981-82.

Other contestants who made it a successful pageant were Emma Castillo, Sheryl McLain, Norma Ramirez, Linda Booe, Linda Washington and Vicki Ponce.

Leticia Lee Centeno, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Centeno, won the Little Miss Hart title at the pageant. Other placers were D'Lynn Hankins, first runner-up; Stephanie Shields, second runner-up; and Monica Alcocer, third runner-up.

The Miss Hart Pageant was one of the highlights of the big three-day Hart Days celebration.

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Deadline Wednesday for pageant entries

Girls who are residents of Castro County as of July 1, and high school students as of Sept. 12, are eligible to enter the Miss Castro County pageant, but they must act now.

The deadline for entry is 5 p.m. next Wednesday. Entry forms are available through the Chamber of Commerce office.

Along with the entry form, each contestant must submit a billfold-size picture, preferably black and white, which will not be returned.

Chamber Manager Delores Heller encouraged girls to get their entry forms in by deadline even if they must be turned in incomplete. If the chamber has not received at least 12 to 15 entries by deadline, there will be no pageant, Mrs. Heller said.

Each entrant will appear in a party dress during the pageant, and will give a 2½ to 3-minute talent presentation.

Personal interviews will be conducted the day of the pageant. There will be no swimsuit competition.

Trophies will be given to the first and second runners-up, and Miss Castro County will receive a trophy and \$250 cash prize.



STEPHEN AND DEBORAH McCORD
Appointed as Baptist missionaries

Couple to serve mission in Korea

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen K. McCord of Dimmitt were among 84 persons named missionaries by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board last week at Derbyshire Baptist Church in Richmond, Va.

They will work in Korea, where he will be a religious education consultant and she will be a church and home worker.

He has been the minister of education and youth at the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt for the past 1½ years, and she has served as a school teacher here. Sunday will be McCord's final day with the local church.

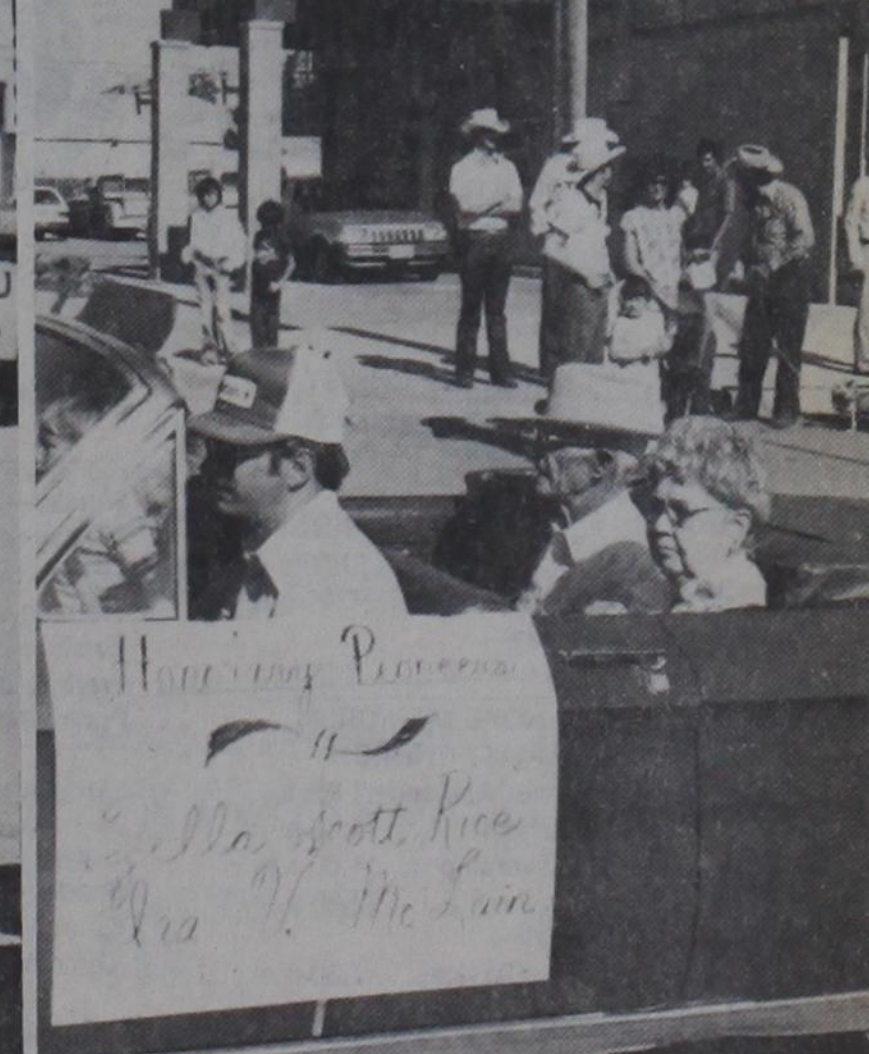
McCord, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. McCord of Dallas, was born in Montgomery, Ala., and while growing up, lived in Presque Isle, Maine; Madrid, Spain; Springfield, Va.; and San Antonio and Dallas. He received a bachelor of arts degree from Dallas Baptist College and a master of religious education degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He also attended Cosumnes River College in Sacramento, Calif.

McCord was a summer missionary in Texas for the Dallas Baptist Association, and was minister of youth and recreation at Oak Grove

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BEST BIKE in the 1981 Hart Days Parade Saturday was this rig driven by Dusty Upshaw. Other placers in the bike division were Angie Dyer, second; Mitzi Reed, third; and Della Rhynes, Most Unusual Entry.



HONORARY PIONEERS in the 1981 Hart Days Parade Saturday morning were longtime residents Zella Scott Rice and Ira V. McLain, shown here as they pass in review in a classic convertible behind the parade marshals.

Sheffy's Chatter

Everyone's going this direction or that

By MYRTLE SHEFFY
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schilling and daughter Debbie...

Oaks Baptist Church had been on a mission trip to White Cove, Ariz. for a week to teach vacation Bible school...

Ruth and Kenneth Jackson had a good vacation in Colorado. They stopped off at the big barnlike antique place near the road home in New Mexico...

P. O. and Frances Goodwin went to Vega to meet son Mike and 29 of his congregation of the Baptist Church in his town of Festus, Mo. They were all enroute to Glorieta, New Mexico for a fellowship...

I met Mavis Davis at the restaurant Sunday with her mother Allene Lilley. She is here for a visit with mom and son Lonny Davis at Hart. Mavis has been doing missionary work in Monterrey, Mexico recently and has worked in 10 different cities...

Keith and wife Charlotte Crum of the Air Force Base from Victorville, Calif. were in town recently for a visit with his parents Cecil and Virginia and his two brothers and her sister Ruth and Bunt Kitchens...

Deidra and Dondra Stafford are here from Muskogee, Okla. for a visit with grandparents Rex and Dorothy...

Last Saturday there were three bridal showers and one baby shower given. I couldn't go, had much company. Girls were Mel Nelson, Lou Phillips, Angela Ross and baby of Kim Hays and her name is Taryn Denise...

Charlene Reed has a new great niece. Her name is Johanna Ruth Ware. Her mother is Mellony Timmins Ware, formerly of Dimmitt. Grandparents are Ruth and Delbert and great uncle is Jerry Cox...

Johnny and Loretta Hucks and girls Kim and Michelle left this week for a few days visit and vacation in Colorado. They will visit Loretta's sister in Ema, she has a store there. You know that Johnny is with Plains Memorial Hospital. I met or talked with Kevin Hucks, who graduated recently from Tech and is working the summer at Super market...

Jackie Don Johnson and wife and three girls from San Angelo will visit their aunt Ceal Carlile and uncle Jack and Clara Patton. Mark Gilbreath of Gruver, son of Zay and Charlotte spent a few days in Dimmitt visiting grandparents J. C. and Virginia Gilbreath and Frank and Louise Mears...

John and Dorothy Gilbreath were hosts at a cookout in the yard to help Coby celebrate his 21st birthday. (He is

home from Tech where he is a Junior).

Guests were Lane Loudder, Donny Carpenter, David and Gary Don Malone, Layne and Sue Rita Myatt, Mark Cluck and Dawn McRee, Randy Smithson, Matt Howell, Stacy and Lori Barnett of Olton, Carmelita Barnett, Gary Bruegel, Russell Birdwell, James Roberts, Brenda Johnson, Keith Jones, Julie McClure, DeAnn Nelson and brothers Matt and Howie...

Rowena Crader of Durango, Colo. has been here for a visit with grandmother Dora Johnson and her dad Roland Sheppard of Hart. Her mother was Rosa Mae Johnson Sheppard. The had dinner at the Senior Citizens. Other guests of Dora were niece Elizabeth Ayers and Melody and Mike Ayers from Anderson, Mo. They visited their uncle Es Noble who has been in Plains Memorial Hospital but back at South Hills Manor where he lives now...

James and Phyllis Gurba of Fort Worth have been here for a visit with aunt Madge and P.P. Robb. Madge looks after the museum on Halsell Street or Hospital Road. When you come to the Old Settlers Reunion in September, go by to see and visit

Sheffy and Roy and Florene Stafford. The girls went to Ruidoso with the family.

Jack and Myrna Cowser are in Amarillo where Jack will have surgery this week. We, the people, wish him well.

Dorothy Wilke Cook has been quite ill in Central Plains Hospital of Plainview recently. Daughter Delores Heller says she has been in intensive care but should be well soon. You have seen Dorothy at the post office for several years. Velma Birchfield spent a few days in Hereford visiting her sister Willa Dean Brooks. Velma Birchfield also visited her nieces in Hereford, Carolyn Grihauva from Anchorage, Alaska and Linda Brooks from Omaha, Neb.

Bob and LaVelle Mapes of Walsenburg, Colo. came by for a stop off visit with her parents Elzie and Serena Teague enroute to San Angelo with friends and relatives to celebrate the 95th birthday Sunday of Logan Counts dad. He and Mrs. Counts live at Castlerock, Colo. Others going were Mr. and Mrs. Brown from Albuquerque. The Mapes plan to stop in Dimmitt enroute home.

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friends.

D. C. Taylor presided at the business meeting Thursday evening at Senior Citizens party. He presented Oscar Wylie who is chairman of the Early Day Settlers of Castro County. This get together of settlers is in September. The basket lunch will be served Saturday noon. Ruby Wood and Melvina Witt will endeavor to get cards out to the out of county people. The Castro County Fair will be at the Expo building the same weekend. Nell Ingram and Teresa Nutt will have charge of the womens and youth exhibits. Myrtle Sheffy will have charge of flowers and potted plants. But more about that later on. 76 people came to the buffet supper and games Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mark Shipley and children Don Jr. and Chimine of Waco were weekend guests of the parents Don and Gladiola Shipley, Don-3rd and Chimine stayed over for a two-week visit.

Mrs. Garland Coleman and children Garland, 3rd and Ben spent several days in Paducah visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nelson.

Rosalie or (Mrs. Willis) Hawkins Jr. was hostess at the Thursday Bridge at the Senior Citizens Party Room. The group had dinner and games there. Guests were

Josie Bradford, who won high score and Betty Cartwright, second, Opha Burks, Oleda Schumacher, Johnny Vannoy, Elizabeth Huckabay, Ferne Dickey, Faun Welker, Opal Bearden, Boots Kaderly and Susie Reeves.

Cecil and Virginia Crum were hosts to the Saturday evening bridge group. They served pickup foods and

games to Garnett and Polly Holland, Jim and Elen Hrabal, Ray and Joann Robertson, J. R. and Mary Jo Brown, Kenneth and Ruth Jackson, Carolyn Jones, and Faun Welker, high scorers were Betty Huckabay and Brenda Andrews.

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Howard Quiett, Pastor 110 S. W. Third Phone 647-4106 or 647-4107 Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. MYF, Jr. Hi & Sr. Hi 5:30 p.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - General Meeting WSCS 9:30 a.m. Choir 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1201 Western Circle Drive Rev. John Street, Pastor Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 8:10 p.m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Monte Wike, Pastor 302 S.E. 2nd Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Christ Ambassadors and Children's Church 6:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH 501 S.E. 3rd - Ph. 647-2402 Pastor, Rev. Kenneth Carroll Sunday - Sunday School & Morning Worship 10-11:30 a.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.



DEEP AS THE SEA

Standing in the sand, looking at the sea, one cannot help thinking of the boundless, fathomless love of God toward us. Oh, how he loves us, uplifts us, protects us and encourages us. There comes to mind many of his precious promises and the heart swells with gratitude. Recalled first of all, perhaps, are verses like these:

"Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee: yea, I will help thee."

"Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee." Jeremiah 31:3.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

"For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved." John 3:16, 17.

Many more words of comfort await you in the Bible and in the Church as His words are proclaimed from the pulpit. We invite you to attend church this week. You will be glad you did.

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.



Coleman Adv. Ser.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Raphael Chen, Pastor 1101 W. Halsell - Ph. 647-4219 Sunday - Mass in English 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish 10:30 a.m. Religion Classes 9:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday & Saturday - Mass 7:00 a.m. Holy Days - Mass in English 7:00 a.m. Mass in Spanish 8:00 p.m. Confessions - Friday 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Baptism by Appointment

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SUNNYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH Raymond Jones, Pastor Sunday - Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Western Circle Drive Edward D. Freeman, Pastor Sunday - Church School 10:00 a.m. Common Worship 11:00 a.m.

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH 412 North East Street Sunday - Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Monday W.M.U. 4:30 p.m. Tuesday Brotherhood 7:55 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Friday

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Commissioners approve amendments to budget

The Castro County Commissioners met briefly Friday and approved two amendments to the budget, without salaries, for the fiscal year beginning Sept. 30, 1981.

The amended budget included disbursements for attorneys' fees totaling \$40,000 and expenses for the new County Appraisal Office totaling \$28,000.

The amended budget will also include receipts from the County Appraisal Office.

The attorney fees included in the budget are those fees incurred in the Catano, et al vs. Castro County lawsuit which was brought last

summer regarding the Castro County Housing Authority.

The attorneys for Texas Rural Legal Aid, who won a judgement for the plaintiffs, are asking \$27,000 from the county in fees — a figure based on the hourly fees received by the defense attorneys in the case.

(The county commissioners went to Amarillo Monday for the fee settlement proceedings in Judge Mary Lou Robinson's Federal District Court.)

The commissioners also heard a request Friday from David Sadler of the Sunnyside Volunteer Fire Dept. for air

tanks. The Sunnyside firefighters have no air tanks at this time.

Commissioner Ed Wilson made a motion that the county purchase two air tanks for the Sunnyside Fire Dept. at a cost of \$910 each, using federal Revenue Sharing funds. The commissioners approved the purchase.

County Judge M. L. Simpson brought before the commission a request by the Dimmitt Fire Dept. for help in purchasing a van to house the new jaws of life tool.

Simpson suggested that a trailer made from a pickup bed and a camper would be a more efficient way of transporting the hydraulic tool system.

After discussion, the commissioners agreed with Simpson.

letter to the editor AFS parents thank paper, community

Dear Editor:
I wanted to personally thank Don Nelson and the Castro County News for all the coverage they gave Catherine Mongeau and Maja Martinec this year. It helped in making the adjustment to a new town and new faces easier. Don, you became a good friend to both of them.

David, the last article you did on the AFS students and program is one you can be very proud of. Thanks for helping to make their last days here something they can be proud to take home.

And to everyone in Dimmitt who helped make their year a very loving and rewarding experience, I say thank you.

You made us proud of our town and made hosting our AFS student, Catherine, an opportunity we will never forget.

DOUG, CHERYLE and CARLA PYBUS

[Editor's Note: You just made our day! Covering the activities of our AFS exchange students is one of the favorite parts of our job, because it brings us in contact with some smart, adventurous, unforgettable kids. We should be thanking you and the other families who have hosted students in Dimmitt during the past two decades. You've helped open a lot of windows around the world for the rest of us.]

More about Irish boy ...

[Continued from Page 1] popular with his peers and with his teachers. He is at all times pleasant, cheerful and courteous.

"At the time of writing he is engaged in study for the Leaving Certificate and shows that he is capable of hard work for a defined objective. He is unafraid to express opinions and thinks clearly and logically."

Stating his reasons for applying for an AFS experience, Watson said, "I am very interested in, and wish to experience, other cultures and societies before I start on any set plans for my life. I feel this is important in order to broaden my outlook and to get things in perspective."

"With AFS, I can do this and, at the same time, go to school, which is also of great importance as I do not feel I have realized my academic potential.

"I hope, from my exposure to the American way of life, both academic and social, that I can glean information and valuable insight. I also hope that my experience would help to develop my personality and social outlook."

Watson will be one of two American Field Service exchange students in Dimmitt High School during 1981-82. Anne Marie Berg of Norway is scheduled to arrive the week of Aug. 8, and will live with Bettye Huckabay.

Rotary will sponsor seafood sale Aug. 27

The Dimmitt Rotary Club voted Friday to sponsor a "Truckload Seafood Sale" Aug. 27 as a fund-raising project.

Providing the seafood will be Trans-Alaska Seafood, Inc., which sells only through civic clubs.

The club voted for the project after hearing a presentation by John Christy of Trans-Alaska, who explained that his company would bring in a freezer truck and weather-covered display tables for an all-day sale.

Trans-Alaska Seafood, Inc., is headquartered at Bountiful, Utah, and markets mainly seafoods from the Northern Pacific.

The firm sells bag lots of salmon steaks, pink and silver whole salmon, smoked salmon, halibut steaks, North Pacific walleye filets, red snapper filets, cod filets, Ling cod steaks, Alaska king crab and snow crab legs, and three sizes of cooked, frozen and breaded shrimp.

Rotarians will take advance orders and will distribute brochures giving products, price lists and recipes.

In other action at Friday's meeting, President Keith Mussett announced that the club's directors had set Friday, Sept. 4, as the tentative date for the dedication of the new park which the Rotary Club and the city are developing in Northwest Dimmitt.

"All that's left to be installed are the fountain and plaque," Mussett said.

Mickey Bishop volunteered to serve as an adult advisor to the Rotary-sponsored Dimmitt High School Interact Club.

The club adopted a "buddy system" of two members per month to secure programs, and Mussett called for volunteers for the coming three months. Program co-chairmen will be Earl Chaney and Al Gibbs for August, Jack Thompson and Doug Pybus for September, and Elmer Youts and Woodrow Killingsworth for October.

Obituaries

Jack Cowsert
Jack Cowsert, a Dimmitt resident for 72 years, died Tuesday night in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Funeral services were pending Wednesday with Parsons Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Cowsert, son of Mark and Minta Cowsert, came to Dimmitt as a child in 1908, riding with his family in a covered wagon from Central Texas.

His father founded Cowsert Abstract Co. in 1909, and Mr. Cowsert operated and managed the business from 1945 until 1972. He continued to deal in real estate until his death.

A student of local history, Mr. Cowsert started the project that led to the dedication of the county's first official historical marker July 4. He unveiled the marker during the dedication ceremony.

His survivors include his wife, Myrna; a daughter, Carole Farris of Dalhart; a son, James Mark of San Angelo; a brother, Ray, of Hereford; three sisters, Mary Schelling of Houston, Josephine Russell of Corpus Christi and Norma Gladman of Plainview; and several grandchildren.

Ethel V. Mohon
Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Panhandle for Ethel V. Mohon, mother of Wayne Mohon of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Mohon, 73, died Sunday.

Last rites were in the First United Methodist Church of Panhandle, with Rev. James Carter of Amarillo and Rev. Raymond Hall of Shamrock officiating. Burial followed in the Panhandle Cemetery, directed by Smith Funeral Home.

Born in Loco, Okla., Mrs. Mohon had been a resident of the Panhandle area most of her life. She married H. L. Mohon in 1948 in Panhandle.

She and her husband owned and operated Mohon Antiques in Panhandle. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors, in addition to her son here, include her husband; another son, Jere Mohon of Arlington; a daughter, Cynthia Lee of Irvine, Calif.; and seven grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, Bill Baird.

THE atmosphere of the earth is essentially 78% nitrogen, 21% oxygen and 1% argon.

Chief warns of eggings, bike thefts

Dimmitt Chief of Police Ronald Mitchell spoke up this week about bicycle thefts, car eggings and parking in downtown alleys.

On the problem of parking in downtown alleys, Mitchell said, "Not only is it against the law, but ambulances and fire trucks can't get by. The police will have to start writing more citations for this violation."

Several cars have been eggged and shoe-polished lately, the chief said.

"Eggs are damaging to the paint on the cars, and if the eggs stay on there long enough, the people responsible will have to pay for a new paint job," he said.

Four young people found responsible for the latest car eggings were made to pay restitution to the victims and were then turned over to the county juvenile officer.

Mitchell also said several bicycles have been stolen lately and that people need to start being more careful about securing their bikes.

"Bicycles need to be marked with their or their parents' license number, and the serial numbers on the bicycles need to be recorded. We have engravers here at the police station for that purpose," Mitchell said.

He also suggested that bikes be chained up at night, and said that people "just generally need to take more preventive measures."

Police calls

City and county law officers arrested nine persons on alcohol-related charges during the past week. Seven of those were assessed fines, and one was released on bond.

Four persons were arrested on non-alcohol-related charges. Of these two were caught driving without valid licenses, one was arrested for violation of probation, and one was charged with fleeing from police and "exhibition of acceleration."

A 24-year-old Dimmitt man was arrested Saturday evening at the Circle K Convenience store for public intoxication and reportedly demanding the clerk to give him all of the money in the cash register.

Arresting officers reported that the man resisted arrest and was not cooperative. He was charged with attempted robbery, resisting arrest and public intoxication. He was assessed a \$50 fine.

Three motor vehicle accidents occurred during the week.

Gilberto Dominguez of Dimmitt was cited for making an improper turn, being in the wrong lane, and failing to yield the right of way in an accident Tuesday night at the

intersection of 600 Halsell and Northwest Fifth, involving a yellow Monte Carlo driven by Eleuteria DeLaPaz.

In an accident Saturday in front of the Southwestern Public Service building at 200 S. Broadway, Douglas Schilling was cited for failure to yield the right of way after his vehicle hit a red Chevrolet Chevette driven by Alejandra Salinas.

In the courthouse parking lot Wednesday, a police car was backed into while the officer driving it was stopped and talking with someone.

Brenda Buchanan of 800 W. Bedford reported the theft of a blue Raleigh 20-inch bicycle. She told police the bicycle was taken from their carport between 8:30 and 10:30 p.m. Tuesday.

A gray J. C. Penney 10-speed bike with a yellow stripe and a basket carrier was reported stolen Sunday night from the front lawn of Faye Mohon of 612 W. Andrews.

A third bicycle, a red Huffy 10-speed with a black seat, was taken from Scott Killough's garage at 623 NW Eighth sometime after 6 p.m. Saturday.

Rawls Fund reaches \$580

The Scott Rawls Medical Fund, started last week to help defray some of the medical expenses faced by the Rawls family following the 18-year-old's motorcycle accident July 4, reached \$580 by Wednesday morning.

Rawls was released from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday evening and is now home recuperating, his mother reported.

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More about 'Hart Days' ...

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Another major event was the Hart Days Parade Saturday morning, which featured a long line of colorful floats, along with bikes, antique vehicles, horseback riders, clowns and classic cars and trucks.

Parade winners were:
Best All-Around Float — Castro County Republican Organization for Women, first; Zealot Club, second; Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce, third; Zealot Club, Most Unusual.

Bikes — Dusty Upshaw, first; Angie Dyer, second; Mitzi Reed, third; Della Rhynes, Most Unusual Entry.

Antique Tractors & Machinery — John Deere tractor driven by George Heck for Brooks Farms.

Antique Cars — James Jackson, 1929 Ford pickup.

In the Fiddlers' Contest that followed the parade, Paul Milton of Plainview captured first place, while Ray David of Clarendon was second and Weldon Petty of Olton was third.

As the fiddlers performed, the throng that gathered along Main Street and the midway grounds enjoyed "Lionburgers," — tamales, tacos, watermelon and homemade ice cream while listening to the music.


At the beard judging Saturday afternoon, the judges held an "ecumenical conference" before announcing the winners, since all the judges were ministers. Winners were Jack Vise, Best Looking Beard; Randy Popejoy, Longest Beard; and Robbie Hawkins, Grotiest Beard.

Bill Rich proved himself to be the top poker player in the first annual "Texas Hold 'Em" Poker Tournament Saturday evening. Glenn Black was the runner-up and Greg Couch placed third.


Seventeen players entered the tournament. The top three received trophies.

Saturday's activities also included an arts and crafts show, with more than a dozen artisans exhibiting, and a public reception hosted by the Good Neighbors Club.

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GETTING READY FOR FALL—Polishing up their baton twirling techniques recently at the Big Country Front Line Camp at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, were these seven "front line girls" of Dimmitt High School's Bobcat

Band. From left are twirlers Pam Nelson and DeNise Dobbs, drum majors Shelly Frye and Sheril Baldrige, and twirlers Laurie Sides, Connie Dennis and Becky Benton. [Photo by Cotton's Studio, Cisco]

DHS twirlers, majors attend camp

Seven students from Dimmitt High School participated in the second annual Big Country Front Line Camp for baton twirlers, flag corps and drum majors, held recently on the campus of Hardin-Simmons University in

Abilene. Approximately 230 youngsters were on hand for the five-day clinic.

Attending from DHS were Pam Nelson, DeNise Dobbs, Shelly Frye, Sheril Baldrige, Laurie Sides, Connie Dennis and Becky Benton.

The camp was conducted by Southwest Camps of Cisco, with Eris Ritchie as camp director. The baton twirlers were taught by a six-member staff of twirling experts from Florida, Texas and Arizona, headed up by Ken Sasser of the International Twirling Teachers Institute in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

The drum majors were given their instructional program by Rob Lovett of Brownfield, a band director

and former drum major at Texas Tech University. The flag corps girls were taught by a staff directed by Barbara Palacek of Lake Charles, La.

In addition to the Front Line Camp, Hardin-Simmons University and Southwest Camps also hosted two sessions of cheerleader camp.

ASCS news

Wheat Reserve IV provisions given

By CHARLIE E. HILL
County Executive Director
Congress has passed legislation governing a new Wheat Reserve Program (Reserve IV). Basic provisions are:

1. There will be 30-cent per bushel premium added to the county loan rate.
2. Interest will be charged through the first year of the 3-year reserve program at a variable rate beginning with 14.5%.
3. Annual storage will be paid by Commodity Credit Corporation at the rate of 26.5 cents per bushel.
4. Release and Call Price will be \$4.65 per bushel. Producers in Reserve IV will not be required to repay loans when call prices are reached unless an extreme emergency requires a call.

For more detailed information concerning this program, call or come by the Castro County ASCS Office.



PLAINS MEMORIAL

It's a boy for Juan and Irma Rivera. He was born at 1:50 p.m. last Wednesday, weighed 7 pounds, 11 1/2 ounces, and has been named Rogelio Angel.

Armando and Carol Perez have a baby boy, Ramon, who was born at 7:20 p.m. July 17. He weighed 7 pounds, 7 3/4 ounces.

Camerino and Virginia Gamez are the parents of an 8 pound, 8 ounce boy, born at 2:50 p.m. last Wednesday. They have named him Eric Camerino.

15—LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Calculation of Effective Tax Rate

I, Jerry Heller, Chief appraiser for Castro County, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244c, Sec. 1, VTCS, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing bodies of the jurisdictions without holding a public hearing required by Art. 7244c, Sec. 2, VTCS. That rate is as follows:

- Castro Co. Ad Valorem — 22 cents per \$100 of value
- Castro Co. Road — 11 cents per \$100 of value
- Hospital District — 12 cents per \$100 of value
- Hi-Plains Underground Water District — 2 cents per \$100 of value
- City of Dimmitt — 62 cents per \$100 of value
- Dimmitt ISD — \$1.15 per \$100 of value
- Nazareth ISD — \$1.25 per \$100 of value

JERRY HELLER
Chief Appraiser
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Insects of interest

Moth traps and egg count show peak borer activity

By ALLEN KNUTSON
Extension Agent —
Entomology

Southwestern corn borer egg lay was very heavy in corn this past week, and borer moths filled the light traps. Many fields recently checked have reached or surpassed the treatment threshold of 20-25% infested plants.

A total of 3,280 (1,630/night) corn borer moths were trapped July 24-25, breaking the old record of 1,370 captured July 31, 1978.

Peak moth flight occurred July 28-Aug. 2 in 1978, and July 16-Aug. 2 in 1980. This would indicate corn borers will continue to infest fields for at least another week.

Young corn borer larvae now can be found feeding behind leaf sheaths, under ear husks, and on the ears. These young larvae can be controlled by insecticides applied before the borers tunnel into the stalk.

PERMETHRIN

The Section 18 label for permethrin (Pounce® and Ambush®) for corn borer control specifies the following restrictions: (1) Minimum volume of three gallons finished spray by air or 10 gallons by ground rig per acre; (2) Rates 0.1-0.2 lbs. AI / acre; (3) Maximum of two applications per field; (4) Do not apply within 30 days of harvest and do not plant rotational crops within 60 days of last application; (5) Do not reenter treated fields until foliage is dry.

SPIDER MITES

Spider mite infestations are spotty in some fields. Individual plants can be found with colonies in the middle 1/3 of the plant, while the majority of the plants may have colonies only on the lower leaves, or no mites at all. When damage is found, be

sure mites are still present before treating. Predators may have cleaned up the mites, leaving only webbing and evidence of leaf feeding.

Common mite predators active now include larvae of lacewing and syrphid flies, and the six-spotted thrips.

AZODRIN

Azodrin® again can be used for mite control in corn under a crisis exemption from EPA. Restrictions are (1) Maximum of three applications; (2) Rates of 0.6-1.0 lbs. AI / acre; (3) 45-day preharvest interval on grain and 15-day preharvest interval on silage; (4) 60-day pregrazing interval on stubble.

CORN LEAF APHIDS

Corn leaf aphids and honeydew are abundant on the upper portion of corn plants. They will cause no damage, and are being eliminated by lady beetles.

The new Extension Corn Guide, entitled "Insect and Mite Pests of Texas Corn-Management Approaches," is now available from the Extension Office.

COTTON

No significant insect activity has been seen in cotton. Cotton aphids are becoming more common, but should be of little concern. White flies have also been seen. Beneficials are still common.

SORGHUM

Lady beetles numbers have increased in sorghum and are reducing corn leaf aphid populations. Hopefully, they will begin to concentrate more greenbugs. Here's a guide in determining the need for greenbug control:
PLANT SIZE — WHEN TO TREAT
Emergence to about six inches — Visible damage (plants beginning to yellow)

with colonies of greenbugs on plants.

Larger plant to pre-boot — Greenbug colonies causing red spotting or yellowing of leaves and before any entire leaves are killed.

Pre-boot to heading — Before the death of one functional leaf.

Heading to hard-dough — When greenbug numbers are sufficient to cause death

of two normal-sized leaves.

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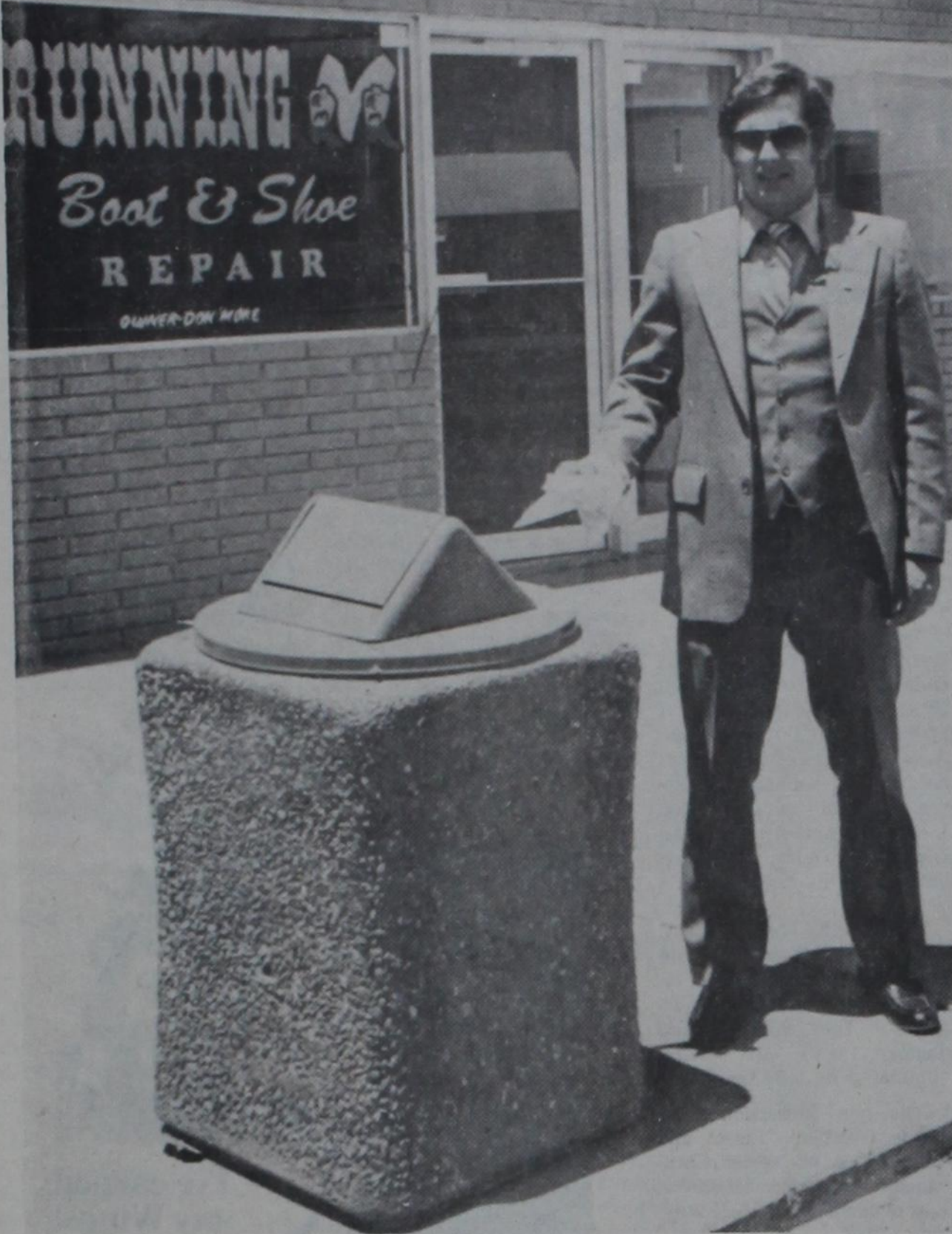
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NOW IT'S YOUR TURN—Chamber of Commerce President Joe Josslet "pitches in" at one of the new sidewalk trash receptacles that the chamber has placed at 10 points in the

business district. "If people will get into the habit of using these new receptacles, it can keep our downtown area a lot cleaner and more attractive," Josslet said.

Now you can 'pitch in'

The Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce has placed 10 acles in the business district as part of its Clean-Up Dimmitt campaign.



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The new receptacles cost \$250 each, including shipping cost.

The offices and businesses that agreed to have the receptacles placed in front of their buildings have also agreed to empty and maintain them.

Trash receptacles have been placed in front of the city hall, C. R. Anthony Co., Dimmitt Printing & Office Supply, Castro County Abstract & Title Co., Running M Boot and Shoe Repair, Rhoads Memorial Library, TG&Y, Castro County Court-house and K-Bob's Steak House. The 10th one will be installed in front of the Post Office.

Museum group postpones meeting

The Castro County Historical Museum Association meeting has been changed from Thursday, July 30 to Thursday, August 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the museum building on West Halsell. All members and interested persons are invited to attend.

More about Dimmitt ...

[Continued from Page 1] ways and means committee, will also be placed before the house. A third bill, said to be sponsored by a non partisan liberal group, may also be introduced.

Lobbying has been intense on both sides of the aisle, and all over Washington and the whole country for that matter, and every trick and type of pressure imaginable is being used to swing votes. It is believed that the voting will be close, due chiefly to a number of democrats deserting their party. However, a number of democratic congressmen that voted for the republican budget bill are reported to favor the democratic tax bill. Our neighbor to the east, Congressman Jack Hightower, a democrat, says he favors and will vote for the democratic tax bill. He deserves the plaudits, not only of his constituents but everyone who is not fortunate enough to be wealthy, or at least in the highest income brackets.

It would take weeks of study, and probably a lot of counseling, to become familiar with either tax bill. But just from what we are able to hear and read about the two bills, the democratic bill favors the middle and lower income groups, while the republican bill will make it easier for the rich to get richer. The two bills, reportedly, in the aggregate, will result in the same amount of tax savings with the difference being in who needs and gets the biggest tax break. The president's bill would give a twenty-five percent tax discount across the board to all tax payers over a three year period. The tax bill written by the democratic ways and means committee would be for two years with a fifteen percent tax reduction with greatest advantage going to tax payers with incomes of fifty thousand dollars or less. The democratic tax bill will also provide for a ten percent tax cut the third year, provided the initial tax cut proved to be a wise decision. Sounds reasonable.

The recently passed budget bill provided for drastic cuts in a number of budget items, but offset the savings by increases in spending for the defense department. The president has said he would balance the budget, but it is hard for some of us to figure how you can cut income and increase spending and hope to balance the budget which is already running in the red.

During the thirty-eight years that I have been publisher of the Castro County News I haven't seen prospects for a bumper crop as good as they are this year, especially at this stage of the game. This has been a growing year, so far as vegetation of all types is concerned. Weeds, lawns, vegetables, corn, cotton, milo, or you name it, has been lush. Drive any direction from Dimmitt, in the confines of Castro County, and you will see the finest crops that have ever decorated this part of the Plains country.

The vegetable harvest is in progress and although I can't give definite figures, I have been told that the yield is good and of excellent quality and that current prices are making this a very profitable crop in spite of high production costs. It is encouraging that at least one segment of agriculture is bringing satisfactory returns on farmers efforts and investment.

If the prices for corn, cotton and milo would just get up there in line with the cost of other products, such as gas and other fuels, we could expect some prosperity in this area in spite of inflation.

Dance Friday will benefit Rawls Fund

The First United Methodist Church Youth will sponsor a dance Friday in the County Expo building to benefit the Scott Rawls Medical Fund.

The dance will be from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Admission is \$4 per person, and the disc jockey will be The Dance Machine. Proceeds from the dance will go to the Scott Rawls Fund. Rawls was injured in a motorcycle accident July 4.

More about Good rains ...

[Continued from Page 1] days." Dannevik said the rain was "really a lifesaver for any crops that had gone five days or more without water during this hot spell."

County Entomologist Allen Knutson said the rain will help with the spidermite problem "because the cool weather will cause them to reproduce slower."

The evening rains also interrupted the egg-laying activities of corn borer moths, Knutson said, "and will also help wash some of the greenbugs off of the sorghum." "There are no bollworm eggs on the cotton yet, but the rain will provide a lush crop that will be more attractive to the bollworm, and their eggs survive better in cool weather," Knutson said. Monday night's rainfall, accompanied by a severe thunderstorm, was heaviest in the northern, central and western parts of the county, and lighter in the eastern part. And it almost missed the Sunnyside area.

"We just got a very light shower Monday night that just settled the dust a little bit," Gale Sadler of Sunnyside reported.

However, Sadler said, he received .9 of an inch in Tuesday night's rainfall and was able to shut down nearly all his wells Wednesday morning.

Heaviest rainfall Monday night was north of Dimmitt and in the easter area, where four-inch readings were reported. Other spot reports were 1 1/2 inches in the Jumbo area, four inches just west of Dimmitt, one inch in Bethel, 1 1/2 inches in Flagg, 1 1/2 inches at Hart, half an inch in Nazareth, .8 of an inch northeast of Nazareth, and 1.4 inches between Nazareth and Dimmitt.

Tuesday night's rain generally added .7 of one inch to the Monday night totals, bringing even bigger smiles.

The three-day rainfall in Dimmitt totaled 2.72 inches and brought the July total to 3.15, which is .7 of an inch above the 60-year July average of 2.45.

Kiwanis Club to field team

The Kiwanis Club Monday discussed an upcoming district Kiwanis softball tournament to be held in Amarillo.

Robert Benton, charged with coaching the team, asked for volunteers for the game, called a practice for 9 p.m. Wednesday, and asked the team to gather at the local ballpark at 8:30 Saturday to leave for Amarillo.

More about Couple ...

[Continued from Page 1] Baptist Church in Dallas. He served three years in the US Army and was a chaplain's assistant.

While attending the seminary, he was a bank teller in Fort Worth and, later, minister of education and music at Pioneer Drive Baptist Church in Irving.

Mrs. McCord, the former Deborah Wall, was born in Atlanta, Ga., and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wall, now of Waco. She grew up in Pocatello, Idaho; Phoenix and Yuma, Ariz.; Greeley, Colo.; and Kaufman, Texas. She received a bachelor of arts degree from Dallas Baptist College.

Mrs. McCord was a staffer at Glorieta, N.M., Baptist Conference Center and served as a missionary journeyman in Taejon, Korea, with the Foreign Mission Board. Later she was a high school teacher in Garland and Peaster.

Mr. and Mrs. McCord will go to Pine Mountain, Ga., in September for a 12-week orientation before leaving for Korea.

Hance dinner set Tuesday in Lubbock

The Kent Hance for Congress Committee will sponsor a dinner in honor of the congressman and his work as the District 19 representative Tuesday in the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, beginning at 8 p.m.

The dinner, designed "to show the nation that West Texas supports Hance in his introduction of the Hance-Conable tax relief legislation," is on a "reservation only" basis and costs \$30 per plate. All reservations were to have been made by July 29.

DHS gridders asked to meet Monday night

Dimmitt High School Football Coach Mike Major has called a meeting for Monday night of all boys interested in playing football.

The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school auditorium. Major said the meeting is for all high school and junior high boys interested in playing football, and that it is also open to parents and other interested persons.

Boys attending will meet the coaching staff, receive insurance and physical forms, and talk a little bit about Bobcat football." Major said.

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		BOYS SHOES	\$3.00
		Mens Pull on WORK BOOTS	\$39.99

New Home Office of

Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance Association

The Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance Association's new building is open and in use following a July 11th and 12th open house that drew more than 1,000 people to the new facility. Nazareth's Branch Secretary, Mary Klemann said the new two-story, 30,000 square foot building will provide the company with much needed room. HPFM, a farm mutual or a member-owned insurance association founded in 1892 in the Yoakum area, insures both city and rural Texas. The new facility, located at 500 Highway 77A, Yoakum, Texas houses 60 employees.

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Miss Nelson is feted with shower Saturday Vows are recited in Canyon

Melanie Nelson, bride-elect of King Burney, was honored with a shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Charles Nutt.

Thirty-six women assisted Mrs. Nutt as co-hostesses. Receiving guests with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Dan Nelson; her grandmother, Mrs. Clarence Nelson; and Mrs. Nutt. Joyce Bills registered guests.

Sharla Vaughan, Amy Merritt, Darla Myatt and Sue Rita Myatt served mint julep, fresh fruit and an assortment of breads in brass and copper appointments. The serving

table was covered with an ecru-lace cloth, and centered with an arrangement of pastel cut flowers.

Miss Nelson and Burney will be married Aug. 14 in Dimmitt.

TWENTY-TWO year old Phyllis Riley was swimming in the ocean and suddenly felt something grab part of her bathing suit. She was dragged 10-15 feet through the water before she could free herself, just in time to see a six-foot shark swimming back out to sea.

Sarah Elizabeth "Libby" Crooks and John Leslie Sparks Jr. exchanged marriage vows in a formal double-ring ceremony July 11 in the Joseph A. Hill Memorial Chapel in Canyon.

Finis Marchman, pastor of Vega's First Baptist Church, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Crooks of Carthage, former Dimmitt residents, are the parents of the bride. Sparks is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sparks of Estelline.

Mrs. Vance McGee of Perryton, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor. Mrs. Ted Phillips of Farwell was the bridesmaid.

Each bridal attendant wore a formal-length gown of lilac crystalline which featured a deep ruffle accenting a V-neck.

Corey Mitchell of Slaton, cousin of the groom, served as best man, and the groomsmen was Fred McMillan of Dallas.

Candlelighters were Joylyn Broderson of Dimmitt and Stephanie Crooks of Seymour, cousin of the bride. They wore white eyelet dresses with deep ruffles at the shoulders and hemlines.

Don DeLozier of Hereford, cousin of the bride, and Eddie Phillips of Dumas were the ushers.

An old-fashioned bouquet of daisies, asters and chrysanthemums graced the altar, backed by arched and spiral candelabra entwined with greenery. White satin bows marked the first two pews.

Mrs. Gayle Bowen played the organ and Barbara Brown sang "Always and Forever," "Annie's Song," and "One in a Million."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal floor-length gown of sheer organza and re-embroidered Chantilly lace over bridal taffeta. The gown was designed with a Queen Anne neckline, Empire waist, long Camelot sleeves and a bouffant skirt. Inserts of lace enhanced with tiny seed pearls complemented the neckline, bodice, sleeves and skirt. The full back ended in a sweeping chapel-length train. Her three-tiered veil of



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imported illusion with a border of matching Chantilly lace was attached to a Juliet cap of lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascading bouquet of white roses and carnations centered with white orchids.

A reception was held following the ceremony. The bride's table was covered in white linen and featured a silver punch service. The bride's cousins, Mrs. Brent Stephens of Groom and Mrs. Gary Smith of Canyon, served the three-tiered wedding cake which was decorated with spring flowers.

Karen Fuller of Estelline served chocolate cake from the groom's table, which

featured a silver coffee service.

Also in the houseparty were Mrs. Gene Smith of Dimmitt, Mrs. Edward DeLozier and Mrs. Toby Crooks.

For a wedding trip to Denver, Colo., the bride chose a pale blue dress with a white jacket and a corsage from her bouquet.

The couple plan to make their home in Canyon.

The bride, a 1979 graduate of Childress High School, is a senior at West Texas State University, studying special education, and is currently employed with Best Products.

The groom was salutatorian of his 1979 graduating class at Estelline High School. He is a junior at WTSU, majoring in pre-medical studies.



[Compiled from the Community Birthday Calendars sponsored by the Castro County Extension Homemakers and the Nazareth Swift Band.]

JULY 30 - Gery Verkamp, Cleo Seely, Gayla Kittrell, Debra Bennight.

JULY 31 - Denice Schulte, Anthony Mays, Nathan Malone, JoJo Evans, Michelle Garcia, Eddie Derrick, Homer Nisbett, Clara Roundtree, Connie Backus, Naomi Hartman, Nadine Jones, Glenn Ramaekers, Cince Schulte.

AUGUST 1 - Brenda Seely, Jesse Ramos.

AUGUST 2 - Martha Martinez, Randy Lunsford, Marshall Young, Kenn Justice, Ruby Bagwell, Helen Behrends, Susie Bradford, Richard West, Cora West, Jon Mac Annen, Virgil Birkenfeld, Clint Braddock, Bobbi Hochstein.

AUGUST 3 - Ken Vandergrift, Colleen Brockman, Marjorie Durbin, John Schacher, Dana Schulte, Santos Ellis, Charles Richard, Pat Shield, Jackie Byrnes, Irene Wilkerson, Darrell Lewis.

AUGUST 4 - Hubert Backus, Kim Braddock, Hal Brockman, Dickie Hoelting, Stanley Schulte.

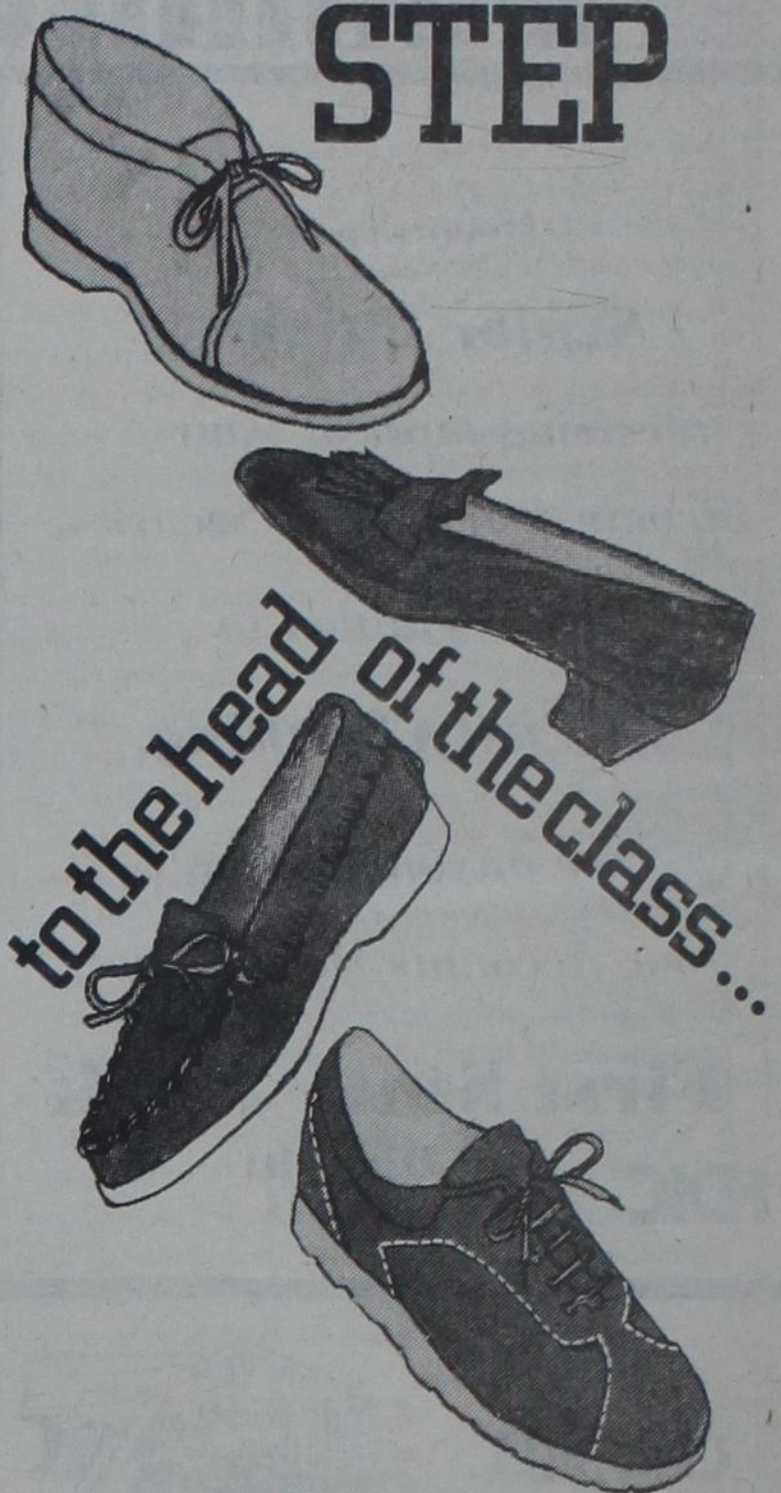
AUGUST 5 - Betty Birkenfeld, Vernon Braddock, Kim Drerup, Ed Ramaekers, Kristin Ramaekers, Rita Woetovech, Marguerite McLain, Ruby Patterson, Dennis Burnam, Carole Bishop, Daisy Langford.

AUGUST 6 - Doyle Kleman Robin Schulte, Layne Myatt, James Bradford, John Womack.

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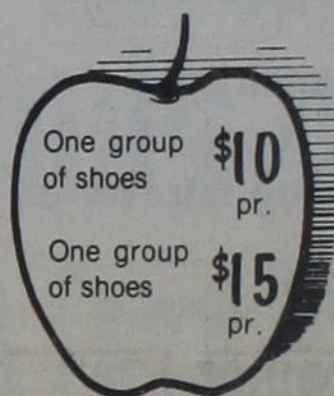
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Ernest Tripp officiated at the double-ring ceremony. The bride was escorted to the altar by Joe Lucas, a friend of the couple. She wore a street-length dress and a shoulder-length veil, and carried a bouquet of blue and white roses.

Serving as best man was Fred Nollerud.

A reception was held at 401 Ross in Clovis immediately following the wedding.

The couple are at home in Clovis following a wedding trip to Minnesota and South Dakota.



JULY 31 - Randy and Lori Burnam.

AUGUST 2 - Gene and Ruby Mae Hubbard, Bryce and Darlene Dowell.

AUGUST 3 - Rex and Dorothy Sheffy, Connie and Francis Backus, Vernon and Esther Braddock.

AUGUST 5 - Ted and Jean Robb, Deroy and Rena Cates.

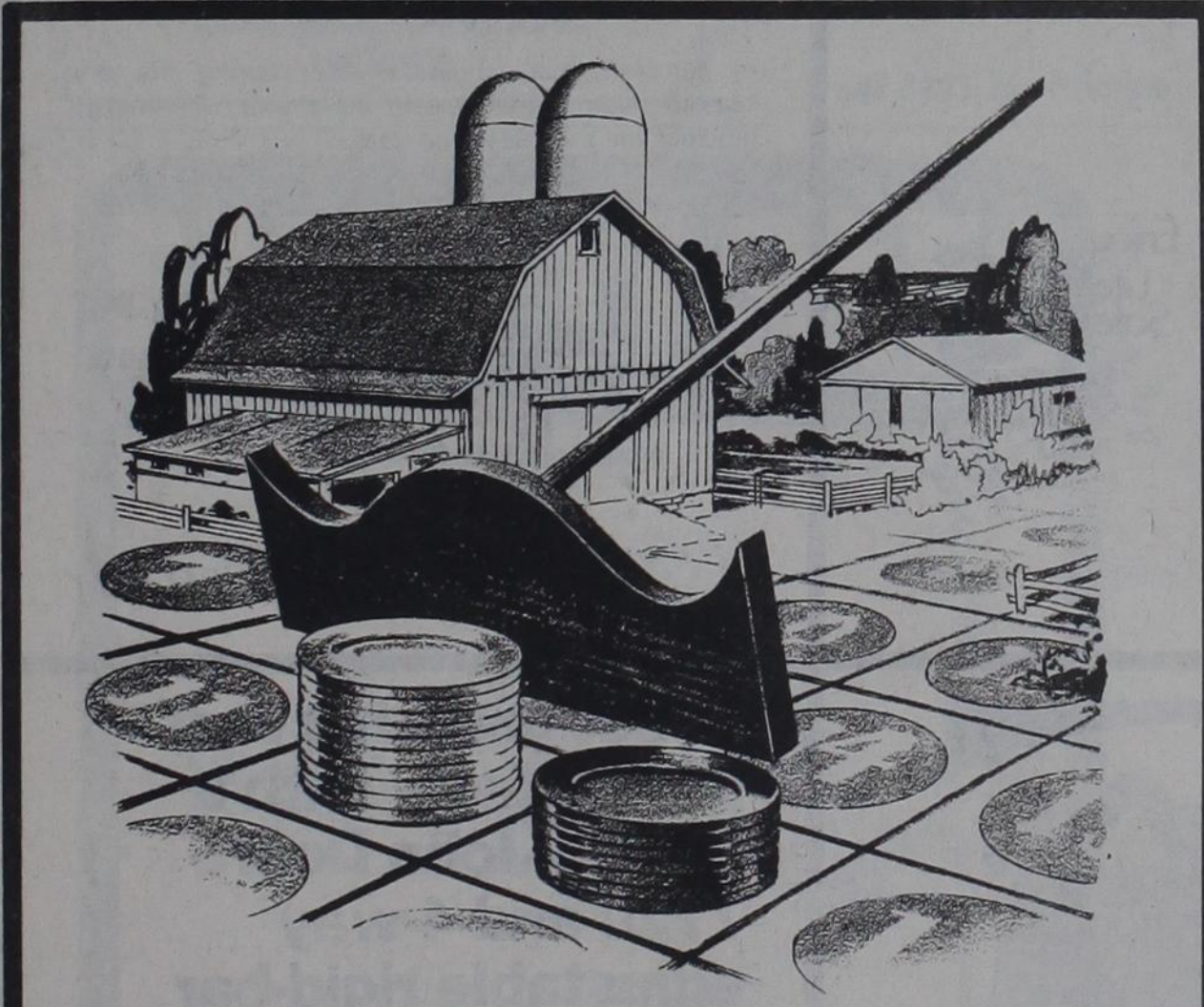
AUGUST 6 - Mike and Prissy Boothe, Leonard and Rosemary Wilhelm, Keith and Ann Cayton, Mike and Marjorie Booth.

Moss gives Tops program

Karen Moss gave the program at Monday night's weekly meeting of TOPS Club 386 in Rhoads Memorial Library.

Ten members weighed in. Winning the Lady Tops of the Week honor was Ann Pevehouse with a 2 1/4-pound loss. Named Kops of the Week was Fay Varner. No male Tops of the Week award was given.

The club has scheduled a fellowship and awards night Aug. 17 at the public library.



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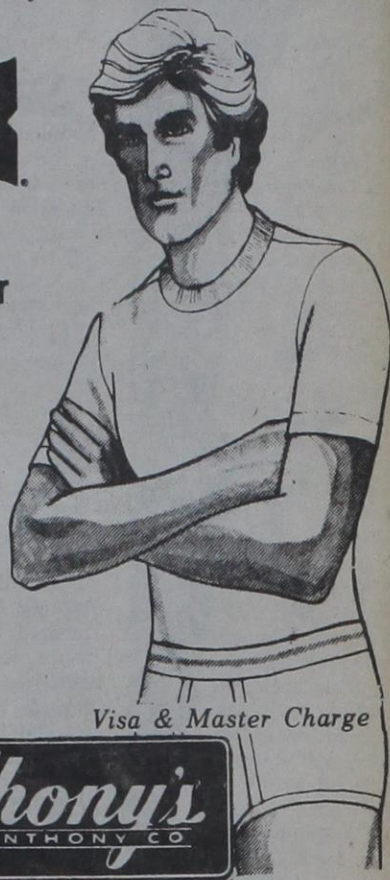
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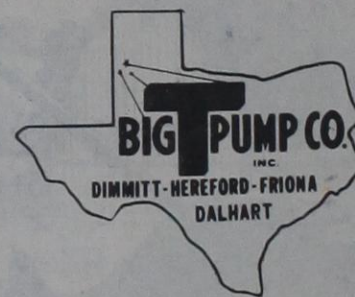
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4-H record-book winners named

Castro County 4-H record books have been judged on the senior and junior levels, and those winning first-place ribbons will compete at the district level Friday. They will be competing against winners in 20 other counties. County winners in the Senior Division were Janet Huseman (bread), Scott Simpson (dairy), Mary Jean Huseman (food and nutrition),

Bart Huseman (home environment), Robby Hottel (shooting sports), and Kennon Howell (swine). First place winners in the junior division were Cara Odom (clothing), Sheryl Simpson (dairy), Holly Waggoner (food and nutrition), Kim Howell (horse), Coby Moke (sheep), Trampas Moke (swine), and Mark Standlee (shooting sports).

Blue awards were given to Kelly Howell (sheep), Lorelia Acker (clothing), Gay Waggoner (dairy), Ryan Smith (sheep), Robin Price (sheep), Joel Nelson (horse), and Charlynn Hunter (food and nutrition). Red award winners were

Gary Leatherwood (sheep), Tammy Leatherwood (sheep), Janet Kaderly (sheep), Jill Kaderly (sheep), and Kyla

Struve (clothing). White awards were given to Joan Robel (clothing) and Cami Struve (sheep).

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- Betty Stewart
- R. C. Sullivan
- Mary K. Kasher
- Amanda McNeill
- Ester Galloup
- Aura Voight
- Mary Dixon
- Clara Fuller
- Adan Lopez
- Rosa Marie Saenz
- Helen McLean

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- Gretta Keating
- Celia Carlile
- Kay Mansell
- Irma Rivera
- Jerry Gonzales
- Sam Killough
- Candace George
- Bettye Huckabay
- Martha Simons
- Stacey Huseman
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'Mini-clinic' for tennis is being planned

The Castro County Tennis Association will sponsor a "mini-clinic" Aug. 17, 18 and 19 for all age groups.

The association is also planning a doubles tournament for the week of Aug. 17, with the exact date to be set

later. For more information, contact Joe King at 647-4587 or Doricell Davis at 647-5597.

NHS players urged to get physicals

Nazareth High School Football Coach Ken Cole reminds all high school boys who are considering playing football this year to take their physical exams by Aug. 10.

Two-a-day football workouts will start Aug. 10, Cole said, and contact work will start four days later.

Dixon graduates from SPAG school

Lisa Dixon of Plains, daughter of M. L. and Polly Simpson of Dimmitt, graduated ninth in a class of 39 from the South Plains Association of Governments Law Enforcement School in Lubbock last Thursday.

Mrs. Dixon, who is employed in the Yoakum County Sheriff's Office in Plains, was recognized for having the outstanding notebook of the six-week school.

The graduation banquet was held at the Gridiron Restaurant.

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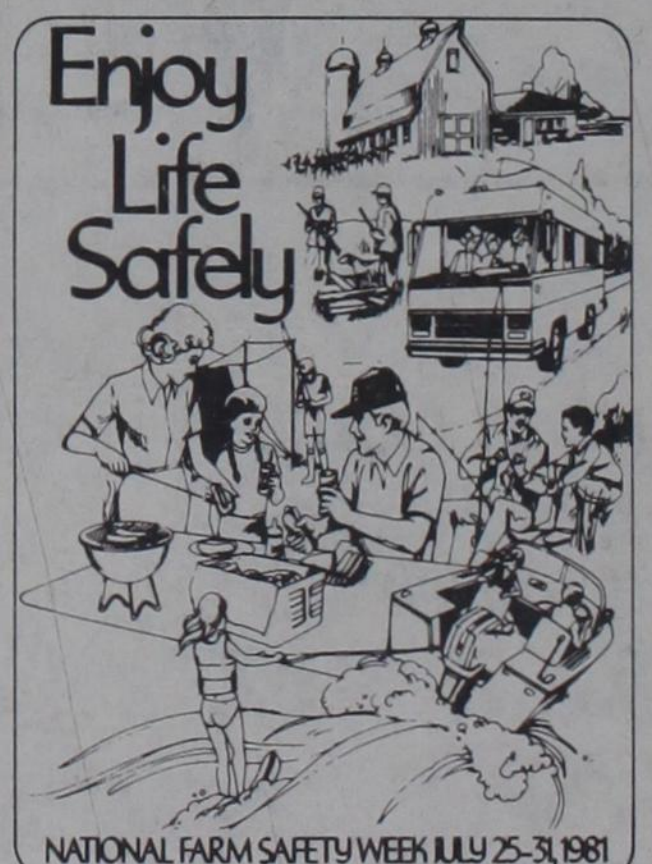


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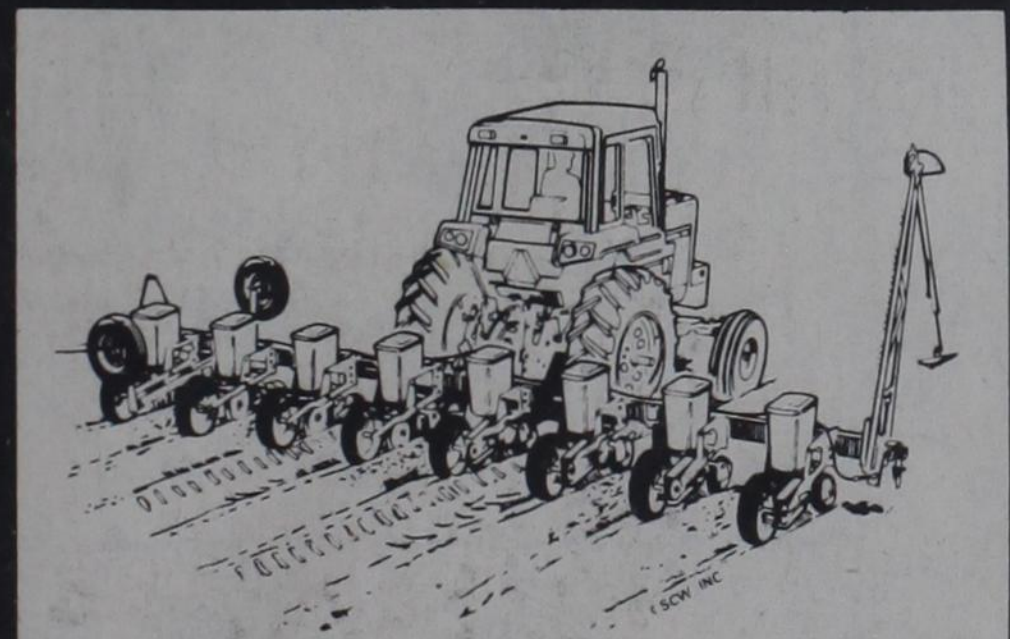
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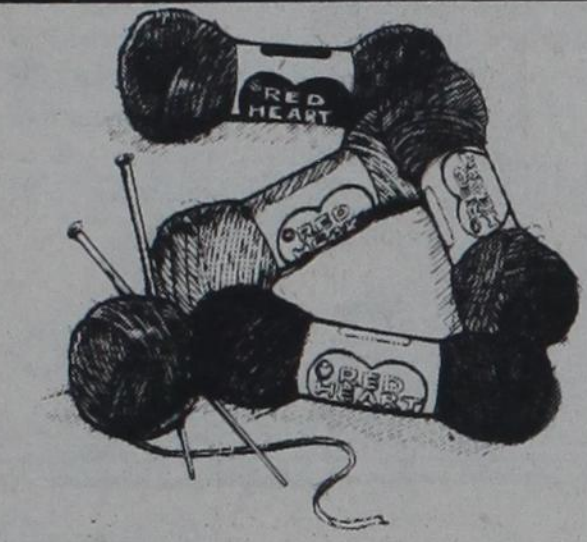
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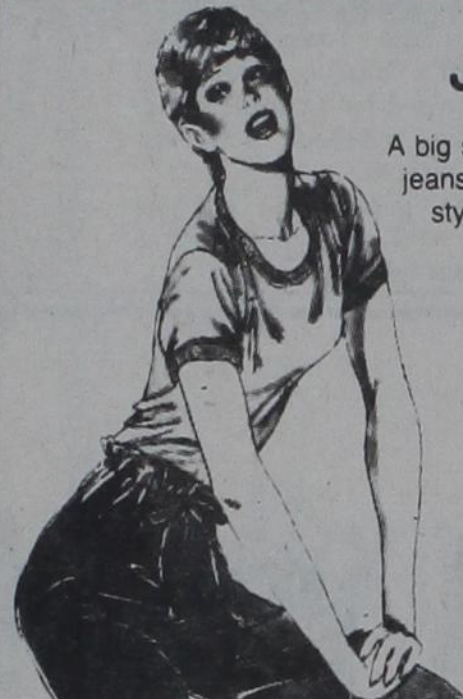
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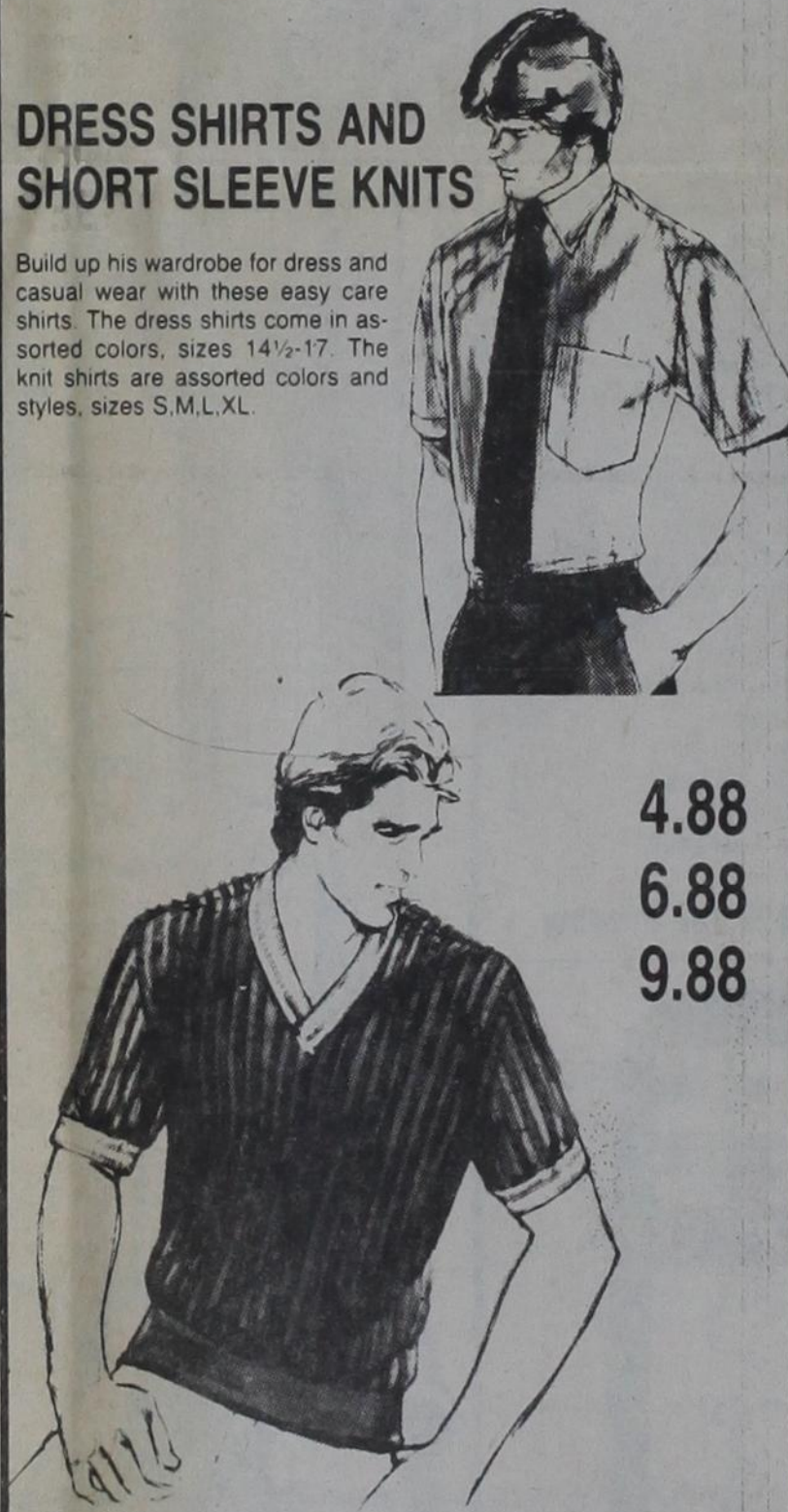
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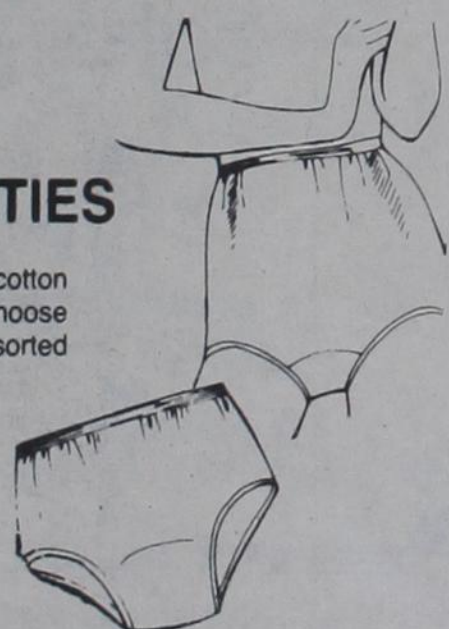
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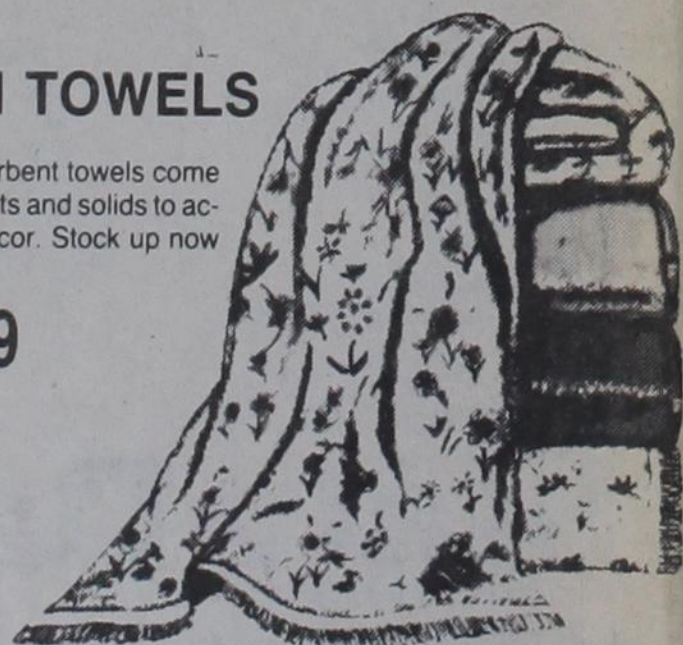
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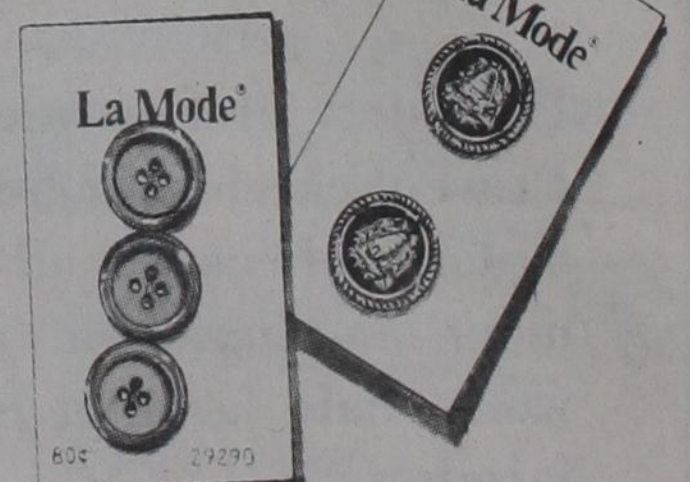
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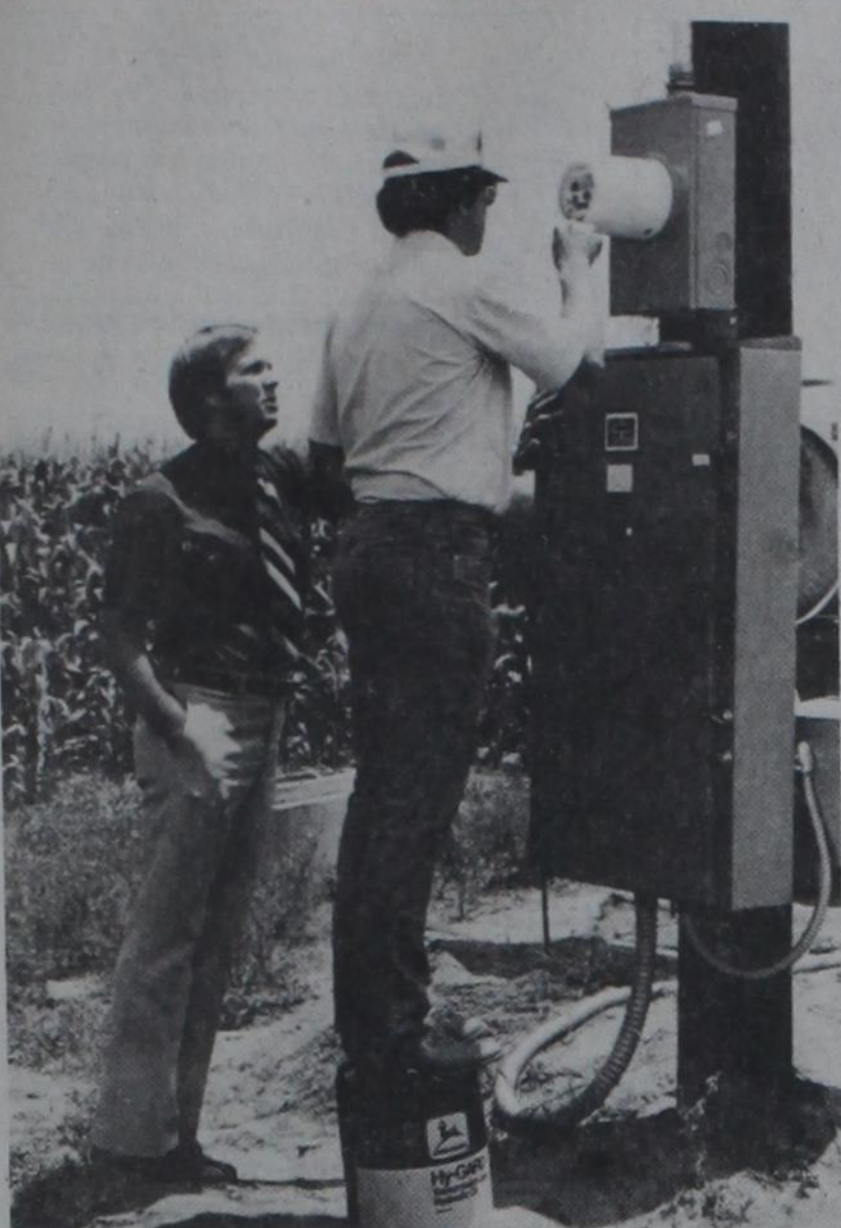
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IT'S A METER, AND A CLOCK—Steve Louder, Deaf Smith REC engineer, and Mack Steffey, cooperative member from southern Castro County, inspect a new concept in watt-hour metering — a "time-of-day" meter, which would allow a utility to make available a lower electric rate for certain times of the day when electrical demand is lowest, and when electricity can be delivered at less expense. The meter is being used experimentally by Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative to hold down the rising costs of electricity. Steffey has installed the time-of-day meter on a 100-hp irrigation well on his farm.

Store manager Garza to head earns diploma CF drive here

Teresa Hanson, of Dimmitt, recently received her diploma from Larry Watts, instructor for the Allsup's Store Manager training course.

The eight day class is a requirement for new managers, preparing them for the responsibilities of operating an Allsup's store.

According to Watts, "The course is demanding, teaching theory, policies and procedures, as well as practical application. It provides our customers with a professional who is better prepared to meet their needs."

Teresa will return to her store at 501 Bedford in Dimmitt to assume the duties of manager.

Classifieds Get Results

New groundwater atlas is out

Castro County's Hydrologic Atlas is now available to area irrigators, landowners, and residents of the High Plains Underground Water District service area.

This atlas is the most detailed and complete ground water mapping investigation ever made in Castro County according to District Manager A. Wayne Wyatt.

The atlas consists of a packet containing a text describing the county's hydrologic conditions and a set of four maps covering that portion of Castro County served by the district.

The four maps illustrate (1) the elevation of the land surface; (2) the elevation of the water table in the Ogallala Formation in 1980; (3) the elevation of the base of the Ogallala Formation; and (4) the saturated thickness of the Ogallala in 1980. The maps were developed using 20-ft. contour intervals.

The data for each map describing this information is printed on a county highway base map at a scale of two miles per inch. Legal descriptions are also illustrated on the maps to assist landowners in proper identification of their property.

A tremendous amount of data was used in constructing the maps, Wyatt noted. Their drafting and production was made possible with support from the Texas Dept. of Water Resources and required over six man-years of effort by water district staff geologists and draftsmen. These maps should reflect a "very accurate picture" of the hydrologic conditions as of 1980 for the area of Castro County served by the water district, Wyatt said.

The text is short, concise, illustrated, and includes an explanation of how to read and interpret contour lines. Points discussed in the text include the older geologic formation in relation to the Ogallala, the composition of the Ogallala, its volume of water in storage, chemical quality, recharge, movement and water-level changes.

All 15 county atlases are being published by the water district for all or those portions of the following counties served by the High Plains Water District: Armstrong, Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Parmer, Potter and Randall.

These atlases are being

prepared to help local landowners and operators and other county residents to better understand the fresh water resource available under their towns, cities, farms and industries. They should be a valuable planning tool to confirm available water resources and for use primarily in providing general information to the public served by

the district, and are not warranted for use in real estate transactions or other legal matters.

Copies of the atlas are available upon request and at no charge from the High Plains Water District. To request a copy, you may either write 2930 Ave. Q, Lubbock, 79405, or call (806) 762-0181.

Allsup's plans pre-telethon canister collections for MD

Allsup's Convenience Stores, Inc., participants in the Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon, will conduct pre-telethon activities during the month of August, according to Kurt Verlei, Director of Public Relations.

The Company will display collection canisters in all 207 Allsup's Convenience Stores throughout New Mexico, Texas, and Oklahoma.

"This is a very important part of fund raising prior to the telethon," said Verlei. "The Association receives no tax supported grants nor does it seek or receive fees from patients or their families," Verlei added. "Their programs are funded almost entirely by private contributors and corporations and, of course, through the Labor Day Telethon."

The Muscular Dystrophy Association is currently seeking causes and cures for 40 crippling neuromuscular related disorders. Free diagnostic services, therapeutic and rehabilitative follow-up care are provided by Muscular Dystrophy Association's 230 clinics at no cost to any individual suffering from one of the diseases covered by the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Allsup's will also be conducting the Allsup's Doorbell Brigade. Area youngsters are encouraged, on Aug. 29 and 30, to visit their local Allsup's store and pick up a collection packet.

After collecting donations for Jerry's kids and returning them to the store, Allsup's will give them a free fountain drink of their choice.

Conservation Great Plains program to mark its 25th year

Aug. 7 should be a historic day for farmers, ranchers, soil and water conservation district directors, and all of us who depend upon agricultural products for our food and clothing.

The date will be the silver anniversary of the Great Plains Conservation Program, Barney Lee, district conservationist for the US Conservation Service at Dimmitt, said this week.

"Just 25 years ago, on Aug. 7, 1956, President Eisenhower signed into law the bill authorizing the program," Lee said. "It is available to producers in the 10 Great Plains states — stretching through the nation's breadbasket from North Dakota to Texas."

GPCP helps farmers and ranchers solve problems of wind and water erosion, drought, and other resource-related problems with technical and financial aid based on conservation plans tailored to each farm or ranch.

The first Great Plains contract in the local Running Water Soil and Water Conservation District was signed by Gip Hudson. 54 contracts protecting 75,918 acres have been signed in Castro County.

"Grass seeding, terraces, grassed waterways, livestock water facilities, cross-fences, and livestock grazing programs are among GPCP practices on which a landowner can receive technical and cost-sharing assistance," Lee said.

The conservation practices in a GPCP plan are scheduled to be applied over 3 to 10 years. The U.S. Department of Agriculture has assigned leadership of the program to the Soil Conservation Service.

"All problems aren't solved in the Great Plains," Lee said. "But since the program has been in operation, wind erosion has not caused the

tragic damage of the dust bowl days of the 1930s and the drought of the '50s.

"The terrible drought of 1980, however, threatened approximately 11 million acres with wind damage," Lee said. "While the disaster didn't happen in 1980, the drought and the resulting threat shows that we can never let our guard down when it comes to protecting our natural resources."

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Hart ISD to conduct pre-school screening

The Hart Independent School District, in cooperation with the Castro County Co-operative for Special Education, will conduct a pre-school screening of all children in the district who will be 3 or 4 years old as of Sept. 1.

Children will be assessed in speech, learning, and fine and gross motor development, and will have hearing and vision checked. The assessment will take 45 minutes to one hour per child.

Children in the Hart district will be screened at the kindergarten building on the Hart school campus, Aug. 13 and 14 from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.

and 1:00 to 4 p.m.

This screening will provide parents opportunities to learn more about their child's development and will identify children with special needs, school officials said.

Anyone with questions may call the director of Castro County Special Education at 647-3101.

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LIONBURGERS—Members of the Hart Lions Club hold their breath and stick their heads into the smoke to turn the patties while preparing "Lionburgers" during the Hart Days celebra-

tion at noon Saturday. Hundreds of Lionburgers were served to a hungry crowd during the day, along with tacos, tamales, homemade ice cream, watermelon and soft drinks.



AND WATERMELON—Yes, there IS such a thing as a free lunch. At least, there was free watermelon for everyone at the Hart Days celebration at noon Saturday, courtesy of West Texas Gas Co. Here, Houston "Punk" Hamby slices several

portions while other employees of WTGC keep the line of melons coming. The servers also provided paper towels and a "community bucket" of water for hand-washing.

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Revival set at Springlake

A revival will be held at the First Baptist Church, Springlake, Aug. 2-9. Evangelist for the revival will be Bro. E. K. Shepherd, who has served for the past three years as minister to the senior adults at the First Baptist Church in Brownfield. Shepherd previously served as pastor at the First Baptist Churches in Wilson, Snyder, and Muleshoe, and also in Montana and Colorado. He attended Wayland Baptist College and Howard Payne College and the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He previously preached a revival in Springlake in the late '50s. Song director for the revival will be Duane Harris, music director of the First Baptist

Church in Springlake. Harris is the head of the Music Department at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview and is director of the International Choir at Wayland. Sunday services for the revival will begin at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Weekday services will be held at 12 noon, with lunch being served, and at 8:30 p.m.

AN appeaser is one who feeds a crocodile — hoping it will eat him last. — Winston Churchill



LITTLE MISS HART contestants pose in their formals after the judging in the Miss Hart Pageant Thursday night in the Hart Elementary School gym. From left are D'Lynn Hankins, first runner-up; Monica Alcocer, third runner-up;

Leticia Lee Centeno, the new Little Miss Hart; and Stephanie Shields, second runner-up. Miss Centeno was crowned by last year's winner, Tanya Lee.

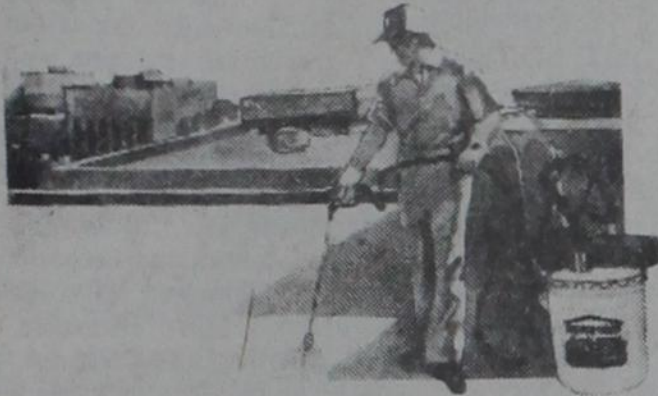
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Tassel length doesn't necessarily count for high yield when selecting corn hybrids, according to the research director of a major seed company. Corn varieties selected for high yields, he said, have smaller tassels and are more stress-tolerant than unimproved counterparts. Research has indicated hybrids which can consistently resist barrenness, particularly at high plant populations, have short tassels. The reason has to do with the dominant flower developing from the primary growing point. The flower receives most of the nutrients and water during development. This causes competition between the tassel and the ear shoot and, if that competition is strong enough, the ear shoot — the female flower — comes out the loser, and the ear won't develop. Small tassels also provide less shade and enhance light penetration.

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Social Security in Castro County

By JANICE B. ULMER

"When is my medicare claim going to be paid? I filed it in April and I still haven't heard a thing!" We have heard this question time and again over the past few months.

To determine just what is happening, I spoke recently with James Crawford, the division manager of corporate communications for Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Texas. Blue Cross-Blue Shield processes Part B Medicare claims in our state.

Crawford explained that on May 4, 1981, they began converting from the computer system they were using to a new, more sophisticated model.

"We anticipated a four-to-six-week conversion period at the outset, as well as a claims inventory of approximately one million," stated Crawford. He further estimated that the entire process of conversion and delayed claims would be completed by mid to late August.

"It appears we will meet that schedule," Crawford assured. "We are currently experiencing a downward trend in working this inventory of claims. Part of this is due to the substantial overtime we have been working and part is a consequence of fewer new claims arriving in the past few days."

Medicare receives an average of 35,000 claims each day. The new system processes these more efficiently and with greater speed. The goal of the company is to process the claims as they come in. This means approximately 400,000 claims will be in process at any given time when the new system is working at full capacity. Crawford noted that the new system is not refusing as many claims as the old one. In other words, it is able to handle more without requiring follow-up requests to the person submitting the claim.

He emphasized, however, that proper completion of your claim depends on proper information submitted. Each claim must have the beneficiary's Medicare number, name and address of the doctor performing the service, as well as his provider number. It must also include each charge separately listed according to service and charge, as well as a diagnosis of the illness being treated. If all this information is present, the system is able to process the claim quickly and accurately.

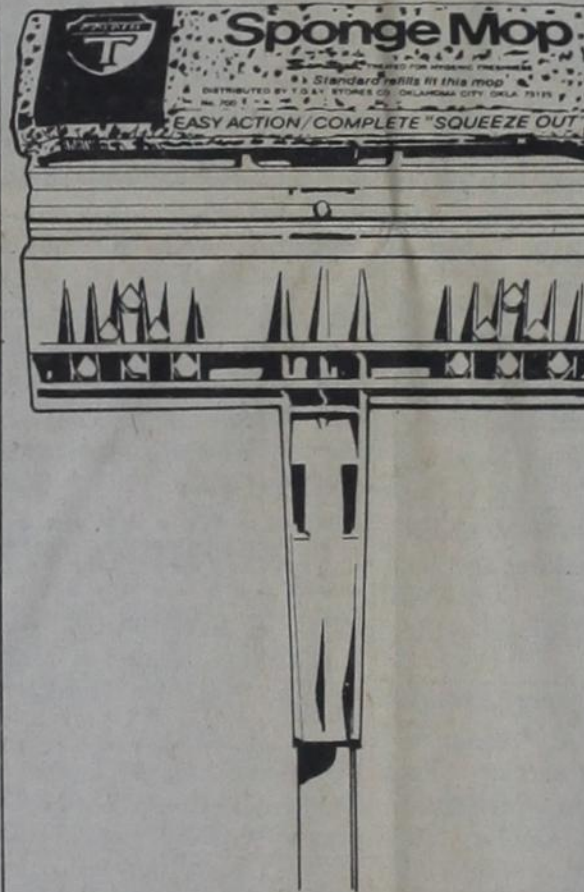
In conclusion, Crawford expressed his appreciation of the patient attitude of Medicare beneficiaries during this interim period.

"If you have not heard anything on your claim after six weeks, you may call our toll-free number, 1-800-442-2620. The operator will check your claim and if it is not in process she will advise you to refile," he said.

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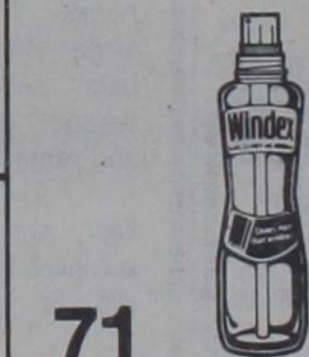
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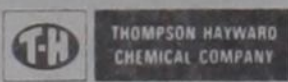


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LEGAL NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Any Sheriff or Constable within the State of Texas

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published once each week for four (4) consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight (28) days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Castro County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the following is a true copy:

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO CLINTON WRIGHT

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 64th Judicial District Court of Castro County, Texas, at the Court-house in Dimmitt, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday next after expiration of forty-two (42) days from July 20th, 1981, the date of issuance of this Citation, by filing a written answer to Plaintiffs' Original Petition, which was filed in said Court on March 5, 1981, numbered 4962 in the 64th Judicial District Court of Castro County, Texas, and styled DAVID L. COOPER, O'LETA D. COOPER, DAVID GILBERT ALLAN, and JEAN C. ALLAN, Plaintiffs, VS. CLINTON WRIGHT and KAREN WRIGHT, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: A suit to domesticate a foreign judgment entered in the State of Colorado against the Defendants, CLINTON WRIGHT and KAREN WRIGHT, for the sum of \$18,628.64, plus interest thereon from April 17, 1980, at the rate of nine per cent (9%) per annum, and for costs of this suit, all as is more fully shown by Plaintiffs' Original Petition, which is on file hereof.

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MAN does not live by words alone, despite the fact that sometimes he has to eat them. —Adlai Stevenson

Nelson earns honors at UT

David Thomas Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Nelson of Dimmitt, was one of 330 students in the College of Communications at the University of Texas at Austin named to the 1981 spring semester honor roll. Nelson earned a 4.0 grade point average for the spring semester.

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a pipe-smoking pioneer farmer plowing with a team of dummy oxen, a young farmer of today on a tractor, and a farmer of the future with her own rocket. The float also won the "Most Unusual Entry" award.

Pevehouse earns USMC promotion

Marine Cpl. Charles W. Pevehouse, son of Nathan and Ann Pevehouse of Dimmitt, Texas, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with the 2nd Battalion, 6th Marines, Camp Lejeune, N.C. He joined the Marine Corps in September 1978.

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Nazareth

Heimans host tourney

By VIRGIE GERBER

The first annual mixed doubles tennis tournament was held Saturday afternoon and Sunday on the tennis court at the home of Denny and Dolores Heimans. The first-place winners were Charley Hill and Lisa Schulte, second-place winners were Kenny Schulte and Glenda Gerber, and third place was won by Doyle Kleman and Sandee Hoelting. There were

16 couples entered in the tournament, but many more came just to watch or to play horseshoes and miniature golf. Everyone enjoyed plenty of good food, refreshments and visiting. Thanks to the Heimans for a very enjoyable weekend, and we'll look forward to it next year.

LeRoy and Dorothy Pohlmeier enjoyed several days' vacation in Colorado this past week. They visited Lyn and Pam Bogle and children in Center and Tom and Brenda Conrad and family in Colorado Springs. Brenda, Tiffany, Blake and Brent came home with the Pohlmeiers to spend a couple of weeks until Tom comes to join them. While in Colorado Springs, the Pohlmeiers attended their new granddaughter's baptism at Holy Apostles Church with Leroy and Colette Hoelting as her sponsors.

Ed and Lorene Riley and son Patrick from Kansas City have been here visiting Lorene's mother, Marie Brockman. While here, they visited in Midland with Gerald and Sheila Brockman and family.

Enjoying a cookout at the home of Marie Brockman Sunday were John, Caroline, Stephanie and Lisa Hodges, Erin, Phyllis, Mary, Pat, Amber and Tyson Podzemny, Elizabeth and Elsie Rickwartz, and Herman and Vi Rickwartz, all of Amarillo; Joe, Georgann, Gregg, Matt, Sam, Tony, Dwayne, Kevin and Brenda Rickwartz of Channing; Chester and Vivian Jones and children, Keith and Connie Rickwartz of Shamrock; George and Mary Brockman of Umbarger; Ernie, Florene and Ladonna Brockman of Nazareth; Leon and Sabrina Rickwartz and son Cris of Amarillo; and Ed, Lorene and Patrick Riley of Kansas City.

The annual Catholic Life Insurance meeting and lunch was held Sunday at the Nazareth Community Hall with about 100 policy owners attending. Sales director, Tom Acker of San Antonio was here for the meeting. Cecelia Annen is home from an Amarillo hospital. Her daughter, Ruby Hubbard, has returned to Fort Worth after spending a week here with her mother.

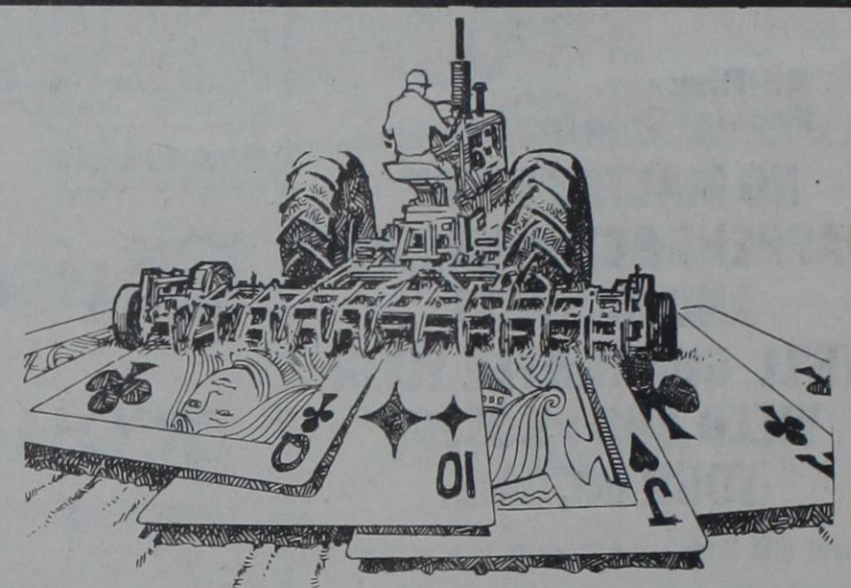
Stacey Huseman, daughter of Gary and Kelly Huseman, is home and doing fine after spending several days in Plains Memorial Hospital.

Father Harold Heiman of Subiaco, Ark., was here several days visiting relatives and friends. He visited with many at the tennis tournament Saturday afternoon. It's always good to have him stop in Nazareth to visit.

Gene and Susie Gerber of Odessa spent the weekend here. Their daughters, Natalie and Jenny, visited here and in Olton last week. Kris Ryan Gerber went to Odessa with them Sunday evening to spend a week.

Karen and Lea Ann Huseman were in San Antonio from Tuesday to Friday. They attended district meetings of the Texas 4-H Congress. While there they enjoyed the River Walk and other tours. Karen toured the Air Force base and Lea Ann the University Health Science Center.

Bud and Rita Kern, Kenny, Michael, Frances and Bobby have gone to Big Rapids, Wis., to visit Bud's sister Bonnie Golder and family.



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FIRST PLACE FLOAT in the Hart Days Parade Saturday morning was this colorful entry by the Republican Organization for Women, entitled "Pride of the Past, Hope of the Future." The float featured Rev. and

Mrs. Edward Freeman in costumes from the Revolutionary era, with children helping man farm implements while throwing bubble-gum to the crowd.

Sunnyside

Church planning growth campaign

By TEENY BOWDEN
Rev. Raymond Jones attended a church growth conference in Sudan Monday night, a first step in the training for the pastor-led Church Growth Campaign to be held in September. The church voted in the last monthly conference to enter into the program, which will be launched Friday night, Sept. 11, after the local training program has ended. Much of August will be devoted to local training workshops.

Dara Loudder attended a cheerleading seminar in Dallas at Southern Methodist University Monday through Saturday with the other

Springlake-Earth cheerleaders.

Gwendolyn and Melinda Wilson rode decorated bicycles in the Hart Days Parade Saturday morning.

Kim Haydon was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday with a slight concussion, received when she collided with a pickup driven by Antonio Padilla, also of the community. The wreck took place at a crossroads near the Springlake-Earth school. Mr. Padilla was not seriously injured, and the pickup suffered damage to only one side. The car was demolished.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson attended the grand opening of the Cosmopolitan Spa in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler, Mrs. Larry Sadler, Carrie, Stacy, and Laura, and Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler, Melody and Karla attended the Sadler family reunion at Breckenridge Lake over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Waggoner, Laura, Susan and John spent Monday through Wednesday at Ruidoso with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stapleton of San Angelo, and her father's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of El Paso at the Harris cabin. They also toured museums at Fort Sumner and Lincoln.

Carl Dean Carson was in Waco for an insurance school last Sunday through Saturday. Terrie, Deakon, and Joshua stayed in Odessa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Waggoner, Holly and Gay spent last weekend in Stephenville. They took a load of cattle.

Mrs. L. B. Bowden was the KDHN Good Neighbor for the day Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Waggoner of Vernon, cousins of Euleus Waggoner, spent Thursday night in Dimmitt with Mr. and Mrs. John Aldredge, and visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Euleus Waggoner and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Waggoner and children.

Mrs. Bruce Bridges visited in Irving last Thursday through Sunday with her sister, Erin and Robin stayed in Clovis with another sister, Becky Anderson, and Jonathan stayed with his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Glen Smith of Springlake. Bruce attended the Earth Rodeo Friday and Saturday nights.

Lynn Brown visited in South Fork, Colo. Wednesday through Sunday with LaQuita Harrison who is working there this summer.

Juana Yanez was presented a little race car during the Sunday morning services for having read another 25 books. This was her second car. Danny Green has read 25, but was not present to receive his car.

The Uppitts had charge of the Children's Sermon Sunday morning with 14 children attending. Bro. Benny Villarreal of Anton conducted services for the Spanish-

speaking residents of the community both Sunday morning and Sunday night, with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Morris of Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Phelan of Weatherford visited last Monday through last Wednesday with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phelan.

Mrs. Iva Jean Miller and Lisa Ann of Cottonwood, Tenn. visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carr and family, and will spend another week with them before returning to Tennessee.

Lyle Shive of Amarillo visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer. He also has visited with them the last

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Malathion is hazard-free, despite California uproar

Despite the public uproar in California about use of Malathion to control Mediterranean fruit flies, the material has a proven track record of being safe and free of health hazards.

"Malathion has been with us a long time — since the early 1950s — and is one of the most commonly used insecticides by farmers, homeowners and gardeners," points out Dr. Phil Hamman, entomologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service Texas A&M University System.

Hamman says he has been inundated with telephone calls since the California controversy from people wanting to know about the safety of malathion.

Tests sponsored by the National Cancer Institute have shown malathion to be both non-carcinogenic (not causing cancer) and non-mutagenic (not causing genetic changes).

According to Dr. Bill Plapp, research toxicologist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, malathion is one of the least dangerous insecticides in use today.

"Malathion is routinely used by many homeowners and gardeners to control insects and mites on trees, shrubs, houseplants, flowers and vegetables. It is also used to control external parasites on pets," says Hamman.

In addition, he explains that malathion is used widely to control many different insect pests of crops. For instance, it has been used in large area control programs for boll weevils and grasshoppers in West Texas.

Another major use of malathion in Texas has been for mosquito control programs.

"Malathion is used almost exclusively to rid urban and suburban areas of disease-carrying mosquitoes," says Hamman. "In 1966-67 and again in 1971, vast areas of Texas, including major cities such as Dallas, Houston and Corpus Christi, were aerially

sprayed with malathion to control outbreaks of St. Louis encephalitis and Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis, diseases spread by mosquitoes."

The entomologist points out that in all of these uses of malathion, there has been no record of problems involving human health.

Of course, Hamman cautions users of malathion as well as other insecticides to follow common-sense precau-

tions for safe and effective results. This means following directions on the product label, avoiding any unnecessary contact with the insecticide, and washing your hands after use. He also suggests scrubbing sprayed fruits or vegetables before cooking or eating.

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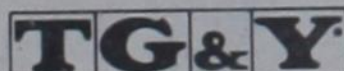


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two Fridays as he made sales to Taylor Feed Lot.

Mark Lindsey of Plainview was honored by his grandparents with a fourth birthday party in their home last Sunday. Attending were Dr. and Mrs. Robbie Lindsey and

Angelia, and a little friend, John David of Plainview, Quint Waggoner, and his grandmother, Doris Lindsey of Dimmitt. Eules took them cart riding as part of the entertainment. The cart was pulled by a Shetland mule.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Dawson and Karl King of Hereford visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. David Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown, Jason and Jared visited in Lubbock Saturday with Mrs. E. R. Brown, the Hylton Browns of Plainview and the Bud Woodwards of Lubbock and had dinner with them.

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The Dimmitt Promenaders had a busy July, dancing at South Hills Manor and at the Tulia Picnic July 5, at the Arena at the Earth Rodeo, and on the courthouse square Saturday night.

The Promenaders also made a float for the Hart Days Parade, the theme of which was "Frolicin' Farmers."

A regular dance night will be held Tuesday to finish July out. Everyone is invited to "come out and dance and have fun with us." Refreshments will be served.

TELEVISION — a device that permits people who haven't anything to do to watch people who can't do anything. — Fred Allen

'THANK GOD, I'M A COUNTRY GIRL'—That's the song to which the Miss Hart contestants dance in their opening number of the 1981 pageant Thursday night. The girls also

appeared later in formals, after having gone through pre-pageant interviews and a dinner with the judges. Theme of the pageant was "The Farmer's Daughter."

FFA student advances to interstate contest

Jerri Ka Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark and a member of the Dimmitt FFA Chapter, took another step toward national recognition in the FFA Sheep Production Proficiency Award Program when her application was submitted for regional competition.

Miss Clark was presented a \$100 check as the State FFA Sheep Production Proficiency Award winner. The proficiency award, a special project of the National FFA Foundation, was co-sponsored by the American Sheep Producers Council, Inc. of Denver, Colo., Y-Text Corp. of Cody, Wyo., and Carnation Company-Milling Division, Los Angeles.

Miss Clark's records and application will compete against those of other state winners for one of the four national finalist awards. Only one national finalist will be selected from each of the four FFA administrative regions in the U.S.

The four regional winners in Sheep Production will each receive a plaque, a \$250 check and partial travel expenses to the national FFA convention from the American Sheep Producers Council, Inc., Y-Text Corp. and Carnation Co.-Milling Division.

Should she be named a regional winner, Miss Clark will travel to the national FFA convention in Kansas City this November, where a panel of judges will select the national winner.

The winner of the National Sheep Production Proficiency Award will be presented a plaque and a check for \$500 at the national FFA convention.

Keep Nature's Protection Cigarette smoke paralyzes the cilia, tiny hairs lining the bronchial tubes that sweep foreign particles out of the lungs. According to the American Cancer Society, healthy lung tissue can be injured, even destroyed, by particles in the smoke.

View from the library

By BRICK AUTRY

Rhoads Memorial Library Calendar:
Mondays — TOPS.
Wednesdays — Story Hour 10:30.
Wednesday, Aug. 5 — Friends of the Library.
Ongoing — Summer reading program.
Week's circulation: 308 books.

The Rhoads Memorial Library Summer Program is going fine. One newsworthy item was the candy jar game. I say "was" because we're not doing it now. The game was to guess the number of candies in the jar. However, the last time we looked, the jar seemed to hold less than it formerly did. That messed up the game because certainly then, the number of candies was not the same as it formerly was. So we had to call off the game. Summer readers who enjoyed this contest should look for a well-fed youngster with possible tooth decay from too much sugar, and with tell-tale candy

wrappers on his person. The youngster will be subject of a new game, called "Pin the Tail on the Donkey."

The Best Seller list includes a new James Bond mystery, a new Toni Morrison novel, and a novel described as weird, entitled "The White Hotel."

The author of Shogun has his next book on the best-selling list. It is entitled "Noble House" and it is every bit as big as Shogun. As one reader commented, "You need a line and pulley just to keep holding it."

"Gorky Park" is the best reading on the list. Named for the famous Moscow park, it is a Russian mystery by Martin Cruz/Smith. Set in modern times, it's about life in Moscow as much as about the mystery.

THERE'S a lot of good, clean entertainment around. The reason we don't hear much about it is, nobody's looking for it. —Earl Wilson

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- Bologna** Wilson All Meat 1-Lb. Pkg. **\$1²⁹**
- Little Sizzlers** Hormel Black Label 12-oz. Pkg. **\$1⁰⁸**
- Cheese Spread** Generic 2-Lb. **\$1⁸⁹**
- Beef Franks** Oscar Mayer "The Big One" 1/4 Pounder 1-Lb. Pkg. **\$1⁶⁹**
- Fryer Thighs** Country Pride Grade A Lb. **98¢**
- Fryer Drumsticks** Country Pride Grade A **98¢**

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 **Potatoes** Red 10-lb. Bag **\$1¹⁹**

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- Beans** Ranch Style 15-oz. Can **39¢**
- Vanilla Wafers** Nabisco Nilla 12-oz. Box **89¢**
- Fabric Softener** Downy 64-oz. bottle **\$2¹⁹**
- Detergent** Tide Giant 49-oz. Box **\$1⁷³**
- Instant Potatoes** Big Tate 16-oz. Box **\$1⁰⁹**
- Muffin Mix** Duncan Hines Blueberry 13½-oz. **\$1⁰⁹**
- Vegetable Oil** Food Club 48-oz. bottle **\$1⁸⁹**
- Cake Mix** Betty Crocker Assorted Flavors 18-oz. box **79¢**

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 **Tissue** Kleenex Assorted Colors 280 Count **79¢**

 **Pickles** Vlasic Polish Dills 22-oz. Jar **49¢**

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- Tator Tots** Ore Ida 2-Lb. Bag **\$1²⁸**

