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IN OPERATION TEENAGER

Students Hear Convicts

A quiet audience of Hart Junior High and High School students heard four convicts from Huntsville discuss crime and its effects at a special

assembly Tuesday afternoon. The four were part of "Operation Teenager", a program sponsored by the Texas Department of Corrections.

They were introduced to the students by Charles Lovell, assistant to the director of education for the department.

Lovell said the program was presented because "more than 20 per cent of all prison inmates are under 21, and more than 40 per cent are in the 17-24 age group."

Lovell said he hoped the group might learn something from the prisoners' talk because, "Someone here may hear the doors of prison close behind him."

He said if the quartet's prison sentences were totaled, they would amount to 324 years of prison life, and their crimes ranged from petty theft to murder.

Identified only by a number, each of the prisoners described his life and how he ran afoul of the law.

The first prisoner said he was the oldest child in his family and joined a "rough" crowd to gain acceptance. He said he took a part time job in high school, but began to steal from his employer because some of his friends did the same thing.

He said he later joined the navy, but went AWOL and was

discharged. He said he finally rejoined the navy and managed to make it through basic training and submarine school.

After starting to drink heavily, he again went AWOL and was again discharged.

He said he finally met a girl, married, took a steady job for

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Postal Rate Hike Starts Saturday

New rates for special Post Office services go into effect Saturday, according to Hart Postmistress, Jewel Brooks.

Included in the new rates will be a hickel increase for all classes of domestic money orders, and the elimination of the \$5.01 to \$10 COD classification.

Money orders up to \$10 will cost 25 cents beginning Saturday. Up until that date, they will be sold at their old rate of 20 cents.

Between \$10-50, the hike will be from 30 to 35 cents, and from \$50-100, the increase will be from 35 to 40 cents.

International money order rates will increase at the same rate, with the \$0-10 rate going from 40 to 45 cents; the \$10-50 from 60 to 65 cents, and the \$50-100 from 70 to 75 cents.

Eliminated will be the \$5.01 to \$10 COD classification, which did cost 40 cents. Under the rates, anything from one cent to \$10 in valuation will cost

60 cents to mail.

In insured mail, the one cent to \$10 class will be eliminated, and all mail insured up to \$15 will cost 20 cents. The old rate up to \$10 cost a dime.

All other insured mail will increase a dime. New rates will be 30 cents for \$15-50, 40 cents for \$50-100, 50 cents for \$100-150, and 60 cents for \$150-200.

In registered mail, the present charge of 60 cents for mail valued from \$10-100 will increase to 75 cents for all mail up to \$100, but other registered rates will be unchanged.

Certified mail which now costs 20 cents, in addition to postage, will go up to 30 cents, with an additional dime to be charged when a return receipt is requested.

On return receipt requested mail which shows when, where and to whom the mail was delivered, there will be a special 35-cent fee.

District 4-B UIL Meeting Set For Plainview April 1

Some 200 students from eight District 4-B schools on the High Plains converge on the Wayland Baptist College campus April 1 for the 1966 Interscholastic League Spring Meet.

Participating schools include Hart, Happy, Cotton Center, Nazareth, Bovina, Lazbuddie, Spade and Amherst, according to Sam T. Bryan, superintendent of Happy Public Schools, who is arranging details of the meet.

Directors of the various contests may pick up materials in Room 102 of Flores Bible Building, headquarters for the meet, at 1 p.m., April 1.

Events scheduled for student competition are story telling, declamation, picture memory, number sense, extemporaneous speaking, slide rule, spelling, ready writing, persuasive speaking, prose reading, poetry interpretation, debate, science, shorthand and typing.

Contest begin at 1:30 in the Flores Bible Building, Home Life Building, Science Building and Gates Hall.

Wayland faculty members helping judge the interscholastic events are: S. L. Harris, instructor in sociology; John S. Gibson, instructor in speech and drama; T. J. Ozbun, instructor in English; Dr. Eugene W. Jones, head of the political science department; and Dr. Selma L. Bishop, head of the English department.

Senior speech majors invited to judge several contests are Jane Gardner of Crane, and Kenneth Baker of Albuquerque, N.M.

Directors of individual contests from the various district 4-B schools are: Mrs. Dorothy Donaldson and Kay Ray, Bovina; Mrs. Willis Hedges and Mrs. Monroe Cummings, Amherst; A. A. Mitchell and Robert Wheeler, Spade; Mrs. Virginia Williams and Margaret Lacy, Hart; Fred Wilbank, Lazbuddie; Mrs. Eleanor Griffen, Cotton Center and E. M. Dobbs, Benne Purnell, Carroll Killingsworth and Mrs. Jane Westberry, Happy.

County Spelling Contest Set In Dimmitt April 6

Four Hart students will be on hand in Dimmitt April 6 for the annual Castro County spelling bee.

In the junior contest, Allan Shive and David Bass will represent Hart's fifth and sixth grade classes, while Harold Bennett and Pam Shive will represent

the seventh and eighth grade in the senior contest.

Junior alternate is Elizabeth Stephens and senior alternate is Donnie Shive.

The contest is open to students in Castro County schools, and will be held at 2 p.m. in the county courthouse.

Senior Class Will Present Melodrama

Hart's senior class will take a new twist in senior plays Friday night when they present, "Dirty Work At The Crossroads", an old-fashioned melodrama.

R. L. Stockstill, senior class sponsor and play director, said the play would begin at 8 p.m. in the Hart Elementary School auditorium-gymnasium.

Members of the play cast include Becky Burress as Ida Rhinegold, Billy Bob Bell, as Monroe Murgatroyd, Larry Mc Kay as Mooki Maguggins, Rene Brooks as Mrs. Asterbilt and Kenneth Sharp as Adam Oakheart.

Also playing in the melodrama will be Charlene Moses as Nellie Lovelace, Linda Erwin as The Widow, Judy Graves as Leori Asterbilt, and Donna Daubert as Little Nell.

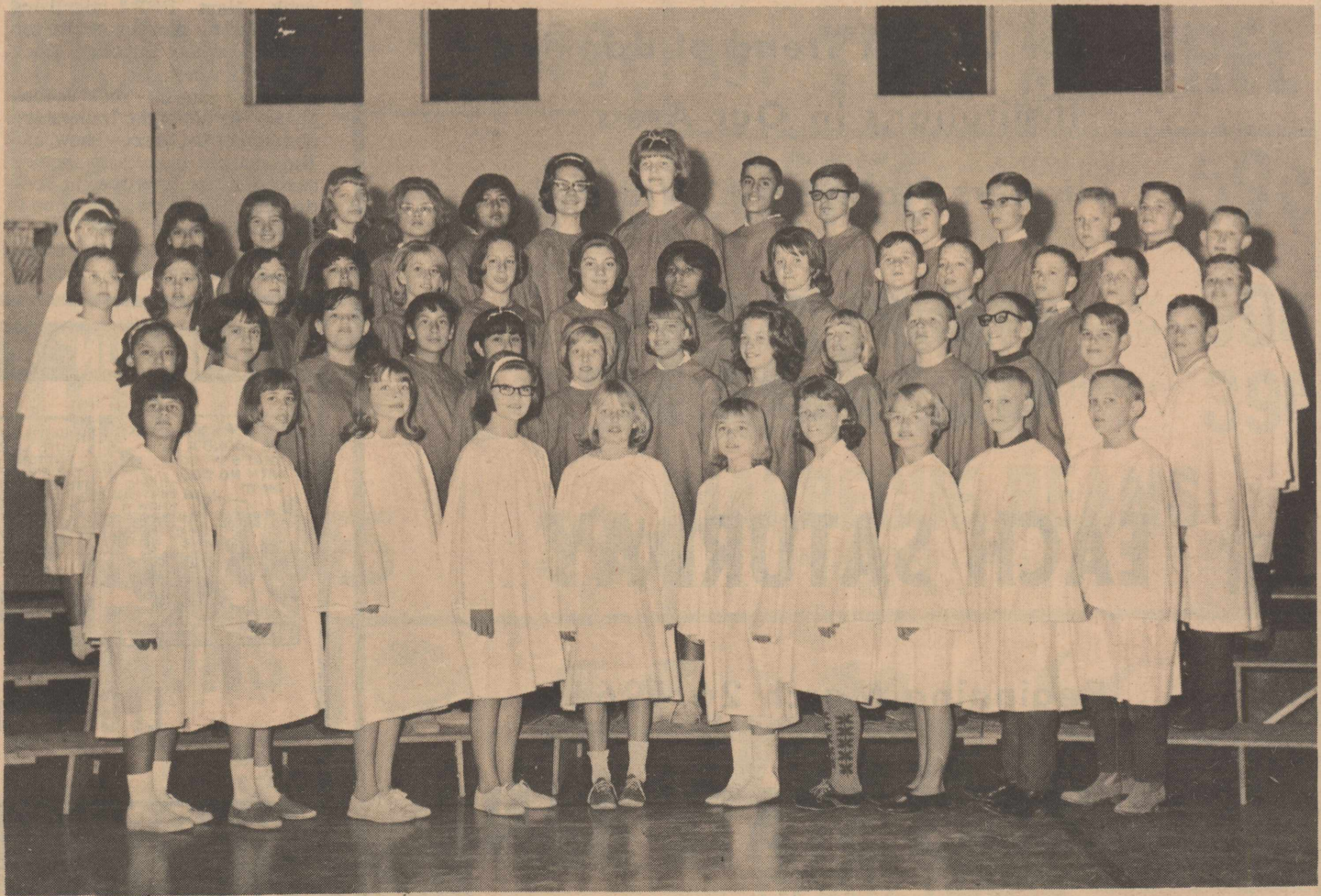
Admission will be 50 cents for students, \$1 for adults.

Ewing Named Football Coach

Don Ewing was named this week as head football coach for the Hart High School Longhorn squad.

Ewing has taught at Hart for the past four years, serving as science teacher and junior high coach.

A graduate of West Texas State University, Ewing coached his junior high football team to the district championship this fall.



HART ELEMENTARY CHOIR—Mrs. Carl (Margaret) Rambo poses with the Hart Elementary School Choir before the group presents its final program of the year. During the year the group has traveled to Hale Center and Olton to present programs, has performed for the Hart Lions Club, and has pre-

sented a program for both Hart High School and the Hart Elementary School. In addition, the group tape recorded Christmas carols which were presented over KDHM radio in Dimmitt. They plan one more program before the school year is over.

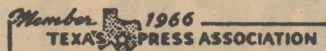
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GUEST EDITORIAL

The Challenge Of Growth Today

(EDITOR'S NOTE -- The following article is an essay with which Jim Steiert of Nazareth took first place in the Castro County Soil Conservation District essay contest.)

THE CHALLENGES OF GROWTH, AND WHAT WE CAN DO ABOUT THEM

By Jim Steiert
With increasing momentum, America is moving along uncharted avenues of growth. Our expanding population is at the heart of this growth. Numbering more than 190 million today, it will reach 360 million by the end of the century.

This headlong growth is unleashing new and difficult problems. Foremost among these are tremendous pressures on the nation's natural resources --- our land, water, forests, wildlife, and open space.

For examples:
By the year 1980, we will need 600 billion gallons of water a day. We now use 350 billion gallons daily!

By the year 2000, our food requirements will double! And yet our most fertile farm lands are being diverted to other purposes--- at the rate of a million acres a year!

Production of wood from the forest resources of the U. S. will have to be doubled by the year 2000.

By the end of the century, the demand for recreation will at least triple!

To meet these demands, Americans must practice good management. We must conserve, use, and develop our God-given natural resources more wisely and imaginatively in

years ahead. Every citizen is responsible ---for every citizen is involved.

Stewardship of natural resources must aim at the greatest good of all the people. Land damage must be controlled in town and country. We must rid our streams of pollution and protect our forests from disease and fire. We must search for the best and wisest uses of each acre, and each stream.

These are the aims of America's 3,000 Soil and Water Conservation Districts. Managed by citizens who contribute their time and efforts, they are responsible under state laws for planning and carrying out conservation work and resource development programs for the benefit of all.

Districts draw up community conservation plans, provide services to land owners, and help coordinate the conservation work of the government agencies.

You can help. This being mainly a farming community, each farmer can consider how well he and his neighbors are using the land, water, and wildlife resources at his disposal.

In this locality, soil and water are especially valued resources, and people have been continually taking steps to preserve these resources.

People fought with nature to win their land, and they know the stakes are too high to lose such vital resources. So, they continually strive to keep them. If everyone in this nation will meet this challenge with the same degree of determination, we can rest assured that the future generations will enjoy the same plenty which this generation is producing, with the aid of Conservation.

IT HAPPENED IN HART.....

ONE YEAR AGO

Installation of an underground toll cable which will add more toll circuits to local service is underway, announced Bill Woodward, manager of West Texas Telephone Co., Dimmitt. The 55-mile length of cable is part of a two-step plan being inaugurated with the new central office to be built in the near future at Dimmitt.

Lanny Tucker, Hart vocational agriculture teacher, was one of three Castro County residents to receive special awards at the annual Castro County Chamber of Commerce banquet in the Dimmitt High School cafeteria Saturday night. Tucker was presented the Hart Community service award.

Roy Taack of Hart was named Conservation Farmer of the Year at a noon meeting of the Lions Club here Monday.

THREE YEARS AGO

How will taxes be affected with the passage of Hart's \$460,000 bond election on April 6? This was a major question among Hart school patrons this week following announcement of the building program plans. Briefly, approval of the bond election will mean a 40 per cent increase. A patron now paying \$100 a year will pay \$140.

Details of Hart School District's coming \$460,000 bond election was spelled out Tuesday night at a special school board meeting at which trustees officially called the election for April 6. That date coincides with the scheduled school trustee vote, at which two school board posts will be filled.

About 150 persons were on hand for the annual Hart Teacher Appreciation Banquet which was staged Friday night at the school cafeteria.

AG RULINGS

Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr has ruled that a domestic corporation can't pay dividends out of its earned surplus to anyone not a stockholder; and that a life insurance corporation may pay dividends to policyholders from surplus funds -- from profits made by the company.

Political Announcements

Subject to Action of Democratic Primary.

State Senator

30th Senatorial District

Jack Hightower

Andy Rogers

Governor Connally has picked the Texas Education Agency to draft plans for long-term vocational rehabilitation needs under amendments to the federal Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

Children's Photo Contest Scheduled By Hart Beat

A children's photo contest will be held by the Hart Beat Thursday, March 31, from 1-6 p.m.

Pictures of every child photographed will be published in the Hart Beat.

To enter the contest, parents should have their child's photograph taken by Bill Turner

at the Hart Beat office on the above date.

He will show proofs from which parents may choose the pose they wish entered in the contest, and the child is automatically entered. At the same time parents may order photographs for gifts or keepsakes, but do not have to order photographs to enter the contest.

First prize in the contest is a \$12.95 color portrait, second prize is a \$6.95 bronze tone, and third prize is a \$5.95 portrait.

FFA Students Take Honors In Lubbock

Despite the sale of most prize-winning animals in the Castro County Stock Show last week, Hart FFA members managed to pick up three top places at the Lubbock Stock Show this week.

Danny Smith took second placed in the light Hampshire division of the barrow show, and Jim Swindle picked up another second in the heavyweight section of the same classification in the barrow show.

David Smith took third in the lightweight Berkshire class.

DOING FINE

Word was received this week that Vickie Hawkins is doing fine and in April will be allowed to be out of bed for a few hours a day.

IN ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ray and Clifford were in Odessa Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Grey. Grey is going to Arabia for 18 months.

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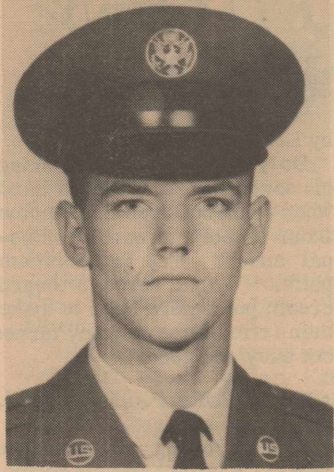
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**Lonnie D. Wagner
Airman Finishes
Basic Training**

SAN ANTONIO, Tex.--Airman Lonnie D. Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence L. Wagner of Nazareth, has been selected for training at Lowry AFB, Colo., as an Air Force munitions specialist.

The airman, a 1965 graduate of Nazareth High School, has recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

**Boy Scouts
Slate Shows
On Saturday**

The Camp and Craft show of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held in four different towns on Saturday from 2 to 9 p.m.

The show will have about 150 different units (Cub Packs, Scout Troops, and Explorer Posts) demonstrating camping and craft techniques. Subjects will range from camp equipment and skills to rocketry.

The show is aimed at showing non-Scouters the best camping techniques available. Over 5,000 boys and adults will be manning the booths.

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**Beta Sigma Phi Combines
Rush Party, Model Meet**

The Chi Psi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met March 17 in fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church, with Mrs. Nancy Wescott and Mrs. Beth Aven as hostesses.

This was a combined rush party and model meeting. The four rushees were guests at a salad supper. They are Mrs. Jo Bass Jr., Mrs. Carla Franks, Mrs. Judy Bannworth and Mrs. Wanda Black.

New officers were also elected. They are Mrs. Beth Aven, president; Mrs. Marihelen Willis, vice-president; Mrs. Virginia Hansen, recording secretary; Mrs. Margaret Morrison, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Clarice Reed, treasurer.

The program, entitled, "The Art of Thinking" and "Music's Influence," was given by Mmes.

Margaret Morrison, Carol Farris and Evon Parker.

Chapter members present were Mmes. Melvin Aven, Bob Bennett, Ed Bennett, DeWayne Brown, Joe Ed Carson, Wister Clevenger, Ronnie Farris, Jack George, Joe Hart, Willis Hawkins Jr., Theron Morrison, Howie Parker, Glyn Reed, Bob Reed, Bill Rich, Newlon Rowland, Dean Sanders, W. T. Sanders, J. V. Wescott and David Willis.

Mrs. LaVerne McLain was voted into the Hart chapter as a transfer member from Vinita, Okla.

IN MEMPHIS

Miles Cox was in Memphis Sunday to visit an aunt and cousin, Mrs. Julia Smith and Marion.

**Six Sign Up
To Take Test For
Hart Postmaster**

Six persons will try out for the position of Hart Postmaster this Saturday.

The exam is set for Plainview and will begin at 8:30 a.m.

Persons trying out include Joe Newman, Glenna Dean Newman, Virginia Davis, Roma Lee Swindle, Mrs. Pete Sargent and Mrs. Robert Brooks.

VISIT MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox and children were in Plainview Sunday to visit Mrs. Cox's mother Mrs. Fish.

VISIT FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swopes of Vanita, Okla., are here visiting friends and relatives.

**Happy
Birthday**

MARCH 27

Everette Heller
Fred Bass Jr.

MARCH 29

Marjorie Graves
Brenda Armstrong

MARCH 31

Robert and Roger Brooks

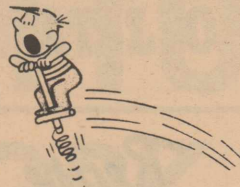
APRIL 1

Ralph Ed Bell

APRIL 2

Johnnie Hawkins
LaVelle Ray

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MEATS

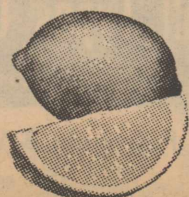
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Stephens Honored At Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. Max Stephens were honored with a housewarming March 20 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at their new home.

Girl Scouts Carol Miller and Becky King registered 80 gifts. Girl Scouts Dena Gardenhire, Cindy Dyer, Debra Hardy, Brenda Covington, and Cathy Kennedy served refreshments of cookies, punch and coffee.

Hostess gifts were an early American tea cart, two early American pictures and one piece of Fostoria glassware.

Hostesses were Mmes. Wister Clevenger, Deryl Clevenger, Jack Dyer, Bill Hill, Lawrence McLain, John Rice, Jack Smitherman, L. J. Rice, Doyle Davis, W. T. King, Lorenzo Lee, Dwight Miller, Kenneth Covington, James Kennedy, Lanny Tucker, D. A. Bass, Jimmy Bennett and Branch Sheets of Happy.

WSCS Conducts Regular Meeting

The WSCS of the First Methodist Church met March 17 at 9 a.m. for a regular meeting.

Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, president, called the meeting to order with Mrs. C. B. Landers giving the opening prayer. Mrs. Hawkins then conducted a short business session.

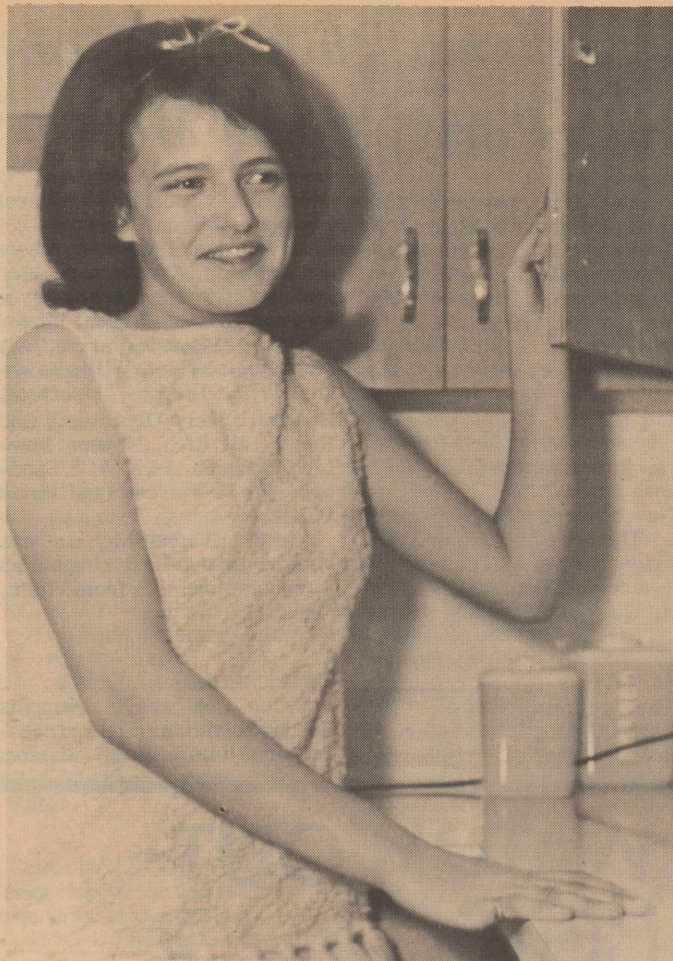
Mrs. Douglas Gossett presented the first of a series of four lessons on the Book of Acts.

One guest, Mrs. Clyde Mitchell of Brownwood, was present.

Members present were Mmes. Hawkins, Gossett, Landers, Mable Aven, E. E. Foster, H. H. Parker, Bill Yaeger and Ed Bennett.

VISIT TUCKERS

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Foster and children were in Floydada over the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tucker and visit with Ronnie Tucker before he returns to the service.



MARGARET SWINDLE

Recipe Of The Week

This week's recipe comes from Margaret Swindle, 14 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swindle.

A freshman at Hart High School, Miss Swindle plays basketball and is a member of the Hart Junior Riding Club.

She has two brothers and is a member of the Methodist Church.

CHOCOLATE PIE

- 2/3 c. sugar
- 1/3 c. flour
- 2 sqs. chocolate, cut
- pinch of salt
- 2 c. milk
- 2 egg yolks, beaten
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla

Mix sugar and flour in top of double boiler. Add chocolate, salt and milk. Set over

hot water and cook until very thick and creamy. Add a little of hot mixture to egg yolks, then add this to chocolate mixture. Cook about 3 minutes longer. Add vanilla, cool, and pour into baked pie shell. Cover with meringue and bake in 325 degree oven for 12 to 15 minutes.

COMING EVENTS

MARCH 28

City Council
Lions Club

MARCH 29

Zealot Club

MARCH 31

WSCS

VISIT DUDLEYS

Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr. and boys from Lovington, N.M., and Charlie Holt of Silverton spent Saturday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Norlan Dudley.

KITCHEN KORNER

by LELA GALLION

Do you have trouble thinking of something to have on hand when your children come home from school and want their usual snack? Try these cream puffs. I had always heard cream puffs were hard to make then I tried these and they turned out easy and good.

CREAM PUFF PASTRY SHELL

Heat to boiling point in a sauce pan 1/2 c. water and 1/4 c. oleo.

Stir in all at once 1/2 c. flour and 1/3 tsp. salt, stirring constantly over heat until mixture leaves sides of pan and forms into a ball when you are stirring or about 1 minute. Cool slightly. Beat in one at a time 2 whole eggs, beating until smooth after each addition. Drop by teaspoon on a baking sheet. Bake in a moderate oven for 50 minutes. Allow to cool away from drafts. Cut small slit in side and fill with your favorite pudding mix.

VANILLA CREAM FILLING

- 2/3 c. sugar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 2 1/2 T. cornstarch
- 1 T. flour
- 2 1/2 c. milk
- 3 egg yolks
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 2 T. oleo

Put 2 cups milk in saucepan on low fire to heat while mixing all other ingredients in a bowl. Add the 1/2 cup milk to dry ingredients and blend well. Pour this into the hot milk stirring constantly until thick. Remove from fire and add oleo. Cool. Add 1 tsp. vanilla.

Wesleyan Guild Holds Meeting

The Hart Wesleyan Guild met March 16 with Mrs. T. B. Cox presiding.

Mrs. C. W. Seago gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Cox gave the devotional, "One Step at a Time."

Mrs. Seago also reported on the recent retreat to Ceta Canyon.

Mrs. Bill Bell was in charge of the program, "The Evangelical United Brethren Church." Taking part in the program were Mmes. Robert Brooks, Buster Aven, Douglas Gossett, and C. W. Seago.

Members present were Mmes. C. W. Seago, Douglas Gossett, Bill Bell, Buster Aven, T. B. Cox and Tex Brooks.

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SCOUT NEWS



Cadette Girl Scout troop 158 met March 16 at 4 p.m. at the Scout house for the purpose of planning the father-daughter banquet.

Guests present were Mrs. Dee Kendrick and Mrs. Wes Nivens.

Members of the troop present were Carol Miller, Kathy Weatherly, Brenda Covington, Marsha Seago, Sharon Brooks, Becky King, Jeton Jones, Gaylene Hawkins, Diane Lancaster, and one new member, Janet McLain. Troop leader present was Mrs. Kenneth Covington.

The troop met again March 23 at 4 p.m. to practice skits for the banquet.

A neighborhood meeting for the Girl Scouts was held March 17 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Leonard Welty.

Mrs. Tom Vestal of Plainview presided until the new neighborhood chairman, Mrs. Paul Brooks, was installed. Mrs. Orvil Friday was elected secretary. Mrs. Brooks chose Mrs. Arthur Cheves and Mrs. Kenneth Covington to act as troop consultants. The district chairman, Mrs. M. Henry of Plainview, gave some reports.

Plans were made for the father-daughter banquet which is to be held March 29. Flag etiquette was discussed.

Present were Mmes. Covington, Brooks, Henry, Friday, Cheves, Welty, James Kennedy and Tom Vestal.

The group will meet again May 12 at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Paul Brooks.

Brownie Troop 47 met March 22 at 3:35 p.m. at the Scout house.

The newest member of the troop, Beth Ann Hacker, said her Brownie Promise and received the Brownie pin.

The troop discussed their plans for the father-daughter banquet.

Refreshments were served by Miss Hacker to guests, Mrs. Buster Hacker, Dayton and Jamsey, and to members Ann Moore, Joyce Welty, Karen Foster, Charlotte Martin, Dana McLain, Teri King, Louisa Carbijal, Carol Armstrong, Paula Hankins, Twila Hicks, Cynthia Smart, Janna Hill and Carla Rambo.

CARD OF THANKS

We are very grateful to all of you for the many lovely cards, flowers and gifts while Iona was in the hospital. We are more grateful than we can ever tell you for the prayers in our behalf. We feel that the wonderful progress she has made is due more to the prayers for her than any other one thing. Your thoughtfulness and kindness during this time can never be repaid, but we shall never forget you.

The Deryl Clevenger family.

IN MARTIN HOME

Sunday visitors in the Pepper Martin home were his sister, Mrs. Bob Merrell, and Lena of Lockney, Sue and Jeanna Pigg of Kress, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Martin.

TO LAKE MEREDITH

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Foster, of Ada, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crumb of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins Sr. went on a sightseeing trip Friday to Lake Meredith.

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Hart Man Will Attend Meeting Of Land Bank

Wade Mills of Hart has been appointed to represent the Federal Land Bank Association of Dimmitt at the Annual Stockholders Meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston.

The meeting will be held in Houston Friday and Saturday. Robert E. Tootell, governor of the Farm Credit Administration in Washington, will be the featured speaker at the meeting and William G. Plested, Jr., president of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita, Kan., will also be on the program, as will C. G. Scruggs, editor of the Progressive Farmer.

Representatives from 73 Texas Federal Land Bank Associations will attend the meeting.

Dimmitt Lions Club Plans Third "Broadway Follies"

The Dimmitt Lions Club plan to bring "Broadway" to Dimmitt with their third annual Lions Club Follies scheduled for a two night performance this year, April 15-16, at the Dimmitt High School Auditorium.

Mrs. Kathleen Burrus, who is directing the follies for the third year said that the follies will be composed of local talent bringing to Dimmitt through dance and song some of the latest "Broadway-Hits."

Songs this year will be presented from such hits as "Hello Dolly", "Mary Poppins", "South Pacific", and "My Fair Lady."

This year's follies will also be the scene of a barber shop quartet, a guitar duet, Herb Mayfield and his Western Group Skip Skinner and his Folk Group,

a square dance group and different chorus groups.

Rehearsals for the Lions Club Follies are being held each Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall in Dimmitt.

Mrs. Burrus said it is not necessary to be a member of the Dimmitt Lions Club to be in the follies.

Proceeds received from the two night performances of the Dimmitt Lions Club Follies will be used by the Foreign Exchange Student Program.

FROM LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Vandergriff of Lubbock visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cox and Mrs. Simpler. Mr. Vandergriff is a nephew of Mrs. Simpler.

Applications From Scouts Being Taken

Robert Hawkins of Hart is taking applications from Boy Scouts wishing to participate in a trip to Philmont Boy Scout Ranch in New Mexico this summer.

Hawkins said he will need to know if boys are going by April 10.

The group will leave for the camp Aug. 10 and the trip will last 12 days.

To be eligible to attend, boys must be 14 by Sept. 1 and must be a member of a Boy Scout troop.

Hawkins said cost of the trip would be \$70, which includes transportation, meals, insurance and equipment. He said a deposit of \$25 would be required at the registration time.

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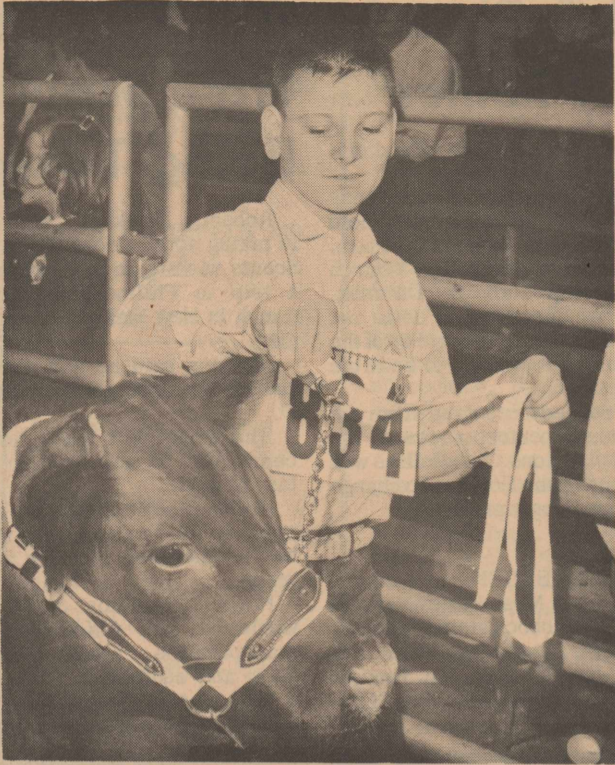
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SHOWING STEER IN HOUSTON -- Phil Davis, FFA member from Hart exhibits his Shorthorn steer which placed first in its breed in the Houston Fat Stock Show.

SCHOOL MENU

MARCH 28 - April 1, 1966

MONDAY -- Frito pie, whipped potatoes, buttered English peas, whole pickle, hot rolls grape fruit sections, buttered rice, milk and butter.

TUESDAY -- Hamburgers, potato chips, mustard onion, pickle relish, lettuce wedge, tomato slice, apricot cobbler, milk and butter.

WEDNESDAY -- Roast beef, brown gravy, candied sweet potatoes, seasoned green beans, hot rolls, strawberry short cake, whipped cream, milk and butter.

THURSDAY -- Hamburgers, and french fries, mustard, onion pickle relish, lettuce wedge, tomato slice, raisin cookies, milk and butter.

FRIDAY -- Salmon loaf, white beans, tossed salad, cornbread, apricot preserves, milk and butter.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

Green Henderson was in Dimmitt on Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keller where they celebrated the birthday of Henderson's sister, Mrs. Mary Keller.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Godfrey and Mrs. Jimmy Bostick spent Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keenom.

OLTON VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Olton visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg.

TO LEVELLAND

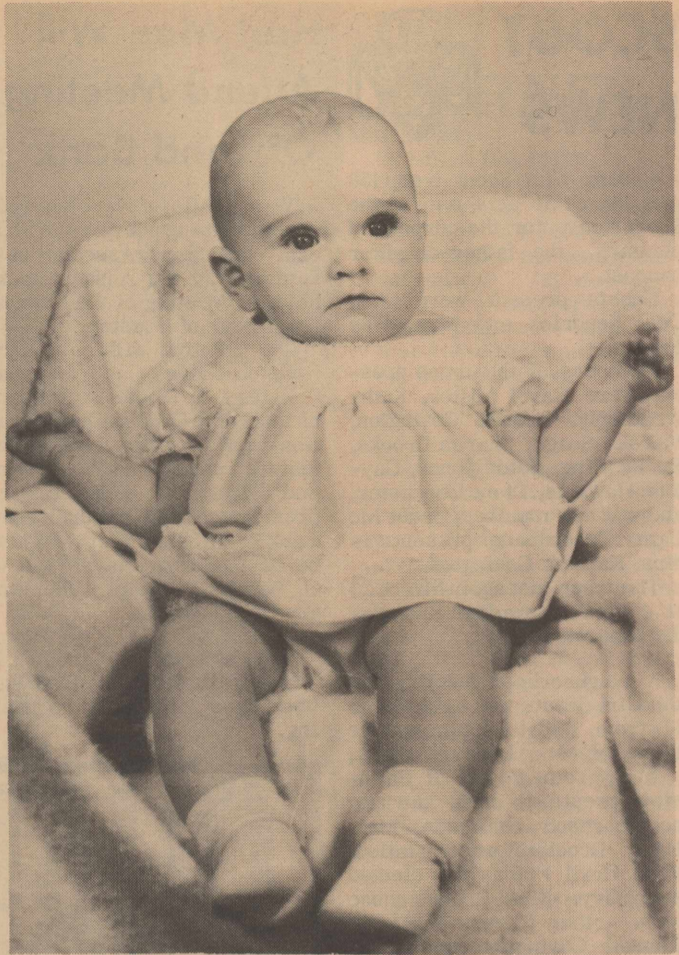
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Harlin and children were in Levelland Sunday to visit Mrs. Harlin's grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Gray, who is in the hospital there. Then they went on to Lubbock to visit friends.

IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson and family were in Lubbock part of last week to be at the bedside of his father, D. N. Nelson, who is in Thurman Convalescent home. He is being moved to a convalescent home in Amarillo this week.

TO NEW MEXICO

Claude Cox and Jack Harris were in Santa Rosa, N.M., on business Thursday last week.



HART PRESENTS--Dawn Mabelle Shive, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shive of Dallas, formerly of Olton. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Green of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shive of Hart. Great-grandparents are Mrs. G. E. Johnson of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Green of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bearden of Hart and Mrs. Shive of Dimmitt.

SCOUT NEWS



Cub Scout Den 2, Pack 246 met March 17 at 4 p.m. at the Legion Hall to begin making their Easter baskets.

Leaders of the troop are Mrs. Allen Irons and Mrs. Aubrey Myers.

Members of the troop present were Darrell Lacy, Marlin Hart, Mario Sanchez, Terry Hill, Barry George, Lynn Myers and Kent Irons.

Members of the Boy Scout troop who participated in the Camp and Craft Show held March 19 in Plainview were Kim McGill, David and James Warren, Tony Miller, Paul Harris, Troy Brooks, Dirk Rambo, Vic Nelson, Keith Lemons, Ricky Black, Craig Harlin, David Hawkins and Ike Graves.

Leaders who made the trip were Paul Armstrong, Dwight Miller and Deryl Clevenger.

The subject of the Hart booth at the show was "Rope-Making and Crafts." The booth received a first place ribbon. The boys achieved many feet of good rope, and each boy made a lanyard and a leather neckerchief slide for the show.

ILLNESS FORCES MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. James Turner and family are moving to Erick, Okla., this week where they will make their home. Turner has been ill for the last few weeks. Due to being ill he has resigned as teacher here.

TO BRYAN

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Futrell and Rebecca went to Bryan to visit their son, Bruce Futrell, who is attending Allen Academy.

SPEND WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Pierce and children of Lubbock spent the weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jobe.

LEAVE FOR IRAN

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Moore, Michelle and Roger left New York Monday for Iran, where they will make their home for the next two-and-a-half years.

GO FISHING

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Benight returned this week from a week's fishing trip to Falcon Dam. They reported that they had the usual fisherman's luck.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm went to Amherst over the weekend where they visited their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hoffer, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Holland Jr.,

Medicare Blanks Are Available At Post Office

Postmistress Jewel Brooks of Hart announced this week that application blanks for supplemental Medicare benefits are available at the window of the Hart Post Office.

The application blanks are being made available as the Social Security Administration seeks to contact 3.1 million senior citizens before a March 31 deadline imposed by the Medicare law.

President Johnson has proclaimed March as "National Medicare Enrollment Month". He urged all federal agencies and all citizens to cooperate in enrolling senior citizens in the program.

Initially, some two and one-half million application blanks were distributed to nearly 34,000 main post offices throughout the 50 states. Additional forms are available as needed.

Through direct mailings and other means, the Social Security Administration has had contact with 16 of the 19.1 million citizens who will be 65 or over on July 1. Of the 16 million who replied, less than one million said they did not want to sign up for the supplemental program.

The supplemental program cost \$3 a month and provides doctor bill and other benefits. Everyone 65 and over is eligible for the basic hospital benefits under Medicare.

A copy of the application is displayed on the lobby bulletin board of the Hart Post Office.

Senior citizens who reached 65 before 1966 face a two year delay if they do not sign up by March 31. The application forms are pre-addressed to the Social Security Administration in Baltimore, Maryland.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Waymon Foster is in the Dimmitt Hospital this week for a checkup.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Lilly and children of Sunray spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Swindle.

SEE PARENTS

Mrs. Neil Wall and son of Burlington, Colo., and Mrs. D. N. Gamblin of Sunray were here Saturday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bearden. Mrs. Bearden has been confined to her home due to an injured knee.

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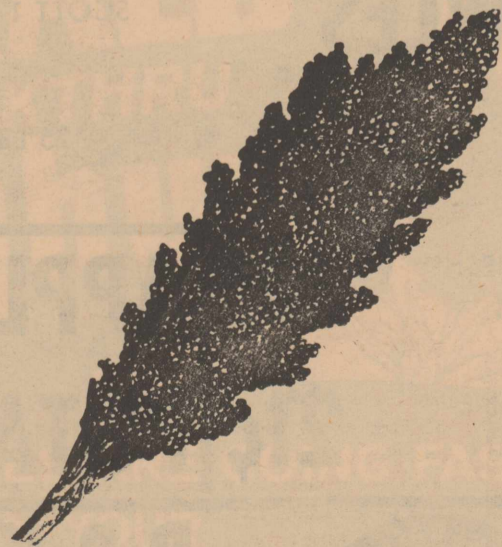
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HIGH PLACING DUROC — Bob Crick moves out his heavy-weight Duroc for the judges in the Houston Fat Stock Show. The barrow placed second in his class at the show.

...Operation Teenager

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the first time and joined a church.

"But I started drinking again, and my wife and I separated."

He said he began work in a night club, and during the time, tried to talk his wife into living with him again.

"But she just laughed at me, and now I won't ever be able to talk to her again."

The second man said his father was a minister, and he felt restricted. He said he "began to want things, so I took a part time job."

He said he still didn't make enough money, so he began to steal church funds before they were counted.

He said he dropped out of high school and joined the air force. He got married, but began running around on his wife. "I wanted a home, but I wanted complete freedom with it," he said.

He said his wife finally divorced him, and he began drinking more and more, until he was finally discharged.

"I was again faced with the need for more money, and here I am," he concluded.

The third speaker said he was one of seven children in his family, and he began running away from home when he was 13.

"The police picked me up and kept me in jail overnight, and that made me a big man with the other kids."

"When I was 15, my father died, and I dropped out of school."

He said he made \$35 a week at a grocery store, and his friends came around and made fun of him for working for that amount.

"I quit work and began stealing. Then I had plenty of time to ride around at night and drink."

"At 17, I met an even sharper crowd. But I got caught for forging checks. When I got out of prison, I was on probation and was leading a normal life."

He said he fell back in with the same crowd, however, and this time took his brother, who

was then 17, with him on their crime raids.

Both were caught and sent to prison.

"My brother began then to try to change, but I didn't want to change my life. When we got out of prison, my brother went back to high school. I decided to be a professional thief. Today, my brother is in his second year in college and I am back in prison."

The fourth speaker said he was popular in high school, and tried anything to stay popular.

"When everyone started going steady, so did I. Then my girl and I decided to get married and everything changed."

He said he and his wife were no longer included in activities in any group.

"I began stopping at a bar on the way home from work and finally began running around on my wife."

"But she got even by doing the same thing. So I bought a pistol...."

The second prisoner summed up the feelings of the group in a plea to students present.

"Please don't be soft on yourselves. It's very true when adults say this is the most important part of your life, because now is when you decide what you want to do later."

He said they all agreed that crime was not a sudden thing, but the results of years of habit.

"Not one of us had a worthwhile goal in life," he said.

He concluded the program by

saying, "it's funny, but we don't miss the big things in life, but the small things which we spent our life running from."

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We wish to take this opportunity to thank everyone who bought cookies from the Girl Scouts during our cookie sale. The Girl Scouts and Leaders.

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IN PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks were in Plainview to attend the Boy Scout Exhibition this week.

TO AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks went to Amarillo Sunday to visit Mrs. Brooks' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Miller.

IN LOS FRESNOS

Mrs. C. B. Landers spent last week in Los Fresnos visiting her father and sister, C. B. Gresham and Oneta.

IN MULESHOE

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Landers spent Sunday in Muleshoe visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Landers who had moved into their new home.

FROM OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Bob Davis and Clifford Stevens of Duncan, Okla., visited this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Davis.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kennedy of McLean were in Hart over the weekend visiting friends and spent Saturday night in the Jack Smitherman home.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Everett Heller is in Neblett Hospital in Canyon where she has undergone major surgery. She hopes to come home the last of this week.

VISIT HAWKINS

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Foster of Ada, Minn. and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell of Brownwood, were visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawkins Sr.

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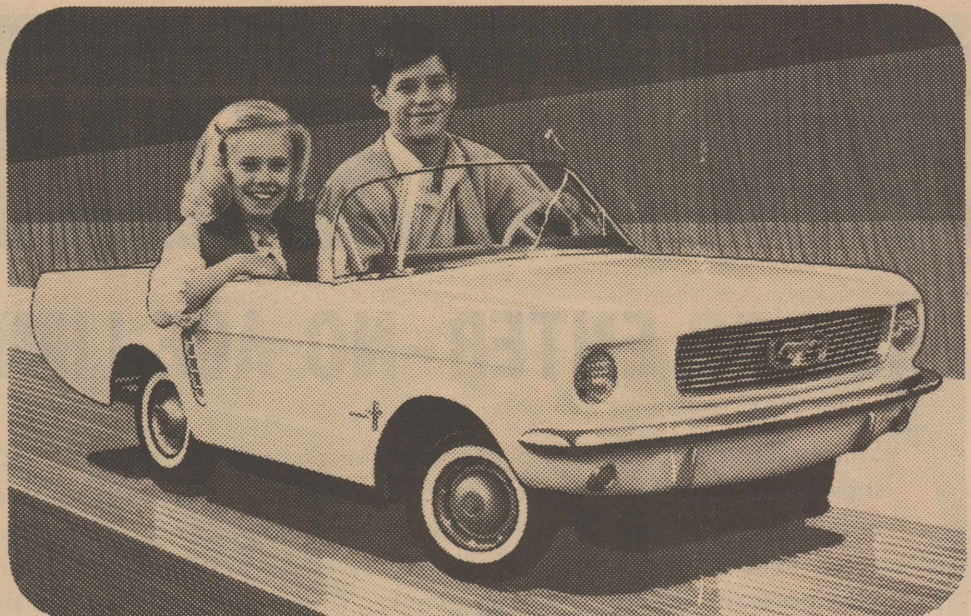
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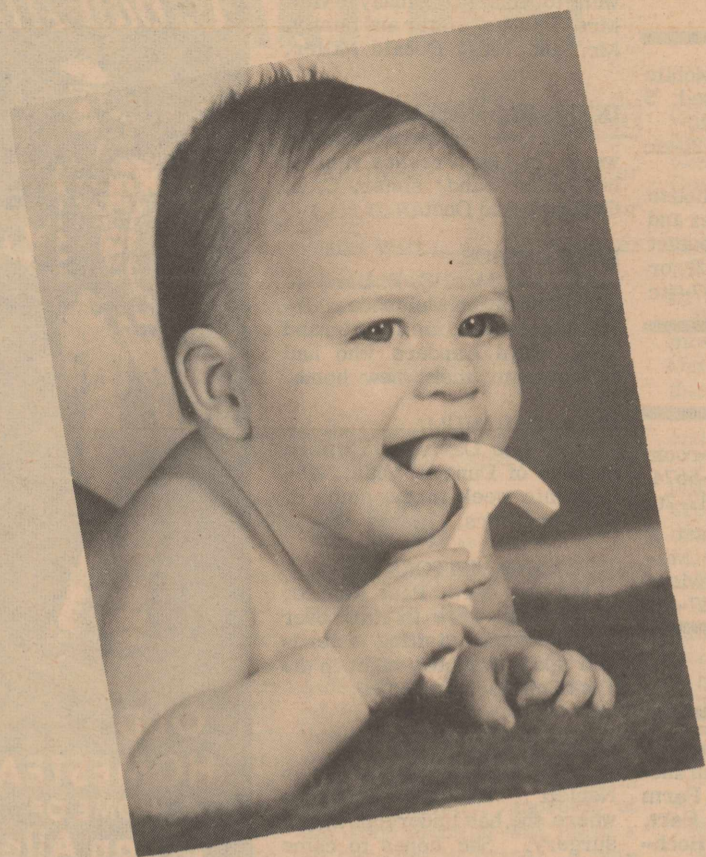
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