

Shallowater Elects to Expand City Limits

Hospital District Needs Additional Funds Executive Director Contends

By Richard Mason

The Lubbock County Hospital District needs more money to operate what it considers to be an adequate regional medical center.

And if the money does not come from the state of federal government, or an additional loan, the district is prepared to ask Lubbock County taxpayers for contributions — or another tax levy, Harold Coston, executive director for the district, said in a wide-ranging interview with local media Monday.

"The public can and must have a part to play," he said.

The administrator said the district was prepared to ask for additional money from Lubbock County residents even if the Texas Tech School of Medicine drops its charges for shared services from the current \$5.8 million figure to the less than \$3 million used to operate the same facilities in comparable teaching hospitals across the state.

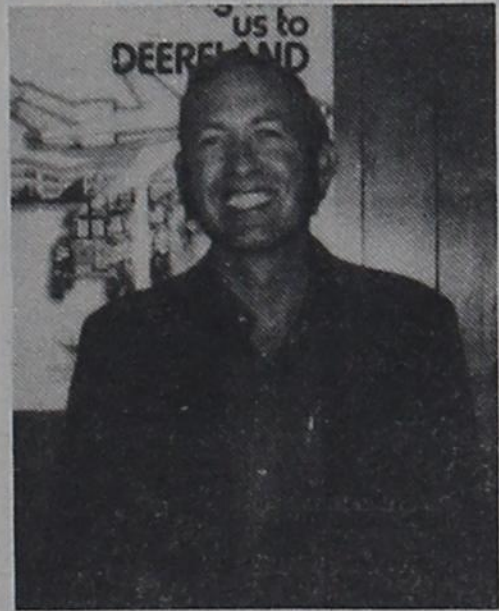
Tech's charge for shared services was mentioned last week as the reason the medical center was expected to open its first years of operation in a deficit. As a result, the hospital district board voted during that meeting to offer the facility to the medical school for their own operation, or should that prove unacceptable to the Tech board of regents, to lease from the university those shared services needed to operate a full service hospital. Coston last week estimated the board could operate those same services for half the cost.

The district administrator said that should Tech drop their price the hospital could operate out of the reserve the district has built up for its first year of operations, but that alternative was less acceptable.

"We have some additional capital needs such as a larger start up reserve," he said in a telephone interview. "We're estimating

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Bobby Judah Receives Honor



Bobby Judah, employed by Armes Equipment Company in Littlefield the past four years, has been awarded a special Honor Certificate by the Dealer Management Services Department of John Deere Company in

Medical School Official Contends Care For Medically Indigent Main Problem

By Richard Mason

The problem is not the price for shared services, Dr. Richard Lockwood, a medical school administrator and a vice president for the Health Sciences Center, says, but rather lies in the unique financial base of a public teaching hospital: unless certain financial difficulties are worked out the facility cannot operate successfully.

"We're not talking about anything peculiar to Lubbock County, we're talking about the same damn problem in teaching hospitals across the country," he said.

The difficulty according to the administrator centers on three major factors: care for indigents, hospital costs versus reimbursement, and the number of actual paying patients. Two of those factors are intangibles, Lockwood said, and one can mean the difference between successful financial operation of the \$24 million regional medical center and financial trouble.

That problem is care for the medically indigent.

In an interview with the Times, Dr. Richard Lockwood also said

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Graduation Set Friday

Commencement exercises for the senior graduating class of Shallowater High School will be held Friday night, May 21, at 8 p.m. in the high school gym.

The procession and recessional will be presented by Laura Walker and Tom Sinclair, president of the class and student president Russell Martin will address the group.

The salutatory address will be given by Patti Ewing, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Ewing.

The valedictory address will be by Geneise Grawunder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Grawunder.

Kim Young will give the invocation and Kim McMenamy the benediction.

The class colors are red and white, flower - red rose, class song - "You've Got a Friend" and the class motto is "The future comes one day at a time."

Sponsors of the class are high school principal Beryl Harris and Kenneth Grissom.

The public is cordially invited to the graduation exercises for the seniors of 1976.

We are sorry but pictures of the 1976 graduating seniors of Shallowater High School were not available for publication in this week's issue of Suburban Today due to circumstances beyond our control.

If possible they will be published in next week's issue.

The entire edition of this week's paper is dedicated to the senior class of '76 with greetings in the

Dallas.

Judah received the recognition for his outstanding performance the past year in proficient handling of the John Deere Accounting and Dealer Management Programs.

Judah was one of sixty-six accountants/bookkeepers to receive the award this year out of approximately 200 John Deere Dealers in Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Southern California.

Judah resides north of Shallowater

forms of advertising from all the merchants in Shallowater, extending best wishes to the graduating class for a job well done.

We as a community are proud of our young people and what they stand for in life. May your dreams come true and your goals be reached by striving to accomplish whatever ambition you aim for and as you walk down the aisle Friday night, ending a 12 year career of school in SHS, we extend to each of you "Best Wishes" for a job well done.

18 Graduating Seniors Complete 12 Years Together

The pathway to May 12, 1976 started on a Monday in September, 1964 for 18 students from the senior class of Shallowater High who started the first grade together and will cross a milestone in their lives together as students Friday night when they walk down the aisle to get their certificates in commencement exercises with the rest of the senior class.

Big Chief tablets and pencils, scrubbed faces, pretty new dresses, shirts and pants and emotional mothers were the beginning of school some twelve years ago for Kelly Blackmon, Shirley Everette, Geneise Grawunder, Jeanye Hunter, Glen Jackson, David Levens, Jeff Love, Russell Martin, Gwen Mentou, Kim McMenamy, Daryl Morris, Diana Perser, Kathy Roberts, Carol Shropshire, George Stanton, Laura Thompson, Patricia Ortiz and Kim Young.

Teachers who had these students in their class in the early grades are still teaching in the Shallowater school system and include Mrs. M.F. Truelock and Mrs. Arlie T. Arnold.

These students, parents and teachers have enjoyed valentine parties, Easter egg hunts, Christmas parties, field trips, music lessons, 4-H Club, Little League, Brownies, Boy Scouts, pizza parties, slumber parties and as they grew older, cars, girls and

by Richard Mason

The city limits of Shallowater will be a little larger if the city council accepts changes on the deed restriction and a petition to be filed by builder Bill Newman.

Newman appeared before the council Monday night to ask the city to pay part of the paving and sewer installation in a proposed 24 house Ridgecrest Addition planned to extend from 14th Street in the northwest section of the city. If the city annexes the land, monthly water and sewer fees paid by homebuyers in the area will be split evenly between the city and the developer, to cover the costs.

The 24 house subdivision will consist of three bedroom brick residential dwellings with a two car garage and a price in the \$30,000 to \$40,000 range. Construction on two of the homes located in the city limits has been started, and Newman said the dwellings will be similar to homes the company has constructed along Texas Avenue between 13th and 14th Streets.

During the Monday night meeting, the council also voted to annex a 50 by 115 yard lot owned by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ledbetter and to appropriate funds to buy land on which to construct a city building.

"We've had some vandalism," Mayor Jack Dulaney said. "They broke out some windows and they slashed a tire this week." The city building would be used to store city equipment such as the fire trucks, pickups, and after the city receives it, the EMS ambulance.

The money was appropriated to purchase six lots of land located west of Second Street near the Lakeview Addition from the

Shallowater Co-op Gin. Money was also appropriated to construct a fence around the lots should the city complete the transaction.

Lloyd Ledbetter petitioned the council to annex his lot located on the highway east of the Texaco station so he could connect with water and sewer lines. The Ledbetter's plan to construct a Dairy Queen on the site and said they could not build the restaurant unless they were connected to the lines.

In other financial action, the council voted to pay one third of the cost to install lights on the tennis courts. Charles Hohertz, superintendent of the school district, appeared before the council to make the request. Hohertz said the Lions Club agreed to pay one third of the cost up to \$844 and the school board agreed to contribute another one third to the project.

"If the city pays for one third the cost of the lights, we'll put them in," he said.

"Lighting the court is a school responsibility in relation to the student body, but in paying electric bills for outsiders I feel it would be improper."

The superintendent estimated the lights could be installed "for around \$2400."

Dub Hardin, who voted against the measure, said "city people would be double taxed" on the project if both the school board and the city contributed money.

Hohertz also presented plans to the council for a Bicentennial festival over the July 4th weekend. While the superintendent said the thought is still in the planning stages, he mentioned a day of contests for townspeople

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boys were their main interest, as it is in all students when they become teenagers and enter high school.

Several of these students have the pleasure of having the same Alma Mater as their parents, which were raised up in this area and include, Kelly Blackmon's father, Glen Brown Blackmon; both of Diana Perser's parents, Charles Perser and Elizabeth (Coats) Perser; Laura Thompson's mother, Mrs. Banta (Vance) Thompson; and Kim Young's parents, J.D. Young and Patsy (West) Young.

A lot of memories of school days gone by will be on the faces of the parents, teachers and friends as

this group receives their diplomas with the rest of the class Friday night, marking 12 years of schooling in their lives that will be hard for them to forget.

As these students go their separate ways with the rest of the class to begin a new life, whether it be a college career, marriage or a job profession, may they always remember the happy times they have had together as classmates while attending Shallowater Schools.

"Congratulations" seniors of '76, may your goals be high and may each and every one of you strive for the success in life you are seeking from this day forward.

Party Line

Everyone in the community is invited to a tea at the First State Bank Party Room this Sunday, May 23, from 2:30 to 5:00 p.m. honoring Mrs. Arlie T. (Virginia) Arnold who is retiring from the Shallowater school system where she has been a second grade teacher for several years.

Randolph Ramsey of West Virginia is here this week visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reed and his mother, Mrs. J.C. Ramsey, who resides in University Convalescent Home in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Wages of Bonners Ferry, Idaho left Tuesday morning by plane for their home after being here for the funeral of his father, A.C. Wages.

Mrs. Jimmie Seaton of Lazbuddie was in Shallowater Tuesday visiting her parents, the Homer Randolphs.

Mrs. Mae Pair is here visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Pair and Mendi while she is preparing to establish residence at John Knox Village in Lubbock.

Mrs. Bobby Judah was in Wheeler, Sunday and Monday on business.

Tanya McAuley of Midland spent the weekend with her parents, the LaVon McAuleys.

Mrs. Jack Moody of Show Low, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. R.O. Parker of Kingsland were weekend guests in the Don Morris

home. Mrs. Moody is Mrs. Morris' mother and the Parkers are her aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore, Tim and Kristi of Olton were Sunday dinner guests of the W.T. Williamsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reed and little granddaughter from Ropesville visited the E.B. Reeds Saturday.

Lubbock County Museum Building To Be Dedicated

A \$27,000 extension to the building housing farm machinery dating back to the turn of the century will be dedicated in afternoon ceremonies at Shallowater Sunday, June 6th.

Ribbon cutting ceremonies will precede a short program for the scheduled 2 p.m. opening of the Lubbock County Museum Building located along Avenue G. A contract was awarded last December to Liberty Building Company to construct a shed extending from the existing warehouse over equipment parked outside. Construction on the project started in February.

Masons Attend Initiation in Morton

Four Masons from Shallowater Masonic Lodge #1279 were in Morton Tuesday night as a team to accept Jimmie Lytal as a member in the Masonic Lodge.

Those from the Shallowater Lodge who went to Morton for the initiation were Charles Lytal, Cal Weatherley, Jerry Ritchie and

Marvin Anderson.

Jimmie Lytal is a former Shallowater resident and is a patrolman with the Texas Highway Patrol, stationed in Morton.

He is married and the father of two children, 3½ year old Donny and Amy, 8 months old. The family has resided in Morton for 3 years.

Shallowater NHS Elects New Officers

The National Honor Society officers for the '76-77 school term in Shallowater High School are: President George Parsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Parsley; vice-president Guy Lesley, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Lesley; secretary Belinda Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dunn; treasurer Suzie DeAnda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan DeAnda; reporter Allison Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Terry; and historian Judy Waller.

All will be seniors next school term.

For Your Own Protection

One of the first things that a thief will go for once he is inside your home is your guns.

Your Shallowater Police Department will keep a file of the serial numbers.

Not only the serial numbers of your guns, but any serial numbers that you may wish to record.

All you will be required to do is to copy them down and bring them to the local Police Dept. along with your name, address and telephone number.

Seniors of First Baptist Receive Bibles Sunday

Graduating seniors of the Shallowater First Baptist Church were recognized and presented engraved Bibles in the morning worship service Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Boyd Pearce.

Bibles were presented to Mike Brazell, Caran Connor, David Levens, Dirk Pearce, Diane Perser and Jay Truelock. Receiving Bibles, but not present, were Amy Boring, Terry Kirkland, Jeff Love and Dean Vickrey.

SPORTS

by Joe Kelly

It's the season for reruns on TV, a time when the shows you missed last fall are no better than when they first appeared. There is one saving grace—we have DST, which makes it possible to work in the yard longer.

DST also makes it possible for many a harried businessman to close the doors, change in the back of his place of business and, with a cart, get in 18 holes of golf.

For those who don't want to labor in the vinyard, as it were, or punish God's Green Acres, there is the boob tube, with its rehash of wornout old favorites.

Okay, push the button and let's read a good book, or play a friendly game of double solitaire. There are other pursuits, of course, too many to enumerate, but let's not get into that. It's a quiet season and there's not much hope for change.

It's unfortunate that the television networks don't see fit to try something different. For example, they might have the foresight to have a camera in the pressbox during the Tech spring game and tape the interchange between J.T. King and Leete Jackson.

Oh, I'll admit, King and Jackson aren't exactly household names in national TV circles, but if you think Johnny Carson's monologue is funny, they ain't seen nothing yet.

Leete and J.T. manage to entertain during the spring game, year after year, with two bit bets. It's the same routine, year after year.

The Whites have a drive going. Leete says, with a straight face, "they're going to score."

"The Whites are going to score?" Jake asks innocently. "Okay, I've got two bits that says that they don't."

The drive looks promising when suddenly there's a fumble, the Reds recover. Leete reaches, flips a quarter over.

It goes on like that the rest of the game, with Leete pitching quarters and Jake needling a little. Pretty soon everyone in the press is making a comment.

"I don't mind losing two bits so much," Leete observes, "if it wasn't for all the comments you have to put up with!"

That, of course, only produces more comments until Leete suddenly remembers an important date and departs. Somehow, the remaining few minutes of the game are pretty dull.

Gerald Myers richly deserved the honors heaped on him by Berger last week. The former Bulldog has been a real credit to Berger, both as a player and as a coach, to say nothing of being a fine father and person.

I don't know what brought on the recognition, but it was richly deserved. Gerald is one of the most unassuming young men you'll ever meet. At the same time, he's an outstanding man. Congratulations, Gerald.

All too often fine people are forgotten, or overlooked. As yet, for example, no organization has seen fit to honor Sam West, maybe the finest fielding player in the history of the American League, a performer in the first All Star game and a resident of Lubbock for many, many years.

Sam, like many of us, is getting no younger. It would be fitting for some organization, like the Chamber of Commerce, to have a day and honor him.

I was talking with Billy "Coach" Brown Sunday and we discussed the awards for Coach Myers. We agreed that it was a fine thing, but something that was passing from the American scene.

"Small towns do it more than bigger cities," Billy observed. "I remember when they gave Johnny Mack (who quarterbacked Alabama to a Rose Bowl victory and gained All America status at the same time) a day. That was really something."

Johnny Mack Brown, for those too young to remember, was one of three brothers who played quarterback at Alabama and went on to stardom. Johnny Mack also went on to star in the movies and once was honorary marshall of the ABC Rodeo here.

"I was in the band that day," Billy commented.

The band? That startled me.

"Yeah," Billy said with a broad grin, "I played the drums, snare drums. I was in the National Guard band. They really gave Johnny Mack a big day."

If those days are gone, the losers are the kids, who have a chance to see their idols praised, as well as a lot of older people, who still have stardust in their eyes.

Obviously, you can't buy a pennant. The Yankees are having that proved through Catfish Hunter, while the Atlanta Braves are finding out through Andy Messersmith.

Hunter, as of Saturday night, had lost five of the nine games the Yanks have dropped this season. Messersmith, at the same time, had an 0-4 record. The Yanks were in first place, no thanks to Hunter, while the Braves were in last place, some small thanks to Missersmith.

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Texas Instruments Stages Press Tour of Lubbock Plant

People around the nation and throughout the world will now be keeping time with products manufactured in Lubbock, Texas. And those unable to add or subtract will get calculated assistance from the Hub City as well.

Texas Instruments unveiled its new \$10 million "North Lubbock" facility to the press and the public last week and demonstrated how TI's line of consumer products — namely watches and calculators — were manufactured. Though the company used the old assembly line technique to construct the products, modern ideas for plant construction and environmental engineering were used to make the 1200 jobs less tedious and more productive.

The 400,000 square foot facility is located on a 200 acre landscaped site just north of the Loop on North University Avenue. The plant consists of a 1200 foot spine from which working modules of 40,000 square feet extend. The spine, decorated with plants and people stations all along its carpeted length, is the main artery in the plant. The modules emanating from the spine serve as the manufacturing centers for TI consumer products.

To enter the plant an employee places his identification card in a terminal and faces a monitor. A guard inside the building compares the face and the card before triggering the mechanism which opens the glass doors separating the employee from his job. The security guard sits in a control system which includes closed circuit television views of the inside and outside plant areas.

Part of the security system includes a telephone which puts

the guard in contact with authorities when an emergency occurs. A plant-wide speaker system alerts employees of approaching inclement weather and can instruct them to follow the drills they have learned for emergencies.

Around the facility is an array of vegetation natural to West Texas. Buffalo grass conserves water and trees, ranging from cedar of Lebanon to fruitless mulberry, provide a windbreak against the harsh element. A double protection system protects the instruments inside from the elements. A complex air-lock arrangement has been installed not only to conserve energy and maintain a constant temperature but also to keep the west Texas dust out.

People stations along the spine contain vending machines for coffee breaks. The areas include smoking lounges and restroom facilities.

The work stations in the module provide each employee with a view of the area outside the plant, and give supervisors a view of the entire working area inside. It has been designed to encourage the workers to become part of a small family instead of a cog in the machine. As such it is good for plant morale.

Groundbreaking for the north Lubbock facility occurred in December, 1973. At that time, TI was operating out of a plant which employed 1200 people in East Lubbock. When full employment is reached at the north Lubbock site, more than 2000 residents of the Hub City and Lubbock County will be making watches and calculators. The entire consumer products division will operate out of the Lubbock plants.

Texas Instruments was formed more than 40 years ago as a geophysical survey company employing electronic techniques to locate oil. During the second world war, the company began to manufacture products for the military. With the advent of the transistor in the early 50s, and the invention of the integrated circuits, TI led the way in the construction of instrument systems using electronics. All the materials used in the manufacture of TI products are made by the company.

Texas Instruments currently has 44 manufacturing plants in 18 different countries, and employs more than 57,000 people worldwide.

YWCA Now Registering for Summer Classes

The YWCA is accepting registration for summer classes which begin June 7. Swimming lessons for children four through thirteen, and Mommy and Me swim for one through three year olds, will be offered in June, July, and August, and must be registered for in person at the pool. Youth classes include gymnastics, outdoor sports, karate, beading, basketry, natural jewelry making, typing, sewing, dance exercise, bridge, and tennis.

Preschoolers may take Y-Tots, the World Around Us which will offer field trips in the community, preschool gym, and preschool dance. Adults may participate in tennis, golf, exercise, yoga, discotheque and ballroom dancing, metal jewelry making, basketry, macrame, guitar, needlepoint, painting, and conversational Spanish. For more information, call the YWCA, 792-2723.

Antique Auto Assn. Meets

The South Plains Chapter of the Antique Automobile Association of American Automobile Clubs held their regular monthly meeting at the Shallowater Community Club House Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Elliott serving as hosts.

Special entertainment was furnished by Tim and Tad Sinclair, talented sons of the Burt Sinclars, who played several numbers on their string instruments.

The meeting was attended by local guests, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Epperson and Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Parrack and Marlin and the Burt Sinclars with the president of the club, Randolph Swindle, presiding over the group that meets every third Sunday of the month with approximately 30 couples in the membership.

Requirements of joining is to have a genuine interest in old cars, and not necessarily own one. All new members are welcome to the local Crank and Push Club.

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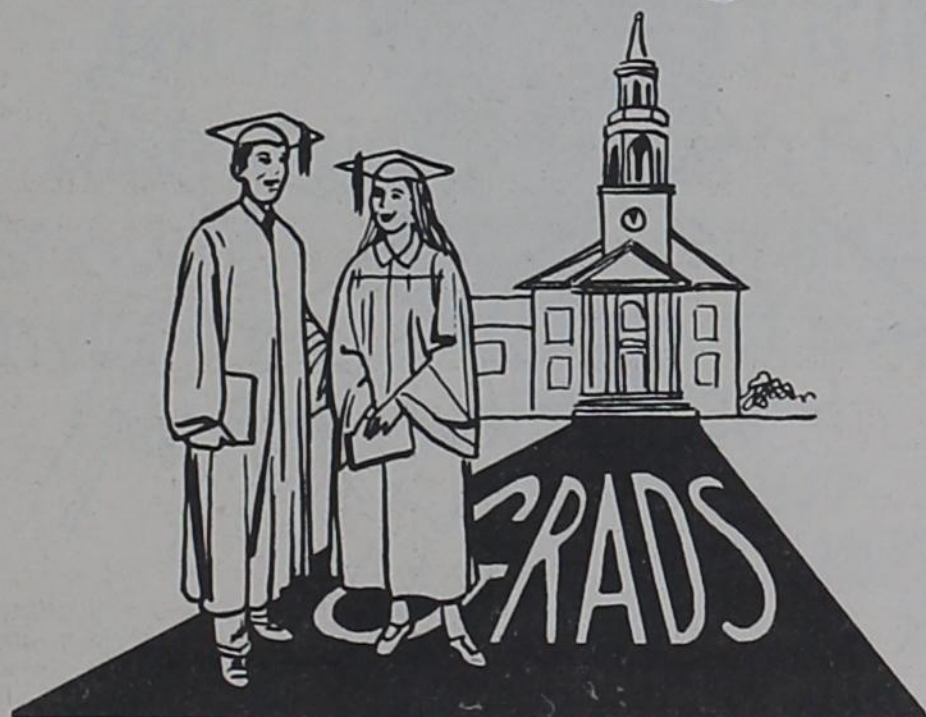


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End of School Message from Shallowater School Superintendent Charles Hohertz

Congratulations seniors, upon completion of twelve years of public schooling. The last year of education will be the one you will remember most. I especially wish to recognize our Valedictorian, Miss Geniese Grawunder, and our Salutatorian, Miss Patty Ewing, for four years of dedicated work in achieving this goal.

I appreciate the efforts of the school board, our faculty and other employees associated with the district. Because of your concern and desire to do what is

best for our students, we have had a good year.

To all of the students who are returning to the educational program I feel sure you have experienced the growth and maturity to advance a grade level and that you will be productive at that level next year. I hope your summer is pleasant, enjoyable and safe. We will be looking forward to seeing those of you who will be returning to school on August 20th.

Methodist Seniors Presented Bibles

Rev. Tommy Ewing recognized the seniors at the United Methodist Church Sunday morning and Bibles were presented to those present which included Patti Ewing, Jeanye Hunter, Tom Sinclair, Kim McMenamy, Russell Martin and Daryl Morris.

Seniors who weren't present to receive their Bibles were Laura Thompson, Terri Martin and Carol Shropshire.

United Methodist Women Meet

The United Methodist Women of Shallowater met Tuesday evening, May 11, in the church parlor. The president, Mrs. R.R. Warren, called the meeting to order. Opening prayer was led by Rev. Tommy Ewing. Roll Call was answered by reading a Bible verse containing the word "praise."

Mrs. Retha Crowther brought the devotional on "Search for Joy."

Mrs. C.E. Pair brought the second of a series of study on the major prophets. The film "Prophet from Tekoa" was viewed.

Closing prayer was led by Mrs. R.R. Warren.

Mrs. Louis McMenamy was hostess to ten members and guests, Mrs. Pair, mother-in-law of Pam Pair, and Rev. Tommy Ewing.

The next meeting will be May 24.

Bridal Shower Honors Kay McMenamy Here

The lovely home of Mrs. Effie Lee Middlebrook was the scene for a come and go bridal shower

Saturday afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00, honoring Miss Kay Bevena McMenamy, bride-elect of Dwight Alexander Lindley, Jr.

The future bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McMenamy and Lindley is the son of Mrs. Patricia F. Lindley of Austin.

The honoree's chosen colors of red and white were used with the serving table covered with a beautiful white cloth, bordered in sequined sprays of white flowers and butterflies. A lovely centerpiece of red roses accented with white iris completed the table decorations.

Delicious refreshments of strawberry fruit punch and individual daisy-shaped cookies centered in red, red mints and nuts were served from crystal appointments to approximately 65 guests registering.

Hostesses for the shower were Mesdames M.J. Williams, R.R. Warren, Harry Leonard, B.H. Thomas, W.C. Vaughan, Fred Worsham, Kenneth Grissom, A.C. Henderson, Doyle McKennon, R.W. Woodruff, Wayne Starch, Kenneth Shropshire, G.T. Doggett, Hugh Cox, G.W. Gates, Bert Sinclair, Oliver Baer and Mrs. Middlebrook.

The hostess gift was a Mix Master, cut glass salad dish and a toaster.

The couple will exchange vows on June 5 in the First United Methodist Church.

Shallowater Pool To Open May 25th

Hey Kids!! and adults too, who enjoy heading for the swimming pool on a hot summer day: it's that time of year again, and the local pool will open for the season Sunday, May 25, at 1 p.m.

Opening hours will be from 1:00 to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and Sunday from 1:00 to 5:30 p.m.

Price of admission will be 40 cents for children 6 years of age and under and 75 cents for all ages above that. Swimming lessons will be given at \$10 a session. The pool will be available for parties, 20 people, \$15; 30 people for \$20; and over 30 persons will be \$25.

Manager will be Robert Cox, Lifeguard will be Rocky Blair and Laura Thompson will be in charge of the concession stand.

After listening to all the political blasts of recent months, we'll be glad to see almost anyone elected, to end the speechmaking.

Shallowater Study Club Meets

18 members of the Shallowater Study Club met in the lovely home of Mrs. Cecil DuLaney on Tuesday, May 18, at noon for their last meeting until September.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. DuLaney were Mrs. F.W. Farris and Mrs. Joseph Hickox. Every member brought their favorite salad and enjoyed a delicious salad luncheon together.

The roll call was answered by naming your favorite meeting of the year. The program consisted of Mrs. J.B. McAuley presenting a historian report, which recapped the events of the year.

Mrs. Jack DuLaney installed the new officers for the 1976-77 meeting year. Officers installed were Mrs. F.W. Farris, president; Mrs. H.V. Newman Jr., vice-president; Mrs. Joseph Hickox, secretary; Mrs. J.U. Cone, treasurer; Mrs. Boyd Pearce, reporter; Mrs. M.J. Williams, historian; and Mrs. Carey Gooch, parliamentarian.

The next meeting of the Shallowater Study Club will be Sept. 7, at 1:30 p.m.

Shallowater Riding Club to Sponsor Barbeque Saturday

The Shallowater Riding Club is sponsoring a barbeque on Saturday, June 5, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Community Club House.

A delicious home cooked meal, prepared by the riding club families will be served including barbeque, beans, potato salad and all the trimmings.

Tickets will be \$2.50 each and those attending will be entertained with a country and western musical.

The riding club was organized last year and consists of 17 families. The group boasts of a recently completed riding arena approximately four miles east of Shallowater on farm road 1294.

Officers of the organization are president Howard Beasley, vice-president Bobby Judah, secretary-treasurer Burnis Penney and Diane Perser, reporter. The club welcomes anyone who would like to join to get in touch with any of the officers.

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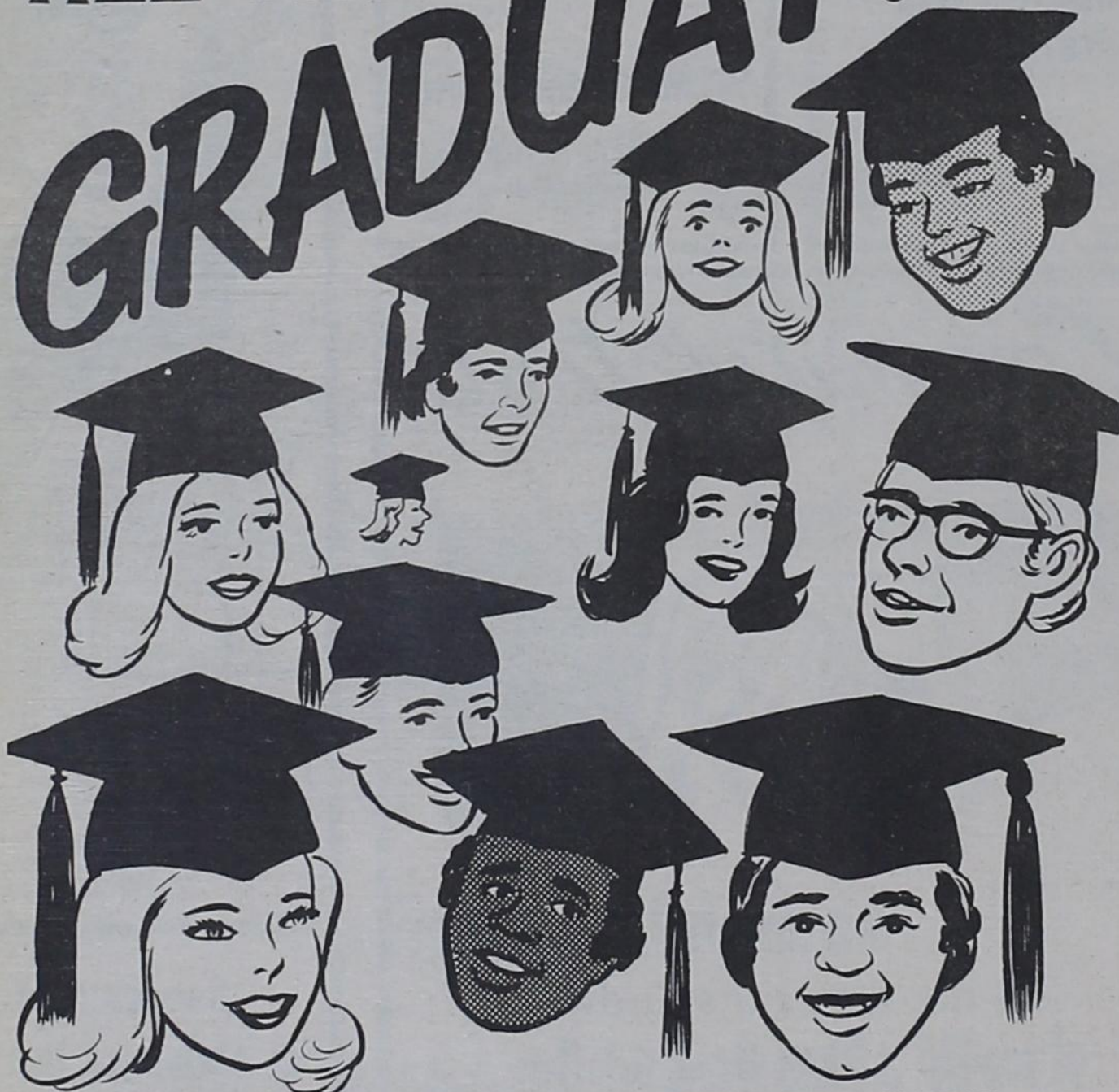
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Shallowater juniors joined the celebrating seniors Friday night at the Hilton Inn during the annual Junior - Senior Banquet. Senior members of the dance and younger set seemed particularly loose while skipping the light fantastic. Friday was their last day in school.



Services Held for Harry Campbell

Graveside services for Harry B. Campbell, 59 years old, were held at 2 p.m. last Thursday at Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock with Masonic rites conducted.

Campbell, father of Mrs. Claudine Oliver of Shallowater and a resident of Fort Stockton died Monday, May 10, in Pecos County Memorial Hospital. He was a resident of Anton prior to moving to Fort Stockton in 1964. He was a member of the Methodist Church and past master of the Masonic lodge in Fort Stockton. He married the former Edith Ausmus on April 15, 1938 in Lubbock.

Other survivors include his wife, Edith; two sons, Bruce and Glen of Lubbock; one other daughter, Harriet Hicks of Odessa; one brother, C.E. Campbell of Anton; and one sister, Louise Beard of Midland; and four grandchildren.

Services Held for Local Resident's Sister Recently

Funeral services for Mrs. Pauline Guest, 72, of Turkey were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Turkey Church of Christ with Lewis Hunter, minister, and Elgin Conner, minister of Quitaque Church of Christ, both officiating.

Burial followed in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Seigler Funeral Home of Turkey.

Mrs. Guest died at 4 p.m. last Wednesday at her son's home

Thursday in West Texas Hospital. A retired farmer and Shallowater resident for several years, Wages had lived in Lubbock County for 54 years and served on the local City Council for several years.

Survivors include his wife, Eura; four sons, J.B. of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, Donald and Dewayne, both of Shallowater, and Wayne of 4815 7th St.; a brother, Glen of New Deal; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lee McGuire, Jack Cook, Lewis Akins, Jay Stanton, Neff Preston and Granville Doggett.

Annexation . . .

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bringing covered dishes.

The superintendent said he would devote more time to the planning when school ended.

"I think we're on the right step," the mayor said. "I think we'll be a better community with everyone getting to know each other."

The council also heard a report from the State Board of Insurance which said the city fire department was "in good shape" but would need an additional pumper because of population growth. The city would also need to construct another elevated storage tank in addition to the one currently proposed to maintain present insurance standards.

In other action, the council voted to set June 8th as the day to open bids for construction of the ground storage water tank:

- to begin council meetings at 8 p.m. during the summer;
- to table a decision on whether to finance the summer recreational program;
- to hire personnel to operate the city swimming pool; and
- to work with the school district in using one company to set appraisals on property for tax purposes.

after a brief illness.

Mrs. Guest moved to Turkey 50 years ago from Detroit and was a member of the Turkey Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Smith of Turkey, a brother, Floyd Smith of Shallowater; and three grandchildren.

Services Held Friday for Mr. A.C. Wages


Funeral services for Adolph C. Wages, 67, were held at 4:00 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Boyd Pearce officiating, assisted by Rev. Jack Welch, a retired Baptist preacher and longtime friend of the Wages family.

Burial was in the City of Lubbock Cemetery under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Wages died at 6:05 a.m.

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If you are interested in classes or desire more information, please contact Ann Lankford in Lubbock, at 799-6361 between 10 and 4 p.m. daily.

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Over \$5,000 in cash prizes will be awarded in the Bicentennial Poetry Contest sponsored by the World of Poetry, a monthly

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we need an additional \$2 million.

The facility the director envisions would be a regional research center offering sophisticated treatment for burns, cancer, and peri-natal problems as well as providing a teaching hospital for the Tech School of Medicine.

"The principle difference (between the health sciences center and other community hospitals in the county) is in specialized service" Coston said. "The peri-natal center is a very significant difference involving the treatment and care of the young age group child."

The peri-natal center would be set up to deal with newborn children suffering from special problems such as the need for blood transfusions, breathing difficulties, or in some cases drug addiction picked up from the mother during pregnancy. West Texas has a very high rate of infant mortality due to the unavailability of medical care and other factors affecting mothers during their pregnancy.

"We're not setting up for education only but for a problem high in Texas," he said.

The hospital would also contain the capabilities to treat certain types of cancer and provide organ transplants.

"New things start (from research) in medical schools," Coston noted.

The regional medical center would contain clinical, classroom and medical facilities in the same general area cutting down on the overall costs of the medical school program, the director said. "The necessity to move classes to El Paso should concern the commu-

nity," he said, noting that third year medical students currently perform their residency requirements in the Sun City.

According to the administrator, the district cannot cut back on some of its hospital facilities to stay in the present budget and still "fulfill the total mission" of the medical school.

"The ideal is to give the medical school what it wants and needs to fill their primary mission," he said. "You might have to cut back care to certain patients, but it's all downhill when you get there."

Coston remained optimistic that the problems could be worked out, however. Other possible sources of revenue included the possibility of the state assuming the expense for certain portions of the teaching costs in state teaching hospitals and an additional loan from the federal government.

Med School Official . . .

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that Texas Tech was not in danger of losing the medical school even if the Health Sciences Center hospital does not open, and blame for the difficulties between the medical school and the hospital district lies not on one side or the other, but in a "difference of perception."

Lockwood said the hospital district and medical school began to talk about shared service arrangements last December to "try to determine what the cost in relation to patient care would be." Shared services include costs for x-rays, laboratory services and other operations needed to operate a hospital. But, according to Lockwood, the costs are based on the number of patients and, since the hospital is not yet open, such figures cannot be accurately determined.

"There is no way to do that," he said of the actual costs, "no way to make projections from something that doesn't exist. Those numbers (the \$5.8 million figure) and 15 cents won't get you a cup of coffee. The best estimate we can make is on relative cost."

The financial problem stems from another source, he noted. The medical center like all public teaching hospitals will operate on money supplied from the tax base and from patient income. In most cases, patient income derives from

a third party payer such as social security, medicaid, or health insurance premiums. But those rates are set by negotiation or provided for in statute. While reimbursement rates for teaching hospitals are greater than rates for community hospitals.

That, Lockwood said, is not the problem. The problem is finding funds to cover the cost of medical care to the medically indigent. Hospital district estimates show that 10 per cent of those using the facility will be indigents if current patient ratios hold up. The district must pay for these people with tax dollars. However, there is an additional figure not covered in the estimates which consists of those who cannot afford to pay the cost for medical care. A married man with a family of four who earns \$7000 each year does not qualify for indigent care. But that man may not be able to pay a \$3000 hospital bill.

In most hospitals the figure is marked off as a bad debt, Lockwood said, and the costs for providing their care is included in tax funds and the charge to paying patients. Currently the hospital district writes those debts off as unpayable if the amount is not recovered in six months.

There is no income to offset the cost of providing these people with care. The charge is included in the overall hospital operation cost, and unless offset by other income, eats into the financial base of the hospital.

"If the number (of patients unable to pay) is 5 per cent, we're all right," Lockwood said. "But if they are 20 to 30 per cent we're in trouble." If a public hospital is opened in Lubbock County, the hospital will receive the indigent patients and the borderline cases, he said.

"It won't work financially if these things are not worked out."

The problem with public health care systems is that there is "a great big group of people who drop between the 'guidelines,'" Lockwood explained. The way to finance their care is to raise the local tax base or to get a subsidy from the state. Such a subsidy for Texas Tech was remote, he noted, because it would include aid for the other teaching hospitals in the state.

"We're talking about a significant amount of money if you're talking about all the county hospitals that are teaching hospitals."

One of the intangibles in determining the income for the county hospital is the actual number of paying patients who will use the facility. The figure cannot be determined because of the existence of other hospitals in the community, Lockwood said. There was no need for another hospital in the community which would provide the same services as those already in operation. If the Health Sciences Center hospital is going to operate successfully, it needs to compete against the other hospitals for patients. The only way to do that, Lockwood added, is to provide special services.

However, over the years community hospitals have started to provide those same special services.

"You don't have to go to a teaching hospital to get it all done anymore. Community hospitals are more sophisticated," he said.

The administrator said the community hospitals here could not serve as a teaching hospital for Tech medical school students because of the teaching hospital's nature. A teaching hospital needs a faculty to set policy, Lockwood noted, and unless there was close cooperation between the school faculty and the hospital's medical staff, the program would not work.

"This community has never had a medical education facility before. Most community hospitals cannot serve as teaching hospitals because the faculty needs to establish hospital policy. You need a primary hospital," he said.

Lockwood also said he was not opposed to accepting the hospital from the district, but it would not make any difference financially.

"One organization running a hospital and clinical unites in the hospital makes sense," he said, "but it doesn't solve the problems." One reason is that the medical school cannot use their funds to pay for direct patient care.

"Our funds are in terms of state appropriations. We're prohibited from spending funds for direct patient care. Certain teaching costs we can pick up," he said.

The medical school official denied that Tech was in danger of losing the School of Medicine if the hospital is not opened in Lubbock. Lockwood said keeping the entire facility in Lubbock depends on the amount of clinical teaching conducted in Lubbock. If the hospital is not opened, the school will remain with Tech, but different facets of the educational process will take place in different areas.

"We'll be doing most of our (residency) teaching in El Paso for the next two or three years," he said. "We want to have a clinical program and teaching hospital here," he added.

Such a plan was still realistic, he said "if (the hospital district) can get the money."



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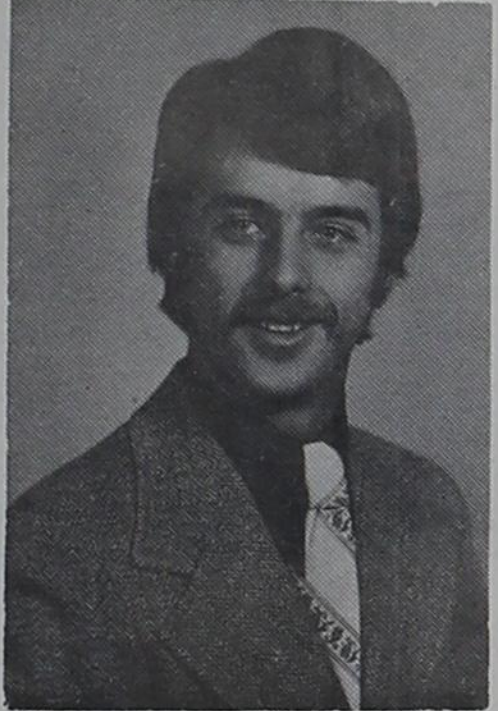
Four former graduates of Shallowater High School participated in commencement exercises at Texas Tech University May 14-15, receiving degrees.



Pam Thomas received a Bachelor of Science degree in education with emphasis in speech therapy, graduating with honors with a grade point above 3.5.

A graduate of the class of '73, Pam is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Thomas, Jr. of Shallowater.

A Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting was received by John Steven Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Hunter.



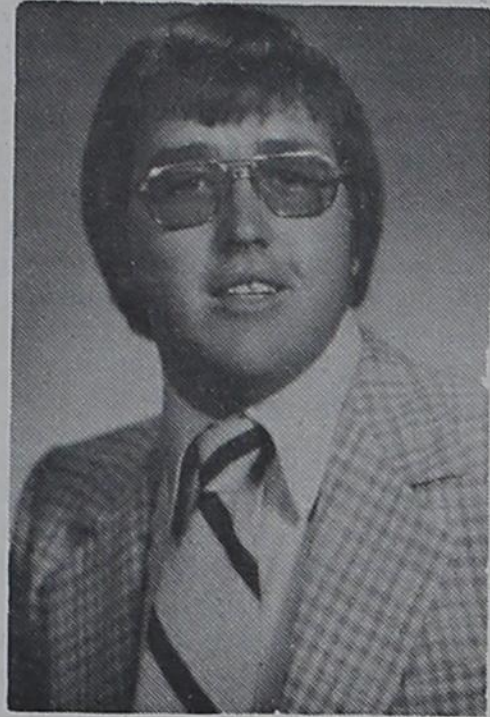
Hunter was a member of the Saddle Tramps and Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity and is employed by the First National Bank in Lubbock in the controlling division.

He graduated from Shallowater in 1973.

Steve Lyn Martin received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English, graduating with honors in honors studies.

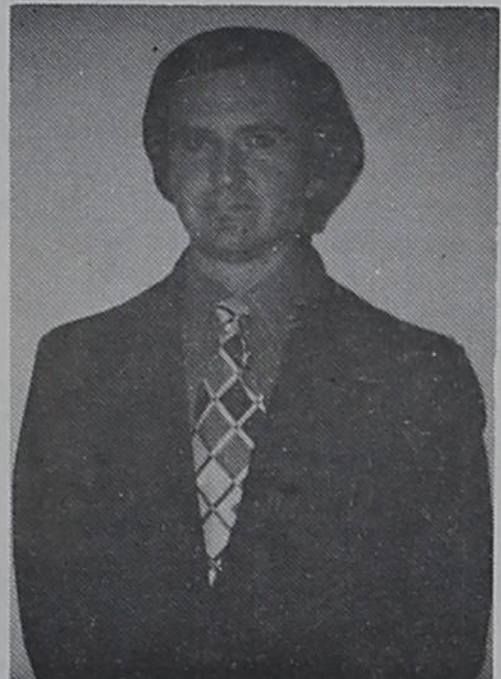
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin, Steve graduated with the Class of '72.

He plans to do graduate work at the University of Texas in Austin, beginning with the fall term.



Receiving a degree in Bachelor

William N. Smith Receives Award



William Noah Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mancel Smith of 1303 13th Street, has been chosen as one of the outstanding young men of America for 1976 by the board of advisors of that organization.

Smith, raised in Abernathy, is a 1961 graduate of Abernathy High School and has resided in Albuquerque the past seven years where he is sales manager for a local radio station there.

The notification stated in part "only a select number of young men from the entire United States receive this distinctive honor for their excellence in both professional endeavors and civic participation. These men work diligently making their cities, as well as their country, better places to live."

Smith is married and the father of two children, 12 years old and nine.

of Business Administration was James Steven Rackler, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Rackler.

Graduating from Shallowater in 1972, Steve has been active in the Tech accounting society while attending the University.

He plans to be employed with a CPA firm and he and Cindy Jovett will be married in the near future.

Summer Camp For Scouts Ahead

As the sun begins to climb higher and higher and the days begin to get longer and longer, Scouts in the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, look forward to summer camp adventure at Camp Post located at Post, Texas.

More than 400 Scouts are expected to take part in the weeklong training experiences between June 6th and July 2nd,

according to Bobby Moody, Council Scouting Chairman.

"The adventure that a Scout has in summer camp depends on many factors," Moody said, "but one of the most important is boy involvement in program planning, in competitive events, and in his own growth and development."

Among the exciting activities that Scouts find at Camp Post are aquatics skills, nature studies and outdoor camping skills training.

Moody said that the members of the camp staff for the four-week season are carefully selected and are skillful in their relationship to boys and in helping leaders be effective in administering the troop program at Camp.

Key staff members include, Chuck Hornung, Camp Director, Bill Bennett, Program Director and Bill Nelson, Aquatics Director.

Jack Braddock Opens New Automotive Shop Here Recently

Jack Braddock of Wolforth is announcing the opening of Braddock's automotive in the former building that housed Paulson Automotive on farm road 179.

Braddock has had several years experience in the automotive field and will be specializing in diesel trucks and tractors, irrigation engines and all phases of mechanic service, with the exception of automatic transmissions.

Braddock's future plans are to stock parts and have a machine shop, equipped to do value work, block boring, etc. and do

automotive air conditioner service.

Born and reared in Post, where he was a high school graduate, Braddock and his wife, Rita, who will be assisting in bookkeeping duties, have three children, 8 year old Chris, Kelly, 6 years old, and active 3 year old Tanya.

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Couples Enjoy Hawaiian Vacation **Sheridan's Ride**

by Jack Sheridan

Recently the Leroy Graunders and the Garland Stokes enjoyed a Hawaiian vacation. Their plane left at 11 a.m. and after nine hours flying time and a three hour layover in L.A., they arrived in the city of Honolulu. The Honolulu Airport is one of the ten busiest in the world. Buses took the tour group to the beautiful Hawaiian Village Hotel. After a good nights rest they enjoyed a "Waikiki Welcome Breakfast" of ham and eggs, orange juice and delicious fresh pineapple spears. You haven't eaten pineapple until you eat fresh chilled spears! After breakfast the group enjoyed a tour of a garment factory, where you watch seamstresses make their famous muu muu's and matching shirts for the men. Then we were taken on tour of the city of Honolulu, which is on the island of Oahu. The island is known as the gathering place as 70 percent of the 700,000 Hawaiians live on this beautiful island.

The tour enjoyed seeing the beautiful landscaped University of Hawaii, the Civic Center, and the residential area of Manoa Valley, a \$30,000 home here would be a \$100,000 home there. Flowers and shrubs soon cover the exterior of the house. We explored the acreage and saw the original grass shack where Robert Louis Stevenson wrote "Treasure Island" at Waioli. The Punchbowl National Memorial Cemetery was an interesting place to wander through. At one time it was a live volcano and now is a memorial to the war dead. On a large marble structure 26,280 names of the missing in action are carved. Ernie Pyle, the famous war correspondent, is buried here. From the lookout tower one could see the coast line with it's large swells coming in.

Diamond Head was as pretty as we've always been told. It's so named because of the clear stones the first settlers found and thought were diamonds. It too was a former live volcano and now houses, deep in the crater, the radar tracking stations, and the FCC. We saw the State Capitol, a large white, square shaped building. The present governor is Japanese and his salary is \$50,000 per year. He was voted in by a vast majority. The natives of Hawaii are Japanese, Filipinos and Portuguese. We saw the Iolani Palace and it is the only royal residence on U.S. soil. It was built in 1881 by King Kalakana.

The next day, after an early breakfast, we started out on a "beach and waterfall" tour. The island of Oahu is 40 miles long and 20 miles side and is third in size of the islands. An avrage of 70 inches a year is the rainfall here, 80 degrees is the average temperature and October is the rainy month. The first stop of the day was Pearl Harbor, this was a sad and meaningful experience. The Japanese bombed the Arizona at 7:35 a.m. on the morning of Dec. 7, 1941. It had 5 direct hits and sank in seven minutes. Some of the ship, burried in 30 feet of water can still be seen, the smokestack is still visible but will soon be gone as it has almost rusted away. The bodies of 1,102 men were not disturbed and are still entombed there.

On our way around the island we saw sugar cane in all stages, some just being planted and some being harvested. The sugar cane joints are first soaked in water then planted. It takes 15 to 18 months for the cane to ripen, then the leaves are burned off the plants to make for easier harvesting. It takes 250 gallons of raw sugar to make one pound of

refined sugar. It's dark in color when harvested and dirty looking. After being harvested and washed in Hawaii it is then sent to California for refining, and packaged as C&H sugar, California where it is processed and Hawaii where it is grown.

Next came the pineapple fields and we stopped at a little roadway stand in the middle of a field for fresh pineapple spears. It takes 18 months to two years for the pineapples to ripen. They are harvested by hand, put on conveyor belts to be loaded on trucks and taken to the canneries. Farm labor is \$4.00 to \$6.00 an hour. During the peak season 3 million pineapples are processed at the larger canneries.

From the pineapple fields the tour bus took us along the north shore to Waimea Falls, where we had a picnic lunch and watched divers dive from the ledges into the foaming water below. We walked the half mile back to the parking lot through exotic plants, orange, coffee, and mango trees. From the falls we drove along the Pali Highway to Pali Lookout, one of the windiest places in the world (made us West Texans feel at home!). The afternoon was clear of clouds and we could almost see forever. Wooden slopes on all sides and flowers everywhere, so pretty. From there we drove on to one of the prettiest beaches in Hawaii, Hanauma Bay. It is down off the road and surrounded by white sand. We snorkled in the crystal clear water to watch our tour guide feed the tropical fish that came from everywhere to eat the frozen peas he fed them. After the refreshing swim it was time to get back to the hotel. That night we attended a dinner show to see the world famous "Surfers" in the Long House (only none of us had ever heard of them!) Anyway we enjoyed their songs and antics.

The next day we took a Panarma plane hop to some of the other Islands. The plane was a twin engine nine passenger job. Everyone had a window seat, and the view was something you hear about but just can't believe until you really see it. Beauty is everywhere, as far as the eye can see. We flew from 500 to 1,000 feet high, and the pineapple fields were laid off in perfect rows and every bit of land is used. The Pineapple Island of Lanai is mostly farm land and 90 percent of the harvest is done by the women. The entire Island is owned by Dole Pineapple Co., except for a few lots that the employees own. Population is limited to around

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Sheridan's Ride

There is a director of stage and screen who, in recent years, has been making a name for himself in the Hollywood field. He is Arthur Penn and he has achieved that inner circle of motion picture directors whereby any film he makes now bears, like the Good Housekeeping Seal of Approval, the definitive and identifying logo "a film by Arthur Penn."



Well, Arthur Penn has hit some highs and lows down through the years but he has come up with a winner this time. He gathered himself a sold script, two stunning superstars, a cast that is well nigh impeccable in characterization, a geographical dual of unbelievably rugged and beautiful terrain, a composer for the score with provocative interpretation and a cameraman who deserves any old awards laying around.

The film, which opens its regular run at the Winchester Theater tomorrow (Friday) is "The Missouri Breaks," a horse-rustling film pitting the rustlers against the establishment ranchers against the stark and mysterious Montana area known as "The Missouri Breaks," the source of "The Might Mo" river.

The rustlers suffer the loss by the hanging of one of their colleagues as the film starts. They rob a train in a hilarious sequence to gain money with which they buy a small ranch to serve as a relay point for their stolen horses. The ranch is adjacent to the big spread of the powerful, unfeeling baron owner. Under the guise of farming, the rustlers prepare for the big haul.

With the rustlers' true operation uncertain to the opposition, the rancher imports a strange, Greek-like nemesis with an Irish accent. Literate, bemused, deadly this is the Enforcer, Robert Lee, whose sights are murderous and whose pathological pleasure is served in violence. It is his self-ordained job to hunt out and to kill the rustler band.

The Enforcer is played strongly, much in his remembered oldtime force, by Marlon Brando. With his fattening face, his flowing locks, his narrow eyes, Brando is pitted against the bearded, genial, charming and deadly-in-his-way rustler head, Jack Nicholson, the recent "Cuckoo's Nest" Oscar winner. Nicholson has achieved his superstar status and he brings all his multiple talents to bear, his charm, his charisma, his skills to this role.

There is a formidable motion picture debut by the young woman playing the rancher's daughter and Nicholson paramour, Kathleen Lloyd, a beautiful, warm job all the way.

Lack of a cast sheet precludes identification of other than Oscar nominee Randy McQuaid (for "Last Detail") as Todd, Nicholson's henchman, and Frederick Forrest in the cast. Too bad for all deserve mention. The father is superbly done, so are all the others.

John Williams' score is full of portentous rumbles and booms presaging disaster while the camera work among the Breaks, and especially during the ill-fated raid on the Canadian Mounted Police garrison, is almost three-dimensional in its handling.

Arthur Penn's direction is taut and close, though at moments he has included scenes that, while colorful or amusing, seem to have little relevance to the progression of the main plot line. But, no matter.

The language for the PG-rated, two-hour film is "today", but not overdone other than fits the characterizations and the events. Particularly pleasing are the "courting" scenes between Nicholson and Miss Lloyd, amusing, bright, witty and adult.

Arthur Penn has, without a doubt, taken a leaf from fellow director Sam Peckinpah who is known for his violence emphasis. Penn does not spare us the shock treatment. His murders and assassinations, hangings, are electric, no doubt and one of the shock treatment scenes of the film is the brief but unforgettable end of the Enforcer.

It's a good, solid, absorbing film, "The Missouri Breaks." It's got stardust all over it in every department. It is highly recommended.

Another bright, shining event in pure entertainment is now current at the Hayloft Dinner Theater down on the Brownfield Highway. This is the presentation through June 5 of the off-Broadway musical, the six character spoof of all the Ruby Keeler - Warner Brothers - Busby Berkeley musicals of the 1930s talkies, "Dames at Sea."

Set in rehearsal in New York City, the little plot concerns, as you might know, the unknown hooper from Utah with Broadway in her eyes; the aging and difficult star of the show; the fey producer-director-actor; the chorine with the heart of gold; two sailors, one a composer, the other a hooper and a galaxy of tunes by George Hamsohn and Robin Miller (book and lyrics) and Jim Wise (music), with the Utah gal getting her big break opening night.

The production, in three acts, is one of the brightest to hit town in a long time and this show has never been seen in the city before.

It is the work of a Kansas City-based group, The Continental Theatre Company, and they are a tightly-knit, highly-talented, bright and youthful group that apparently enjoy working together to the hilt. What they have produced is a laughable, tuneful, parody of hit proportions that keeps the audience smiling from beginning to end and pounding the palms after each of the numbers, the extremely clever choreography, by Gerald Webb, and the direction by Yvonne Ghareeb. There's a lot to be said for the musical direction by Gary Green and his backup group.

The working players are all just right. Olivia Vann is a joy as Mona Vann, the vet actress; K.K. Harper (that's a luscious, funny girl) is Ruby to the K; Lee Griswold is mincingly mercurial as producer Hennessey; Ina Jo Donovan is all the John Blondells of the business rolled into one, while Michael Haley and Mark Atchison as the gobs, Dick and Lucky respectively, are the "On the Town" sailors to matchless degree.

If any show at the Hayloft deserved full houses every night of the run, it is "Dames at Sea." I can't think of what any audience member could want more in the way of sheer entertainment and fun. If you don't see "Dames at Sea," then you just lose an evening of pure amusement and in these days that's like an unexpected rebate on your income tax!

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Hawaiian Vacation . . .

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15,000 people. The soil is so rich here the crops don't have to be rotated. We flew over the tiny Island of Kahoolawe, it is uninhabited and is used only for bombing practice. Years ago convicted criminals were taken by boat to the island and put out and left to die, thus the name Island of Death. Only 3-5 inches of rain falls here a year, and 37 species of man eating sharks lurk in the water surrounding it. The volcanic ash is red and nothing much can grow here.

To the southwest of Kauai is the tiny island of Niihau, the Forbidden Island. It is privately owned and one can only visit it by invitation and these invitations are few and far between. The pilots were not allowed to even fly close to the island. A decedent of the Royal Hawaiians, Mrs. Robinson, bought the island to keep it like the primitive Hawaii. There are about 300 persons living here in grass huts, without electricity, running water, cars or machinery. The women are not allowed to leave, but if they do they cannot return, but the men can come and go.

Next comes the "Big Island" of Hawaii. We can see the snow on Mauna Kea, the pilot says there is six feet of snow on the mountain which is 13,796 feet high. The plane lands and we take a Grayline tour of Kona, the third largest city of the Islands. We drove by the beautiful Kona Hilton Hotel where we'll be staying tonight after our tour. Bougainvillea grows everywhere and we were told they had fourteen different colors of the showy vine. The red Hibiscus is the state flower and you see it everywhere. There are 5,000 varieties of this hardy flower, and the huge blossoms are a mass of color. Macadamia nuts are grown in abundance on this island. They are very good and very expensive. The shells are so hard to crack that special heavy duty machines are used. Kona coffee is grown here and is very strong, you only use one third of what you would normally use. (one of our party was very happy about this and didn't have to add extra instant coffee to make it strong enough.) When the coffee bean is ready for harvest it is red in color and looks like cranberries. It is all picked by hand and the children are let out of school to help with the harvest.

We returned to our plane and flew across Hawaii to Hilo, the second largest city in the Islands. Hilo is the wettest city in the world. Average rainfall is 160 inches a year, but lots of time as much as 200 inches fall. We saw the beautiful Rainbow Waterfalls, where you see several rainbows at one time. Charles A. Lindberg owned land and is buried here beneath a white chapel built in his honor.

Now we are on our way to Maui, The Valley Island. This green, green Island is covered in valleys, waterfalls and trees. There are over 1,000 waterfalls here more than 100 feet high. We land and take another sight seeing bus tour. Had a delicious buffet dinner, and all our salads came topped with an orchid. The next Island is Molakai, The Friendly Island. We didn't stop on this island but could see the leper colony from the air. There are 140 lepers here now and their supplies are brought in by plane. Dole

Pineapple Company has 700 acres of fruit and Del Monte has 5,000 here. In 1977 a big resort area will be built on the white sands, this will be for a secondary income.

The next Island is Kauai, the Garden Island, fourth in size and is the wettest place in the world. Average rainfall is 451 inches but in 1967 they received 648 inches in one year, a government reading on top of one of the mountains. On Kauai they have the second "Grand Canyon." It is 4,000 feet deep at the deepest point and a long lazy river runs through it. The northwest coast is so steep that one has to see it by plane or boat. Cars cannot be driven there, the cliffs are 5,000 feet high at various places and 80 percent of the Hawaiian people have never seen this part of their state. The plane flew low so we could get pictures of the beautiful waterfalls and beaches. Down this coast line the film "South Pacific" was made, as well as "Blue Hawaii." Our plane landed and we took a boat trip up the Waialua River to the Fern Grotto, a lush tropical garden and cave where ferns grew in abundance. Our guides sang the Hawaiian Wedding Song and other Hawaiian songs.

There were a lot of Japanese making these tours, they seemed to cover the place, were well dressed and didn't speak English. Most of them were young, but we did see one older lady that still had her feet bound. In our plane again we flew low over the beautiful clear, blue water. We are told that we can see 30 feet deep. Clouds are beginning to build and they look dark and wet. Our pilot wants us to see the volcanos before they are engulfed in clouds. Kilauea Volcano crater is two and a half miles long, two miles wide and four hundred feet deep. We flew low over the fire pit and the pilot was going to turn around and go back through so we could get a better look, but the control tower said we'd best get out because of the rain clouds. Our plane takes us back to Honolulu and we take the Royal Hawaiian Aloha plane back to Kona on the Big Island. The next day is spent fishing and shopping and resting, and just drinking in all that beauty. We can't seem to see enough of the flowers and shrubs, the natives are so friendly and want you to enjoy their state. Everything is nice and clean. They use vacuum cleaners to clean the parking lots and to clean up the fallen blossoms from the trees.

In 1969 all the billboards and signboards were taken down and burned in a huge bonfire, and they are not allowed now. Even Colonel Sanders can't put up his big bucket of chicken or McDonald's their golden arches!

There are only two snakes in all of Hawaii, they are both male and in the Honolulu Zoo. It took six months of legislation to get them okayed for the zoo. There is no poison ivy or poison oak, and we

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only saw flies at one place, very few of them and they looked more like flying bugs. They do have a lot of termites and they call them Texas Termites because of their size.

After two days in Kona we took a motorcoach around the south end of the Big Island to the second largest city in Hawaii, Hilo. This was truly a scenic drive, flowers were growing wild all along the highway. We saw the black sand beach, made when the lava flow hit the cold water and exploded into fine particles of sand. We drove through tropical plants, and then on into the volcanic area. We had felt a slight tremor the night before at 1:30 a.m. and this is a good sign that there will soon be a volcano erupting. They say it is such a wonderful sight that when there is an eruption, people leave their jobs for miles around to watch the flow. We could see the steam coming from under the ground in the crater of the Kilauea Volcano. This is one of the world's most active volcanic areas. The crater is two and a half miles long, two miles wide and 400 feet deep. We watched the seismograph recording slight tremors all around.

After this stop we passed through the most southern part of the United States, on up the east coast and stopped at a florist where we are given a bright red anthurium blossom, these will stay pretty for three or four weeks. They are so bright and shiny they look like plastic. After touring the grounds of the florist we went on to Rainbow Falls and a tour of the city.

Our last day we rented a car and toured all the north end of the

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Island. Along the jagged coast, through sugar cane farms, pineapple fields and toured the Macadamia Nut Factory, where we saw them sort and grade the nuts by hand, then roast and can them. From here we drove through the Parker Ranch. This is the largest privately owned ranch in the U.S. The King Ranch in Texas is larger but is owned by a corporation. On the Parker Ranch each cowboy is given a string of eight horses when he starts to work, and if he stays for five years he is given a piece of land to build a house on, or whatever he wants. At the Parker Shopping Center we ate lunch and shopped, then started back to Hilo.

The next day we explored some more before we took the plane back to Honolulu, so we could start our homeward flight. Just before we got on the plane to start home we bought a dozen of the beautiful Anthuriums to hold in

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Shallowater High School Honor Festival

An honor assembly was held May 12, 1976 at 9:15 a.m. in the high school auditorium. The pledge was given by Kim Young; and introduction by Mr. Harris.

Organizations honored were:

Football

Coach Wolski; varsity captains: Bill Dixon, Ray Jackson Daryl Morris, and Johnny Taylor.

All District Honors went to Johnny Taylor, Ray Jackson, Jay Truelock, Curtis Lester, Daryl Morris, Jackie Randolph, Danny Green, David Monteith, Bill Dixon and Jay Truelock.

Recognition went to the following: Varsity team, Jr. Varsity Team, Freshman Team, Football Sweetheart and her court: Carol Shropshire, sweetheart; Jeanye Hunter; Laura Thompson and Kim Young.

Basketball (Boys)

Coach Tubb and Varsity Captains: Chris Hutchings, Ray Jackson, and Kim McMenamy.

All District Honors went to Ray Jackson, Chris Hutchings, and Kim McMenamy.

Presentation of the Tournament Trophy was by the Captains and Recognition went to the following: Varsity team, Jr. Varsity team, and Freshman Team.

Basketball (Girls)

Coach McKennon and Varsity Captains: Jeanye Hunter and Kim Young.

All District Honors went to Lindy Blumer, Jeanye Hunter, Terri Stanton and Kim Young.

Presentation of the Tournament Trophy was by Connie McCollum and Jana Hayslip.

Recognition went to the following: Varsity team, Jr. Varsity team, Freshmen team and Basketball King and Queen: Kim McMenamy and Jeanye Hunter.

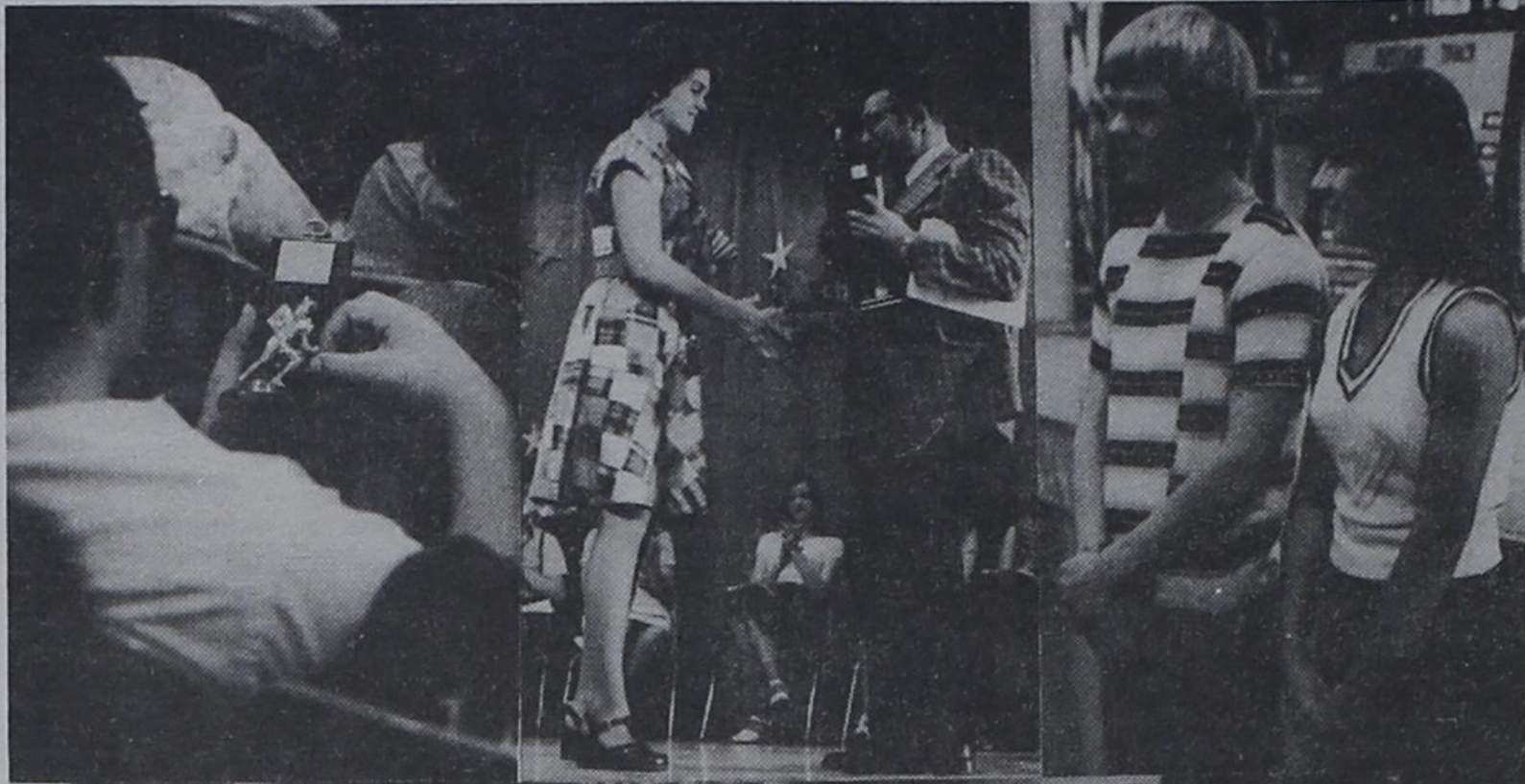
Track (Boys)

Coach Goodin was coach.

Regional qualifiers were Chet Webb, Kim McMenamy, Ricky Hawkins, Rod Warren and Bill Dixon.

School record in Polo Vault was Bill Dixon, 12 feet.

Presentation of the trophy was by Chet Webb and recognition went to all participants.



Pep Squad

the Pep Squad sponsor was Miss Gennaway and recognition went to all participants.

Future Teachers Association

Sponsor was Mrs. Barker and president was Susan Heinen.

Activities — Sold daisies and had bake sales to raise money to go to the State Convention. Because of lack of interest by the members, little money was made and no convention trip took place.

Recognition went to all participants.

DECA

Officers were Sylvia Garcia, treasurer; Jeanne Cason, reporter; and Caran Conner, historian.

Individual honors went to Diana Perser, Jeanne Cason, Caran

Jackson, Robin Truelock, Janis Horton, and Terri Stanton.

School records were set by Lindy Blumer, Donna Evans, Cindy Jackson, Robein Truelock, and Janis Horton.

Presentation of Trophies: Friendship Kitten Relays, Beverly Pair; District Champ Mile Relay, Robin Truelock; District Champ 880 Relay, Janis Horton.

Tennis (Boys)

The Boys Tennis coach was Coach Williamson.

Jr. Varsity District Winners were Paul Thompson, Kenneth Young, Clay Dixon, Steve Waller, and Lane Giles.

Varsity District winners were David Levens, Daryl Morris, Benny Judah, Jessie Longoria, Ray Jackson and Andy Blackmon.

Regional qualifiers were David Levens, Daryl Morris, Benny Judah, and Jessie Longoria.

Recognition went to all participants.

Tennis (Girls)

Coach Williamson was coach.

Varsity District winners were Carol Shropshire and Kim Young, both qualifying for regional, and Geniese Grawunder, Jeanye Hunter and Kim Myers.

Recognition went to all participants.

Golf

Boys and Girls golf was coached by Coach Tubb and recognition went to all participants.

Volleyball

The volleyball coach was Coach McKennon; captains were Claudette Lamb and Gloria Lara. Recognition went to all participants.

Student Council

Sponsor was Mrs. Witcher. Officers were Russel Martin, president; Brent Ratliff, vice president; Kim McMenamy, secretary; and Wyvonne Ford Morris, treasurer. Recognition went to all participants.

National Honor Society

Advisor was Mrs. Ruth Kulm. Officers were Kim Young, president; George Parsley, vice president; Judy Waller, secretary; Diana Perser, treasurer; Suzie DeAnda, reporter; and Beverly Pair, historian.

Activities were Kindergarten Christmas Parties, Awards Assembly, Formal Induction, Candy Sales at Basketball games, and collection of money for heart fund.

Scholarship candidates were Geniese Grawunder and Kim Young, selected as alternate.

Recognition went to all participants.

Miscellaneous Recognition

Presentation by Mr. Harris.

Cheerleaders: Carol Shropshire, Jeanye Hunter, Alison Terry, Brenda Stence, Connie McCollum and mascot Lori Harrison.

Office and Teacher's helpers were recognized.

Also recognized were class officers and UIL participants which included District winners Suzie DeAnda, Alison Terry, Geniese Grawunder, Caran Conner, Robbin Mauldin, George Parsley, Cheri Massey, Daryl Morris, Paul Thompson, and Guy Lesley.

Recognition went to all participants.

Who's Who

Alison Terry, Jeanye Hunter, Kim Young, Suzie De Anda, Ray Jackson, Chris Hutchings, Steve

Science awards went to Paul Thompson, physical science; Belinda Seale, biology; and Alison Terry, chemistry.

Math awards went to Guy Lesley and George Parsley.

The Business award went to Geniese Grawunder.

The Art award went to Patti Gisch.

The Journalism award went to Kathy Roberts and the Spanish award to Suzie DeAnda.

The Agriculture awards were given to Roy Cason, Ag. I; Ricky Barron, Ag. II; and Jay Truelock, Ag. Mechanics.

The Home Economics awards went to Encounter I — Sheila Evans, Dawn Hutchings, Claudette Lamb, Gloria Lara and Laura Walker; Encounter II — Amy Boring, Caran Conner and Laura Walker; Encounter III — Amy Boring and Caran Connor; and the Betty Crocker award went to Kim Young.

The Distributive Education award went to Terry Bristow.

Honor Roll

The honor roll of As and Bs was recognized by Mr. Harris and included:

Seniors: Kelly Blackmon, Jeanne Cason, Shirley Everette, Jeanye Hunter, Chris Hutchings, Mark Martin, Kim McMenamy, Diana Perser, Carol Shropshire, and Kim Young.

Juniors: Donna Boone, Guy Lesley, Robbi Mauldin, Kim Myers, Beverly Pair, George Parsley, Laura Walker, Judy Waller, and Steve Wilson.

Sophomores: Tammy Beaver, Lesa DuLaney, Donna Evans, Tony Heinen, Cindy Jackson, Lance Morris, Jamie Myers, Lee Parsley, Belinda Seale and Dana Vickrey.

Freshman: Andy Blackmon, Roy Cason, Shelia Evans, Lane Giles, Becky Hamm, Jana Hayslip, Stacy Hohenberger, Dawn Hutchings, Cheri Massey, Tammy McAuley, Connie McCollum, Lee Rinehart, Jeani Roberts, Julie Sproles, Terri Stanton, Roddy Thomas, Paul Thompson, Mitch Wilson, and Kenneth Young.

Court of Honor

The Court of Honor consists of students having all As and includes Seniors Patti Ewing and



Coach Goodin presenting award to Deborah Penney.

Band

The band director was Mr. Sherman and officers were Kim Young, president; Kim Myers, vice president; and Geniese Grawunder, reporter.

The band Beau and Sweetheart were George Stanton and Kim Myers.

Individual honors went to Geniese Grawunder, Kim Young and Kim Myers for All Region Band; and Patti Ewing, Tim Sinclair, Laura Walker, George Parsley, John Perez, Dawn Hutchings and Alison Terry, also for All Region Band.

Regional Solo and Ensemble honors went to Geniese Grawunder, Alison Terry and George Parsley.

Group honors were Marching I, Concert I, Sight Reading I; Sweepstakes.

Other awards will be presented at the Concert tomorrow night.

Recognition went to all participants.

Conner and Terry Kirkland.

Recognition went to all participants.

Annual Staff

Sponsor was Mrs. Barker. Positions held were Editor, Kathy Roberts; Photographer, Terri Martin; senior staff, Jeanye Hutner, Carol Shropshire, Geniese Grawunder and Laura Thompson; Junior staff - Belinda Dunn, Wyvonne Ford, Janis Horton, Robbin Mauldin, Beverly Pair, La Juan Paul, Barbara Stephenson, Laura Walker and Judy Waller.

Newspaper

Sponsor was Mrs. Barker. Reporters were Anita Alvarado, Melissa Martin, Chris Hutchings, and Kim McMenamy.

Recognition went to all participants.

Track (Girls)

The coach was Coach Goodin.

Regional qualifiers were Donna Evans, Beverly Par, Lindy Blumer, Donna Evans, Cindy



Coach Tubbs and Chuck Luck

Wilson, George Parsley, Geniese Grawunder, and Tom Sinclair.

Honor Graduates

Geniese Grawunder, Patti Ewing, Kim Young, Diana Perser, Shirley Everette, Daryl Morris, and Kim McMenamy.

Subject Awards

Kim Young presented the subject awards.

English awards went to Sheila Evans, English I; Dana Vickrey, English II; Alison Terry, English III; and Geniese Grawunder, English IV.

Social Studies awards went to Geniese Grawunder, government; Suzie DeAnda, American History; and Patti Ewing, world history.

Geniese Grawunder and Juniors Suzie DeAnda, Belinda Dunn, Claudette Lamb, and Alison Terry.

Mr. & Miss SHS

This honor was presented by Mr. Harris to Tom Sinclair and Jeanye Hunter.

Outstanding Boy and Girl

Presented by Mr. Harris to Chris Hutchings and Geniese Grawunder.

Valedictorian

Presented by Mr. Harris to Geniese Grawunder.

Salutatorian

Presented by Mr. Harris to Patti Ewing.

The closing was given by Kim Young.