

# Shallowater Junior Livestock Show Staged Here Last Week

## Shallowater Pair Compose Piano Book

by Janice Jarvis

What do Hippopotamus, Hiccups, and CBers all have in common? They are titles to music pieces found in a piano book written by Sallie Sinclair and Candy Graywunder.

With such catchy titles, and equally appealing lyrics children are discovering that piano lessons can be fun. And when children think something is fun they become more interested and thus learn more.

Or such is the theory behind the piano book written by the two authors.

"I believe that if anyone can learn to read they can also learn to play the piano," said Mrs. Sinclair.

In the past, piano books introduced concepts too rapidly, not giving students enough time to practice on a concept, explained Mrs. Sinclair.

But their book takes a different approach, said Mrs. Sinclair. "Through the years of teaching piano we discovered that children like to read along with the music. All of the music pieces have words with them, and students move very slowly from one piece to another.

The book is designed to first introduce a concept, then explain the theory, next the child plays the piece, then there is a review.

The result is the child learns to play the piano, despite any problems he might have. The book is suited for every child from one with some learning disability to the gifted child.

"What we're giving the child is success, and a background that will prepare him for more difficult pieces," Mrs. Sinclair explained.

As the child masters simple pieces, sight singing and ear training will be added.

"For a child to be able to learn this he must start at an early age," according to Mrs. Sinclair.

With proper training at an early age, anyone can learn to play the piano, noted Mrs. Sinclair. The book is designed to go slow enough that children can learn the material while at the same time the book avoids leading the child to a dislike for music because he can't keep up with the music.

Children have played a big part in writing this book, explained Mrs. Sinclair. Every piece of music was played by her students before being included in the book. If a child didn't respond to a piece it was either thrown out or revised.

This new method of teaching has made piano lessons fun for both student and teacher. Combining the more traditional approach of Mrs. Sinclair with the newer approach of Candy Graywunder, may contribute to a better understanding of music for many students.

The authors began work in May of last year and hope to have their book published in the near future. "Publishers seem interested in the book," noted Mrs. Sinclair.

For now the new method of learning piano is taught only by the two teachers. Someday it may

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PIANO LESSONS—Using a new technique that makes learning to play the piano fun, Mrs. Sallie Sinclair gives student Linda Shropshire a few pointers. Mrs. Sinclair and Ms. Candy Graywunder are co-authors of a piano book designed to spark the interest of young pianists.

## Shallowater Junior Chamber of Commerce Sets Opening Meeting

Shallowater men between the ages of 18 to 36 are invited to attend an organizational meeting Thursday night, January 20 for Shallowater Jaycees.

Scheduled to meet in the First State Bank party room at 7:30 p.m., Jaycees is a civic group interested in helping improve civic conditions in Shallowater.

Goals for the Jaycees organization is personal growth for the individual which is realized through community involvement.

Temporary officers for the group are Ronnie Elliott, president; Keith Young, vice president; and Mark Huckabee, treasurer.

Various programs and activities for the group are presently being discussed with the emphasis on a balance between recreation and community activities. All young men interested in serving their community are invited to attend.

## Water District Election Scheduled

Two candidates are on the ballot for directorship of the Lubbock County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, in the election Saturday.

They are H.D. Waller and R.M. Wisner. Two directors are to be elected.

Polling places are: City of Lubbock, Woodrow, Cooper, Hurlwood, New Deal, Monroe and Abernathy—either at the Lubbock County Courthouse or Fire Station No. 6 at 35th and Indiana, Lubbock; Wolfforth —

City Hall, Wolfforth; Election Precinct 46 — Community Clubhouse, Shallowater; Becton, Roosevelt, and Idalou — Community Clubhouse, Idalou; McClung and Posey communities and Slaton — Clubhouse, 700 W. Garza, Slaton.

## New Employee at Local Post Office



Mary Dalton

Mrs. Mary Dalton, who has been working at the local post office on a part time basis since last February, began duties recently as a regular clerk and will be in the office from 6:30 until 8:30 in the mornings 6 days a week, unless needed to work longer to assist Postmaster

The annual Shallowater Junior Livestock Show was held Saturday Jan. 8th, beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the local high school ag shop with the local 4-H and FFA youth participating.

The General Superintendent was Charles Giles, Swine Superintendent was Bryan Burgett, Sheep Superintendent was Bobby Judah, and the Calf Superintendent was Joe Randolph. Judge of the entire show was John Coats, ag teacher from Tulia.

Lamb entrie winners are as follows:

In the Fine Wool Cross division—Rickey Barron, 1st; Terri Stanton, 2nd; Patti Stanton, 3rd; and Terri Stanton, 4th.

In the Medium Wool division, light weight class: Brandy Giles, 1st; Allen Judah, 2nd; and Benny Judah, 3rd; heavy weight class—Ricky Barron, 1st; Benny Judah, 2nd; Allan Judah, 3rd and 4th.

South Down division; light weight—Ricky Barron, 1st; Brandy Giles, 2nd; Lane Giles, 3rd; Ricky Barron, 4th; and

Brandy Giles, 5th; heavy weight—Lane Giles, 1st and 2nd; Camie Stanton, 3rd; Terri Stanton, 4th; and Brandy Giles, 5th.

Ricky Barron had the Champion Lamb and the Reserve Champion Lamb.

In the steers division, light weight class—Denise Hammersley, 1st; Van Simkins, 2nd and 3rd; Barry Randolph, 4th; heavy weight class—Mike Hammersley, 1st; Sandra Hammersley, 2nd; Barry Randolph, 3rd and 4th.

Mike Hammersley had the Champion Steer and Denise Hammersley had the Reserve Champion Steer.

In the gilts division, light weight class—Mike Hammersley, 1st; Cheryl Potter, 2nd; Mike Hammersley, 3rd; Stuart Pettiet, 4th; and Rod Burgett, 5th; heavy weight class—Celeste Potter, 1st; Jimmy Brock, 2nd; Barry Randolph, 3rd; Dale Holleman, 4th; and Mike Hammersley, 5th.

Celeste Potter had the Champion Gilt and Mike Hammersley had the Reserve Champion Gilt.

In the barrows division, Duroc light weight class—Scott Penny, 1st; Tim Tuttle, 2nd; and Cheryl Potter, 3rd; Duroc heavy weight class—Scott Briant, 1st; Janice Cook, 2nd; and Celeste Potter, 3rd.

Yorkshire class—Mike Hammersley, 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th; Stuart Pettiet, 3rd.

Spots and Polands class, light weight—Scott Penny, 1st; Scott Briant, 2nd; Stuart Pettiet, 3rd; Rod Burgett, 4th and 5th; heavy weight—Van Simkins, 1st, 2nd and 3rd; Mike Hammersley, 4th; and Patti Stanton, 5th.

Hampshire class—Ray Seale, 1st; Camie Stanton, 2nd; and Ray Seale, 3rd; Cross class—Patti Stanton, 1st; Scott Briant, 2nd; Rod Burgett, 3rd; and Celeste Potter, 4th.

Ray Seale had the Champion Barrow and Scott Briant had the Reserve Champion Barrow.

## Prescription Shoppe To Open Here Soon

Another convenience for area residents is underway, with preparations being made to open the Shallowater Prescription Shoppe sometime around February 15th.

Frank Kantro and his wife, Cheri, both licensed pharmacists from Idalou will open the shop with Mrs. Kantro operating the Shallowater store while Kantro is in Idalou, where they reside and he will be operating the Idalou Prescription Shoppe.

The firm will be open from 9 a.m. til 5:30 p.m., closed during the lunch hour, Monday through Friday. It will fill doctor's prescriptions and handle some patent medicines.

Frank and Cheri both are native Texans and received their degrees in Pharmacy from Southwestern Oklahoma State. Frank is a graduate of Central High School in San Angelo and Cheri graduated from Pampa High School.

Formal opening of the Shallowater Prescription Shoppe will be announced in Suburban Today at a later date.

## Fire Department Kept Busy Here

The local volunteer fire department was kept pretty busy in 1976, summoned to 49 fires, the majority of them county fires, out of the city limits.

Around one-half of the fires were grass fires, with one major fire, Mac's Farm Supply that burned in March and the big train derailment and fire that kept several of the volunteer members at the scene for over 24 hours.

There were several house and trailer house fires and the group was summoned to Goodpasture Inc. where the blaze was quickly extinguished with minor damage. They were also summoned to three gin fires and near the Lubbock Airport entrance to a diesel tank fire.

This group of men are to be commended for their service to the Shallowater Fire Dept. and for the many hours of volunteer work they put forth to give residents in the community safe fire protection in case of a fire when alerted.

The territory they cover over the county is widespread and many hours of volunteer service is given by this group who meets on the second and fourth Monday nights at 6:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

The city council recently purchased several fireman's hats, face shields, boots and overcoats for the protection of the group when they are fighting a fire.

Milton Elliott and Barbara Chandler in handling the morning mail box and window delivery.

Mary has been employed in the Postal Dept. for 3½ years, working at the post office in Ropesville prior to coming to Shallowater.

A native of Ropesville, Mary and her husband, Omer Lee, who farms, have two lovely daughters, Omie, an 18 year old freshman at South Plains College in Levelland and Sandra, 14, a freshman at Ropesville School.



# Party Line

Mrs. J.C. Dean has returned home from Houston where she spent the past week at the bedside of her sister who is real ill.

Mrs. Joyce Hooks of Lubbock spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Eula Deavours.

Mrs. Claire Ichtertz returned home last week following surgery in Methodist Hospital.

K.L. Potter was released from

Methodist Hospital Friday and has returned to his home.

Joe Lambert of Hobbs, New Mexico was a Monday guest of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. O.A. Lambert.

Patty Lester returned home Tuesday following a weeks stay in Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Highley of Alpine are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Mason spent the holidays in Beatrice, Nebraska with their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. James Nedrow and children and in Texarkana, Ark. with another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Miliken and children.

Visitors during the holidays in the Charles Krebs home were the Carl Don Allens, formerly of Shallowater, now living in Carrolton.

Visiting relatives in Farmington, New Mexico from Shallowater through the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hankins and Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDaniel and, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chappin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krebs visited after Christmas with

relatives in Arkansas and Oklahoma where he visited his mother in Lawton.

Walter Fields fell at his home Saturday afternoon and injured his left leg. He was taken by EMS ambulance to Methodist Hospital where he was admitted for treatment.

W.L. Deaver fell and broke his hip Monday morning, was treated at the local clinic and transferred to Highland Hospital for admission by aid ambulance.

## David Potter Goes Back to Barbering

Dalton Potter has returned as barber to the Pot-Luck Barber Shop, following an absence of several months.

Potter leased the shop early last year in order to devote fulltime to raising Duroc hogs.

At the present time, Potter will be in the shop Tuesday through Saturday from 1:00 p.m. until 6 p.m. until he gets a man trained to handle the hog business, then he plans to open the shop all day.

Potter has 16 years experience in barbering and was associated with Faye Luck here from 1967 until Luck's retirement several years ago, when Potter purchased the shop from Luck.

Dalton and his wife, Dara, have three daughters and one son, 14 year old Celeste, a freshman, Cheryl, age 10, a sixth grader, 3 year old Dena, and Roy King, born Jan. 11. Dora has been a teachers aide in Shallowater schools, and has a degree in Journalism and English.

### Compose Piano Book . . .

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be taught in classrooms across the country.

"It's so nice to see a child come to his piano lesson laughing rather than looking bored," explained Mrs. Sinclair.

And making piano lessons fun is something too good to keep locked up.

## Cowart-Blalock Exchange Vows



In a candlelight ceremony on January 8, 1977, Miss Cindy Cowart became the bride of Barry Blalock at the First Baptist Church of Shallowater. The Rev. Allan Cartrite of Roby performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. Cowart of Shallowater. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arbrey M. Blalock of Snyder.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was presented at the altar in a winter white velvet wedding gown of Victorian design. The gown featured a molded bodice with a shield shaped sheer yoke made of heirloom lace with cameo design. Heirloom lace edging formed the high wedding band neckline. Full bishop sleeves were gathered to form deep cuffs accented with heirloom lace ruffling. From the lace encircled crescent waistline drifted the bouffant A-line skirt with fullness gathered at the back. The full skirt drifted to form a full chapel train. Deep ruffled heirloom lace flounce encircled the hemline. She wore a white heirloom lace covered capulet from which drifted her bouffant mantilla of imported silk illusion edged completely in a deep border of heirloom lace edging. The mantilla drifted beyond the train of her gown.

In following bridal tradition, the bride carried a handkerchief of her grandmother's for something old. Something borrowed was a silver bracelet that belonged to her sister-in-law. She wore a blue lace garter and a wristwatch given her as a wedding gift from the bridegroom for something new. The 'sixpense' she wore in her shoe was minted in the year of her birth.

The bridal bouquet was fashioned from an array of red and white roses and baby's breath in colonial shape with red and white streamers.

The altar was adorned with spiral candelabras on each side and centered with tapered candelabras. Greg Cowart, brother of the bride, served as candlelighter. The couple lit a

unity candle which rested on an altar table of red underlay with a white lace cloth made by the grooms grandmother.

The brides attendants wore floor length gowns of red velvet which featured white lace yokes and fitted sleeves. Each carried a red and white long-stemmed rose tied with a white bow and streamer.

Mrs. Ron Cowart, sister-in-law of the bride was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Susie Canon, cousin of the bride of Paducah, and Vicki Roberts of Shallowater.

The grooms best man was Robbie Sterling of Houston. Other attendants were the groom's brother, Moell Blalock and John Miller, both of Snyder. Ushers were Ron Cowart, brother of the bride, and Charles Kuss of Snyder.

Wedding music was provided by organist, Mrs. Lance Morris of Crosbyton. Soloists were Jean Shipp of Lubbock and Larry Shields of Wichita Falls. Special music included "What Love Is," "Sunrise, Sunset," "Wedding Song," "Someday, Somewhere," and "God Bless This Marriage."

A reception followed the ceremony in fellowship hall of the church. Members of the house-party included Nancy Thomas and Donna Hardin of Shallowater serving at the brides table and Marla Sterling of Houston, and Diane Kilgore of Victoria serving at the grooms table. Terri Stanton of Shallowater registered guests for both the wedding and the reception. The brides table featured a three-tiered wedding cake with red and white roses. The grooms table was laid with a red tablecloth and featured silver appointments. A centerpiece of red and white flowers and candles also graced the table. The groom's chocolate cake had the brides and grooms names inscribed with red icing.

For her wedding trip, the bride chose an ivory knit pant suit with matching print blouse and tan accessories. Her corsage was fashioned of white roses. The couple will live in Snyder after a honeymoon trip to Houston.

The bride was a 1975 graduate of Shallowater High School and is a sophomore at Western Texas College in Snyder. The groom was graduated from Snyder High School and also attends WTC.

The grooms parents were hosts for a rehearsal dinner for members of the wedding party on Friday night at the Gridiron in Lubbock. Special guests included Lance Morris of Crosbyton, Mrs. Press Canon, aunt of the bride from Paducah, Mrs. Allan Cartrite of Roby, Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. Miller Robinson, both of Snyder.

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# Sheridan's Ride

by Jack Sheridan

There are two films in town that are above average and, surprisingly enough, they are both housed under the common roof of Showplace 4, that attractive four-theater complex next door to K-Mart at 66th and University Ave.

Though there are a lot of television viewers who are inclined to sniff and scoff at the weekly "Waltons" series, the longevity and the affection of its viewers have made that series well nigh a standard family fare in millions of living rooms around the country.



I mention the "Waltons" because the first of the two films that are currently on view at Showplace 4 is "The Adventures of the Wilderness Family," a 94-minute, G-rated modest little film that contains a good measure of the warmth and wholesomeness of the aforementioned television series.

This film was photographed in the beautiful and remote Utah country and the scenery is lovingly captured by the cameras. It is not only the story of an urban family who give up city life for the rugged outdoor life on the land but it combines a kind of nature study as well. There is a whole cast of animals, bears, raccoons, coyotes, dogs and fish and they give their human counterparts a sharp run for the honors money, too.

Briefly, the plot is a simple one but, with an adroitness that skirts the usual banalities, Stewart Raffil, who wrote this engaging script and then directed it has made this a warm and rewarding little picture.

The cast that plays this film is mostly unknown. But that does not mean that they are not competent. They most certainly are. The father, a construction worker, decides to forego the superficial amenities of city life when his daughter suffers a severe asthma attack. With his daughter, wife and son, he heads for the deserted mountain area, builds his log cabin and begins to fight both natural elements and the maurading animal life. It all comes out fine and while the name of "The Adventures of the Wilderness Family" will not be figuring in the upcoming Academy Awards, it nonetheless makes its point in simple and identifiable terms.

It is not often that an independantly produced film gets too far along the more hide-bound bigtime pathway, but this one quietly makes its mark and joins that happy few such as the "Benji" series out of Dallas, "Hawmps," and a few others that bravely ford the commercial stream and attract attention from the public and reviewers as well.

So, if you have a few minutes, if you are tired of newspaper accounts of child murders and beatings, if some of the violence today on screen and the television tube sicken you, take five and settle back and enjoy "The Adventures of the Wilderness Family." It's a cleansing experience. And entertaining, too.

I am late in covering "Silver Streak" which roared into the Showplace 4 a couple of weeks back but it is holding its ground nicely and has made a lot of friends on its daily trips from Chicago to California. Of course, "Silver Streak" is a train (thank heavens, "Murder on the Orient Express" brought my favorite mode of transportation back into the public eye!).

"Silver Streak," PG and a little under two hours performance time, tells the story of one George Caldwell, played with his usual impish and beguiling humor, by Gene Wilder, who is escaping the murderous intent of some art thieves.

I'm not about to try and detail the off and on again tactics as this sleek train makes its way, other than to say there is plenty of blood, sweat and tears intermingled with the comedy in this one. However, at the first the film struggles to get to its feet. But it is that gifted black comedian, the very funny Richard Pryor who makes his appearance about an hour after the film has been underway who steals and saves the whole enterprise.

Pryor grows in stature with his every film appearance and in this one Wilder and company have much to be grateful for his presence. He is a total comedian and he knows his craft.

There is a sequence where Pryor fixes Wilder up in blackface to avoid police that ranks among the funniest of the motion pictures' comedic entries.

Wilder keeps getting thrown off the train but manages to keep on and the whole caper winds up with a wild and amusing finish as the Silver Streak reaches its terminal end.

"Silver Streak" is amusing; it is not a great and at times not even a good film. But Pryor sparks it and the rest follow through to a happy sum.

Jill Clayburgh, who made her debut on screen as the late Carole Lombard in that recent dreadful, purported story of Lombard and Clark Gable, appears to good advantage as the girl in the next compartment to Wilder and there are solid, substantive supports by such known players as Patrick McGoohan, Ned Beatty, Lucille Benson, Scatman Crothers and Ray Walston, to name a few.

## Caprock China Club to Meet

Members and guests of the Caprock China Club will hold their regular meeting Saturday, Jan. 15th, beginning at 10 a.m. in Municipal Garden and Arts Center.

Mrs. J.M. (Louise) Goodwin of 600 South Davis Drive in Arlington, who teaches china painting in that city will demonstrate china painting scenes. Mrs. Goodwin is a

member of the Fort Worth Porcelain Art Club and has studied various times in France and England and is an excellent demonstrator.

While in Lubbock, Mrs. Goodwin will be the house guest of Mrs. Irene Goodwin of 3018 67th Street.

Members from all over the South Plains and New Mexico are expected to attend the covered dish luncheon. Shallowater members include Mrs. Garland Stokes and Mrs. Marye Casey.



**LOOK WHO'S NEW**  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith proudly announce the arrival of a baby girl, born Thursday, January 6, at 12:38 p.m. in St. Mary's Hospital.

Tipping the scales at 7 pounds 7 ounces, the little miss was named Jamie Olean and has a three year old sister, Andrea.

Happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Scott Vaughan and Mrs. W.C. Smith and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Vaughan all of Shallowater.

The new father is employed with DeKalb.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Potter are happy to announce the arrival of a boy, born Tuesday, January 11, at 8 a.m. in St. Mary's Hospital.

The little boy tipped the scales at 8 pounds 8 ounces and was named Roy King after his grandfathers.

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. King L. Potter of Shallowater and Mr. and Mrs. Hat Roy of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.

The baby boy has three happy sisters awaiting his arrival home. They are 14 year old Celeste, Cheryl, age 10, and Dena, 3.

Potter is owner-operator of the Pot-Luck Barber Shop.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Skinner of

Lubbock proudly announce the arrival of their first child, a boy, born Saturday, January 8, at 9:45 p.m. in St. Mary's Hospital.

The little boy tipped the scales at 6 pounds 14 1/2 ounces, and was named Ronald Keith, Jr.

The new mother is the former Kathy Baer and the baby's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Baer of Shallowater. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Skinner of Lubbock.

The father is employed as a fireman with the Lubbock Fire Dept.

## Methodist Women Meet Recently

The United Methodist Women of Shallowater met Monday evening, Jan. 10, in the church parlor. The president, Mrs. R.R. Warren, opened the meeting with prayer. Roll was answered by reading a Bible verse containing the word disciple.

Vice president, Mrs. B.H. Thomas Jr., distributed the Yearbooks for 1977. These Yearbooks were dedicated to Mrs. Doyle Masbey in appreciation of the many duties she has filled through the years.

Mrs. James McMenamy brought the Pledge Service, with emphasis on the projects the United Methodist Women of America support throughout the world.

Mrs. B.H. Thomas Jr. gave the benediction.

Mrs. C.M. Thomas was hostess to 11 members.

## Scouts Meet

The highlight of this months pack meeting which was held Jan. 4 at 7 p.m. in the club house, was the pine wood derby race.

The boys received the derby cars for Christmas from their leaders so that they would have the Christmas holidays to work on them.

The over-all winner was Mark Usrey.

Our February pack meeting will be our Blue and Gold banquet honoring the scouting birthday which was started 67 years ago.

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## BIBLE AUTHORITY CHRIST HAS ALL AUTHORITY

### WHAT IS AUTHORITY

Authority may be defined as "the right to command and enforce obedience; the right to act by virtue of office station or relation; as the authority of the parent over the child."

We notice now some of the species of authority.

1. IMPERIAL AUTHORITY. This is authority possessed by persons or ruling bodies by reason of superior position.
2. DELEGATED AUTHORITY. This authority exists as a right granted by imperial authority.
3. THE DELEGATED AUTHORITY

The first delegated authority in Christianity was from the Father to the Son. (Heb. 1:1) Jesus said, "The word which you hear is not Mine, but the Father who sent me" (John 14:24). The Son closes His life on earth and prefaces His Great Commission to the apostles with the statement: "All power (authority) in heaven and in earth is given unto me." (Matthew 28:18). Christ stands nearest the Father in delegated authority. He was not only the delegate of God on earth, but He is the "image of the invisible God," He was the fulness of the Godhead bodily" (Colossians 2:9). Christ therefore, taught and worked with absolute Divine authority. Were to here Christ on ALL Biblical authority. (Matt. 17:1-5).

Christ said he would build his church (Matthew 16:18). He purchased his church with his blood (Acts 20:28). What church?

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Nov. 22	Ropes	Here	5:00	Jan. 14*	O'Donnell	Here	5:00
Nov. 22	LCHS	Here	4:00	Jan. 18*	Stanton	There	5:00
Nov. 23	Frenship	There	4:00	Jan. 20-21-22	New Deal JV Tourn.	There	T.B.A.
Nov. 30	Ropes	There	5:00	Jan. 21*	Plains	Here	5:00
Nov. 30	LCHS	Here	4:00	Jan. 25	Christ the King	Here	5:00
Dec. 2-3-4	Whiteface Tourn.	There	T.B.A.	Jan. 28*	Seagraves	Here	5:00
Dec. 3	Cooper	Here	4:00	Feb. 1*	O'Donnell	There	5:00
Dec. 6	Slaton	There	5:00	Feb. 3-5	Cooper JV Tourn.	There	T.B.A.
Dec. 7	Ralls	Here	6:30	Feb. 4*	Stanton	Here	5:00
Dec. 9-10-11	Idalou Tourn.	There	T.B.A.	Feb. 4	Cooper	Here	3:30
Dec. 14	Kress	Here	5:00	Feb. 8*	Plains	There	5:00
Dec. 20	Anton	Here	4:00	*Denotes District Games			
Dec. 21	Kress	There	5:00	Head Coach: Joe Tubb - Girls Coach: Jan Averitt -			
Dec. 30-31, Jan. 1	Muleshoe Tourn.	There	T.B.A.	Asst. Coaches: Eddie Wolski, Roy Baker, Leland Casey			
Jan. 4	Littlefield	Here	4:00				
Jan. 7	Olton	There	5:00				
Jan. 7	Frenship	Here	4:30				

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## Services Held For Mrs. Ruth Merrell



The Shallowater community lost another of its beloved pioneers last week with the death of Mrs. Ruth Merrell, following a lengthy illness.

Funeral services for the 82 year old former school teacher were held Tuesday, Jan. 4, at 10:30 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church with the pastor, Rev. Tommy Ewing, officiating.

Burial was in the City of Lubbock cemetery, directed by Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home.

A resident of the Shallowater area for 57 years, she moved here from Hill County where she graduated from Sam Houston State University in 1914.

Mrs. Merrell had been a school teacher for 46 years, 42 of those years in the Shallowater schools. She retired from the Shallowater school district 7 years ago where she had been a teacher and librarian.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Shallowater and the National Retired Teachers Asso.

She is survived by a son, Edwin of Shallowater; a daughter, Mrs. Werner Teggemann of Lubbock; three brothers, Glenn Blackmon of Littlefield and George and Elton Blackmon, both of Shallowater; six grandchildren; and five great-grandsons.

Pallbearers were A.C. Henderson, Donal Wages, James McMenemy, Gale Ballard, Lewis Akins and M.J. Williams.

## Father of Local Woman Dies

Services for Melvin Griffith, 80, of Plainview were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Westside Church of Christ in Lockney.

Officiating was Earl Cantrell, minister of Rock Creek Church of Christ, and Frank Duckworth minister of the Lockney church.

Burial followed in Lockney Cemetery under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Griffith died Friday in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

The Lone Star native was a retired farmer. He married Jewell Estelle Rannals on Sept. 21, 1958, in Lockney.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Nora Bybee of Lockney, Rita Coats of Shallowater and Ann Loter of Pampa; a stepdaughter, Kyletta Haynie of Truth or Consequences, N.M.; a stepson, Douglas Howard of West Virginia; a brother, Virgil of Portales, N.M.; two sisters, Mable Hamlett of Clovis, N.M., and Naomi Oler of Longview, Wash.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

## Rosary Held for Patricia Orozco

Rosary services for Patricia Orozco, 16, of Shallowater were in Lubbock at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Henderson Funeral Chapel.

Mass for Miss Orozco, who died Friday morning in Methodist Hospital after a year's illness, were read Saturday at 10 a.m. in Shallowater's St. Phillip's Catholic Church. Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery.

Miss Orozco was a junior high school student at Shallowater and was a member of St. Phillip's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Orozco of Shallowater; four brothers, Agapito, Jose Jr., Mario and Ranondo, all of the home; and two sisters, Rosalinda and Raquel, also of the home.

Other survivors include one paternal grandparent, Mr. Zachary Rodriguez of Laredo; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hinio Mata, also of Laredo.

## Kin of Local People Dies

Services for Mrs. Fannie Irene Carr, 85, of Littlefield were held at 4 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church in Littlefield with the Rev. A.J. Kennemer, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Carr died at 9:05 p.m. Sunday at West Texas Hospital in Lubbock where she had been a patient for six weeks.

She was the mother of Mrs.

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and L.W. Rhodes family

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I would like to take this opportunity to extend sincere thanks to each and everyone for the many kindnesses during my stay in the hospital and since I have been home. For all the prayers, cards, flowers and the food that was brought, all was deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Ray Reed

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Ruth Merrell wishes to express our heartfelt thanks for all the kindnesses bestowed upon us during the loss of our loved one. Our special thanks to Bro. Tommy Ewing, Alice McMenemy and Effie Lee Middlebrook for their part in the service. To all the many who said prayers, brought food, sent flowers, cards and memorials. It is difficult to express our thanks in words. Friends really make our loss easier to accept.

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News From The Shallowater Schools

HORSE TALES

Senior Spotlight



Our special senior this week is Alison Terry and she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Terry. A spring child, Alison was born on April 7, 1959.

Alison's favorite subject is Journalism, because she can talk and do just about anything she wants to do. I might add, also, that Alison is a very good journalist.

She enjoys picnics, food, and the opposite sex; without this last item, the first two would not be enjoyable.

During the summer, you could find Alison at the pool in Lubbock because she had a summer job working as a life guard at the K.M. Clapp Pool. She also enjoys swimming, skiing and tennis.

Alison is a member of the National Honor Society and she is the reporter for this organization. She is also reporter for the Shallowater High School Band. She is the Vice-President of the Senior Class of '77. As a cheerleader for the school, she leads the Mustang pep squad.

Alison has received special honors through her four years in high: she received 1st place in U.I.L. Ready Writing in 1976, she was Who's Who and she received the Spirit Jug award her Junior year.

After graduation, Alison plans to attend Texas Tech University to get a B.A. in chemistry. Attending the University of Texas Physical Therapy Branch in Galveston will then be her plans.

"It could have been better," was the comment about her senior year.

Holiday Festivities

Steven Wilson

The Mustangs and the Fillies played one "single" game since the last report. That game was on the Tuesday before school dismissal for the holidays.

The contests pitted Shallowater against Kress. The Fillies were victorious, but the Mustangs were defeated.

The two teams competed in a holiday tournament, a new experience for Shallowater teams, at Muleshoe. The first game found both Shallowater teams facing the host, Muleshoe. The Fillies won by a score of 49-41 with Terri Stanton and Beverly Pair scoring 24 and 19, respectively. The Fillies had advanced to meet Springlake-Earth who were just too much for our girls, beating them 38-48. Beverly Pair again racked up 19 while Terri Stanton scored 14. Littlefield was the next opponent in a game deciding third place. The game was very exciting, but the Fillies fell just 3 points shy of victory. The final score was 42-44. Terri Stanton scored 34 of that 42.

The Mustangs did not have as much success against Muleshoe as did the Fillies. Muleshoe took a 32-59 decision over the Mustangs. Clay Dixon was high for that game with 9. Shallowater next met Sundown in their second game of the tournament in the consolation bracket. The verdict once again went against the Mustangs causing a 40-63 loss. Benny Judah scored 8 points leading the Mustangs in scoring. A two game total of 68 turnovers obliterated any chances the Mustangs had for victory. Thirty-six of those turnovers came in the Muleshoe game, while the other thirty-two occurred against Sundown.

Road to Recovery

The Mustang Band is on the road to recovery after a humbling marching season. The mighty band is working hard on sight-reading abilities which will help them a great deal at concert-sight-reading contest in April. A variety of tunes are being played in narrowing the concert numbers to three pieces.

The BIG BAD BAND should stand proud once again this spring. Support from parents and fans always helps!

Ninth and JV Wrap Up

by Claudett Lamb

The JV boys played Olton to come back with a terrific victory. The boys beat Olton 41-28. Steve Menton played a nice game and scored 15 points. This was the boys only game.

The J.V. girls have been playing a lot, getting in plenty of experience for district. The J.V. girls beat Anton 44-13. Our high scorer for this game was Jeanie Roberts with 16 points. The next game the girls had they were not as fortunate. The girls lost against Kress 51-36. Jeanie Roberts was once again high scorer with 14 points. The game against Littlefield was another bad game for the girls. They lost to Frenship 36-42. The high scorer was Jeanie Roberts and Marine Pair, both having 14 points.

The freshman boys first game was against Abernathy. The boys were defeated 60-42. The high pointers for our boys were Randy Middlebrook, Scott Penny and Angel Maldonado, each having 8 points. In the next game, the boys were once again defeated by Christ the King. The score was 32-63. Allan Judah was high scorer. Seagraves came out on top the next game with a score of 33-49. Allan Judah was once again high scorer. The girls played Abernathy and lost 37-41. Michele Price was high scorer for our girls. Their next game was against Seagraves. The girls won with a score of 40-28. Jamie Hart was high scorer with 23 points.

Invitations Chosen

by Alison Terry

That long awaited day of leaving SHS, anticipated by the thirty some-odd seniors of Shallowater High, is sneaking upon us. The reality of this departure was presented to the SUPER SENIORS of SEVENTY-SEVEN recently.

Invitations to the finale of high school, commencement exercises, were selected by, or rather chosen for, the Class of '77. Due to a controversial vote, the traditional white graduation announcements were designated as the invitations for the Senior Class of 1977.

None of the graduates-to-be seemed over concerned as to which invitations were chosen. Most of the students simply dreamed of that fateful day when they would be receiving a roll of paper stating that they had successfully completed the requirements for graduation from SHS!

Students Attain High Standards

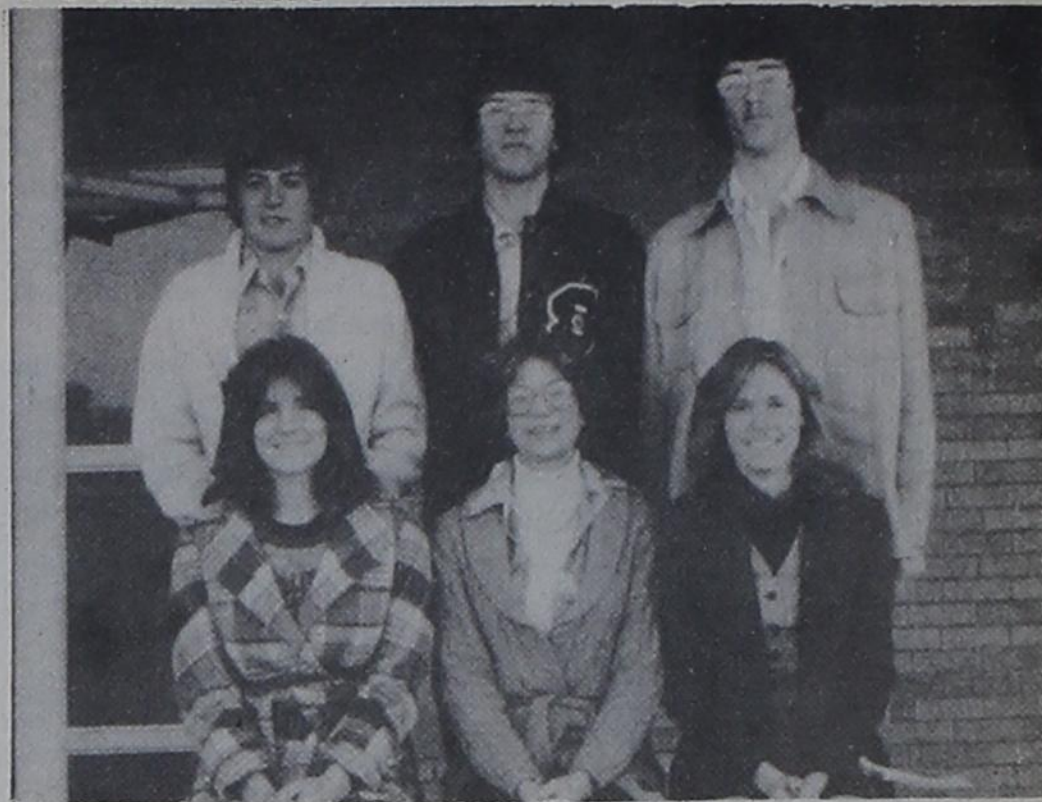
by Alison Terry

Because of their high standards in scholarship, service, leadership and character, these students have been invited to join the National Honor Society: Kim Myers, Tammy Beaver, Andy Blackmon, Sheila Evans, Lane Giles, Jana Hayslip, Stacy Hohenberger, Dawn Hutchings, Laurie Jordan, Tammy McAuley, Connie McCollum, Cheri Massey, Jeani Roberts, Paul Thompson and Kenneth Young.

Invitations were given to each of these young achievers Wednesday morning, January 5th. By Friday, all of the proposed inductees had responded positively to the invitation.

The elite society will hold the induction for its fifteen new members on January 17. Ceremonies will begin at 7:30 in the evening. A reception for the select group and the invited guests will follow the induction. Parents, friends, and other associates are cordially invited to attend this ceremony of achievement.

Focus Point



by Laura Walker

Who are the Mustangs? Who are the Fillies? What is the inside story of the varsity teams that we see racing down the courts every Tuesday and Friday night?

A team is a united group of individuals pursuing a common goal. Shallowater High School is privileged to have a total of 21 energetic individuals on the Mustang and Fillie varsity basketball teams. In order to acquaint the community with them, several players will be focused on each week throughout the remainder of the basketball season.

Wearing numbers 12 and 13, Benny Judah provides the Mustangs with a powerful defense. Benny, a senior guard, has one letter in varsity play. Besides putting in after school practices, he serves as president of the Mustang Band.

Steve Wilson, also a senior, has received one letter in basketball. "Okie", numbers 22 and 23, ups the team scoring in his active performance as forward. The senior class elected Steve as their president this past fall.

Tallest man on the team is 6'3" senior Chuck Luck. Having achieved one letter, he effectively fulfills both positions as forward and post. In his spare time, Chuck

works as a radio announcer on KLLL FM.

Benny, Steve, and Chuck are captains of the Mighty Mustangs, coached by Joe Tubb.

Coach Jan Averitt authorizes the Fantastic Fillies in their pursuit of victory. The 10-member team has a variety of skill and talent.

Senior Beverly Pair has received 4 letters in basketball and leads the team as one of the captains. Her accuracy on the court boosts the Fillies' offensive side and gives the opposing team's guards a whale of a time. "Bev" is seen in play as numbers 11 and 12. She serves as treasurer on the Student Council.

Janis Horton is also a 4 letter senior and a captain. Fast breaks and speedy rebounds are Janis' specialty as a guard. The Future Homemakers of America are proud to have her as their second vice-president.

Judy Waller completes the set of three captains on the Fillie's team. She, too, is a senior and has 3 letters in varsity basketball. With a quick eye for a basket, Judy gives the team a fine performance as a forward. She is 1st vice-president of FHA and has received several honors this year.

Powerful Ponies

by Robert Sanders

This week, the 8th grade boys travelled to Levelland and they came out on top. The Lobos fought hard all the way, but the Ponies prevailed, winning it 48-33. High shooter for Shallowater was Robert Sanders scoring 24, Tory McAuley had 9, and Willy Ray Johnson and Mark Jungman both had 6.

When the Ponies went to Seagraves, they really hustled throughout the game. The powerful Ponies pulled ahead in their first district game, 38-33. High for the Ponies was Robert Sanders with 14, Raymond Lamb had 8, and Tory McAuley with 6.

A Sociological Survey

by Suzie De Anda

Two young ladies of the Senior class did a survey for Sociology class. La Juan Paul and Suzie De Anda conducted a survey of Junior High and High School students. The question these two asked was "Which is more important to your parents: grades or being successful in extracurricular activities?"

The ladies polled 40 per cent in each section. The results were interesting. Of the 88 students polled in High School, 62 per cent stated that grades were more important to their parents. 10 per cent of the people said extra curricular activities were more important and about 20 per cent said both were equally important.

In Junior High, the majority of the students stated that grades were more important to their parents. Less than 5 per cent stated other.

Although our survey results

may not be conclusive because only one school system was polled, one could say grades still mean a lot to parents and the students want to make better grades.

Little Fillies

by Gloria Lara

Our mighty Little Fillies are really getting to be great basketball players. The 8th grade Fillies had a terrific week considering they beat both Levelland and Seagraves. They beat Levelland by a score of 17-16. They also beat Seagraves by a score of 22-19. The Fillies are working hard to be great players so let's keep on supporting them.

The 7th grade Fillies are also doing very well. They won both their games last week against Levelland and Seagraves. The 7th grade Fillies are really putting out the hard work to be a winning team. Against Levelland they won by a score of 34-18. They also showed Seagraves how it was done when they won by a score of 28-10.

One More Time

by Claudett Lamb

Half of the school year is now complete. The students feel they are now on the down hill drag. After a week and a half vacation for Christmas and New Years, the halls are once again roaring with the sound of students. Some wish the vacation had been longer; others are glad to be back. Most have already counted the days until the next vacation, but for those of you who haven't, its 50 more school days. Spring vacation will be our last long holiday before school is out, so let's get down to work and get this last half over.

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