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The Castro County News

Official Publication of Castro County, Texas

Merchants Should Sign Now for Fair Space
Earl Brock, chairman of the Merchants Display Committee for the Castro County Fair to be held September 15, 16 and 17, said this week that he would appreciate merchant's letting his committee know soon about their fair plans. Display space can also be obtained from Norlaur Dudley of Hart, or Glenn Youts of A. V. Barnes of Dimmitt.

New FM Road In Northwest Castro County

A contract for 7.0 miles of construction on F. M. Road 1305 in Castro County has been awarded to a Lubbock firm. It was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission. J. R. Fanning & Co., Inc. submitted the low bid of \$103,445 on the project. Grading, structures, base and surfacing from Deaf Smith county line, south to F. M. Road 1057, 2.0 miles west of Easter School is expected to take 100 working days, according to Oscar L. Crain District Highway Engineer at Lubbock. Rhea E. Bradley, Resident Engineer at Littlefield will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

1,400 Students Expected to Register

1,400 students are expected to enroll Friday for the 1960-61 academic session in Dimmitt schools. Classwork begins Monday and the buses will also start their regular runs Monday. Labor Day, September 5, will be a school holiday. 87 persons will be employed by the system this year, making it by far the largest single operation in the county. Following is the schedule for registration: Juniors, 8:30 a.m. Sophomores, 10:30 a.m. Freshmen, 1:00 p.m. 8th grade, 8:30 a.m. 7th grade, 10:30 a.m. 1st grade, 8:30 a.m. New students, grades 2 through 8, 10:00 a.m. Following is a list of the teachers, administrators and general employees of the school system for the coming year: Paul Hilburn, Superintendent

Doris Lindsey, Superintendent's Secretary
Shirley Stephens, Tax Assessor and Collector
High School
Alvis Fuquay, Principal
Ruth Slough, Principal's Secretary
James Bates, Speech and Driver Education
J. D. Covington, Coach and Mathematics
Bill Culpepper, Coach and Biology
Jim Dowty, Vocational Agriculture
John Ethridge, Coach and Typing
Oleta Gollehon, English
Estell Hotel, Homemaking
Bernice Littlepage, American History and Spanish
Carol Monzingo, Commercial
S. T. Newman, Guidance and English
Cason Smith, Mathematics
Avis Smith, World History and Civics
Ralph Smith, Band
Joanne Snider, Homemaking
J. O. Seale, Vocational Agriculture
Glady's Leeth, Librarian
Louise Hilburn, Latin

Francis Covington, Girls P. E.
Roy Lowe, Choir
North Grade School
W. E. Reisdorph, Principal
Clyde Damron, 8th Math
Carol Dyer, 7th Social Studies
Ethel Dowty, 7th Language Arts
Frances Covington, Girls P. E.
Loranel Hamilton, 7th Math and Science
Louise Hilburn, 8th Language Arts
Tommy Keener, 8th science
Mabel Newmar, 8th Social Studies
Roy Lowe, 7 & 8 Boys P. E.
Roy Lowe, Music
Sixth Grade
Winnie Hampton

Genevieve Howe, Bertha Doran, Dorothy Sheffy, Lavern Bates, Beatrice Hawkins, Mitzi Ethridge, and Emily Pace.
First Grade
Genevieve Howe, Bertha Doran, Dorothy Sheffy, Lavern Bates, Beatrice Hawkins, Mitzi Ethridge, and Emily Pace.
Second Grade: Charlie Wohlgenuth, Nancy Smith, Blanche Berger, Althea Hutchinson, and Wanda VonValkenburg.
Third Grade: Earlene Reisdorph, Alice Cowen, Phoebe Strother, Koma Ratcliff and Elizabeth Hucksabay.
Fourth Grade: Grace Loyd, Bertha Rop, Sue Fuquay and Evie Froehner.
Special Education: Cleo Forson, Music: Charlot Lowe.

Janitors and Bus Drivers: Lemuel Leeth, Ernest Sandel, Elzie Teague, J. C. Pace, Euel Robinson, Clyde Quairy, Jim Bowie, and George DeLozier.
Bus Mechanic, Earl Buchanan.
Lunchroom: Sarah Blackwell, Supervisor, Jewel Kirby, Mary Booher, Alene Maynard, Ruby Ramsey, Wanda Youts, Nora Buchanan, Marie Langford, Jewel Sandel and Mrs. Clyde Queary.
The rearrangement of the lunchtime schedule in High School and in the seventh and eighth grades has necessitated a change of schedule in the lower grades this year. Lunches will be served to south grade school children at 11:45 instead of 11:15 as was the case last year. This also means that grade school students who go home for lunch will do so at 11:45, thirty minutes earlier than last year. According to superintendent Paul Hilburn the policy of paying for one lunch at a time will be discontinued and students will be required to buy a lunch ticket

Some people claim Nixon is trying to sell the country—and Kennedy is trying to buy it. —Robert Sahl
★
Anyone who ever doubts the power of science should take a look at the space balloon zipping around the world in orbit every 90 hours. It's easy to see—much easier to see, in fact, than to believe.
There's a twofold story there though. Although the satellite illustrates full well for all of us to see our immense gains in technology, it also shows against the very stars that serve to remind us how insignificant he really is.
★
We have seen where the number of visitors to the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum at Canyon has climbed to great heights, especially since the recent donation of one of Quannah Parker's personal arrow-making equipment by his wife, Opce.
Once you leave this area and begin to look around in other parts of the nation, it is easy to be amazed at what the Texas State College has accomplished with its museum.
★
Every year, shortly before Labor Day, we deliver ourselves of a few words concerning proper conduct on the greatest field of carnage ever devised by man—our public highway system.
Actually newspaper people, and others connected with public communication, are falling down on the job by not harping more on highway safety in the public interest. We doubt there is a single family in Dimmitt untouched in one way or another by the highways.
The reason more should be said about highway danger is due to its innocuous appearance. Many of us drive for years and years and never see an accident or have a close call. We begin to let our admissions about safety are many zephyrs of hot air being fed at us by legions of do-gooders. But how many men have died this way just before they slammed into a parked truck at night 70 miles per hour? Or flipped over and ended after getting off on a shoulder? Or being fifty feet off a head-on collision? Not many motorists would see the signs of these accidents because someone always quickly cleans up the mess.
In Texas, last year there were over 100,000 vehicles wrecked, which is a continued trend of an increase of about ten percent per year. There were 2,453 killed, almost exactly as many people as are in Dimmitt. On and on goes, day in, day out, accidents, good drivers, accidents by bad drivers, and accidents by average drivers. 140,000 injured last year, almost yet, 340,000 accidents, an average of about 1,400 mishaps a county per year.
The economic loss is some \$125 billion, enough to buy some 41,666 Fords and Chevrolets at \$300 each.
According to an authority on the subject, J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, "In terms of the grief suffering which he causes, the careless, indifferent, or irresponsible motorist is as great a threat to this country as the most vicious criminal." A man goes wrong and kills six people with a single wheel within an hour. It makes headlines all over the United States. An idiot behind the wheel of a car causes the death of six people in a highway accident and hardly makes page one.
Hoover also says "The disregard for traffic regulation has become so commonplace throughout the United States today that in the eyes of many motorists it is honorable to exceed the speed limit, to drive through stop signs, to run other cars on hills and down curves, and to 'run' a traffic light if no police cars are in sight. Reputable citizens—persons who would never think of committing other types of violations—run gamut of traffic offenses with suffering the slightest pang of conscience.
The time has come for the American people to stop tolerating arrogant, disrespectful attitude which so many motorists openly play toward the traffic codes. Drivers who prove by their own actions that they constitute a menace to themselves and others should be denied the privilege of operating motor vehicles."
And who can say he's not right.

JayCees Approve Hangar Expansion

Dimmitt Junior Chamber of Commerce voted this week to go ahead with plans for building three additional hanger stalls at the JayCee-operated Dimmitt Airport. This will be the second addition to the hangar about one mile north of Dimmitt. Only six spaces are available for the seven plans hanged here and the JayCees decided to go ahead and add two more hangars than needed for transients or future rental. The Dimmitt airport is three years old and was established and is maintained by the JayCees. An increase in the number of both commercial and private planes has caused the need for expansion. Plans call for the work to be completed in about a month.



RAPID PROGRESS is being made on the new city hall at the corner of southeast second and Jones Street. The walls are rapidly taking place and an early fall completion date is planned. The new city hall, expected to cost more than \$90,000 when completed, was approved recently by a city-wide bond election. It will be one of the finest in the area, replacing the outgrown city hall located on east Bedford.

201 In County Receive Social Security Benefits

At the end of 1959, as Federal social security was starting its twenty-fifth year, old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits were being paid in Castro County to 201 persons at the rate of \$117,984.00 a year, according to Hal Geldon, Manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office. Payments in the entire Panhandle were going to 17,391 persons at the rate of \$11,880,036 a year. Nationally, Geldon said, about 13 1/2 million persons were receiving old-age, survivors, and disability insurance monthly benefits at the end of 1959 at an annual rate of more than \$10 billion. At the end of 1940—the first year in which monthly benefits were payable—beneficiaries throughout the Nation totaled 200,000. Almost half a million disabled workers, beneficiaries and their dependents receiving benefits at a yearly rate of over \$400 million are included in the figures for 1959. As social security celebrates its Silver Anniversary (the original Act was signed into law on August 14, 1935) about 74 million working people are in covered employment or self-employment in the course of a year. They are building old-age survivors, and disability protection for themselves their dependents, and their survivors under the social security law.

Highway Mishap Takes Life of Former Resident

Mrs. Willie T. Coker, 69, Abilene, who was critically wounded in a traffic accident last Sunday at a traffic accident last Sunday at Idalou, died at 10:10 a.m. Wednesday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Funeral services have been set for 2:30 Friday in the Elliott Funeral Home Chapel of Memories in Abilene. Mrs. Coker is a member of the College View Baptist Church in Abilene. Mrs. Coker's husband received minor injuries but was released following emergency treatment. The accident occurred at FM Road 400 and State Highway 62. Mr. and Mrs. Coker are former residents of Castro County, having farmed both south and north of Dimmitt. Mr. Coker is a former deacon of the Baptist Church here. They were returning home from visiting their daughter Mrs. Mozelle Calhoun of this town when the accident occurred. Survivors, in addition to her husband are four daughters, Mrs. A. A. Watson, Abilene, Mrs. W. F. Smith, Floyd, New Mexico, Mrs. Helen Cutrell, Burnett, and Mrs. Mozelle Calhoun, Dimmitt; four sons, W. T. Coker, Jr., Dove Creek, Colorado, J. A. Coker, Gardena, California, J. D. Coker, Alvin and Edward Coker, Dimmitt; two sisters Mrs. Cora Little, Abilene, and Mrs. Nora McDaniel, Rio Vista; two half-brothers, E. M. Pickens, Houston, and Charles Pickens, Waco; 18 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Bobcats Preparing for Long Hard Fall Season

The Dimmitt Bobcat football team, bracing itself for an expected rock-hard season, has been working out night and day lately and their first game is a scant week away. Coach J. D. Covington, usually taciturn about this time of the year, has no comments about the coming ten games except that "it will be an exceptionally hard season." Nearly all of last year's starters graduated, so Dimmitt will again be a dark horse in the conference race. Seeking berths on the team this year will be backs Lowell Neumayer, Jim Ratcliff, Gene Bradley, Junior Coffey, James Cowell, Donnie Nelson, Kelton Cates and Stanley Nelson. Linemen reporting are Darless Goolsby, Jimmy Barber, Mike Goodwin, Sammy Kirk, Kenneth Odom, John Nino, Stanton Calvert, Howard Cummings, LeRoy O'Brian, Aaron Hutton, Charley Flores, James Powell, Mickey Waggoner and Jack Thompson. Ends are Jimmy Chavers, Mike Chaney, Michael Calvert, Dwight Cathy, and Wayne Meachum. Managers are Ronnie Buckmaster, Gerald Summers and Harley Wilkie. Assisting Coach Covington will be John Ethridge, end coach, and Bill Culpepper, line coach. The starting lineup against the Abernathy Antelopes Friday night, (Sept. 2) has not been announced. The game will be at Abernathy and will begin at 8 p.m. The remainder of the schedule is as follows: Sept. 9 — Lockney, here Sept. 16 — Hereford, There Sept. 23 — Floydada, Here Sept. 30 — Muleshoe, here Oct. 7 — Denver City, here Oct. 14 — Open Date Oct. 21 — Canyon, here* Oct. 28 — Tulia, there* Nov. 4 — Friona, there* Nov. 11 — Dalhart, here* *Means District Games. Denver City and Floydada, perennially good football towns, have been added to the Dimmitt Bobcat schedule, making this a rough schedule. One Dimmitt back, Stanley Nelson, suffered a torn ligament in a knee last year and is not expected to be permitted by physicians to play before October. Season tickets are still on sale in the business office at the High School or \$1.50 per home game. This means each season ticket will cost \$7.50 and will entitle the bearer to a reserved seat even if he arrives late at the game. Movies of each game will again be filmed this year, both to show fans and for training improvements. Each filming costs \$75 and the expense is borne by individual business firms. Following are a list of the games and the business sponsors sponsoring filming of the game: Abernathy, Joe Cowen Agency; Lockney, Kirkpatrick Sales Co; Hereford, Shambeck Motor Company; Floydada, First State Bank; Muleshoe, Hays Implement Co.; Denver City, Dimmitt Gin and Elevator; Canyon, Dimmitt Wheat Growers; Tulia, Bruegel Elevator; Friona, Taylor-Harrison Agency; and Dalhart, C&S Equipment Company. J. O. Ayers films each game free of charge.



This is M. B. McKenny, new minister of the 4th and Bedford Church of Christ in Dimmitt. He replaces D. C. Lawrence, former minister, who has accepted a similar position with the Ralls Church of Christ. Minister and Mrs. McKenny have three children, Chuck, 13, Connie, 11, and Nick, 7. The family has moved to Dimmitt but is presently on a vacation before the new minister assumes his full duties.

Martins move to Abernathy
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cluck were hosts at a party on Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin who are moving to Abernathy where he will be in the cotton gin business. Ice cream and cake was served to the 35 guests on the patio.



This is the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris in Hart, which will be open to the public Sunday from 3 to 6 p.m. The open house will be partly sponsored by Southwestern Public Service, who has conferred their "Medallion Home" title on the new house since all major appliances are electrical. It is located three blocks north of the postoffice in Hart and the public is invited.

Three Dimmitt Men Enlist In Regular Army

James C. Lamb, Ramiro C. Garza and Desiderio V. Pesina, Jr., all of Dimmitt, were the first high school graduates to enlist in the Regular Army it was announced this week by Sfc Willard P. Wang, local US Army Recruiter from Plainview. The enlistment period is three years. Under the US Army's "High School Graduate" program, the three young men were guaranteed a school of their choice after they qualified in Amarillo by taking a series of tests. Lamb and Pesina picked the Medical field and Garza picked Air Defense Operation and Intelligence. After completion of eight weeks basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado and two weeks leave, the three young men will report to a school for training in their chosen field.

Dimmitt Principal Receives Degree

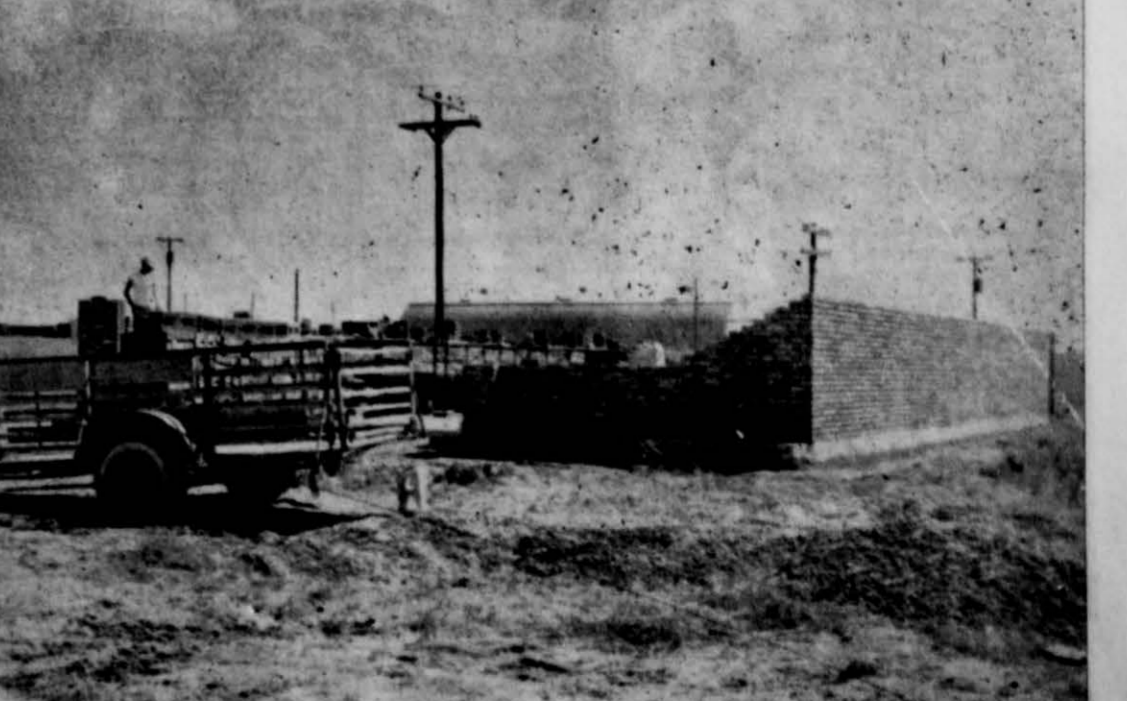
Four hundred and twenty-seven students, including 224 master's degree candidates, have applied for degrees to be awarded by East Texas State College at 7 p.m. Friday, August 26, in the College Auditorium. Alvis Duane Fuquay, Dimmitt High School principal, is a candidate for a master of education degree. L. D. Webster, Dallas, vice-president of Lone Star Steel Co., will address the graduates and their guests. An ex-reporter and editor and former manager of a flight school, a motor freight line, and an advertising agency, he is the author of "I Saw Russia," based on his tour of the USSR. Mrs. Jim Goin of Tulsa, Oklahoma has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Butler this week.

1959 Graduates Enjoy Watermelon and Swim

Member of the 1959 graduating class of Dimmitt High school had a swimming party and watermelon supper Friday night at 7:30. Those present were Sandra Thompson, Linda Hance, Ed Dena Boozer, Charlotte Hestand, Marilyn Ginn, Ben Holcomb, Glen Odom, Gordon Thansich, Mike Bailey, Ronnie Elder, Donald Shelton, Alton Ginn, Norman Nelson, Myles Sadler, and Cecil Stehr. Sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Odom, Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and Mrs. Raymond Hance. Mrs. Charles Hestand joined the group at the park for watermelon.

Autos Collide at Crossing Tuesday

An accident about 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the intersection of Highway 385 and Eiter Street caused some \$275 in damage to both cars involved. The accident occurred when Mrs. Mary Singer's 1958 Ford automobile was struck by another 1958 Ford as she was attempting to cross east over the Highway. The other Ford, driven by Darless Goolsby, 18, was making a left turn toward the south when it struck Mrs. Singer's car, inflicting considerable damage. Goolsby said he made the turn directly behind a car and horse trailer and did not see Mrs. Singer's automobile. He was charged with failure to grant right of way by City Marshal W. W. Jones.



THE NEW LEGION BUILDING in southeast Dimmitt is taking form and should be completed in late October, well past the earlier expected September 1st date. Costing in the neighborhood of \$18,000, the new building will boast central heating, refrigerated air conditioning, a tile floor, modern kitchen facilities and many other advantages. It will be available for use by the general public.

James Rogers Finishes Technological Training
James Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rogers will graduate August 28 from Central Tech in Los Angeles, California as an electronics technician. After a short vacation here with his parents he will return to Dimmitt, California where he will be employed as test technician in the automotive division.



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HART NEWS

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Assembly of God Church Calls New Pastor

Rev. J. B. Hart, wife and two children, will leave for the position of pastor for the Assembly of God Church...

Registration for School To Begin August 25

Registration for school will begin on August 25. The regular session of the district school will begin on August 28.

Teachers are on duty this week getting ready for the pupils on August 28. The students are preparing a handbook this week...

High School, Mr. Tom Triplett, principal; Mr. Larry Taylor, principal; Mr. J. V. V...

ARNEY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kiker attended the graduation exercises at West Texas College in Canyon Thursday night when their daughter, Mrs. Robertson received her masters in Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Schoenberger and children went to Herford Sunday where they visited the John Warrens and especially to see Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Warren's son who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dozier Thornton Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Huggers. Terry and Mike of Arney Sunday afternoon both couples and other members of the church went to Dimmitt for baptismal services for Mr. and Mrs. Huggers.

Mr. J. A. Williams and son and of Petersburg visited Monday and Monday night of the past week with her sister, Mrs. Lee Donnell and family.

Mrs. Keith Waters of Two Butte, Colorado visited the Homestead recently and during return home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Copelin and family of Slaty spent the week end with his family, the L. Copelins, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Copelin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hodges, Jr. spent a week recently at Las Vegas, New Mexico resting and enjoying the climate.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strohmeyer of Dimmitt visited with Mrs. Maud Farland Sunday afternoon. Mr. Strohmeyer went on to Channing to visit his mother, Mrs. Margaret Strohmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grigg and David of Tulsa and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grigg, David and Nancy of Midland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kiker last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Smith of Meeker, Oklahoma is spending several days with her daughter Mrs. V. Row and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Robertson of Amarillo spent Sunday with brother and family the T. V. Robertsons.

Mr. J. E. Ewing and daughters, Ieva and Vicki of Tulsa visited Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. Annan Copelin.

Susan Graham returned to her home in Amarillo last week after spending several days visiting with her aunt Mrs. Herschel Harrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards and the Steve Coles of Buffalo, Okla. Saturday for hunting and sport. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards returned home bringing their young grandson, Bobby and the Coles remained for the night.

Examinations Set for Vacancies in Highway Patrol

Competitive examinations will be given state-wide on October 3, 4 and 5 to fill 118 vacancies as patrolmen in the Texas Department of Public Safety. Applications may be obtained from any PPS Patrolman or field office, according to Major Harry Hutchison, Regional Commander of Region No. 3 of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Interested young men who are between the ages of 21 and 35 and have their applications filed with the Department in Austin on or before September 28, 1960.

Major Hutchison advised that applicants who successfully complete the examination will be trained with pay at the Department's Police Academy in Austin, which has been ranked as one of the top police training academies in the nation. Upon graduation from the academy, the new patrolman will be assigned to one of the six regions in the State and will receive an additional six months on-the-job training under the supervision of experienced officers.

The vacancies that exist within the Department of Public Safety as patrolmen offer many personal benefits including good pay, job security, retirement, annual vacation, sick leave, and uniforms and all equipment furnished.

Christian Church Plans Revival in September

"The Foundation of Preaching" will be the theme of the 10:30 a.m. service on August 28 at the First Christian Church. "No Fruit" will be the 7:00 p.m. service message. Minister Bedford W. Smith announced also that the church's monthly fellowship supper would be Wednesday, August 31 at 8:00 p.m. instead of the regular Wednesday Bible Study next week. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Woodruff of Hartshorn, Oklahoma will come to Dimmitt to begin a two week revival with the church on September 4th. More about this meeting will appear in the next issue of the Castro County News.

On Monday afternoon of this week, the women of the First Christian Church met with Mrs. Bedford W. Smith at the parsonage to organize a Women's Council. Mrs. Downey Brown was elected president; Mrs. George Gabel, vice-president; Mrs. J. E. Kellie was chosen secretary-treasurer. The council will meet the fourth Monday of every month in the homes of the members.

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NEWS FROM FRIO

By Mrs. Owen Andrews
The G. A. of the Frío Baptist Church were entertained with a slumber party at the home of one of their sponsors, Mrs. Andy Anderson...

On Saturday night Adult Sunday School, Class II was entertained at the First National Bank Building in Hereford with a party. Here were Mrs. D. C. Miller, Mrs. J. E. Warrick, Mrs. J. E. Warrick, Mrs. J. E. Warrick...

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Grain Research Report Made From Halfway Station

By Deborah E. Langford, Associate Agronomist
Small grain research was conducted at the High Plains Research Foundation, Experiment Station, near Amarillo, Texas...

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION
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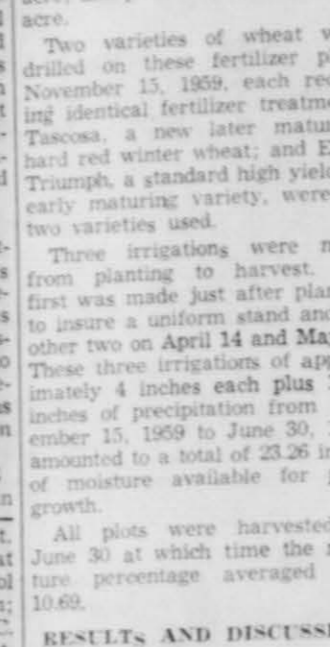
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It has been reported that irrigated wheat has lower milling quality than dryland wheat. Three varieties of wheat were grown side by side in irrigated and non-irrigated plots...

Washington Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Watson of Olympia, Washington were recent visitors in the home of Mr. Watson's mother, Mrs. W. O. Laney.

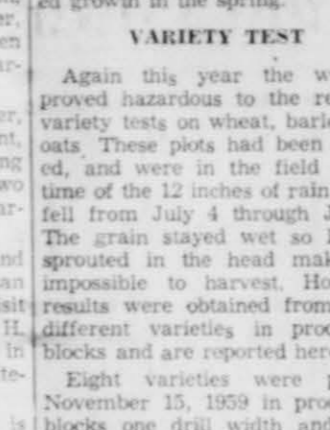
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OIL 45c
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BLEACH 35c
SHURFRESH CHEESE SPREAD 69c
ENERGINE CHARCOAL LIGHTER 29c
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SHURFINE FROZEN LEMONADE 3 for 29c
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LARGE TIDE 29c
WHITE-AQUA-PINK-YELLOW KLEENEX 4 for \$1.00
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MODART - Apple Blossom-Gardenia-Pine 4 oz. SHAMPOO 49c
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REGULAR LYSOL 5 Ounce 49c
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By Boyce House
My debating coach in high school days taught commercial law and I recall one of his stories. Mr. Highways told about a rancher who had been on a trip. He wired his foreman: "Am arriving on Tuesday morning train. Meet me. Bring sheep." Shep was his foreman. "Am arriving on Tuesday morning train. Meet me. Bring sheep." Shep was his foreman...

YOU'RE INVITED
This is our invitation to you to attend the big Grand Opening of the Affiliated Foods Warehouse Sunday, August 28th, from 12 to 6 p.m. It's located at 6700 S. Washington St. in Amarillo. While there you can obtain a registration blank for \$3.00...

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Hart Girl Makes Wayland Honor Roll

Jametta Mae Fairbanks, Hart, with a 2.00 grade point average, is listed on the Honor Roll for the first semester at Wayland Baptist College.

Sue Bagwell Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Neida Bagwell was honored with a tea and shower in the home of Mrs. Diamond Neunayer recently.



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Miss Judith Cartwright, Karen Bell, and Janet McMurry of Waco, Mrs. Monte Booser, Mrs. Troy Staffer, Mrs. Wilmer Stuber and Mrs. Gail Rancin assisted in serving the guests and showing the gifts.

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The couple left on an extended wedding trip into New Mexico and will return the latter part of August to make their home in Denver City.

The bride attended the Matador High School Mr. Stephenson is a graduate of Baylor University and is employed as an accountant for Continental Oil Company in Denver City.

Guests at the wedding included members of the families of both the bride and groom, as well as close friends in Denver City.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sliver of Matador, parents of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Starkey, Jim and Vickie, of Amarillo, the bride's sisters; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reed, Ruth Sue and Bill Denver City, also the bride's sisters; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sliver and Barbara, Denver City, the bride's brother; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Noble, Janet and Jo, Denver City, the bride's uncle and aunt; Mr. and Mrs. Doc Noble, Dimmitt, Mrs. Elizabeth Haskabay, Dimmitt, mother of the groom; Mrs. Maud E. Laurence, Dimmitt, the groom's grandmother; Mrs. Marion Watson of Perry, Oklahoma, aunt of the groom; Mrs. Harriet Goodwin and Connie, Dimmitt, sister of the groom; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haskabay, Kathy, Ronnie and Lisa, Dimmitt, brother and sister of the groom.

From Denver City were Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Knight, Mrs. Owen Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Moore, Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Bradley Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rippey, Mrs. Charles Freeman and Peggy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris invite you to their open house, three blocks north of Post Office in Hart, Time, Sunday, August 28 from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

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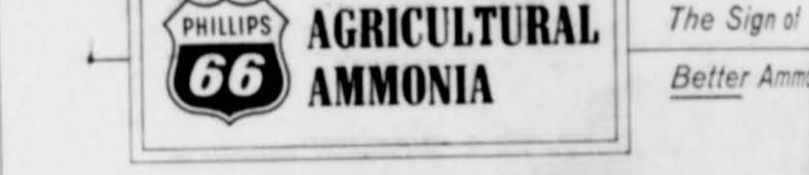
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STOCK MARKET REPORT

Volume of 2,852,000 shares fell about 100,000 from the previous session. Supply was rather scanty for less than a week. Most of the market offerings were medium grade stock and low choice beef steers and hogs. Cattle were very active with 100,000 head and demand and price 100 over market.

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DEATH CALENDAR 1959

Grid showing death dates for 1959 by month and day.

THE DEADLY TRAIL—About traffic safety in Texas in 1959 was that only one day in the whole year was free of traffic deaths. In 1958, there were five "Deathless Days" in Texas, four in 1957, five in 1956, three in 1955. If more Texans will drive in such a way that their cars are never involved in a crash which takes a human life, then Texas can record more "Deathless Days." Will YOU drive so that the Fourth of July holiday will add a "Deathless Day" to the Texas traffic calendar? [Official 1959 Texas Traffic Death Calendar Compiled by Statistical Services, Texas Department of Public Safety and Reproduced by the Governor's Highway Safety Commission, Austin, Texas.]

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Hill County Residents Plan Reunion Aug. 28

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Small Boys Enjoy Back Yard Cook-Out

Back and leave you entertain ed friends with a wicker roast at their home on Wednesday afternoon from five to seven o'clock. The cook-out consisted of hot dogs, potato chips, fritas, Colons and cookies.

Attends Party

Linda Harce attended a slumber party Wednesday night at Jeanette Rayburn's in Hereford.

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Bill Baker's Grocery advertisement listing various products like Bacon, Ice Cream, Lemonade, and Bananas with prices.

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What's Doing At The CHURCHES

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Roy Ackerman — Pastor
Sunday School — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday —
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.

LEE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday —
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Training Union — 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.
2nd and 4th Tuesday —
Women's Missionary Union
Men's Brotherhood

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

M. A. Smith, Jr. — Pastor
Noel Gollehon — Music Director
Sunday —
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship — 5:30 p.m.
Training Union — 6:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Community Room — Court House
Sunday —
Church School — 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a.m.
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Nola Stout, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Ministers —
J. C. Lawrence, 702 W. Grant
Phone MI 7-3342
E. Paul Smith, 107 SW Front
Phone MI 7-3851

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday —
Bible Classes — 9:45 a.m.
Worship — 10:40 a.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Midweek Service — 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

4th & Bedford Street
Sunday —
Bible Classes — 9:45 a.m.
Worship — 10:40 a.m.
Evening Worship — 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday —
Midweek Bible Classes — 8:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Third and Halsell Streets
Harold D. McColum, Minister
Sunday —
Bible Classes for all ages — 9:30 a.m.
Preaching — 10:30 a.m.
Evening Preaching — 6:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

End W. Grant on S.W. 12th
Bedford W. Smith, Minister
Sunday —
Bible School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:50 a.m.
Christian Youth Hour — 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Hugh Blaylock, pastor
Phone MI 7-3649
Sunday —
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship — 10:45 a.m.
Little Helpers, Vesper Choir
Junior Choir — 5:30 p.m.
Midweek Worship — 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship — 6:30 p.m.

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Walter Rogers' WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

BACK TO WASHINGTON

Walter, Jr. and I had a most pleasant several days at home before the bottled session of Congress. He is a sophomore in college and had to get back to the Capital City to get his military obligations taken care of, as well as to get himself ready for the fall semester. We drove in his car, which is one of those low type automobiles that has a removable top. Frankly, I thought I was going to be in a torture chamber for several days, but it didn't turn out that way. The ride was most comfortable, and he is a good driver. If you ever get a chance to take a trip in one of those cars, don't miss it.

Since Congress was scheduled to meet on Monday the 15th, I wanted to be in Washington as near that time as possible. I attended the Greenbelt Bowl Parade and football game at Childrens on Saturday the 13th and enjoyed it immensely. As a matter of fact, I got to kick off the football (the first time I had the pleasure of doing this for a number of years). I found out I wasn't in practice, because the ball went sideways.

This was no doubt due to the sharp-toed shoes, rather than my inability as a kicker. I had to leave the game before it was over in order to meet my son in Shamrock, from which point we headed toward Washington which, incidentally, is about 1,600 miles. We made it by Tuesday, but did not stop for any extracurricular activities on the way.

After arriving in the Capital City we discovered that we probably wouldn't have had to come anyway, as there was not a majority of Members present during all last week, the result being that we adjourned from day to day. This situation was undoubtedly due to the sharply divided opinion among the Members as to whether or not the Congress should have reconvened. Many felt that an extended, bottled session would simply afford an opportunity to pass unneeded legislation. Hence, every effort is being made by these Members to block anything not scheduled under the absolutely necessary list. I hope that we can adjourn at a very early date. The committees do not have time to properly consider important measures and it would be most unwise to try to pass any new legislation under such circumstances.

On the trip back to Washington we made some most interesting observations. The motel situation in our section of the country is much better than it is in the East and Middle West. Good motel accommodations are more numerous in our Southwestern area and the service is much better than in the Midwest and East.

The bottleneck of the entire trip

CASTRO COUNTY LIBRARY HOURS
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LIBRARY HOURS
10:00 — 4:00 Saturday
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Texico Visitors
Mrs. J. D. Westberry, Bettie and Rodger of Texico, New Mexico visited in the Jodie Compton home Tuesday of last week. Bettie remained a few days for a longer visit with Sandra Compton.

Attend Skating Party
Sandra Compton and Bettie Westberry of Texico, New Mexico attended a skating party at Plainview Wednesday night. The party was given by friends of Sandra's.

Visit Tates
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Terrell, Mary and Kathy from Vici, Oklahoma spent a few days visiting in the home of Mrs. Terrell's sister, Mrs. Curtis Tate and husband.

Amarillo Visitors
Jim and Judith Tate from Amarillo spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tate and Mrs. Zonell Maples and Tommy.

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is at St. Louis, Missouri. If you are planning a motor trip east of St. Louis, be sure to try to arrive there in the middle of the day or late at night. Otherwise, you will get into traffic jams which will cause you to lose between two and three hours in covering 25 or 30 miles. Highway 66 is listed as having a bypass around St. Louis. This bypass is routed through a number of municipalities where the traffic is bumper to bumper. I fail to see how it could be much worse if you continued on regular 66.

We came through the town of Cuba, Missouri. The good citizens of that town have erected a large sign which reads: "CUBA—NO CASTRO". This reminded me of how the rise of Hitler caused the name of a hotel at Raton, New Mexico to be changed from "The Swastika" to "The Yucca."

We saw another sign in Zanesville, Ohio which read "VOTE FOR JAMES AGIN FOR SHERIFF". We wondered what James' last name might be until we saw another sign and realized that it was Agin. I would point out that we knew how to spell "again" but thought perhaps the candidate for sheriff didn't.

Theodore Roosevelt Memorial
There is quite a fuss about a "celestial sphere" proposed as a memorial to Theodore Roosevelt. It will cost approximately \$900,000. Roosevelt's daughter, Alice Roosevelt Longworth, has indicated that she was horrified and called the expenditure of the amount of

money "utter folly." She feels that Roosevelt Island in its raw state would be a much better memorial, with which I thoroughly agree.

It will be remembered by some that the artistic monstrosity called the Old GAO Building was dedicated during the latter part of the 19th century. The story is that the building was built so that the entire inside would be a vast open space, with office arrangements among the walls. This was done so that there would be a fitting place in Washington to hold international balls and parties. The story is that when the manager escorted the President of the United States to this vast open space, he said: "Mr. President, this is the only fireproof building in Washington," to which the President allegedly replied, "What a shame."

The same remarks might be applicable to the "celestial sphere."

WALTER ROGERS
Member of Congress
18th District of Texas

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NEWS FROM NAZARETH

By Mrs. James Ball

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Acker left last Thursday for a vacation in Kansas and Illinois. They visited with their daughter, Loraine, until Sunday. On Sunday they went on to Chicago to attend the National Catholic Order of Forester Convention.

Over the week end Miss Pat Ball and Joe Drerup attended the wedding of two of Pat's girl friends. On Saturday they attended a wedding in Sacred Heart Church, Amarillo. On Sunday, they went to Muleshoe for a wedding. The girls were classmates of Pat's in College.

On Saturday night, Mrs. Raymond Annen and Mr. and Mrs. August Huseman went to Lubbock to attend the 34th annual Summer Commencement Exercises at Texas Tech. They went for the graduation of Mrs. Jim Franklin, the former Ruth Ann Fehr.

Sunday, Mrs. Joe Schulte and her son, Mill, of Ottawa, Ohio, left for home after a ten-day visit here. During their stay they were the honored guests at a supper party on last Monday evening in the Alfred Schacher home. Those attending besides the Schultes and the Schachers were Mrs. Lucy Lienen, Jimmy and Jerry, Frank Drerup, Mr. and Mrs. Don Acker and Frankie, Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Drerup, Grace, Nancy, Carol and Ethel, Dan Schmucker and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ball and Douglas. On Thursday, Mrs. Lienen, took the Schultes to Slaton to see Mrs. Lienen's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steffens. Mrs. Alfred Schacher took them to Berger to see her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Denis Acker.

Ed Gerber, Vincent Gerber, and Dan Schmucker gave a party for the baseball team Sunday night in the Vincent Gerber home. The team, directors, wives, and girl friends enjoyed the evening playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schulte, Joan, Ralph and Carol are in Colorado vacationing. While there they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steffens of Slaton visited her mother, Mrs. Lucy Lienen, Saturday.

On Sunday, Ethel Drerup and Dan Schmucker and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shirley and family of Friona went to Plainview to attend the annual Pioneer Natural Gas Employees Picnic. They enjoyed barbecue chicken for dinner and playing bingo during the afternoon. Mrs. Shirley is Ethel's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shirley and family of Friona were Sunday supper guests of the Ed Drerup.

Week end guests in the Florence Schacher home were Miss Rosalie

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1. Establish a Cotton Research center at the Pilot Spinning Plant at Texas Tech for fiber and spinning research on Plains cotton.
 2. PCG-USDA cooperation on cotton breeding at the Lubbock Experiment Station.
 3. Cooperating on fertilizer research program. Lubbock Experiment Station, Halfway High Plains Field Station, Halfway
 4. Spur Experiment Station dryland water conservation.
 5. Texas Tech Gin Engineering program.
 6. Harvesting Economics and quality study with Tech.
 7. Secured \$22,000 USDA funds for cotton color study at Tech.
 8. Program investigating instrument classing of cotton.

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1. Crop-Hail insurance policies. Representation in Austin.
 2. Farm Trailer license representation.
 3. Helped obtain USDA funds — \$30,000 for stripper harvesting and \$40,000 gin stand research.
 4. A separate higher loan rate for light spotted cotton is in effect again this season.
 5. Representation in all legislative matters pertaining to cotton.
 6. Representation in Bracero labor program.
 7. Provide technical service to textile mills on the use of Plains Cotton.
 8. Cotton acreage allotment vigilance.
 9. Marketing loan limitations vigilance.
 10. Conduct Quality education program.
 11. Sponsored scholarships and contests at Tech.

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1. Technical meetings with European utilization of Plains cotton.
 2. Sponsored All-Cotton Style Show cooperated in South Plains contest.
 3. Provide newspaper stories on cotton or PCG members.
 4. Furnish 10 radio stations daily to keep members informed.
 5. Conduct tours to textile mills and buyers to High Plains meetings.
 6. Conduct advertising campaign nationally, and internationally.
 7. Print a bi-monthly publication.
 8. Maintain contacts with other organizations.
 9. Compile and distribute area reports and information to mills throughout U. S. and abroad.

